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ONE MAN DEAD ANOTHER DYING FROM GUN BATTLE EARLY TODAY

Troops Rushed to New York by Secretary Baker

HAVE ORDERS TO SHOOT IF NECESSARY; STRIKE CAUSES ACTION TODAY

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—Secretary Baker today refused to grant the request of Mayor Hylan of New York to postpone the use of troops at New York until further efforts could be made to settle the longshoremen's strike there.

HIGHWAYMAN CAUGHT; SECOND BEING SOUGHT

CHATANOOGA, Tenn., Oct. 20.—With James Oliver, aged 20 years, in jail, posses today are securing the vicinity of Johnson, James county, for Ed Martin, his alleged companion and accomplice in the killing of Deputy Sheriff McIntosh, and the robbery of many travelers on the Dixie Highway Saturday.

CAN'T CONFIRM REPORT RUSS CAPITAL FALLS

PARIS, Oct. 20.—Contradictory reports were received from Russia today and it is impossible to confirm the rumors that Petrograd has been taken by the northwestern Russian army under General Yudenitch.

LONGSHOREMEN AT NEW ORLEANS WILL STAY OUT

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 20.—Union Longshoremen here voted unanimously today to remain on strike until their demands for increased wages were met.

SPANISH KING IN FRANCE; WILL GO TO ENGLAND

PARIS, Oct. 20.—King Alfonso of Spain, who is going to England, arrived here today. He was received at the station by Stephen Poincaré, French foreign minister, and by representatives of the premier and the minister of the interior.

RY FIRM NOT NEGOTIATE WITH STRIKERS

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—Reaffirming his refusal to negotiate with representatives of the labor unions not employees of the United States Steel Corporation, Albert Gray, chairman of the corporation's board, informed Chairman Lane of the National Industrial Conference, and Frank M. Morrison, secretary of the American Federation of Labor, today that he would not concede from his stand for an hour.

Wireless Takes News of Day to U. S. "Tars" Over World

CHICAGO, Oct. 20.—Practically every man in the navy, whether at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station near here or on active duty in any of the "Seven Seas", had opportunity to learn the results of the world's series baseball games within a few hours after the finals were hung up on the scoreboards. The sailors, in fact, are kept informed on all important sporting events, all the important news of the world, and, not least, the import "news from home" by means of a wireless newspaper.

Each night a service man at Washington scans all the day's news and summarizes it on a typewriter. This digest is copied on a keyboard that starts it through thousands of miles of space to the wireless towers of the globe, the navy's stations relaying it to other stations and to ships far at sea, and in the morning it is read by every service man afloat or "on station."

BERLIN'S POPULATION DECREASES 187,000. BERLIN, Oct. 20.—The result of the provisional census taken October 8 shows that Berlin's population to be 1,807,000, which is a decrease of 178,000 compared with December 1910.

THEY DIRECT REPUBLICAN VOTE CAMPAIGN AMONG WOMEN



Directors of national Republican women's committee in their headquarters at New York.

The women above are directing the campaign now under way to interest women voters of the country in the coming presidential election and in all other national affairs. Shown in the picture, left to right, are: Miss Mary Schwartz of New York; Miss Mary Garrett Hay, chairman of organization for the women's executive committee of the Republican national committee; and a former Indianaian, now living in New York; Mrs. Amanda Miller of California, director of publicity; Miss Marion Parkhurst of New York, director of Americanization. Several campaign headquarters will be opened.

JUSTICE DEPT. TAKES ACTION ON SUGAR PRICE

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—Steps to prevent the abnormal increase in the price of sugar because of the existing shortage were taken today by the department of justice. Attorney General Palmer notified the beet sugar refiners, who have been withholding their products from the market until the price situation becomes more stabilized, that the United States sugar equalization board determined 10 cents was a fair price to be charged wholesalers and a charge in excess of that amount is regarded as a violation of the food control act.

Committee's Will Follow Up R.R. Drive

Although the drive of the Citizens' Committee for funds to pay for Ranger's share of the right of way for the north and south railroad is closed, nominally, Chairman M. H. Smith asks members of the committee who were active during the drive not to let up until a thorough canvass of each prospect has been made.

CHICAGO STEEL MILLS 75 PER CENT NORMAL

CHICAGO, Oct. 20.—Conditions in the steel mills in the Chicago district have improved to such an extent that today's production was on the basis of 75 per cent of normal, according to the company officials.

FRANCE GIVES BIG SUM FOR A U. S. MEMORIAL

PARIS, Oct. 20.—The Chamber of Deputies last night voted a credit of one million francs for national participation in the erection of a monument to Pointe-a-Grave at the mouth of the Gironde river in commemoration of American intervention in the great war.

GREAT WAVE OF SPECULATION GRIPS NATION

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Oct. 20.—Warning against wild speculation was sounded at the convention of the Investment Bankers' Association of America, which opened here today. Thousands of businessmen are canvassing the country dispensing spurious stocks and bonds, it is declared.

Chicago's Phone Service Halted by Strike Today

CHICAGO, Oct. 20.—Chicago's telephone service was interrupted today when hundreds of operators stopped work while they protested against the increase of wages granted by the Chicago Telephone company.

SITUATION AT RIGA DECLARED TO BE CRITICAL

PARIS, Oct. 20.—The situation at Riga is critical, according to news reaching here, says the Petit Parisien. The Lithuanian army has insufficient resources to resist attacks and also lacks artillery and war materials, the newspaper says.

TEXAS CHILDREN CAN NOT BE MESSENGERS

AUSTIN, Oct. 20.—It is the intention and purpose of the Texas child labor law to prevent children under fifteen years of age working as messengers, because of the hazard to life, limb and morals, according to an opinion rendered today by the attorney general's department.

AIR PERFORMER LOSES LIFE AT DALLAS SUNDAY

DALLAS, Oct. 20.—Charles Theodor, aged 37 years, civilian aviator and aerial performer, was instantly killed here late yesterday. He was suspended by a rope from the running gear of a machine and is thought to have become exhausted and loosened his hold.

Wants Rates on Oil to Be Reduced

FORT WORTH, Oct. 20.—The examiner for the interstate commerce commission has recommended that freight rates on oil shipped from the North Texas fields to points in the north be reduced, according to information made public by Ed P. Byers, traffic manager of the Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce.

Minister Goes on Trial at Fort Worth for Murder

FORT WORTH, Oct. 20.—The trial of the Hon. S. P. Brown, a minister charged with the killing of E. B. Kynard, his son-in-law, September 1 was scheduled to begin here today. The shooting occurred at Polytechnic, a suburb. Brown claims self-defense.

CURTIS SHINER KILLED TWO OTHERS WOUNDED, IN PINE STREET PLACE

DEAD—Curtis Shiner. DYING—Carl Gallagher. UNDER ARREST: Fonzo "Luke" Barnes, Leon Wilson, "Red" McCullough. Gun-fighting arising from a revived feud, the origin of which lies in a tale of the underworld, claimed the life of one man early this morning, put another at death's door, a third in the hospital, and three men and four women in the hands of the police.

The house of Marjorie Grill, on Pine street, two blocks west of Marston street, was the scene of the battle. The Grill woman, Pansy Young and Stella Johnson were in the house at the time, according to the police version. A Mrs. Castleberry also is held as witness.

R. C. Cobb, Carl Gallagher and Curt Shiner, out at an early hour Monday morning in search of whiskey, according to Cobb's story, encountered Luke Barnes, Leon Wilson and "Red" McCullough, the latter of Waco, and all known to the police, in the Grill woman's place. "I hear you said you were going to whip me," said Barnes to Gallagher. "If you are, you'd better start."

Shiner, who was killed in the ensuing battle, tried to avert trouble. "Let's not have any mixup here," he said. "If you're going to whip him, better do it," Wilson told his friend, Barnes, slapping him on the chest, according to Cobb's story. He followed this by slapping Shiner, and then drew his gun and struck Shiner with it, according to the police story.

Barnes is said to have brought his gun into play at this time. Barnes and Wilson, the police believe, "rushed Gallagher and Shiner, McCullough taking an inactive part. Cobb says McCullough was too intoxicated to be effective in the fight. Gallagher was the first to fall. At the Ranger General Hospital today little hope is held for his recovery. He is shot through the neck, the bullet running down through his body. It is believed to have lodged in the intestines.

Shiner fell next, shot through the head. He was dead. Cobb ran from the house. Barnes is at the hospital, with a brain on the head. His condition is not thought to be serious. He refuses to talk, except to friends. Wilson and McCullough were placed under arrest by the Ranger police within an hour and a half after the shooting. The women who were in the house also were placed in custody as witnesses.

According to statements of witnesses to the affair, R. S. Cobb, Carl Gallagher and Curtis Shiner were looking for whiskey, about 1 o'clock this morning. They went first to another house on West Pine street, but failing to find the whiskey they stopped in at the house of Marjorie Grill on West Pine. Marjorie admitted the men and in the house they found Pansy Young and two more women, and Barnes and Leon Wilson and "Red" McCullough.

N. Y. OBSERVES WEEK IN HONOR OF ROOSEVELT

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—New York began today the celebration of Roosevelt week, during which the Roosevelt Memorial association will conduct a campaign for new members and funds will be used to establish suitable memorials to the late ex-president.

MANGIN WILL LEAD AN IN THE

PARIS, Oct. 20.—are announcing that of the French armistice as chief of staff to supervise the Baltic province troops.

LONDON SAYS WOMEN "COPS" ARE SUCCESS

LONDON, Oct. 28.—Women are proving much more suitable for certain kinds of police work than men, is the verdict of General Sir Nevill Macready, Commissioner of Police, after several months' trial of policewomen.

"The idea of women police was conceived about a year ago," he added. We decided to experiment. The women had three months' training and when sent out were quite as efficient as the ordinary male policeman.

"The girls and women who came to them in the streets when in trouble would undoubtedly be too shy to approach an ordinary constable."

Asked if the use of policewomen had decreased immorality, the Commissioner replied:

"Immorality varies with the thermometer. The evil is generally more prevalent in the summer than in the winter and I do not think the women have had a fair experiment yet."

"However, I am now arranging for our winter campaign, and we are considering establishing hotels where girls may be treated. Our welfare department reports that 95 girls have passed through homes and infir-

ries, many of them being between fifteen and nineteen years old. Some of the old army huts may be used for this purpose."

HOUSE SHORTAGE SO ACUTE KEYS TO HOMES AUCTIONED

SYDNEY, Oct. 28.—So acute has the shortage of houses become in New South Wales that the government has drawn up a scheme for state housing under the direction of a minister for housing. At Forbes it is proposed to demolish the local jail and to erect on the site a dozen houses out of the material. So numerous are the applicants for houses that the tenants prior to leaving served notices have conducted from their balconies auction sales of houses. The government intends for the possession of the keys of the house. The government intends erecting 5,000 houses in Sydney for sale to purchasers on easy terms.

MODERN ENGLISH GIRLS TURN FROM TRASHY NOVELS

LONDON, Oct. 28.—Modern English girls, particularly those who have been sobered by war work, now read high-class literature, say the book dealers.

The light novels—something called "trashy"—find ready sale among middle-aged and gray-haired women.

COMING OF DOUGHBOYS BROUGHT LUCK TO HIM

LONDON, October 29.—John Francis, sixty-eight, who never had any luck in his life until the Doughboys came to London, is going to

take the "mission" to Brighton for the big boat.

After thirty years of hard knocks he found himself with blacked pockets in the Strand, and a barrow spot it was until Eagle Hat opened. Then the Yanks were liberal.

The Yanks left and just as Francis was slipping back into poverty again some one found him and he learned he had inherited \$5,000 from a friend of his mother's twenty-two years before.

"After a fortnight at Brighton, first time we've ever been to the seaside, we'll buy a pony cart and invest the rest in war saving certificates," he said. "There must be something lucky about Eagle Hat. Before I

came here there were twenty years when for weeks at a time I didn't have a roof to sleep under at night."

PREDICTS WINTER MEAT SHORTAGE IN ENGLAND

LONDON, Oct. 28.—"We are going to suffer a winter meat shortage which will be as bad as anything we knew during the war," is the prediction of a big British meat trader as quoted by the Star.

"In England we have now only 50 per cent of our normal supply of cattle, 40 per cent of our usual number of sheep and pigs are down to the lowest percentage I have known for twenty-five years."

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8—ROOMS FOR RENT

OFFICE ROOMS and light housekeeping apartments for rent. Apply to Mrs. J. D. Crosson, Over Post Office.

2½ ROOMS fully furnished for light housekeeping, with lights, water and gas, \$15.50 per week. Oak Park apartments, 5 blocks west McCleskey hotel.

ONE NEWLY furnished room in private family, 2 beds. Call at 301 Fannan and Pecan Sts.

1—LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Employment references, \$2 reward, Frederick Long, Hotel Duin.

LOST—Gold watch 21 jewel Burlington watch, Oct. 25th. Finder please return to J. S. Paigas, The Texas Pipe Line Co. office and receive reward.

LOST—On depot platform on Saturday evening, a black leather wallet, containing oil stock certificates and bank account, both of which have been cancelled. Other paper of value only to owner. Finder please return to Times office. Liberal reward. F. W. Vongehr.

0—LODGES

L. O. O. F. There will be a regular meeting of the L. O. O. F. Monday night in the Carpenter Union Hall. Also an informal meeting at the same place. All Old Fellows and their friends who are interested in building a lodge, are urged to be present. Important business to raise up.

J. W. Jennings, Committee.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS Lodge of America will meet Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Brad Henry, 839 Strawn Road at 2:30.

4—SITUATIONS WANTED

MAN AND WIFE want job, cook in camp or gang. Can see me any time. Shamrock Rooms, B. F. Slacks.

SITUATION WANTED—General storekeeper, experienced in commodity work, railroads, refinery and small hardware. Frederick Long, Hotel Duin, 207 N. Austin.

6—BUSINESS CHANCES

WANTED—To buy small business; any kind considered; grocery preferred. P. O. Box 895.

7—SPECIAL NOTICES

WANTED—You to know that hem-stitching is done at Richardson-Floren's on Main street.

ROBERT S. DOUGLAS, please come home or write to your sister.

FETE DEVOTO—Communicate with me immediately, sickness.

WANT family to share nice 5 room house on Strawn road, easy walking distance to town. Plans well water free. See Hicks at Daily Times office, phone 224.

NOTICE to Paving Contractors—Sealed bids addressed to Mr. M. A. Turner, City Manager, will be received by the city of Ranger, Texas, until 5 o'clock p. m. Oct. 29, 1919, for furnishing all labor and material to construct approximately 104,000 square yards of street paving, 24,000 cubic yards of excavation and 37,000 lineal feet of combination curb and gutter. A certified check for the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000), payable to the order of the Hon. M. H. Hagaman, Mayor, must accompany each bid. Plans and specifications may be obtained at the office of the Henry Esall Elrod company, consulting engineers, 309½ Lane St., Dallas, Texas, or Suite 309 P. & Q. Bldg., Ranger, Texas. A deposit of \$10 required. The city of Ranger reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive formalities. M. A. TURNER, City Manager.

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HIGHEST CASH PRICES paid for used hand furniture and stoves. Wright Furniture Co.

WANTED—Clean cotton rags at The Times office.

We Buy War Savings Stamps and United States Bonds. Write for conditions. P. S. Bond Agency, 823 Wilson Building Dallas, Texas.

13—FOR SALE (Real Estate)

WANT A HOUSE TO LIVE IN? HAVE 7 room and 4 room cottage, opposite Opera House, corner Pine and Marston Sts. or across street from Methodist Church. Partly furnished. Will sell lease on above, size of lot 150x140. Nicest corner in town. Time 4 years. Inquire is interesting. If we had the money we'd own it. Maybe you can.

IN the Catholic Church vicinity southern residential part of Ranger in V. V. Cooper addition, we have several beautiful bungalows for sale, good terms.

WE are handling the VACANT LOTS in the V. V. COOPER ADDITION. Drop in and we'll show you one or two on the map and ground in couple of minutes of the school in Young addition. Don't wait all cash, unless you're willing.

HAVE about ten 2 and 3 room houses for sale, \$300 to \$500 each would rent several, located in Page Rental Sub-division north from Eureka Tool Co. off Main street.

TRACKAGE for lease, (reasonable) or sale.

STORE, brick, wanted on Main street. Will lease 2 to 5 years. A-1 parties who will put in biggest stock good in city of its kind.

CAN sell one of the best business properties in Ranger, Main St. Is a pick up to you if you have \$50,000 to invest.

CASING, all sizes wanted. BRYANT & COMPANY Suite 208 P. & Q. Realty Bldg. Ranger, Texas.

MY BEAUTIFUL brick cottage, 5 rooms, 2 baths, closets in every room, all conveniences; southwest corner, \$15,000. Will sell furniture also. Mrs. E. E. Luesley, 1006 N. Zang's Boulevard, phone Cliff 244, Dallas.

FOR LEASE—198 feet front and 20 feet deep, Main and Hodges Sts., only \$2 per foot; suitable for machine shop, garage, grocery store, furniture store, and rent houses; no building restrictions. N. F. Lockmiller, DeGross hotel.

FOR SALE—1 house including store and Ford, 3 miles north of Ranger at Tidal Oil Co. Call at the Ranger Tobacco Co., Sam Ponzo.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Ground lease with a small cement block building one block from the P. O. Ranger Realty Co., 121 N. Marston.

VITICULTURE plant for sale or rent. Oak Park building, 5 blocks west McCleskey.

FOR SALE—17 sec. ranch well improved, 20 miles north east of Sanderson, Terrell county. For further information communicate with P. T. Robinson, Sanderson, Texas.

FOR LEASE—I offer for the owner Oil Lease, usual form and terms to govern, 640 acres of land, more or less, in Callahan county, half way between Baird and Putnam, at Chautauqua Switch. The railroad runs right thru the land, with depot on the property, giving railroad shipping facilities to the property. Geologists say good oil prospects. Will take \$20,000 for the lease. Wells now being drilled by large and responsible companies on all sides of this section. A good bet and chance to make a fortune to the party who has nerve to play the game. First come, first served. The offer is made subject to prior sale and confirmation by owner, J. M. Radford, Abilene, Texas.

FOR SALE—Two room house on Rust lease. See E. F. Rust, Eastland Hill, South of Public road.

12—FOR SALE (Miscellaneous)

FOR SALE. STANDARD CABLE DRILLING RIG. FULLY EQUIPPED. JACK SMITH TEXAS BANK & TRUST CO., RANGER, TEXAS

FOR SALE—Soiled flour sacks; \$1 per dozen. Bon Ton Bakery.

WOOD FOR SALE—Erwin Heights, see John Spiers.

FOR SALE—Grocery stock with long lease; well established business, now doing \$5,000 monthly. Inquire of Ranger Daily Times.

FOR SALE—Plate Glass, one 44x60; one 72x60; one 18x84. \$1 a sq. ft. Cawley Bros. Mens Store P. & Q. Bldg. Main St.

FOR SALE—Valve Trombone; never been used, will sell cheap for cash. J. S. McCall Gen'l. Del., Ranger.

FOR SALE—8-foot soda fountain, complete, at a bargain. Wolf Confectionery, 215 Pine st.

HAVE STRING 15 1-2 and 12 1-2 or 10-inch casing; will trade any part for string 3,500 feet 6 5-8 casing, 24-pound, long-collar, new pipe. Address S. D. Egan, opposite Norvill Hardware Co., Ranger.

1 NEW 4½x6 Twin upright Hoisting Engine. G. A. Latimer, Polytechnic, Texas.

FOR SALE—Law library and complete office fixtures. Address X. Y. Z. care of The Times.

FOR SALE—Tents, iron cots, mattresses and other articles. 209 Hunt Street.

11—WANTED TO BUY

HIGHEST CASH PRICES paid for used hand furniture and stoves. Wright Furniture Co.

WANTED—Clean cotton rags at The Times office.

We Buy War Savings Stamps and United States Bonds. Write for conditions. P. S. Bond Agency, 823 Wilson Building Dallas, Texas.

9—HOUSES FOR RENT

3 ROOM COTTAGE and screened porch nicely furnished, \$100 per month. Also number of house keeping rooms. See Parson at Police station.

FOR RENT—Two furnished houses, two rooms each; one furnished, unfurnished; water and gas included. Mrs. John W. Dunkle, S. Austin st.

3—HELP WANTED (Male)

FOUR INTELLIGENT teamsters for transfer wagons. Apply 312 Elm st. Apply 312 Elm st.

HEALTHFUL EMPLOYMENT AT GOOD PAY—WANTED—Men or women, boys or girls to deliver Western Union Telegrams. Apply at 206 Rusk St.

BOYS WANTED

Boys between the age of 15 and 18 can make good money delivering papers after school. See Mr. Rangs at the Times office.

SPECIAL NOTICES

\$25 WILL BE PAID to anyone who can find any cotton-mixed goods in our entire stock of high-grade wools; fit or no sale; extra pants with each suit until October 22.

BEST TAILORS Jones & Cox Building, Main Street.

15—AUTOMOBILES

FOR SALE—New 2½ ton service truck. Driven 300 miles. Enquire at 514 S. Marston st.

MASTER TRUCK FOR SALE With oversize motor, frame and springs for oil field work. CAPACITY 1½ TO 5 TONS. Sales and Service Rooms, with Midway garage, 202 Pecan street. Wright-Herring-Irby Co., Inc. J. D. BRIDGES, Manager Ranger Branch.

16—WANTED TO RENT

WANTED—10 or 12 room house close in. Apply to Mr. Fred Crosson, over Post Office.

FOR LEASE—Lots—Will give twelve months lease on lots to build houses, tents. See E. F. Rust, on Rust lease, west part of town.

TO RENT—One double room, per week \$12 for two. One double room, per week \$10, for two. One single room, sleeping porch for one, per week \$5. Hot and cold water, modern toilet. 1 block north post office. Inquire Lipscomb Bah's House.

17—LEGAL NOTICES

AN ORDINANCE GRANTING TO THE RANGER LIGHT & POWER COMPANY, ITS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS AN ELECTRIC LIGHT, HEAT AND POWER FRANCHISE

Be It Ordained by the City of Ranger:

Section 1. That there is hereby granted to the Ranger Light & Power Company, its successors and assigns, herein called the grantee, the right, privilege and franchise until March 1st, 1920, to construct, maintain and operate in the present and future streets, alleys and public places in the City of Ranger, its successors and assigns, electric light and power lines with all the necessary and desirable appurtenances, including all underground conduits, poles, towers, wires, transformers, lines (for its own use) for the purpose of supplying electricity to the said City, the inhabitants thereof, and persons and corporations beyond the limits thereof, for light, heat, power and other purposes.

Section 2. Poles or towers shall be so erected as to interfere as little as possible with traffic over streets and alleys. The location of all poles, towers or conduits shall be fixed up under the supervision of the Street and Alley committee of the City Commission, or the successors to the duties of that committee, but not so as to unreasonably interfere with the proper operation of said lines.

Section 3. The service rendered by the grantee hereunder shall be first-class, adequate and sufficient in so far as is commercially practicable and shall be subject to such reasonable rules and regulations as may be made from time to time. The grantee may require reasonable security for the payment of its bills.

Section 4. The rates for electric service furnished hereunder shall be reasonable, but shall not be lower than will produce a reasonable net return to the grantee on the fair value of properties, equipments and betterments used, or useful or held for use by the grantee for the purpose of supplying service hereunder to the City of Ranger and the inhabitants thereof. The rates for electric service furnished hereunder may be changed in accordance with schedule from time to time prepared by the grantee and filed with the City, or in accordance with schedules required by the City to be prepared, submitted and approved by it.

Section 5. This franchise is granted, subject to the provisions of the Charter of the City of Ranger relating to the cost of rates and all other matters pertaining to electric light and power and is in lieu of all other franchises or franchise contracts now held by the grantee.

Section 6. Grantee shall hold the liability for any act or neglect of the grantee hereunder.

Section 7. The grantee shall file an acceptance of this franchise within thirty (30) days after its passage and approval.

TOMORROW THE BIG SALE AT 3 P.M.

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BERLIN IS GAY THO' GERMANY IS FOODLESS

International News Service. BERLIN, Oct. 20.—Because American manufacturers did not have sufficient advance notice to permit them to bring adequate exhibitions to the Frankfurt festhall, which closed here October 15, the Frankfurt Chamber of Commerce already is planning an even more elaborate international fair for the spring of 1920, at which it is hoped commercial and industrial America will show up to its best advantage.

"When we decided to hold the October exposition we primarily thought of the United States, because Germany's economic future depends upon America," said Kurt Batssek, Berlin representative of the Frankfurt Chamber of Commerce. "We had hoped for a great exhibit of American raw materials and manufactured goods, especially of the former, in order to give German exporters an idea of the quality of goods America has to offer. German manufacturers, although the Frankfurt fair really was an import exposition, organized elaborate exhibits with the idea in mind of exchanging German manufactured goods for American raw materials and half products.

Among the principal German exhibits, according to Herr Batssek, were various kinds of heavy machinery, including mining machinery, chemicals, cutlery, art goods, porcelain, ceramics, lace and lace machinery, toys and book printing. The German government has let down the bars against foreign manufacturers to the extent of \$1,250,000 for the Frankfurt exposition. Italy and the small European neutral countries will be the principal gainers by this opportunity to sell manufactured goods to Germany. It is noteworthy, however, that the government import permit includes American shoes, and it is possible that some American exporters who have shoes stored in neutral warehouses may still profit by the German government's action.

This, at least, is the hope of Secretary Dunning of the American Association of Commerce and Trade in Berlin, who took an active interest in the Frankfurt event, and who is understood to have inspired the Chamber of Commerce to repeat the exposition next year.

Japan, the second of Germany's former enemies to initiate negotiations for representation at Frankfurt, is, according to Herr Batssek, planning a great exhibit of raw silk next spring, which, it is understood, will be diverted to Frankfurt from London warehouses. Japan, like America, had no time to ship goods direct from Japan to Frankfurt, and hence will draw on her European stores.

While it was originally planned to house the entire exhibition in the famous Frankfurt festhall, it was found necessary to arrange overflow exhibits in other buildings and public squares. The festhall offered close to 500,000 square feet of floor space. This gave each of 2,000 exhibitors about 250 square feet of space, but four times that number of exhibitors applied. In addition to the usual conveniences offered visitors to an exposition, such as a special post office and telegraph station, great emphasis must be laid upon attractive entertainments. Some of the Frankfurt exhibitors arranged gorgeous festival performances, while at other theaters special programs, introducing the latest trend in German drama, were offered. Cabarets and vaudeville shows were permitted to ignore the usual closing hours. In a park adjacent to the festhall were several temporary restaurants with combined accommodation for 5,000 patrons at a time.

Frankfurt ordinarily shares the usual food shortages of Germany. However, and the restaurants were "weary" the most disappointing feature of the exposition.

FACE IS TOO TAME. SOLDIER SEEKS RISKY JOB

LONDON, Oct. 20.—Peace is the burden for an ex-soldier who is in the British army. He was decorated in the military medal at Marston in 1914 and not a bar added to him for bravery in assisting his comrades at Ypres in the 1917 fighting. He inserted this ad in a London newspaper: "I am an ex-soldier, three times I have risked my life for £1,000, and all alone. Write me at 87 Fleet street, E. C. 4." The ex-soldier is now fretting at a \$15 a week office job. "There's so little to do here, I'm looking for some excitement. A risky job, he says, would suit him."

TEACHERS IN DIRE NEED OF OIL LAND SOLD

Special to The Times. WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—When the county superintendent of Taylor county estimates that the teachers' fund of the county is exhausted, he is obliged to seek other means for their support. The county superintendent of Taylor county has written to the state superintendent of education, asking that the state should purchase oil land in Taylor county for the benefit of the teachers. The state superintendent has agreed to purchase 10,000 acres of oil land in Taylor county for the benefit of the teachers. The purchase price is \$100,000, and the land will be sold to the highest bidder. The state superintendent has also agreed to purchase 10,000 acres of oil land in Taylor county for the benefit of the teachers. The purchase price is \$100,000, and the land will be sold to the highest bidder.

RIGHTS IN 13 TRACTS OF OIL LAND SOLD

Special to The Times. FORT WORTH, Oct. 20.—When the oil refineries under construction and those projected are completed, Fort Worth will have a total capacity of nearly 100,000 barrels a day. The completion of the refineries for the Home Oil Refining company and the Commercial Oil company of a capacity of 5,000 barrels each during the last two weeks brings the capacity of those in operation up to a total of 44,500 barrels. Under construction are five companies with a total capacity of 17,500 barrels. The total capacity of the refineries in Fort Worth is 112,000 barrels.

Today

Interstitial Gland Again. Study Boswell. Excuse for Robbery BY ARTHUR BRISBANE

Dr. Voronoff says positively that he will give "revivified youth to mankind." Vital energy depends, it seems, on the interstitial gland. When that wears out with old age vitality goes, and man sinks into the grave. A new interstitial gland planted in the system will start producing vitality and man will go on as energetic as ever, so says Dr. Voronoff, and he believes it.

The difficulty at first was to find a young human interstitial gland to plant in an old man. Each young man, of course, values his interstitial gland, even if he does not know exactly what it is, as parting would mean death.

In China you can find plenty of young men to die, for a fixed sum. They would sell you the interstitial gland and the entire body. They piously use the money thus earned to care for aged parents. Men condemned to death in China have been able to buy substitutes.

At present, Dr. Voronoff, in experiments actually made on human beings, is using the interstitial glands of monkeys.

The monkey's blood is like that of a man, as the monkey's skeleton in the number of bones and their character exactly reproduces that of man. The interstitial gland taken from a young monkey and planted in an old man grows and makes the old man seem young.

It is just possible that one of these days there may be an interstitial gland exchanged established in China and a regular price quoted for young men willing to be made old for a fixed sum.

It is more likely, however, that a sufficient number of experiments will show that in certain things Providence is not to be defeated in its plans.

There have been many schemes for determining the sex of children before birth, but Nature attends the matter, boys and girls come along year after year, a few more girls than boys, except in war, when boys are more numerous.

Providence has had people young, then old, and Providence will probably continue to do that, in spite of Dr. Voronoff and the monkey's interstitial gland.

Nature has no desire, and would be foolish indeed, to keep permanently young and active the extremely poor samples of human being manufactured thus far.

The house where Boswell was born is to be sold. Let this remind you to get Boswell's "Life of Johnson at the library, or if too busy for many volumes of interestingly interesting study of an interesting man, get John Morley's "Life of Johnson," in the English Men of Letters series, and read the numerous extracts from Boswell selected by Morley. Roswell worked a miracle, in that he took the real genius of Samuel Johnson, which was conversational and presented it for all time. Without that conversation Johnson would have read "Russell's" written in a hurry to pay for his mother's funeral; a few others might have looked over the Johnson dictionary, as a curiosity—that would have been all.

Of the average great writer we know less of himself and more of his writings as time passes. In Samuel Johnson's case we know more of his personality, less and less of what he wrote, as he faded into the past.

Little did Johnson think what would be the result of his talks with the gimletlike Stotheman, forever at his elbow, writing down what he said.

Bishop McKim, of Tokio, and Episcopate in Japan noble work in Japan, says it is all right to take the chains from China and give it to Japan, because if China got it back she would simply barter Shantung to some other nation within two years.

Some used to say that slavery was a good thing because the poor blacks wouldn't know what to do with themselves if set free.

And once, as Henry Ward Beecher pointed out, a prayer book was condemned because a picture in the front showed Christ with poor mothers and children, and among others a negro in chains at his feet. The negro in chains was said to be "propaganda against slavery." Those were slave days, and the negro was taken out of the prayer book. Sometimes even religion is too conservative.

The French get just things more quickly than we do in America. President Poincare has signed a decree of general demobilization. Over there, they haven't a situation complicated by the whiskey proposition.

If we had demobilization here now that would mean two and a half months of unbridled whiskey selling, which would be a bad thing for the country. These that control demobilization are on the prohibition side and not in a hurry. In addition, the President's illness may make it impossible for him to reach a final decision before January and a final demobilization of the United States for thirty years at least.

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ABILENE TESTS WILL RESUME DRILLING NOW

ABILENE, Oct. 20.—Practically all tests around Abilene, after delays from one cause or another, will resume drilling today.

Hamilton No. 1, in Cedar Gap 14 miles south of Abilene, completed the setting of casing Friday and Saturday and was due to begin drilling at 1575 feet today. This is the test which got a good showing of live oil and gas in a foot-thick stratum of sand at 1575 feet, followed by a fifty-foot of shale. Much is expected in this well by local observers, as the indications have been extraordinarily good. No salt water has been encountered in this test.

After a delay of several weeks caused by slow arrival of one-train cars, lease No. 1, nine miles south of Abilene, will begin to drill again today at a depth of 1150 feet. This test is owned by H. H. Allison, owner of Hamilton No. 1, and the log has been similar to that well.

Good progress is being made at Andy Urban No. 2, four miles southwest of Clyde and 13 miles southeast of Abilene. The hole is 1200 feet deep. It was reported here late the week that this well had come in for good production, but the rumor was squashed by Mr. Urban, who said no drilling had been done in thirty days, due to unavoidable delays.

Drilling is going on at around 900 feet in the Empire well on the McGrew ranch in Schickler county, northeast of Abilene, according to word reaching here.

It is reported that the Sears well at Meekel will be pushed deeper in search for pay oil.

Drilling was to be resumed at the Caps well today following an under-running job.

ALL IS READY FOR START OF ANGELO FAIR

Special to The Times. SAN ANGELO, Oct. 20.—Everything is being put in readiness to open the San Angelo fair, carnival and race meet on October 28, which continues to November 1, inclusive. Special rates will be offered on railroads and record-breaking crowds are expected.

More than one hundred race horses have been entered for the \$6,000 in purses offered. Exhibits in all departments are to be full and complete. Cattle sale conducted by Col. Earl Gartin of Greensburg, Ind., on Friday, October 31.

No expense is spared by the association to furnish amusement at the fair. Aeroplan flights, comedy acts, goat roping, broncho and bull riding, etc., will be on the program.

Abilene High to Play Ranger High Here November 1

Special to The Times. ABILENE, Oct. 20.—The following schedule of games for Abilene high school football team has been announced by Coach Shotwell: Coleman at Abilene, October 25. Ranger at Abilene, November 1. Cisco at Abilene, November 8. Stamford at Stamford, Nov. 14. Coleman at Coleman, Nov. 22. The Thanksgiving Day game is open.

In their game here last Friday Abilene and Stamford played a peculiar contest, the game resulting in a scoreless tie. Abilene reached Stamford's ten-yard line, but the visitors never got any farther than the fifteen-yard line.

FIVE YEARS OF SUFFERING

Eupora Lady Broke Down and Was Most Miserable, But Cardui Brought Relief and Now She Is Well.

Eupora, Miss.—Mrs. B. F. Tedder, recently spoke as follows: "About five years ago I broke down and took to my bed. What I suffered no one knew, I was in so much pain from my kidneys to my waist, cramping and drawing, until I thought I would certainly die. I grew so weak I couldn't eat, so dizzy and faint and every time I stood on my feet I had the most miserable and heavy feeling in the lower part of my body. I began on Cardui. It strengthened me after a few doses and diminished the pain. After the first bottle, I commenced to feel better. I regained my appetite. I took the Cardui right along. I am well and strong. That has been four years. I can do all my work and feel fine."

Cardui has been found to be a valuable tonic for women. It is composed of harmless medicinal ingredients, which act in a mild and gentle way on the system and help to build up the body and nerves. Your druggist sells Cardui. Try it. Never hesitate.

500,000 Acres Sold in New Mex. for \$50,000

Special to The Times. ROSWELL, N. M., Oct. 20.—The Roswell Oil Development company Friday night sold to the National Exploration company of New York city 500,000 acres of leases in the vicinity of this city for \$50,000. This is regarded as the most important oil deal yet made in New Mexico. The contract provides for the drilling of four deep test wells.

EMBARGO AFFECTS COTTON SHIPMENTS

Special to The Times. CISCO, Oct. 20.—A water-tight embargo on all freight not classed as perishable and foodstuffs was put on by both the Texas & Pacific and the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railways last Wednesday after several months' strenuous work had been done by the Chamber of Commerce to prevent it. The last important restriction made public to shippers was an order restricting the shipment of cotton and cottonseed products. A local cotton buyer says he has a large number of bales of cotton on hand which he had purchased and sold to foreign buyers and that since the cotton embargo has come he will be deprived of the use of his money, which runs into many thousands of dollars at the present price of cotton. He cannot get his money until the cotton is delivered on the platform and received by the railway company. This part of the embargo promises to be a very serious question, as all buyers will be afraid to tie up their money in this staple on uncertain shipping conditions incident to the embargo.

LAMPASAS WELLS ARE REPORTED GOING GOOD

Special to The Times. LAMPASAS, Oct. 20.—The wells in Lampasas county are making good progress. Three new wells were spudded in during the last two weeks and others that have been closed for several months are making preparations to resume drilling.

OIL ACTIVITY IN KANSAS SHOWS LARGE INCREASE

Special to The Times. WICHITA, Kan., Oct. 20.—Three new wells are on the sand in the Osahady, Kan., oil field and fully that many have come in during the week in the Elkhorn oil district. It is believed that other good work in this part of the Kansas field. Activity is being stepped up to get all possible production before winter delays operations.

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ANNOUNCEMENT The Page-Connell Coffee Co., with home offices in St. Joseph, Mo., has opened a branch office in Ranger. A full line of Coffees, Teas and Extracts is now on hand and orders are being taken for immediate delivery. This company is an importer and jobber in its line, and will sell to the wholesale trade only. The right price will be backed with the best of quality.

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KEEPING SUPPLIED. No better criterion of a permanent growth can be found than the erection throughout a city of numerous residences of modern design and attractiveness.

An overbalance by the one conflicts with the other. Last year most West Texas towns had a superabundance of residences and vacant store buildings.

The town which neglects to build comfortable habitations for its incoming people must suffer. The injury may be temporary or it may be permanent.

Ranger is building industrially, commercially and residentially. It's people are the salt of the earth. It is keeping pace with the demands made upon it.

Therefore, it is to be a permanent city. VISITORS ARE COMING. Reports from the financial centers of the North indicate that this winter will afford many of the leading financiers of that section interested in Texas oil field securities an opportunity to come to Ranger to look over the situation.

MEXICAN RELATIONS. The friendliest relations should be promoted between the United States and Mexico. Mexico is probably the wealthiest country upon the face of the earth.

U. S. CENSUS SEERS EASTLAND ENUMERATOR. CISCO, Oct. 20.—The United States census district director has asked County Judge Stines of Eastland to assist the department to secure competent enumerators for this county at a salary of \$150 per month.

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THESE LEPERS ENJOY FIRST REAL SMOKES

KISHINEV, Bessarabia, Oct. 20.—The lepers of Broasa saw their first Americans, smoked their first American cigars and received their first American shoes when two Red Cross men visited their ancient colony recently.

Major Charles E. Spratt of New York City and Major Lionel D. Hargis, of San Francisco, brought with them to Broasa a supply of food, clothing and medicine.

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CHURCH WILL DISCUSS EFFECT OF WORLD WAR

DETROIT, Oct. 20.—What has been the effect of the war on the church and how best to meet problems growing out of the world conflict will be considered at length in the eighteenth biennial meeting of the national council of the Congregational church here, October 21 to 23.

Mission work at home and abroad also will be one of the big topics of the gathering.

Prominent divines and laymen of the various educational organizations of the church and many leaders in public life are expected to participate in the council's program.

Former President William Howard Taft, it is announced, will be the principal speaker at the council dinner October 25.

In connection with the gathering will be held the convention of the American board of foreign missions, one of the largest and most important missionary organizations in the United States, as well as meetings of the other missionary and benevolent societies of the church.

It is expected that about 700 delegates and many other visitors will come here for these meetings.

Subjects to receive consideration will include many that are world-wide in scope. National problems to be discussed will include the negro question, world-wide prohibition, and after-the-war reconstruction and rehabilitation.

It is expected the proposed concordant with the Protestant Episcopal church, whereby Congregational ministers may be ordained in the Episcopal church without severing the former affiliations, also will be taken up.

TO ISSUE BULLETIN ON SCHOLASTIC LEAGUE. AUSTIN, Texas, Oct. 20.—E. D. Shurter, founder and State chairman of the University of Texas Inter-scholastic League, has announced that a new bulletin containing a complete survey of the activities of the League will come from the press at an early date.

The League has for its object the organizing and directing of desirable school activities for the ultimate purpose of preparing pupils for citizenship.

In 1911 a total of 28 schools joined the League; last year 2,432 were enrolled and it is expected that nearly 5,000 schools will participate in one or more of the various contests in debate, declamation, extemporaneous speaking, essay writing, spelling and athletics during the year 1920.

Any public white school in Texas that is below collegiate rank and which is under the jurisdiction of, and receives an apportionment from, the State Department of Education, is eligible for membership in the League.

This includes of course, rural schools, ward schools, high schools, junior high schools, and others receiving state support.

Contests are held for the city, county and district, from which the successful contestants are sent to the State try-out where the final awards are made among the State recordholders in each division of competition.

Approximately 10,000 persons attending the State meeting held at the University in May, 1919, many coming from the Panhandle and other far northern and western parts of the state.

Schools desiring to inquire into the activities of the League should communicate with E. D. Shurter, University of Texas, Austin.

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TARRANT COUNTY ROAD BONDS ARE APPROVED

FORT WORTH, Oct. 20.—Two million dollars will soon be received by Tarrant County from a part of the \$3,450,000 worth of road and bridge bonds voted July 26.

The bond records have been approved and probably will be old within the next ten days. A large number of Eastern financial institutions have already asked a chance to buy the bonds.

As soon as the sale is made R. V. Glenn, at present in the Federal Good Road Department, will assume his duties as engineer to supervise the building of roads. He will be in the county's service until the highway system is completed.

A conference between Glenn and the Commissioners' Court probably will be held this week. At this time the roads that should be built first will be decided upon.

It is expected that the Tarrant County end of the Bankhead National Highway or Dallas-Fort Worth Road will be among the first. Federal aid for this route has already been granted.

The western portion of the Bankhead route in Tarrant County also will be among the first to be improved.

WANT GUARDSMEN TO GET BENEFITS OF REGULARS. WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—Senator Sheppard introduced a bill Saturday providing that all National Guard officers and enlisted men who served during the war shall receive the benefit of longevity pay on the same basis as is allowed officers and men of the Regular Army.

Service in the National Guard prior to the war will be computed just as if it was service in the Regular Army.

Another Sheppard bill provides that commutation of quarters shall be paid to officers regardless of whether quarters are furnished by the Government. This is to provide compensation for officers who are forced to maintain their established homes regardless of where they are assigned to duty and regardless of whether a room or rooms is furnished by the Government.

HAPPY MOTHER SAYS DAUGHTER IS LIKE A DIFFERENT GIRL. "I had just about given up hopes of my little girl ever being well and strong and happy like other girls," said Mrs. Andrew Young, of 1501 Fourteenth Street, Wichita Falls, Texas, in telling of the wonderful relief her little daughter had derived from Orgatone Tablets.

"Thelma is five years old," continued Mrs. Young, "and for the past several months, she suffered terribly with her stomach. She seemed well and all right up until this time, but all of a sudden her stomach refused to retain the slightest nourishment, even carefully selected foods, so I tried them all."

"I did everything a mother could do, watching her diet and trying to get her well, but everything she ate would ferment. Her breath was offensive and she would belch and vomit from time to time. Several times a month she would have awful sick spells, and this worried me a great deal. She was constipated most of the time, and couldn't sleep. She didn't have any strength and didn't care to play like other children. She was so weak sometimes that she could not walk around and had to stay in bed several days at a time. Lots of times she had to stay away from different places of amusement, etc., where all children are so anxious to go. It was pitiful to see her disappointment. She could not eat sweets, and candy always made her sick."

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THIEF SWIPES 16 TURKEYS; LOSTS WALLET WITH \$60. LODI, Cal., Oct. 20.—Someone entered H. L. Gray's poultry yard here and made away with sixteen turkeys—nice fat ones—in the dead of night. Gray, however, didn't pursue the robber, for, as the latter climbed the fence with his haul in a huge bag he dropped a wallet containing \$60 in currency.

Today Gray has the \$60 and is preparing to restock on turkeys. VINEYARD MEN TO TURN CROP INTO GRAPE JAM. International News Service. SAN JOSE, Cal., Oct. 20.—Just because of the great American institutions is grape jam many vineyard men here aren't worrying so much about jam from their wine grapes. Professor W. V. Cruess, of the University of California, came here and showed the grape men how to make a delicious jam from their wine grapes. A considerable portion of the wine crop of this locality is now being cooked into this jam. The price brought equals that offered for the grapes by the wineries.

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J. J. PERSHING DE STEFANO GETS A START IN LIFE. International News Service. SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Oct. 20.—John Joseph Pershing de Stefano should win in life's battle. He is starting out at one year of age with a letter from America's fighting General which he may treasure through life. The letter follows: "Dear little Nonesuch: I have just been advised that your parents have conferred upon you my name. I wish to express to you the assurance of my best wishes for a happy and successful life. Cordially yours, JOHN J. PERSHING."

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Planes May Have Engine Rooms Big as Steamships

PARIS, Oct. 20.—Aeroplane with engine rooms similar to those of a big ship are an immediate possibility and are even now being experimented with in France. This much is admitted in a statement just given out by M. d'Aubigny, president of the International Commission of Civilian Aeroplanes and vice-president of the Army Commission of the Chamber of Deputies.

"Work on peace planes is now being carried on intensively in France," said M. d'Aubigny. "In the case of the war machine security was a secondary factor. But for peace planes security is the prime factor.

"We believe safety in the air can best be guaranteed by the use of multi-motor aeroplanes. How many engines would give the best results is still a matter of experiment; but what I mean is that if a machine were fitted with four engines, and one broke down, the other three should be capable of carrying the pilot safely to his destination. I think we are on the eve of rendering this possible.

We are now working out the plans of an aeroplane fitted with an engine room in which a mechanic would be able to repair a defective motor during a flight while the other engines carried the plane along. It means the invention of a special gearing and transmission system, but we are getting to it.

"Another flying novelty upon which we are working is an aeroplane with a variable wing surface. Speed, although essential to safety during flight, is a positive danger during the landing. What we need is a plane in which the pilot can shorten his wing surface when land-
 ing. We have built such a machine and it is shortly to be tried."

THE TIMES' DAILY SHORT STORY

THE JADE EARRINGS

By Izola Forrester

They were curiously made, two pen-
 dant balls of delicate silver filigree,
 and within each a sphere of jade in
 deepest, quiet sea green.

Mrs. Lambert watched them with a
 certain fascination as they dangled
 from the ears of her caller. There
 was the same shade of green in
 Wanda's eyes, the same suggestion of
 makeup, from her perfectly fitted
 walking boots to her straight, dark
 eyebrows and smooth, glossy hair.
 She hardly caught what the girl was
 saying until she realized that Oliver
 was observing her amusedly.

"I never want to see the far East
 again. I feel as if I had had some
 awful overdose of one of their queer
 narcotics. We were in Siam for two
 months, and after that China, and
 then Japan. Oliver says he never
 knew before the happy, happy
 heathen could use so many lead
 pencils."

"Eighteen thousand in Seoul alone
 on one order," grinned Oliver. "I
 have no kick coming. It isn't every-
 body who can run a successful honey-
 moon on a business basis."

"Successful!" Wanda shrugged
 negative shoulders. "I hardly saw
 anything of you, you were chasing
 customers so. It was fearfully slow
 for me."

"Until you struck Yokohama,"
 Oliver put in meaningly. "She keeled
 over one of the highest mandarins in
 the province, she. Regular princelet;
 education at Harvard, finished at Ox-
 ford, regular diplomatic chap, with
 the finest pearl and jade business in
 southern China."

"He gave me my earrings," Wanda
 said, consciously blushing. "Don't
 you think they're pretty, Louise?"

"Exquisite. I was admiring them."
 "I'm going to have them filed off
 of her ears," Oliver rose and crossed
 over to the willow chair in the sun-
 light, looking down at his bride criti-
 cally. "Did you notice, Lou. Mong
 Soy did her the honor of adjusting
 them in her ears himself, and there's
 a trick about the fastening. She hasn't
 been able to take them off ever since
 we sailed."

"And they hurt just a little bit,"
 Wanda complained prettily. "He told
 me they would bring me luck. They
 were made in Burma."

"Save for admiring the earrings, the
 matter slipped from Mrs. Lambert's
 mind completely in the weeks that
 followed. She only saw her brother
 and Wanda occasionally, as they
 lived in town at a hotel, while she
 had her country home out at sleepy
 little Shug Cove on the North Shore.
 Then one morning about four, the
 telephone bell rang sharply. It was
 Oliver's voice in quick distress.

"Wanda's been taken very ill. Can
 you drive right in, Lou? Looks like
 poisoning."

"From what?" she asked anxiously.
 "Can you tell?"

"Not a sign of anything. She's not
 been well since we saw you last—
 slow fever, listless, uneven respira-
 tion, everything up."

He had two specialists working
 over Wanda when Mrs. Lambert ar-
 rived. The girl lay in a state of
 coma, emitting a deep tremulous
 sigh every now and then, and evi-
 dently suffering. After the men had
 left the room for the consultation,
 Wanda opened her eyes. Her hands
 lifted weakly, unsteadily to her ears.
 "Take those things out," she whim-
 pered. "I know."

She slipped back into the drowsy

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HERMAN WODELL UNDER ARREST IN INDIANA

Herman Wodell, who has a criminal record, police say, and who is alleged to have swindled banks and oil companies in Ranger, Eastland and Cisco out of at least \$5,000 through a clever system of forgeries, has been arrested at Hammond, Ind., through the efforts of Capt. John Long of this city. Captain Long will start after Wodell tonight.

Wodell's system of operations is said to have been worked as follows: He would secure employment with some big company, work a week or two and quit. He would take the check he received and use it for a model and forge a check for a substantial amount. He operated in this territory about five months and left about six weeks ago.

Matt Medill Goes to Fort Worth as District Manager

Matt Medill, manager of the Ranger branch of the Lucey Manufacturing corporation, has been transferred to Fort Worth as district manager for the entire north and north central Texas division of the company, which includes Wichita Falls and a number of other important oil centers, as well as looking after the Lucey interests in other nearby states.

Baptist Church Grows Rapidly

Rev. William H. Johnson's remarks at the Baptist conference meeting held Sunday morning on the future tasks of the church and the rapid growth of the church in Ranger showed that opportunity was knocking at the door and that Baptists of Ranger had the chance to make their church second to none in the state.

PERSONALS

R. A. Hodges, president of the Guaranty State bank of this city is here from his home at Abilene, seeking after business matters.

Gas Company and Inspector Busy

With the approach of cold weather and the first nippy days, the business of the Sammie Oil corporation in making connections, installing meters and maintaining service has been pushed, according to Inspector E. M. Gibson, who says that as many as 150 requests for connections have come in in a single day.

RED CROSS NEEDS MILLION FOR ROLL CALL

DALLAS, Oct. 20.—One million assistants in its third roll call campaign is the need of the American Red Cross in Texas, according to advices received at the state headquarters by Director W. H. Prather.

RANGER ELKS TO HELP INSTALL CISCO LODGE

CISCO, Oct. 20.—Several weeks ago a request was made for a charter for the organization of a local lodge of the Brotherhood Protective Order of Elks.

well as in the activities of the Red Cross continuously in the cities and towns of the state in relieving hunger, sickness and bettering conditions generally.

All school teachers in Dallas have volunteered to assist in the work of the membership campaign in this city. At a recent meeting of the American Legion and the meetings of the thirty-sixth and ninetieth divisions, resolutions of endorsement and praise of the Red Cross were adopted.

Local chapters from all sections have been secured and will be having in their requests for assistants during the campaign. The state headquarters recently urged all chapters to complete their preparations for the membership campaign.

INTEREST IN DENISON TESTS GROWING DAILY

DENISON, Texas, Oct. 20.—Interest in the Denison field, where prospecting for oil is under way, is growing daily. One new company entered the field this week.

The derrick for the first well, eight miles east of Preston, is now being erected and the second well will be located two miles north of this city.

PETROGRAD ISOLATED

LONDON, Oct. 20.—Petrograd is virtually isolated, the war office announced today, the anti-Bolshevik forces having cut the railroads leading from the city to Vitebsk, Moscow and Volgoda.

OKLAHOMA AND KANSAS OUTPUT 308,830 BARRELS

TULSA, Oct. 20.—Average daily production of the oil fields of Oklahoma and Kansas for the last week amounted to 308,830 barrels, which is more than 3,000 barrels in excess of the daily average for the week previous.

Oklahoma—Cushing, 36,300 barrels; Haldilton, 36,390 barrels; other fields, 146,700 barrels; total for the state, 219,390 barrels.

ROAD GRANTED THREE MORE YEARS TO PAY BONDS

HOUSTON, Oct. 20.—By an order signed late Friday, Judge Hutcheson in the Federal Court here granted an extension of three years on the payment of \$11,293,500 first mortgage bonds of the International & Great Northern railroad.

which James A. Baker of Houston was appointed receiver. The bonds fall due No. 1, 1919, and by agreement of all parties the date of maturity is extended to No. 1, 1922.

Judge Hutcheson also authorized an extension of the time on the payment of receiver's certificates amounting to \$1,400,000, the extension to be made in agreement with the holders of the certificates.

KINNEY WILL SPEND WINTER IN DENISON

DENISON, Oct. 20.—Walter Kinney, Connie Mack's sensational southpaw, arrived in this city last week to spend the winter. Kinney had a successful season with the lowly Athletics and as a result has received a substantial increase in salary.

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