

GERMAN GOVERNMENT IS REPORTED TO BE OVERTHROWN

Peace Treaty With Germany in Effect

ACTION TAKEN WITHOUT U. S. BEING INCLUDED; THE LEAGUE TO MEET JAN. 16

By Associated Press.

PARIS, Jan. 10.—The treaty of Versailles, making peace between Germany and the allied powers, was put into effect at 4:15 o'clock this afternoon with the exchanges of ratifications of the peace treaty.

Peaceful relations between Germany and the greater number of the nations who were engaged in the great war against her, are established by the action taken at Paris today.

The powers which have finally ratified the treaty are: Great Britain, France, Italy, Japan, Belgium, Bolivia, Brazil, Guatemala, Peru, Poland, Siam, Czechoslovakia and Uruguay.

The putting of the League of Nations into being, which will be one of the immediate consequences of the exchange of ratifications of the Versailles treaty today, will occur at 10:30 o'clock Friday morning, Jan. 16, the supreme council decided today.

Ambassador Wallace cabled the decision of the council to President Wilson today so that he might issue formal notice of the meeting of the council of the league to be held on the date named.

EXPELLING OF 5 SOCIALISTS IN N. Y. SCORED

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—The action of the New York assembly in suspending five socialist members is condemned by Charles Evans Hughes, former governor of New York, in a letter to Speaker Sweet. The Central Federated union of New York, representing 200,000 trade unionists, joins in the protest.

In his letter, Hughes declares that the action of the assembly "is absolutely opposed to the fundamental principles of our government."

Dies After He Is Gassed at Oil Well at Caddo

FORT WORTH, Jan. 10.—Joe Terry, 20, of Fort Worth, was gassed yesterday at an oil well near Caddo. He died last night.

Officers Testify Before Grand Jury

Under the pilotage of Harry Hoag, automobile officer for the Ranger police department, five officers of the department, City Secretary A. G. Armstrong and Roy Thomas embarked for Eastland Saturday morning to testify before the grand jury.

Besides the witnesses, which included Chief of Police Parrish, Sergeant Reynolds, Officers Jackson and Hoag, the car carried C. K. Larrimore, said to be wanted by county officers for implication in the hold-up of the Copeland camp several weeks ago. Larrimore was arrested by Assistant Chief John Barnes Friday on a charge of drunkenness. He was in the hands of the police several days ago, and it was thought that he was a wanted man, but efforts to identify him were futile.

Friday it was learned that county officers were seeking him in connection with the Copeland robbery. Two other men, said to have been identified by men at the camp, are held at Eastland as the other members of the highway trio.

Bell Tolls as a Welcome to Gen. Pershing at K. C.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 10.—The tolling of the great bell in the Federal building here today announced the arrival of Gen. John J. Pershing.

The bell, a gift of the local chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, was rung by Miss Jessie Rogers, a direct line descendant of Betsy Ross.

The general reviewed a parade of former service men.

SCORE HURT; 2 INTERURBANS IN COLLISION

DALLAS, Jan. 10.—A score of persons were injured, several of them seriously, when north and southbound interurbans on the Dallas-Denison line collided on a trestle between Allief and Plano last night.

POLICE MAKE CLEANUP ON STRAY DOGS

War on stray dogs has been declared by the police department and Chief of Police Parrish today issued orders to all officers to shoot all dogs running loose without visible evidence of ownership. Owners of dogs who prize them are asked to keep them in bounds until the dog tax on them is paid.

Epidemics of distemper and black tongue, the last a recent canine disease which also affects human beings, have been caused in Ranger by the loose dogs and Chief Parrish is determined to put a stop to the danger.

Several strays have been shot by members of the department recently, in answer to calls for officers to kill "mad dogs." Though most of these complaints have had to do with dogs suffering from fits of distemper, a menace exists which the chief is determined to stop.

Texas Co. to Retain 11,402 Acres of Waggoner Lease

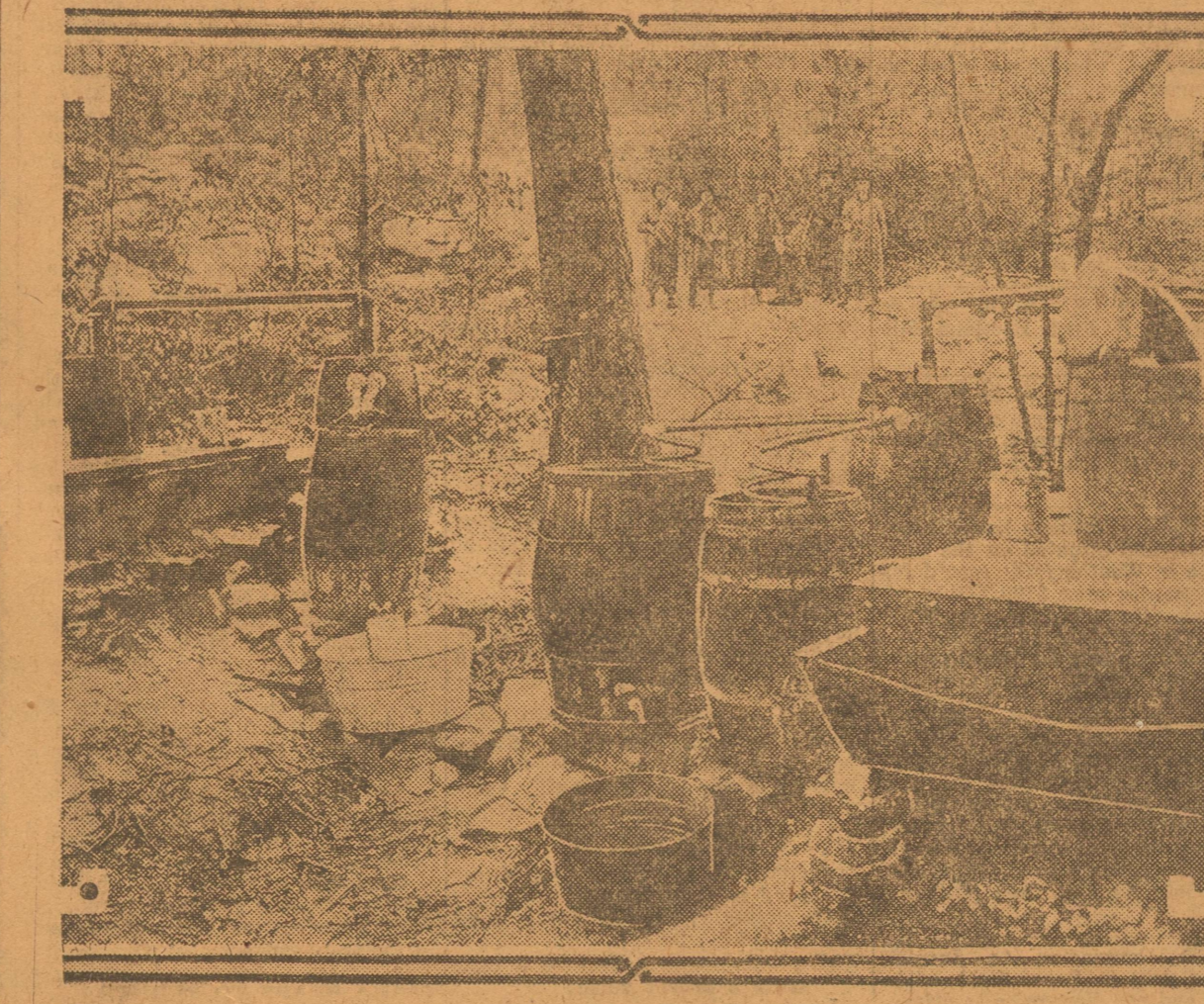
Special Leased Wire.

VERNON, Jan. 11.—An announcement has been made following an extended conference between the Texas company's interests, represented by J. L. McMahon, superintendent for the company's interests, represented by J. R. A. Johns of Houston, general counsel for the Texas company, and the W. T. Waggoner interests of Fort Worth, that the Texas company will retain 11,402 acres of their 270,000-acre Waggoner lease in Wilbarger and Wichita counties.

On the acreage retained by the Texas company there are about 200 producing wells and the company's production from the Waggoner lease runs about 1,300 barrels daily.

This lease, which was closed by the Texas company in 1909, when W. T. Waggoner struck oil in Wilbarger county, about one-half mile southwest of the Waggoner refinery, the drill penetrating the golden sands at a depth of 1,122 feet on the night of Nov. 15, 1909. This was the beginning of the Electra-Wilbarger development, and called for a consideration on the part of the Texas company of \$25,000 for the first well and \$75,000 for a lease on 270,000 acres of land—being 40 cents an acre.

RAID CUTS OFF CITY'S SUPPLY OF "REAL" LIQUOR



The still in Shedgee Valley after the raid. Members of raiding party, with guns, are in background.

The wholesale quantities of "hooch" or illicit whiskey which flooded Birmingham, Ala., for some time was cut off a few days ago when a sheriff's posse raided a still in the woods in Shedgee Valley, about fourteen miles from the city, destroying the stills and fifty-eight barrels of mash.

DEFENSE CALLS WITNESSES IN SPANELL TRIAL

By Associated Press.

BROWNWOOD, Texas, Jan. 10.—With the prosecution's case completed, witnesses for the defense were called today in the trial of Harry J. Spanell, charged with the murder of Col. M. C. Butler, his third trial in connection with the slaying of the army officer and Mrs. Spanell at Alpine in 1916.

Before resting yesterday, the state presented several witnesses who testified that the wounds in Butler's head and in Mrs. Spanell's head were from the rear.

Butler's wounds, it was asserted, were from a big gun, and Mrs. Spanell's from a small gun.

The defense today questioned witnesses regarding Spanell's peaceful character and his love for his wife and child.

Mexican Rebels Fail in Attempt to Get Aguilar

By Associated Press.

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 10.—Rebels who attempted to ambush General Candido Aguilar, governor of Vera Cruz, while the latter was traveling to the earthquake zone of that state, were decisively defeated, according to a war department statement today.

The statement added that thirty bandits were killed and many of them wounded.

Ranger Man Heads Proven Field Co.

The Proven Field Oil and Gas Association of Brownwood, Texas, at a recent meeting of trustees, elected Anderson M. Baten of Ranger president and general manager. The company is capitalized at \$250,000 and has holdings in the Desdemona, Sipe Springs and other pools. For the last year Mr. Baten has been operating in the Ranger field.

RUNS OVER FIRE HOSE AND FIRES FINE OF \$5

Disregard of fire hose cost one man \$15.40 in the city court this morning, when he entered a plea of guilty to running over fire hose and paid a fine of \$5 and costs. His was the only case in court this morning, except a solitary drunk, who failed to pay his assessment of \$11.40 and now is spending sobering moments in the city jail.

SWINDLERS OF BANKERS ARE SOUGHT

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Jan. 10.—Fourteen members of the National Syndicate of Bank Swindlers, who, it is alleged by the police, have divided more than \$2,000,000 with politicians, lawyers, police and some bank officials and employes, are being sought today.

John Louisi, representing the New York Indemnity company, said the evidence shows this gang recently robbed three banks of \$300,000.

This gang, he said, employs women to beguile bank employes and learn the secrets concerning shipments of money and then hires the robbing done.

Meyers No. 6 Makes Flow Incompleted

Prairie Oil & Gas company on the W. M. Meyers farm has a little well in No. 6, which struck the top of the pay at 2,305 feet and went in fifteen feet. It is making 150 barrels. Production is held down by the bailer, which is in the hole. The well probably will be drilled deeper.

Little Giant Oil company's Brooks Heirs No. 1 is holding to 600 barrels, six feet in the pay. Total depth is 3,509 feet, steel line measurement.

Top of the sand was 2,503 feet.

Boyd No. 3 of the Texas company will be a well soon, and is at the top of the pay at 3,440 feet. The well will be drilled in soon.

Rickard Texas Oil company's Barker No. 3, which was held up at 3,304 feet to move back boiler, has set the boiler to drill in and now is connecting up.

CHECK GIRL SUES FOR \$25,425 IN TIPS

CHICAGO, Jan. 10.—Hannah Stires, for two years check girl in a restaurant here, in a suit filed in superior court today, sought to secure \$25,425 from the Chicago tipping trust.

She alleged that she received that amount in tips in two years and was compelled to give it to the trust. Three men are named as defendants.

CLEMENCEAU TO COME TO U. S. TO BOOST LEAGUE

By Associated Press.

PARIS, Jan. 10.—Georges Clemenceau is said to intend, if he is elected president of France, to cross the Atlantic to carry on in the United States a vigorous campaign in behalf of the League of Nations, according to a report current here today.

Would Pool Navies.

LONDON, Jan. 10.—A strong appeal in favor of pooling the British and United States navies and concentrating them to the service of the League of Nations, as an instrument for banishing war from the seas, will be made by Alfred Gardiner in the London Daily News tomorrow.

Another Rise in the Price of Men's Clothing Soon

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Further price increases in men's clothing without much change in style was predicted today by delegates attending the convention of the International Association of Clothing Designers.

Labour contributes about 90 per cent to the cost of a suit of men's clothes, they said.

This Sergeant Virtually Vice Pres. of Haiti

By Associated Press.

PORT AU PRINCE, Haiti, Jan. 10. The promotion of Sergeant W. A. (Spot) Miller, of the United States marine corps, to a lieutenant in the gendarmerie of Haiti, reveals the fact that he holds the strangest job in the whole corps.

"Lieutenant" Miller for the last four years has been the personal bodyguard of President Antigenue of Haiti. He has become so influential in native government circles that he is known as vice president of Haiti.

Roy Craven Held on McKinney Word

Detective McGee late Friday arrested Roy Craven, 23 years old, on information sent out from McKinney, where Craven is said to be wanted for burglary. Craven is held at the city jail and word has been sent to the officers at McKinney to send for him.

SOCIALISTS MASTERS AND A GENERAL STRIKE HAS BEEN PROCLAIMED

(By The Associated Press.)

BRUSSELS, Jan. 10.—Travelers from Germany arriving here today brought unconfirmed reports that the German government has been overthrown.

It is reported by the travelers that the Socialists were masters of the situation and a general strike has been declared throughout the territory not under allied occupancy.

BUSINESS NOW RECOUPS FROM THE HOLIDAYS

Following the inactivity of the holiday period, business is again approaching the normal in this city. Local real estate men report a large number of inquiries for houses and residence lots, and also inquiries for business property. Eastern interests are talking of putting up another fine hotel here and a deal for the site is under consideration now. The demand for good rent houses was never so great. Every day really agents turn away numbers of persons seeking desirable living quarters.

Shacks and sorry rent houses are less in demand and land dealers here predict that in a few more months this class of property will be worthless, from an investment standpoint. With new hotels building or under construction and more contemplated, flimsy constructed and cheaply furnished rooming houses are receiving less and less patronage, and in the opinion of a well informed man, they, too, will soon go begging.

Business interests generally are optimistic regarding the constructive program for the year. An era of solid permanent growth is approaching, they say, and with the stabilizing of real estate prices, a process which has been under way for some time, and the extension of sewers, electric lights and gas to various parts of the city, this movement will gain headway rapidly.

Numerous wholesale houses, which have been watching the opportunities afforded in this city for some time past, may be expected to locate here during this year. With the completion of the Wichita Falls, Ranger & Fort Worth railroad now in sight, affording transportation facilities to the rich oil fields and thriving towns to the north and south, many large establishments will take advantage of the opportunities offered.

Building Permits for 1919 Compiling

Building permits for the year 1919, now being compiled by the Chamber of Commerce, promise to tell a tangible story, in cold figures, of the wonder city's remarkable growth for the last twelve months. More permanent progress has been made in that time than in any other city of Texas.

W. R. Woodward, former building inspector, closed his connection with the city with the end of the calendar year and after a visit to Dallas, will enter the contracting business in Ranger. His duties are being handled by T. C. Morrison, city electrical inspector.

Thousands Are Frozen to Death in Esthonia

By Associated Press.

REVAL, Jan. 10.—Thousands of persons were frozen to death in the blizzard which swept across Esthonia New Year's day.

Reports received here state that 300 bodies of refugees have been found in a forest near Narva and that American Red Cross workers saw many babies frozen to death at their mothers' breasts.

Many Teachers in Missouri Get Only \$25 Month

By Associated Press.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 10.—Many school teachers in Missouri are paid only \$25 a month, according to a report presented at a meeting of the executive committee of the state teachers' association here today.

BIG SUM BEING SPENT IN W. TEX. FOR BUILDING

Special to The Times.

STAMFORD, Jan. 10.—Millions of dollars are being expended by West Texas for municipal improvements, according to figures compiled by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce from reports received from commercial secretaries affiliated with the organization. Some of these are:

Mineral Wells: Streets, \$85,992; sewerage, \$69,838.

Ranger: Paving, \$725,000; auditorium city hall, \$100,000; sewerage, \$175,000; parks and playgrounds, \$65,000.

El Paso: Street paving, \$875,000; auditorium, city hall, \$50,000; sewerage, \$510,000.

Childress: Sewerage, \$40,000.

Stamford: Sewerage, \$15,000.

San Antonio: Streets, \$900,000; city hall, auditorium, \$500,000; sewerage, \$500,000; parks and playgrounds, \$200,000.

Amarillo: Streets, \$250,000; sewerage, \$100,000.

Eastland: Streets, \$400,000; city hall, auditorium, \$140,000; sewerage, \$85,000.

Ciudad: Street paving, \$125,000; sewerage, \$25,000.

Brownwood: Streets, \$60,000; sewerage, \$25,000.

Quanah: Streets, \$30,000.

Plainview: Streets, \$4,000; sewerage, \$35,000; parks, \$15,000.

Lubbock: Streets, \$105,000; sewerage, \$50,000.

Clarendon: Streets, \$40,000.

Comanche: Streets, \$150,000.

Wichita Falls: Streets, \$500,000; sewerage, \$100,000; parks, \$25,000.

Fort Worth: Streets, \$1,100,000; sewerage, \$500,000.

The following West Texas towns are spending several million dollars for waterworks, new schools and various other purposes, according to reports to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce:

Ranger: Various, \$64,000.

El Paso: Waterworks, \$825,000; schools, \$1,240,000; various, \$55,000.

Ahilen: Waterworks and electric plant, \$1,000,000.

Roscoe: Waterworks, \$7,500.

Anson: Various, \$43,000.

Gorman: Various, \$12,000.

Childress: Waterworks and electric light plant, \$500,000; various, \$12,000.

San Antonio: Various, \$1,850,000.

Austin: Schools, \$250,000.

Fort Worth: Waterworks, \$290,000.

Stamford: Waterworks and electric plant, \$480,000.

\$150,000,000 Is Asked by Glass for Food Relief

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—Authority to advance \$150,000,000 to be expended for food relief for Austria, Poland and Armenia, was asked of congress today by Secretary of the Treasury Carter Glass.

LONGHORN COMPANY TO PAY 10 PER CENT DIVIDEND

Special Leased Wire.

PORT WORTH, Jan. 10.—The annual meeting of the officers and trustees of the Longhorn Drilling and Development association was held at the general offices here. The following were elected: George Senzel, president; T. N. Moody, vice president; J. H. Rogers, secretary.

The company has been organized only five and a half months and is now operating five strings of tools on contract, one in Stephens county, Okla., two for Hamrick Oil company, one for Ranger-Rock Island Oil and Refining company, one for Indiana parties on the Yandell farm near Caddo, and one on a forty-acre lease which the company owns between Ranger and Desdemona.

The company will pay a 10 per cent dividend in the near future.

RATES AND REGULATIONS
in the
Daily Times
Ranger, Texas

One Time.....2c per word
Four Times.....For the cost of Three
Seven Times.....For the cost of Five
**ALL ORDERS MUST BE ACCOM-
PANIED BY THE CASH.**
No advertisement accepted for less
than 25 cents.
The above rates are for consec-
utive Daily and Sunday insertions
without change of copy.

No cuts or black-faced type al-
lowed.
No type above 10-point light face
allowed.
No advertisements accepted on a
"bill forbid" order; a specific number
of insertions must be given.
Notice to discontinue advertise-
ments must be given in writing, other-
wise we are not responsible.
We reserve the right to place all
classified advertisements under their
proper classification and to reject un-
clear or objectionable copy.

FOR Classified Advertising

LODGES

CALLED MEETING OF
Ranger Lodge No. 738, A. F. & A. M. at 7 p. m. E. A. Degree. Visitors come. T. W. Harrison, W. M. F. E. Langston, Secy.

1—LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Between DeGroff hotel and
Times office, letter opener to desk set
with Shrine emblem on it. Return to
J. W. Elliott, DeGroff hotel, and re-
ceive reward.

LOST—Black and tan hound, bot-
tled, branded 11 on left side, \$10
reward. Return to police station.

LOST—Female Airedale dog, 7.5
months' old, had Fuzie on collar, \$7.50
reward; return to Harris & Hattox
meat market, 114 North Rusk St.

LOST—Slim, rawnobed bay horse,
white face, pacer, and one dumpy
sorrel, roach mane pony; strayed
from C. S. Davis farm, two miles
from Ranger on Strawn road; \$10 re-
ward for return or for any informa-
tion leading to their recovery. L. M.
Gandy, Box 1532.

HELP WANTED (Female)

FOR SALE — Lunch counter restau-
rant, 2 living rooms, 2-year lease, well
located. 439 So. Rusk St.

WANTED—Woman by day for laun-
dry and house work. Apply 806
Cherry St., Hodges Oak Park.

HEALTHFUL EMPLOYMENT AT
good pay. Wanted men and women
boys and girls, to deliver Western
Union telegrams. Apply 206 Rusk.

HELP WANTED (Male)

WANTED—Capable bookkeeper, who
can use typewriter, to become finan-
cially interested in organized oil com-
pany; must have good references and
be able to invest at least \$2,000; sal-
ary, \$300 per month. Address P. O.
Box 1782, Ranger.

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—By experienced man and
wife, job cooking on lease; go any-
where; state salaries and number of
boarders. My address is M. K. Har-
bins, Strawn, Texas, in care Pierce
Oil Corporation, Smith Station.

YOUNG married lady wishes clerical
position. Fair typist, good payroll
clerk, college education. Address Mrs.
Walter D. Wells, care McCleskey hot-
el.

WEST VIRGINIA ENGINEER de-
sires position with good company;
competent of designing, constructing
and operating gas pumping stations
and efficient gasoline plants, both ab-
sorption and compression; years of
experience; reliable and industrious;
age 35, married. Reply in care of
Times office.

BUSINESS CHANCES

WILL rent half of office and use of
desk, \$100 month. Apply 317 1/2 Ma'n
St.

GROCERY STORE—\$10,000 buys lot,
building and stock, located in main
residence section; best suburban busi-
ness in Ranger; good established busi-
ness. Craven-Marowitz Realty Co.,
121 So. Austin St.

FOR LEASE—Several choice business
corners in business section, from 5 to
99-year lease; let us show you how
to make money on the other fellow's
investment. For business locations we
are who you want to see. Craven-
Marowitz Realty Co., 121 So. Austin
St.

HOTEL FOR RENT—42 rooms, brick
building, in center of business sec-
tion; large lobby first floor; hot and
cold water in all rooms; modern in
every respect; 5-year lease, best propo-
sition in Ranger for eight part-
ners building. For particulars and
plans see Craven-Marowitz Realty Co.,
exclusive agents, 121 So. Austin St.

ROOMING HOUSE of 20 rooms,
brick, business district; good lease-
sell lease and furnishings, \$5,750.
Terms. A money maker. Craven-
Marowitz Realty Co., 121 So. Austin
St.

HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR RENT—2-room furnished house,
good location. Inquire Mrs. John W.
Dunkle, So. Austin St.

FOR RENT OR SALE—A shack,
close in. Oasis Confectionery, 318
Pine.

FOR RENT—Brand new 5-room bun-
galow, 4 blocks west of postoffice; has
water piped into house, gas, wired
for lights, bath, up-to-date, best
neighborhood. Also garage; have to
act quick. Craven-Marowitz Realty
Co., 121 So. Austin St.

ROOMS FOR RENT

ROOM FOR RENT—Close in, private
family. Call at room 1, P. & Q. Bldg.

ONE 3-room apartment; gas and elec-
tric lights. Moore & Freeman, over
Ranger Drug Co.

ONE 2-room apartment; 10 minutes'
walk of postoffice; has gas and elec-
tric lights. \$35 month. Moore &
Freeman, over Ranger Drug Co.

ROOMS \$8.50 WEEK, two in a room,
Royal Hotel, 528 Hodges, St. 50
splendidly furnished rooms, well ven-
tilated; new furniture, nice lobby, gas,
electric lights. See us for a com-
fortable place to live. Ten minutes
from the postoffice. Go south on
Marston St. past the schoolhouse to
Mesquite St., then turn west two
blocks to Hodges St., then block and
half south on Hodges St. Royal
Hotel.

FOR RENT—Store room at the Oak
Park building on W. Pine St. Fine
location.

FOR RENT—3-room house with sleep-
ing porch, \$50. Apply 917 Foch St.

NOTICE—Payment on checks of
Flickinger Drilling Co. will not be
honored unless signed by C. M. Flick-
inger.

FOR SALE (Miscellaneous)

FOR SALE—One mahogany and cane
living room suite, one arm chair, wal-
nut bedroom suite, mahogany dining
room, ice box, stove, white en-
amel and porcelain kitchen table. Used
only two months. Reason for selling
leaving the city. Monday and Tues-
day, 917 Spring St.

BUSINESS property or trackage is
our specialty; if interested in either
see Craven-Marowitz Realty Co. be-
fore buying. 121 So. Austin St.

GROCERY STORE for sale; \$1,500
stock, building and ground with stock,
\$3,650; located on main road into
town, doing \$100 per day; a bargain
if sold at once. Craven-Marowitz
Realty Co., 121 So. Austin St.

FOR SALE—420 feet 1 1/2-inch casing,
1,200 feet 1 1/4-inch casing, good
as new. On lease 10 miles out. See
owner, 411 Pine St.

FOR SALE—One 6-inch Toledo pipe
cutting, motive power, together with
full complete plumbers' outfit, dies,
wrenches, etc. Bargain for cash. See
owner, 411 Pine St.

FOR SALE—New and second-hand
safes. Albert C. Smith, Hotel De
Groff.

FOR SALE—One 16x16 army tent;
side walls and wood floor, on Eastland
hill. Apply 806 Cherry St., Hodges
Oak Park.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Second hand
suits, coats, overcoats and ladies coats
at the Satisfied Tailor Shop, 317 Pine
street.

BUNGALOW—Brand new, never been
occupied; 5 rooms, finished floors,
French doors, 3 large closets, bath,
sink in kitchen, breakfast room, built-
in seats, water piped into house, fin-
ished inside in ivory, wired for lights,
gas connections, dandy garage wired
also; located in Hodges Oak Park on
corner Cypress and Lula, 4 blocks
west of P. O., in restricted addition.
\$5,750, easy terms, or might rent.
Craven-Marowitz Realty Co., 121 So.
Austin St.

WANTED—Young man to take half
interest in good paying cigar stand;
good salary, half profits; must be
capable of taking entire management.
See Deuaux, 317 1/2 Main St.

U. S. ARMY GOODS.
Tents, various sizes, shelter half-
tents, tarpaulins, wagon cover flies,
cots, mattresses, pillows, blankets, O.
D. comforts, raincoats, slickers,
ponches, overcoats, mackinaws,
sweaters, caps, coats, breeches, shirts,
wool and cotton; underwear, shirts,
drawers, socks, wool and cotton. Al-
most everything in army goods at
ANDERSON BROS., 211 So. Austin
St., 1 1/2 blocks south McCleskey hotel.

FOR SALE—Small Victrola and 20
records, cheap. Call 317 1/2 Main St.

FOR SALE—Horses and mules, or
will trade. Address X. Y. Z., care
Times.

FOR SALE—Practically new Toledo
20-pound computing scales, cheap.
J. C. Long Lumber Co.

FOR SALE (Real Estate)

FOR SALE—10-room house, two halls
and porches; water, lights and gas;
near Central ward and high schools,
for \$10,000, 402 Peach St., Abilene,
Texas.

FOR SALE—By owner, best corner
resident lot in Hodges Oak Park addi-
tion, 4 blocks west of postoffice. J. A.
Craven, 121 So. Austin St.

BEAUTIFUL new 4-room house,
large porches and clothes closets;
well located on high ground. Special
price, \$500 down, \$60 month. J. W.
Hoglund, 1123 Blackwell St.

1,839-ACRE well improved prairie
farm, 5 miles from R. R. town and
has switch on land; also 35 miles from
Port Worth; has 365 acres of fine
land in cultivation, some 50 acres of
good timber and the best prairie pas-
ture with good turf of grass; also
running water; has large ranch house
and three good tenant houses, large
cattle barn, barn for work stock and
milk cows, three granaries, two 500-
ton silos and dipping vat. Price, \$45
per acre, subject to rental contract
for 1920. Knox Realty Co., Weather-
ford, Texas.

PRACTICALLY new modern 2-story
residence, located in the most popular
residence section of Weatherford on
a beautiful southeast corner, 150x200
feet, has furnace heat, also several
fireplaces and flues for stoves. This
house is plastered, has 12 rooms in all
and beautifully arranged; has ele-
gant fixtures and hot and cold water.
Price \$15,000, with immediate posses-
sion. Knox Realty Co., Weatherford,
Texas.

NOTICE TO CAR OWNERS—M. &
L. Garage now open at corner So. Oak
and Gordon St.; gasoline, motor oils,
storage and expert automobile re-
pairing. Your patronage solicited.

INCOME TAX computed by one ex-
perienced. T. H. Donovan, Hotel
De Groff.

NOTICE TO CAR OWNERS—M. &
L. Garage now open at corner So. Oak
and Gordon St.; gasoline, motor oils,
storage and expert automobile re-
pairing. Your patronage solicited.

GALVANIZED iron in stock from 6
to 12-foot length. Stonewall Jackson
Lumber Co.

MR. W. E. PEGDYCOORD—Come at
once; James sick. Fannie.

FOR SALE—4-room house on corner
lot at Abilene, Texas. See Geo. S.
Dunning at Parkersburg Rig and
Reel, Ranger, Texas.

TWO well located pieces of brick busi-
ness property paying 10 per cent in-
come in Sweetwater, Texas, for sale
Knox Realty Co., Weatherford, Texas.

GROUND to lease for business loca-
tions, houses, tents, teams, camps.
See E. F. Rust, Eastland Hill, on Rust
lease.

FOR RENT OR SALE—New four-
room bungalow, one mile south of
depot. Write Erik Johnson, Box
1563, Ranger, Texas.

13—FOR SALE
(Real Estate)

NOW is the time to get a nice home;
we have just finished two 4-room bun-
galows for \$1,600, \$1,800 to \$2,000;
\$500 cash and \$50 per month; we have
a 5-room house close in for \$5,000,
on terms; also garage oil station, four
hotels, one rooming house and store.
Want to lease our 45-room court
apartment on good corner, close in.
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ness property paying 10 per cent in-
come in Sweetwater, Texas, for sale
Knox Realty Co., Weatherford, Texas.

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tions, houses, tents, teams, camps.
See E. F. Rust, Eastland Hill, on Rust
lease.

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room bungalow, one mile south of
depot. Write Erik Johnson, Box
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HOME BUYER—If you want to head
off high rent see the Craven-Marow-
itz Realty Co., who have a large list
of new bungalows on good terms that
can be bought much cheaper than you
can build now since lumber has ad-
vanced.

BEAUTIFUL residence lot fronting
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\$200 down, balance \$50 per month.
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SHACKS AND TENTS for sale or
rent. See E. F. Rust, Eastland Hill
on Rust lease.

FURNISHED bungalows in Youm-
er addition: 5 large rooms, a bargain;
near school; good terms. Craven-
Marowitz Realty Co., 121 So. Austin
St.

MODERN brick business house, prac-
tically new and situated on the pub-
lic square in Weatherford; rent for
\$800 per month; price \$100,000; term
if desired. Knox Realty Co., Weath-
erford, Texas.

14—OIL, GAS, MINERAL

HOMER, LA., oil leases can be
bought through the Craven-Marowitz
Realty Co.; we have just returned
from there and have an up-to-date
list of bargains from \$20 up in Cla-
borne parish; have sold several al-
ready since coming back. Come in
and see late map of field. 121 So.
Austin St.

WANTED—Contractor to furnish
soils and drill in Pecos field; state
per foot and per diem price to differ-
ent depths. Ira J. Bell & Co., Pecos,
Texas.

WANTED—50-50 drilling contract
one acre in Necessity, Stephens coun-
ty, in block 33, near the big J. S.
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barrels. Tatum & Beauchamp, Breck-
enridge, Texas.

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production now; 27 wells drilling
more coming; the big oil men are
adding to their holdings rapidly.
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feet in oil; can still locate you 20
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the best is gone; blue print oil maps
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vestment Co., Artesia, N. M.

FOR SALE—40-acre lease within 1 1/4
miles of Laney well No. 2 in Erath
county (W. C. Swearingen survey), 12
miles south of Stephenville. What am
I offered? F. D. Hicks, at Daily
Times.

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the
partnership known as Stonewall Jack-
son Lumber Co., existing between
Stonewall Jackson of Ranger, Texas,
and H. H. Hardin of Fort Worth,
Texas, was dissolved on January 7,
1920. All accounts due are payable to,
and all accounts payable are as-
sumed by Stonewall Jackson of Ran-
ger, Texas. The business will be con-
tinued by Stonewall Jackson, owner,
under the name of Stonewall Jack-
son Lumber Co.

WANTED TO BUY
WANTED—Good automobile; will
trade oil and gas leases near drilling
in Parker county. Box 185, Weath-
erford, Texas.

HIGHEST cash prices paid for sec-
ond-hand furniture and stoves.
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ing tools; specify what you have and
give price. Toyah Basin Oil Co.,
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SEE Stonewall Jackson Lumber Co.
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FOR RENT—Cash or shares, half
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fancy handwriting, calling cards.
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water accommodations; there is none
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perienced. T. H. Donovan, Hotel
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Fast Steamer
Service From U.S.
to Argentina

By Associated Press
BUENOS AIRES, Jan. 10.—Ameri-
can business men in Argentina re-
ceived with pleasure the announce-
ment that the United States shipping
board had allotted seven of its fas-
tessenger liners for service between
New York and South American ports
including Buenos Aires. They have
felt that they have been struggling
against a handicap owing to slow mail
communication and passenger trans-
portation between the United States
and this country.

If the Americans here wanted to
send a letter to the United States he
knew that in the past it would re-
quire at least thirty days for the let-
ter to reach New York and that fre-
quently it would require forty. To
send a representative to the United
States on a business mission would
require three months before the agent
could return to Buenos Aires.

Meantime the Americans' chance of
doing business has fallen into the
hands of a European competitor who
could communicate with his principals
by mail within three weeks. East-
steamships have been arriving here
from European ports almost twice a
week while the mail from the United
States came mostly by slow freight
steamers.

One of the difficulties of which the
Americans here complained was the
delay in receiving bills of lading for
goods sent from the United States to
Argentina. This was due to the fact
that the bills could not be sent on
the steamers which carried the goods
and there were few fast steamers
which could bring them here at the
time the goods arrived.

When the bill of lading was sent
on slow ships the goods were held in
the custom house here until he ar-
rived.

On the other hand, bills of lading
on goods shipped from England came
through on fast steamers which often
arrived here before the goods were
received.

The Americans here say that com-
munication to the United States costs
cents 53 a word and that the ca-
pacity of the cables is trebly over-
taxed.

A Query Target.
For doing certain little things my
mind is not so worse;
At double chess I'm not a total
dunce;

While listening to a lecture I once
wrote a decent verse;
I can juggle seven tennis balls at
once.

But there's one situation where my
head goes all awry—
I can't solve without the slightest tinge
of a blush.

When I try to solve the questions that
are asked me by the girl
Who makes me take her to each
football game. —Illinois Siren

AUTOMOBILES

FOR SALE—1919 Dodge car, good
as new, run 2,500 miles, first class
condition. Apply Ranger Garage,
call for Nash.

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new, at a bargain. A. M. Beeman, at
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CHINA FEARS TO REDUCE
ARMY, BIGGEST IN WORLD
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at the border lines. The government,
however, is not disposed to consent to
this, fearing complications growing
out of the Shantung settlement and
the advance of the Bolshevik forces
in Siberia.

The government is unable to pay
the soldiers, and the law requires full
pay for each before demobilization.

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AT THE THEATERS

LIBERTY.

Purchasers of "Oh Baby" Tickets Warned Against Buying From Outsiders.

If any fellow on the street or anywhere, other than at the Liberty theater, tries to sell you a ticket for the Marcus extravaganza, "Oh Baby" at the Liberty next Wednesday, at an advance in price give him a Dempsey on the nose and holler for the police. The chances are ten to one he will be a ticket speculator. They are on their way to Ranger, according to information received by W. B. Palmer, manager of the playhouse, yesterday from A. B. Marcus, owner of the company.

Driven from New York city by the ordinance requiring that not more than fifty cents advance over the normal box office scale may be charged, many ticket speculators have attached themselves to the three big perennial revues, Ziegfeld's "Follies," the New York Winter Garden's "Passing Show" and the Marcus show. Wherever possible they corner the better seats and then hold up purchasers sometimes as high as \$10 a seat. Mr. Marcus is determined that the public shall not be molested. He has advised local managers all over the route to be careful that the speculators don't get hold of the tickets.

No doubt the profiteering brethren would reap a harvest here as indications are that the demand for tickets will far exceed the supply.

In order that speculators may not secure the tickets no more than six will be sold to one person unless the purchaser satisfies the management of the Liberty that they are not to be resold at an advanced price.

Tack Inspector.

Humorists have told us of coffee feelers and egg listeners, but now we actually have tack inspectors. There is one with the big Marcus show which comes, with Mike Sacks and the famous Peach chorus, to the Liberty on Jan. 14, matinee and night, in the extravaganza success, "Oh Baby." This is no josh, either. The duties of the inspector are to go on the stage before every scene to detect any mean tacks, stray splinters, or other foreign objects that might bring grief to the fair barefoot dancers. A. B. Marcus thinks it cheaper to employ an inspector than to pay bills for treatment of lockjaw.

LONE STAR.

"The Brat" Is Another Nazimova Sensation.

"That Brat," Nazimova's latest production and the successor to "The Red Lantern," was shown yesterday at the Lone Star theater to a crowded house that gave every manifestation of delight and approval to the Russian artist's work. Interest was added to the star's adroit performance by the fact that she herself, in collaboration with Charles Bryant, adapted Maude Fulton's successful stage play to the screen. It was scenarized by June Mathis.

"The Brat" is the first of Nazimova's screen or stage impersonations that presents her as an American girl. Her great fame hitherto has been derived from portrayals of Latin and other European and Asiatic types; but as a real American girl, the product of a crowded city, she revealed anew her extraordinary ability as a feminine virtuoso of the emotions.

The story relates the experiences of "the brat," a nameless girl who loses her job in the chorus and who, cast forth into a pitiless world, is first insulted by a miser and then haled to the night court on a trumped up charge. There an author in search of "local color" and especially for a heroine for his forthcoming novel, rescues her and takes her to his aristocratic home.

Their friendship ripens into love and "the brat" shows pretty soon that beneath her rough and slangy exterior she is a woman with tenderness and warm sympathy. She saves the author's ne'er-do-well brother from the consequences of his follies and in the end brings the novelist a realization that she loves her and cannot live without her.

QUEEN.

Dancers at "Night Party Don't Know When to Quit."

An especially humorous scene is presented in an orzy behind the theatrical curtain in "Mind the Paint Girl," a First National picture featuring Anita Stewart, in which will be

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Next to Lone Star Theater

"THE HOME OF GOOD EATS"

shown at the Queen theater tomorrow.

The members give a party to the star and several outsiders are brought in. Considerable wine is consumed and some of the more indiscreet members are well in their cups.

The last dance is started. Some of them manage to get through it, but one couple didn't realize it was time to stop. They kept on after the music had ended until too tired to move further. Then they stand holding on to each other for mutual support until pried apart, when the lights were turned out.

HIPPODROME.

Another Laughing Hit at the Hippodrome Theater.

Herman Lewis and his Virginia Beauties put over another good one last night at the Hippodrome when they presented "Sweethearts," a farce comedy with musical numbers interpolated. Snowball Jack Owens, as usual, had the principal comedy role and while he has been a big laugh provoker all week, he never in his life did anything funnier than his last night's characterization of a negro house servant. All of the other men

in the company had comedy roles, Paul Scott portraying a parson, Earl Lane a "nice" boy and Herman Lewis a country bumpkin. Each was good in his part and served as an excellent foil for Owens. The chorus had some pretty numbers and executed them well and the quartet again pleased with some new and some old selections. Tonight is this company's last performance at the Hipp and if you have not yet seen this clever aggregation by all means make it a point to be there tonight. They present for their farewell performance "Blackmail," a semi-military bill in one act.

OPERA HOUSE.

Intensely dramatic and furnishing Harry T. Morey an unusually strong role in which to display his peculiar histrionic ability, "The Gamblers," which was shown at the Opera House this afternoon, bids well to eclipse the stage version of Charles Klein's great success.

"The Gamblers" is peculiarly susceptible to pictorialization and many tense and exciting scenes, which were only referred to in the stage version, have been visualized.

A somewhat radical change has been made in the motive of the district attorney in his prosecution and almost persecution of "The Gamblers." In the acted version the district attorney was instigated by political ambition; in the screen version it is jealousy of his wife, who had previously been engaged to marry one of the guilty men.

Morey Gives Notable Performance. Mr. Morey has gotten completely into the spirit of the character of Wil-

bur Emerson and gives one of the best performances of his notable career. He is called upon to neglect his fiancée and enter questionable financial dealings and at the same time retain the respect of the audience. This he does in a very clever manner and at the same time wins their sympathy. It is one of the most difficult roles that can be given an actor, and Mr. Morey measures up to the standard in every way.

A strong case supports Mr. Morey, and each individual member of the company handles the role assigned in an unusual manner. Especially noticeable are George Majeroni, Eric Mayne, Helen Ferguson and Charles Kent. Much emotional acting is required of them and they handle it with an ease and naturalness seldom found outside of real life.

Paul Scardon, director, deserves mention for the exquisite sets and atmosphere injected into the production. His conception of the story is unusual, and as a result the screen version is a masterpiece.

TEXAS THEATER.

The Yankee Doodle Girls will conclude the last night of their week's engagement tonight by presenting another big laughable blackface comedy entitled "The Gaities of 1920," and owing to the big success that has been made by this company the management owing to popular demand has decided to retain them for another week, at which time there will be a different play presented each and every day that will be entirely different from the previous week. No company that has ever appeared in

the city of Ranger has made the impression that this company has with its high class plays and finished performers as there seems to be a class of people with this show that are very seldom seen with companies of this kind and the showgoers of Ranger are indeed fortunate to be visited by such a clever company.

For Monday the Yankee Doodle Girls will offer a very elaborate production entitled "A Day at the Races," in which the comedians will be seen at their very best. There will be a matinee daily and change of program daily with lots of novelties in store for the coming week.

ADVISES CONSERVATION TO WARD OFF FOOD FAMINE

International News Service, SAN FRANCISCO.—America will feel the most appalling food shortage the world has ever known late next

spring unless strict conservation is observed, is the warning given here by Thomas Forsyth Hunt, dean of the University of California.

"Cease buying expensive clothing and shoes and practice the utmost economy all down the line or the 60 per cent food condition now existing in Europe will be so greatly reduced

by spring that starvation will kill more persons than the war, and America herself will go for lack of proper food," Dean Hunt said. "The demand to be made upon America's food resources by Europe next year will surpass anything heretofore dreamed of, and only the housewives can prevent actual famine in this country."

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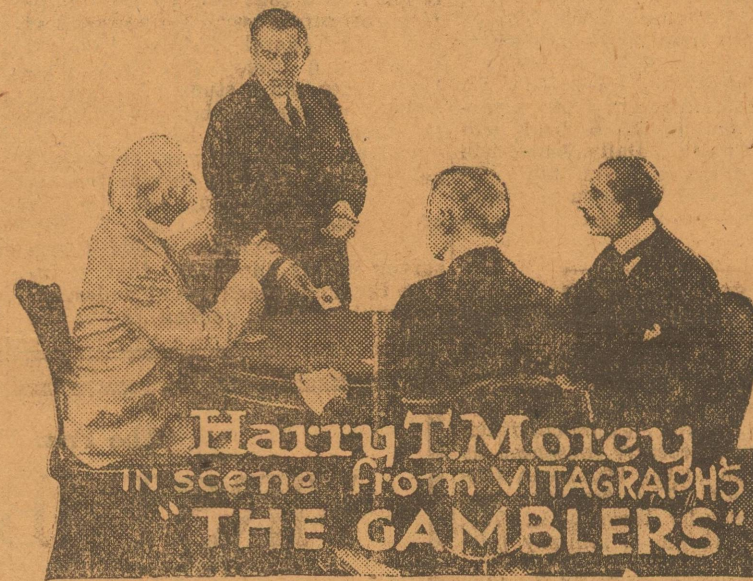
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THE PICTURE THAT HAS STIRRED THE WHOLE COUNTRY

"THE GAMBLERS"

calls to mind a famous romance of the Chicago Wheat Pit a few years ago. A young man attempted to corner the wheat supply. He was driven from the pit in disaster. The episode provided a seven-day sensation for the front pages of the newspapers. Don't fail to see it.



Harry T. Morey
IN SCENE FROM VITAGRAPH'S
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THAT JACKSON DAY BANQUET

The Jackson day banquet of the democrats at Washington has served as nothing else in recent months to awaken the American people out of their lethargy in regard to who shall become the next president. The fact of the matter is the American people have not been worrying much nor apparently have they cared much, what party or what man gets the reigns of government at the November election. Few have realized—if the slow payment of poll taxes is to be taken as a criterion—that this year, 1920, is the biggest year in the political history of the nation for many years.

Now that William Jennings Bryan and President Wilson have clashed in their views in regard to the League of Nations covenant, it can be said that the political fireworks have opened and the public can look for many further sensational developments. The president favors submitting the League of Nations covenant to the people, while Bryan is of a distinctly opposite mind and sees no reason why anything like this should be done. The belief is expressed that the president's view as to the covenant and the peace treaty has killed its chances of ever getting over in the senate. Whether or not this will be the case, remains to be seen.

A significant development of the meeting of the democrats also is noted in the fact that the president said nothing in regard to a third term or his retiring to private life. Doubtless the failure of the president to mention this matter was a distinct disappointment to the democrats, who, however, were not disheartened and proceeded to endorse everything the president has done in regard to getting a peace treaty for the United States and the world. It is significant also that Bryan definitely stated that he would not become a presidential candidate.

There is a bumper crop of presidential candidates this year. Apparently the object of the individual parties is to get the largest possible number into the field. It is an indication that America has more great men than ever before in her history, or is it?

WAR BLUNDER COMES TO LIGHT

The profligate throwing away of American lives on the day that the armistice was signed has come to light through a statement made by a witness before the house investi-

SCRIPTURE

Matthew 28: 1-9.
In the end of the sabbath, as it began to dawn toward the first day of the week, came Mary Magdalene and the other Mary to see the sepulchre.
And, behold, there was a great earthquake: for the angel of the Lord descended from heaven, and came and rolled back the stone from the door, and sat upon it.
His countenance was like lightning, and his raiment white as snow:
And for fear of him the keepers did shake, and became as dead men.
And the angel answered and said unto the women, Fear not ye: for I know that ye seek Jesus which was crucified.
He is not here: for he is risen, as he said. Come, see the place where the Lord lay.
And go quickly, and tell his disciples that he is risen from the dead; and, behold, he goeth before you into Galilee: there shall ye see him: lo, I have told you.
And they departed quickly from the sepulchre with fear and great joy: and did run to bring his disciples word.
And as they went to tell his disciples, behold, Jesus met them, saying, All hail, and they came and held him by the feet, and worshipped him.

"THAT LITTLE GAME" --- Hunting the Place



gating committee. He declares that many American soldiers were so horrified at the appalling loss of lives after hostilities had been ended, that there was no celebration of the armistice by many of the A. E. F. men who were at the front at the time.

The Times favors an investigation of this charge to the last limit. If it is groundless, then the officer making it should be summarily dealt with, and if on the other hand, it is found to be true, then the men responsible for the act should be made to account for it.

In one portion of his testimony, the witness—Brigadier General John H. Sheburne—said: "So horrified were my men and those of other American commands near us at the needless attack on the morning of November 11 and consequent loss of life that they did not enter into the general celebration of the signing of the armistice." The witness testified that at the time it was realized someone had blundered and that some day an investigation must be made.

Now that the house committee is going into the war in a general way, apparently to find as many mistakes as possible, this is the time to go to the bottom of this affair that the needless sacrifice of those American youths may not go unheeded and unpunished.

West Texas News

UVALDE, Jan. 10.—The Devil's river offers unusually good sites for dams for impounding sufficient quantities of water to irrigate thousands of acres of land in Val Verde, Kinney and Maverick counties. Representative Hudspeth of this district has offered a bill for government aid in construction of a large reservoir in the Devil's river valley. It is believed the project would cost \$8,000,000. Local communities would issue bonds under authority of the state and pledge lands benefited for security, according to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

SAN ANGELO, Jan. 10.—In the fall of 1919 approximately \$150,000 worth of pecans were marketed here. In 1916-17 this city planted 2,600 pecan trees and is now putting on a campaign for thousands more. The tree not only serves grandly for shade purposes, but it produces at the minimum of expense great crops of edible nuts which have brought great returns to owners. The West Texas Chamber of Commerce is now advocating more pecan trees in every West Texas town and county.

AMARILLO, Jan. 10.—Thousands of acres usually devoted to wheat lie idle this winter because of a combination of conditions, particularly paucity of labor. It has been estimated that only about 50 per cent of the acreage of 1919 has been sown to wheat this year, according to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. The total decrease in acreage over the nation this year is about 12,000,000, and the probable decrease in production will be about 200,000,000 bushels. Spring wheat planting is the only salvation in sections which receive usual spring rains. It is the belief of the department of agriculture representatives that the price of flour this fall will reach \$5 a sack.

EL PASO, Jan. 10.—Better highways for the western part of Texas are being advocated in this part of the state. Tourist travel in the spring and summer of 1920 is expected to be the heaviest in the history of El Paso. Many visitors will come over the new Bankhead highway which crosses West Texas from east to west, according to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

EL PASO, Jan. 10.—Admittance of Mexican laborers into Texas, Arizona and New Mexico for ranches and agricultural work is desired by a large per cent of the inhabitants of these states because of the present insufficiency of labor in these states. Congressman Hudspeth of El Paso has

introduced a concurrent resolution seeking this end.

The West Texas Chamber of Commerce believes that if the bar is lifted in 1920 the labor situation of the West will be solved, otherwise there would be a repetition of the loss of much of the crops. The lifting of the immigration restrictions would be extended a sufficient length of time to equalize labor conditions in the West.

ABILENE, Jan. 10.—In the picturesque fastness of the Buffalo Gap mountains, seventeen miles southwest of this city, work is progressing on the 15,000,000,000 gallon lake which Abilene is building to supply its water needs and to irrigate several thousand acres of fertile Elm creek lands. The lake and scenery of the mountains will be enjoyed by 500 delegates and visitors to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce second annual convention which meets in Abilene Jan. 22. President C. T. Herring of the organization and Sumner M. Ramsey, editor of the Amarillo Daily News, will attend the convention in two airplanes. Additional bookings of speakers will round out a magnificent program.

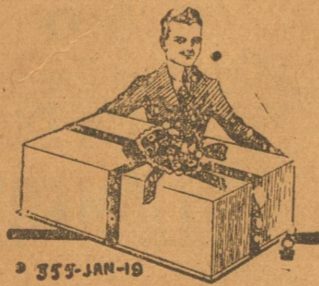
HISTORIC SOCIETY GETS TOM-TOM OF APACHE CHIEF

International News Service.
LAWTON, Okla.—A tom-tom, known to have been constructed and used by the famous Apache chieftain, Geronimo, was recently presented by Frank Harrah to the Oklahoma Historical society. The tom-tom was given to Harrah by Geronimo in 1909, while the chief was a military prisoner at Fort Sill.
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China Seeks to Buy Lumber in the Philippines

By Associated Press

SHANGHAI, Jan. 10.—Lumber interests in China and particularly in Shanghai, as a result of the boycott movement against Japan, are reported engaged in a project to obtain raw timber in future from the Philippines. In former years the volume of Japan's lumber trade with China has run into millions of taels annually.

David S. N. Hsia, a graduate of the Philippine school of forestry, said to have been sent here by the Philippine government with the approval of Governor General Harrison, has just completed a survey of China's lumber market and a study of means by which Philippine lumber may be most economically brought here.

Chinese wood workers, carpenters and builders are said to manifest an increasing aversion against the use of Japanese lumber.

Upon the completion of Mr. Hsia's survey it was announced that in future the Philippines would undertake to supply a large portion, if not the

bulk, of China's lumber needs. An intention expressed was to apply to the United States shipping authorities with the request that boats be supplied to encourage the growth of the new business.

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International News Service.
BOSTON.—Coblenz, Germany, is in some respect a paradise for householders, according to a letter received from there by Lieut.-Col. L. H. Drennan, air service officer of the North-eastern department.
This letter stated that servant girls are paid only \$2 a month and "found," while beer sells for 3 cents a glass; a good shave may also be obtained for only 6 cents, according to Colonel Drennan's correspondent.

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FOREIGNERS ARE LEAVING U. S. IN DROVES

By Associated Press
NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Nearly 1,000,000 foreign-born laborers have left the United States for Europe since the armistice was signed and 1,000,000 more will depart as soon as passport regulations are made less strict, according to a statement issued here by the Inter-Racial council, of which Gen. Coleman du Pont is chairman.

Tens of thousands of aliens are reported to be giving up their jobs preparatory to returning to their home lands, it was said, and many of these "as a result of racial prejudices will take back with them stories about America which will make this country less attractive to immigrants."

"The independence that has been granted the countries of Europe," it was stated, "and the fact that 30,000,000 persons, women largely, are drawing aid from their governments in the form of pensions, are factors which detract from the incentive heretofore existing for foreigners to seek their fortunes in the United States."

A nationwide educational movement among thirty nationalities in this country, having for its purpose the endeavor to "adjust the foreign-born to American life," has been undertaken by the council which has held numerous conferences with leading representatives of each race. More than 400 industrial and financial organizations of the country are said to be interested in the council which advocates "a liberal attitude on the part of the public toward immigration" as a result of the reported unskilled labor shortage.

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CENSUS ENUMERATORS FACE HARD TASK IN FOREIGN DISTRICTS; WOMEN AID IN WORK



Miss Mary Kelly, enumerator, interviewing Lee Hock in New York's Chinatown and fish dealer being questioned by census taker.

An army of 85,000 enumerators are now taking the fourteenth federal census to find out a host of facts about folks in the U. S. The work is expected to take two weeks. In the larger cities with big foreign elements the work is extremely difficult.

Oil and Gas Leases, Mineral Deeds, Royalty Contracts—Eastland County

John H. Harrison et ux, to J. R. Stubblefield, land in town of Eastland, part of block —C—3 (minus C minus 3), Eastland county, warranty deed, \$5,000.
A. J. Hughes to N. Lewis et al, lot 9, block 42, Central addition town of Pipe Spring, Comanche county, warranty deed, \$850.
Henry Oil Co. to H. A. Hearn, lot 2, sub-division E. one-third of Thos. A. Howell survey, Eastland county, 964-10 acres, assignment, \$1.
H. A. Earns to C. C. Boone, lot 2, sub-division E. one-third Thos. A. Howell survey, Eastland county, 964-10 acres, assignment, \$1.
A. A. Brazell to R. P. Smith, 100 acres Sarah Bibb pre-emption, less 20 acres out west end containing 80 acres, Eastland county, warranty deed, \$1.
Joseph M. Weaver to W. D. Rhoadbarger et al, lots 10, 11 and 12, block 6, in Norwood addition to town of Eastland, Eastland county, warranty deed, \$750.
Texas Town Lot company to A. J. Pipher, lot 6, block 22, in town of Gorman, Eastland county, warranty deed, \$1,000.
Texas Town Lot company to A. J. Pipher, lots 1 and 2, block C, sub-division of the original block No. XVIII, in the town of Gorman, Eastland county, warranty deed, \$475.
J. S. Moss to R. Barnett, quarter of one-eighth royalty on lots 2, 3, 4, 5 and 7, block 5, in Ray addition to city of Ranger, Eastland county, warranty deed, \$1,000.
N. N. Fisher to J. S. Moss, lots 7 and 8, block 8, Ray addition to the town of Ranger, Eastland county, warranty deed, \$1,000.
T. M. Dees to Hog Creek Oil Co., part of a 122.52 acre tract of lot 66 of a sub-division of McLennan county school land, leagues 3 and 4, Eastland county, assignment, \$1.
A. A. Tate to Alfred Paul, part of the Luke Bryant survey, abstract 18, Eastland county, 40 acres, assignment, \$1.
Robert Lee Oil Co. to Meridian Oil & Gas Co., part of the J. M. Brading survey, Eastland county, assignment.
Atlas Oil Co. to Hog Creek Oil Co., N. half N.E. quarter survey 9, block 1, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey, Eastland county, assignment, \$1,200.
C. U. Connelley to Oil Belt Power Co., part N.W. corner of block—G-6, Eastland city, Eastland county, warranty deed, \$1,000.
Tom Harrell to F. E. Day, lot 16, block B-1 in city of Eastland, Eastland county, warranty deed, \$6,000.

Government to Aid Dependents of Radical Aliens

By Associated Press
WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—The government has definitely decided to render aid to dependents of alien radicals.
The step, according to Assistant Attorney General Garvan, is purely a humanitarian one and is not taken because of any obligations to the families of aliens.

BRITISH DON'T KNOW WHAT F. O. B. MEANS

By Associated Press
LONDON, Jan. 10.—The question of what "f. o. b." means in America has been vexing British and American commercial interests in London.
Until the question arose, British traders believed "f. o. b." meant "freight on board export vessel." Americans in quoting prices calculated on the customary "freight on board at point of origin." There is considerable difference and Britishers, it is stated, complained when bills were rendered.

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DAILY PRAYER MEETINGS IN BURLESQUE THEATER
International News Service.
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Beginning January 4 daily prayer meetings are to be conducted at noon in the Grand theater, a local burlesque house, by the church federation, which includes representatives of all Protestant churches here. Milton R. Pratt is chairman of the federation. He says that the meetings are to help revive Worcester. The meetings will end only a few minutes before the theater opens for the daily matinee.

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R. R. Nelms, superintendent of the Ranger Waterworks company, in a statement today declared that the company will cut off all persons who are delinquent in paying their water rent.

"We have been very lenient in this matter up to the present time," Mr. Nelms said. "Never in a single case have we cut off patrons for delinquency. But the list of unpaid bills has grown so large that we are compelled to take action."

A fee of \$1 will be charged for turning the water back on, in case it is cut off.

Modern Barber Shop, Austin St.

The Craven-Marowitz Realty company has leased to Vincent Nichols and associates of Waco, Texas, the building belonging to Mr. Craven at 118 North Austin street, for a barber shop. The building was leased by Mr. Nichols for a period of three years at \$250 a month rental.

Mr. Nichols has one of the most up-to-date shops in the city of Waco, with Italian marble fixtures valued at \$12,000. It is the aim of his firm to give Ranger the best money can buy, and he will bring with him expert barbers and the best of equipment.

While at his former home in Waco, Mr. Craven lost no opportunity to boost this city, and he succeeded in interesting Mr. Nichols in Ranger, with the above results.

Irkutsk Taken by Bolsheviks

HONOLULU, Jan. 10.—Nippujiji, a Japanese language newspaper here, published a cable from Tokio today reporting that the bolsheviks had captured Irkutsk, and that the allied diplomats had gone to Chita.

EX-SAPPER LOCATES WATER WITHOUT DIVINING ROD

International News Service. LONDON—"I am the only man in the world who is known to be able to locate water without the use of a divining rod."

"I can not only give its exact location, I can tell exactly how much there is, and at what depth it will be found."

These claims are made by Stephen Kelly, the ex-Australian sapper, who recently won a libel action in which his successful water divining at Gallipoli was mentioned.

Mr. Kelly gave a demonstration of his art in his garden. He walked erectly down the path, his arms outstretched toward the ground and his thumbs crossed over two pennies. He hesitated, stopped, closed his eyes and seemed to concentrate his mind. "There is water at this spot," he said, "and a well dug at twenty feet would produce 100 gallons per hour."

"When I pass over ground beneath which there is water, my thumbs crossed over copper," he said, "I receive immediately a series of shocks like electrical currents, which pass up my arms and seem to finish in my chest. These are much accentuated when I place my hands on the ground. I used a piece of copper from the driving band of a shell in Gallipoli, but even without copper at all I experience the sensations."

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TROLLEY CAR KILLS BIG GRAY TIMBER WOLF

PITTSBURG, Kan.—Fifteen dollars was picked up by D. C. Watson, motorman on an interurban car on a trip from Pittsburg to Joplin a few days ago when a big gray timber wolf tried to cross the track in front of Watson's car, which was doing better than fifty miles an hour.

The wolf evidently miscalculated the speed at which the interurban was traveling, and was decapitated by the wheels of the car.

Watson received the \$15 when he took the wolf's head to Columbus, Kan.

PICTURESQUE RAIL FENCES CUT DOWN FOR FUEL

International News Service. COLUMBIA, Mo.—Picturesque old rail fences of Boone county, relics of the good old days, are fast disappearing into the maws of furnaces in Columbia homes, owing to the fact that the rails afford an easy and quick method of obtaining seasoned wood.

One Columbia coal yard is said to have purchased 150,000 of the rails, which are being hauled to town to help stave off a threatened fuel shortage.

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DEMPESEY ACCEPTS \$400,000 BID TO FIGHT CARPENTIER



Latest photo of Georges Carpentier, taken after his battle with Beckett.

Jack Kearns, manager of Jack Dempsey, has announced he has accepted an offer of \$400,000 for a battle between Dempsey and Georges Carpentier. The offer calls for a forty-five round contest, the fight to be staged at Tia Juana, Lower California (Mexico). James W. Coffroth, noted fight promoter, made the offer. Kearns' acceptance doesn't assure the battle, though, as Carpentier's signature must be obtained and a million and one details agreed to before the final documents are signed.

Church Services

Lindsay Baptist Mission. Sunday school will be held at the Lindsay Baptist mission, in the Riddle addition, at 3 p. m. Preaching services at 7:30 p. m. by the new Baptist city missionary, Rev. M. F. Drury. Prayer meetings on Thursday evening at 7:30. Unusual interest in these meetings, as Dr. Drury is a man of great ability.

Baptist Church. Sunday morning at 11 o'clock the new city missionary will preach. From the report of the state board, this church now has one of the best men in Texas, to assist Rev. Johnson in his work. Sunday night at 7:30 Rev. Johnson will preach. If the crowd is as large as on last Sunday you will have to come early to get a good seat.

Episcopal. Episcopal services will be conducted at 11 a. m. at the Lone Star theater.

Catholic Church. Catholic church services will be held at St. Rita's church, three blocks west of the Prairie Oil and Gas company offices, at 11 a. m. Sunday school at 11:30 a. m.

Best Tailors to Lamb Theater

The Best Tailors, located in the store of Jones, Cox & Co., on Main street, will shortly move to the store room on the left of the entrance to the Lamb theater.

J. W. Ruddell, proprietor of the shop, has been in the Jones, Cox & Co. building for the last three months and during that time he has done a phenomenal business. The new shop will contain the best equipment obtainable. Mr. Ruddell stated today. The interior decorations of the shop will be after the latest designs. Mr. Ruddell expects to employ at least eight expert tailors, to make high class men's suits and overcoats here in town. The Best Tailors will be established in their new home some time next week.

Mother Is Seeking Jack Henry Reed

Jack Henry Reed, who has been in Ranger and for a time was staying at the Victory hotel, is sought by the Red Cross bureau for ex-service men, as his mother is seriously ill. If he will call at the Chamber of Commerce, he can get further word. Any ex-service man having problems the Red Cross can handle is asked to call the Red Cross bureau, Marston building, any Monday from 11:30 a. m. to 7 p. m. Mrs. Phillip Pettit, district chairman, will handle the problems which former soldiers, marines and sailors bring her.

Shoe Hospital Co. Takes Old Church

The old Baptist church property, on Pine street, has been leased by Mr. Brown of the Brown Shoe Hospital, for two years, in order to provide additional quarters for his rapidly growing business. The firm opened up here a few months ago on a small scale, but their business has outgrown the old quarters and in order to provide room for their new machinery they had to make a change. They are installing equipment to make boots and shoes as well as repair them. The deal was handled through the Craven-Marowitz Realty company.

Allendale Oil Co.

Looms up big today. It has a well, the O'Rea, at Desdemona, on the pay sand, the offset, from 150 feet to a few hundred yards of gushers of 2,500 to 4,000 barrels. Four other wells of the company are going down, another being in the black lime.

Mr. A. B. Dale, president, with a party of gentlemen, is at Desdemona, watching the O'Rea well. Bryant & Co., special agents for the company, is still selling stock at \$1.00 and will give any information desired. Office is always open. Call up 208 P. & Q. Realty building.—Advertisement.

Knee Fractured When He Is Hit by Automobile

W. F. Cone, a clerk in the local office of the Southwestern Telephone company, suffered a fractured knee this morning, in attempting to dodge an automobile on Main street. Cone was crossing the street when the car approached, making fully twenty miles an hour, according to his statement. He jumped backward to avoid being run over and slipped and fell on a pile of building rubbish.

He received medical attention from a local physician and later was taken to the station in the ambulance of Jones, Cox & Co., and sent to a Dallas sanitarium.

Spanish Officers Called to Units

MADRID, Jan. 10.—All army officers on leave have been ordered by the Spanish government to rejoin their units immediately. No reason has been assigned for the summoning of the officers.

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International News Service. LONDON—The Dolly Varden curl, introduced by Queen Alexandra many years ago, is again being taken up by British maidens who wish to enhance their charm. So the bustling frock, the panned skirt and other feminine furbelows are to revive styles of fifty years ago.

London hairdressers are showing the curls, from twelve to sixteen inches long, in their windows. They are to be worn only with party or dance frocks.

WATCH for our page advertisement that will appear in this paper within the next few days. **H. W. Young & Co.** Cor. Walnut and Rusk.

Notice! Notice!

We have purchased any and all interest of Parker A. Goodall in the

MOORE & FREEMAN Insurance Agency All Premiums Due on All Policies Must Be Paid to **MOORE & FREEMAN** Over Ranger Drug Store, 203 Main Street. All Kinds of Insurance. RANGER, TEXAS.

PERSONALS

T. W. Taylor of Kansas City is in the city looking after business interests. He is visiting at the Burger home. Mr. Taylor owns oil properties as well as city property.

J. H. LeCompte of Lawton, Okla., is in town to look the field over with the expectation of locating here. He is visiting at the Burger home.

E. J. McIntyre, of the Interstate Pipe company, is in this city on a business trip. His headquarters are in Fort Worth.

J. B. Ryan, of the Warren Wagner Supply company, left this afternoon for a business trip to Fort Worth and Dallas.

Miss C. E. Telford, of San Antonio, is visiting friends in this city.

MORTUARY

Mrs. Julia Dowdy, 50 years old, died last night about 11:30, from pneumonia. Her home was two and a half miles from town, but she was staying at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. McFarland, at the time of her death. Funeral services were held at 3 o'clock this afternoon, at the home of Mrs. McFarland. Rev. Johnson, of the Baptist church, officiated. Burial took place in the city cemetery. Mrs. Dowdy is survived by her husband, her mother and children.

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