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EUROPEAN POWERS HAVE FULL CONFIDENCE IN HIS PURPOSE AND ABILITY

ALL APPROVE MEDIATION

President Now More Hopeful That Mediation Efforts Will Be Successful

By Associated Press. Washington, April 30.—It was learned today that the South American envoys had proposed to General Carranza that he join the armistice with the United States and Huerta.

Washington, April 30.—It was asserted on unquestioned authority today that the South American envoys who are seeking peace between the United States and Huerta have appealed to European powers to use their friendly offices to facilitate negotiations between the two parties. The appeal it was stated did not include a request that the powers use their influence with President Wilson to name conditions to insure the success of the negotiations. The appeal has already borne fruit as several European ambassadors have informed Secretary Bryan of the friendly attitude of their governments toward the negotiation. Enthusiastic denial was made of the previous report that the European powers had been asked to use their influence with President Wilson for the naming of conditions that would make the negotiations possible. It was declared that none of the governments have any desire in any way to interfere with President Wilson and his policies in regard to the Mexican situation as they have the utmost confidence in his intentions and his ability to carry them out.

Up to noon today no announcement as to the nature of the negotiations in progress had been made but it was expected that some definite announcement as to the next step would be forthcoming in the immediate future.

President Wilson indicated to callers at the White House today that he was very hopeful for the success of the negotiations.

The acceptance by Carranza of the principle of mediation by the South American envoys after he had conferred with General Villa at Chihuahua is regarded in administration circles as significant.

NORRIS JURY COMPLETED WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

Fort Worth, Texas, April 30.—Taking of testimony started in the trial of Rev. J. Frank Norris on a charge of setting fire and burning the First Baptist parsonage in Fort Worth. The jury was completed late yesterday and comprises the following:

- L. E. Sackhammer, farmer, lives twelve miles east of city.
- John McCormick, collector, 1208 E. Henderson street.
- E. N. Hukill, laborer, Riverside.
- Hardy Boone, packing house employe, Riverside.
- D. McClinnis, farmer, Riverside.
- T. B. Tarwater, farmer, Smithfield.
- C. C. Leatherwood, butcher, Glenwood.
- I. D. Roylston, traction company employe, Handley.
- W. H. Harkness, farmer, Hurst.
- C. J. Johnson, farmer, south of city.
- J. J. Robinson, teamster, stove foundry road.

Within a few minutes after court convened Wednesday afternoon the panel of thirty-two jurors was completed and by 3 o'clock the jury was obtained to try the case of the State vs. J. Frank Norris, on the charge of setting fire and burning the Baptist parsonage.

Immediately after the jury was impaneled, counsel for the state and the defendant agreed to begin hearing the evidence Thursday morning. The jury having been obtained sooner than anticipated, and there being no witnesses present, the judge granted the agreed motion, and stated that the court would not delay the trial in any instance because a witness was not present when called for and requested attorneys on both sides to so notify their witnesses of the order so as to prevent an attachment from being issued for them.

County Attorney Blakin announced that he had received a telegram from Mr. and Mrs. K. K. Taylor in Louisiana, stating that they would be present and ready to testify in the case on Friday morning.

The county attorney based his motion for a continuance, which was overruled by Judge Swayne on the absence of these two important witnesses from the state.

COLORADO STRIKE BEFORE SENATE

SENATOR MARTINE CALLS FOR STOPPING "MONSTROUS PRACTICE"

WOULD MAKE IT CRIMINAL

New Jersey Senator Declares Men, Women and Children Are Being Murdered

By Associated Press. Washington, April 30.—Declaring that it was high time that the Senate take steps to stop the monstrous practice of the Colorado coal operators arming thugs to shoot men, women and children, Senator Martine of New Jersey today addressed the Senate in favor of the immediate adoption of his bill making it a criminal offense to employ armed guards.

Senator Martine declared that the employment of armed guards over three constitutional government in West Virginia and was attended with even worse consequences in Colorado. Senator Chilton took exception to Senator Martine's statement declaring that West Virginia had never been in such a state of lawlessness as Paterson, New Jersey. Senator Martine's remarks were called forth by a telegram on behalf of the Colorado strikers received by Senator Kenyon.

Senator Martine was reminded that federal troops had already been ordered to Colorado by President Wilson.

OFFICIAL REPORTS OF SAN DOMINGO TROUBLE.

By Associated Press. Washington, April 30.—Dispatches from the captain of the naval cruiser, Wheeling at San Domingo reports that on April 27 firing continued throughout the day at Puerto Plata and on the same day at Garahona. On the evening of the 28th he reports that shots were fired in San Domingo.

WEST COAST FEDERALS AND REBELS FIGHTING

Active Hostilities in Progress at Mazatlan and Apulco, Admiral Howard Reports

By Associated Press. Washington, April 30.—Federals and rebels are fighting at Mazatlan and at Apulco, according to dispatches received here from Admiral Howard in command of the Pacific fleet. Admiral Howard reported that news of mediation is favorably received by the better class at Mazatlan.

IT'S "SAINT LOUISE" FROM NOW ON.

St. Louis, April 30.—It is done. The argument is settled. After today, for the rest of the year, it shall be pronounced "Saint Louise." So said the parent masters and committee who intimidated that they did not care a hang even if the word "saint" is given an English pronunciation, while the "Louise" follows in French. "Goodbye St. Lewis," says the Mound City. "We cannot stand the final hiss."

HARDY BUYS PARTNER'S INTEREST IN LIQUOR BUSINESS

T. M. Bennett has sold his interest in the wholesale liquor business of the city to Hardy, his partner, D. M. Hardy. At the same time Mr. Hardy sold to Mr. Bennett the business house on Ohio avenue between Eighth and Ninth streets known as the Fontaine building. The Bennett & Hardy building on Ohio avenue occupied by the wholesale house was not involved in the change in interests.

Beautiful Senorita Becomes Bride Of Tamale Man

It's an ill wind that blows nobody good. In this instance the zephyr brought a beautiful Mexican girl as a bride to T. Pompa, Mexican venter of tamales. Several years ago Mexican turmoil sent to this country one T. Pompa from the town of Monterey. Pompa engaged in the tamale business where his industry brought him suitable financial reward. A few months ago danger of conscription for soldier service by the cruel minions of the cruel Huerta sent northward into the land of the Americans one Senorita Biloniana Cerans with her mother. They arrived in Wichita Falls. There was a meeting between the protectorless and beautiful senorita and Pompa prosperous venter of tamales. As was quite appropriate it was a case of love at first sight. Pompa brought Senorita Biloniana and her mother to the county clerk's office this morning where a marriage license was procured. Justice Jones was called and made the couple man and wife before they left the office. All the witnesses congratulated Pompa on his winning a beautiful and modest bride.

Huerta At Conference With Foreign Representatives; Admiral En Route To Vera Cruz And U.S. Field Gun



GENERAL HUERTA AND FOREIGN REPRESENTATIVES. ADMIRAL MER WILSON.

ROOSEVELT PARTY ARRIVES AT MADOS

COLONEL'S SON RECEIVES MESSAGE ANNOUNCING SAFE ARRIVAL FATHER'S PARTY

ANOTHER TRIP IS PLANNED

Reported at Rio Janeiro That Roosevelt Will Explore Duvida River Before Return

BRAZILIAN COLONEL WILL ACCOMPANY HIM.

By Associated Press. Rio Janeiro, Brazil, April 30.—Col. Roosevelt has determined to explore the Duvida River and accordingly Dr. Morro Muller, Brazilian minister of the interior has appointed Colonel Romeio to go with Col. Roosevelt.

NATIONAL EMPLOYMENT BUREAU BILL CONSIDERED.

By Associated Press. Washington, April 30.—The House committee on labor began the consideration of a bill introduced by Representative Murdock of Kansas, the Progressive leader, for the establishment of a labor employment bureau in connection with the department of labor, the object being to lessen unemployment in this country.

TODAY'S MARKET REPORT

Kansas City Cash Grain.
Kansas City, April 30.—Wheat No. 2 hard 85 to 89½; No. 2 red 88 to 89. Corn No. 2 mixed 69½ to 70½; Oats No. 2 white 39½.
Fort Worth Livestock.
Fort Worth, Texas, April 30.—Cattle receipts 5500, weak, beefs \$6.25 to \$7.75. Hog receipts 2500, prices down 15 cents, bulk \$7.90 to \$8.20.

ADOPTION OF BUDGET BEFORE COUNCIL TONIGHT

Heads of Various Departments Expected to Present Estimates at Meeting

Adoption of the budget, the first in the city's history, will come up at the meeting of the city council tonight. Heads of the various departments have been at work this week preparing estimates of the amounts they will require for the ensuing year and will submit them for adoption tonight.

LAWYERS FAIL TO SHOW UP—CASES WERE DISMISSED

Litigants in the county court who were not present in person or by counsel when their cases were called yesterday and today, are losers; their cases were promptly dismissed by Judge Feiler. In accordance with his announced decision, the judge had given notice that when a case was set for a certain date and counsel was not on hand at that time, dismissal would follow. This morning there were half a dozen cases set for trial and nary a lawyer on hand to attend to them. The judge ordered each dismissed, saying that unless the attorneys were sufficiently interested to be on hand, the court could not be expected to take up time with them.

WEATHER FORECAST

Tonight and Friday showers.

FIND BLACKENED AND BURNED BODIES

RESCUE WORKERS MAKE GHASTLY FINDS AT BOTTOM OF SHAFT

ABSENCE OF GAS AND DAMPS

Which at First Gave Hope, Provided False Indication That Many Might Be Alive

By Associated Press. Eccles, W. Va., April 30.—After twenty-four hours of effort mine inspectors this morning reached the bottom of the shaft of mine No. 6 of the New Rivers Collieries Company where 178 miners were buried in the explosion last Tuesday. They found little gas and no dampening rise to the hope that some of the miners might be found still alive. Later W. J. Paul, chief engineer of the Pittsburgh mine rescue station descended the shaft in company with an inspector. They found six bodies slumped together near the opening of the gallery. They were burned so badly that identification was impossible. Penetrating further they found more bodies. It then became apparent that there could be few if any survivors.

STERLING WHITE CASE UP AGAIN NEXT MONDAY

The criminal docket in the district court at Henrietta will be called next Monday with the case of Sterling White, accused of killing Miss Beulah Lee near Charlie last year, first on the docket. Sterling was convicted at his first trial, but the judgment was reversed.

THREE WESTERN STATES GIVE MEMORIAL TABLETS

Washington, April 30.—On this, the 125th anniversary of Washington's inauguration, the Washington National Monument Society planned to hold dedication exercises in connection with placing three new memorial tablets in the huge pile. Colorado, Washington and Idaho have placed the tablets under authority from their legislatures. Colorado is direct from its ruly marble quarries.

NINE LIVES LOST IN COLORADO WAR

LATER REPORTS MAY INCREASE THE FATALITIES IN FIGHT YESTERDAY

SITUATION MORE CRITICAL

Only Strong Hand of Federal Government Can Stop Industrial Warfare There

By Associated Press. Denver, Colo., April 30.—Nine identified dead and probably many more not yet reported was the toll of the fighting yesterday and last night in the strike zone. One of these, that of Major P. P. Lester, a prominent physician of Walsenburg, while trying to save the life of a wounded mine guard has added to the tenseness of the feeling here today. Following the report of the killing of Major Lester, thirty members of the militia company who had served under him forgot their grievance against the state over non-payment for their services and late last night went to Walsenburg to offer their services.

The battle at Forbes in which seven mine guards and two strikers lost their lives caused state officials to announce that drastic action would be taken. For this action Governor Ammons looks to United States troops to give protection. Troops from Fort D. A. Russell, Wyoming, arrived last night and took charge of affairs there after desperate fighting between guards and strikers.

Fort Lavenworth troops have been sent to the Trinidad district and it was expected that a detachment would be sent to Walsenburg where yesterday a battle raged between 100 state soldiers divided into two companies of fifty each and forty strikers entrenched with rifles behind breastworks of the lava formation of the hills which form a semi-circle about three miles long about the town. The militia had started to the Walsenburg mine to aid in the defense of that property when attacked.

RICHEST BACHELOR BECOMES A BENEDICT

William Vincent Astor Married Today to Helen Dinmore Huntington at Staatsburg

By Associated Press. Staatsburg, April 30.—William Vincent Astor, son of the late John Jacob Astor and reputed richest bachelor in America, was married this morning to Helen Dinmore Huntington whom he had known since childhood at Hopeland House, the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Huntington. Less than fifty persons witnessed the ceremony. Three of these were the superintendents of the Astor, Huntington and Dinmore estates respectively.

The Rev. Charles H. Duncan, rector of St. Margaret's Church read the Episcopal service. Following the ceremony the wedding party assembled in the long room where a wedding breakfast was served. Mrs. Ava Willing Astor, mother of the bridegroom attended. The widow of Col. Astor was not present, although she had been invited. She is now in the South.

All out of town guests came here on a special train furnished by the bridegroom for the occasion. Miss Alice Huntington, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. Hermann Oelrichs was best man. These were the only attendants. Wallace Goodrich of Boston, formerly organist at old Trinity Church, Boston, played the same wedding march today that he did twenty-two years ago at the marriage of the bride's parents at St. Margaret's Church here.

The bride was given away by her father, Mrs. John Astor, who divorced the bridegroom's father, Col. John Jacob Astor, came from Europe to attend the ceremony. Immediately following the ceremony and small reception, Mr. and Mrs. Astor leave for their honeymoon which will include a motoring trip in England and France, and later cruise on the palatial Astor yacht, Noma. The couple will make their home at Ferncliffe, which is about six miles from the Huntington mansion here.

BANDITS DELAY STAND-ARDS OPERATIONS IN CHINA

Pekin, China, April 30.—Boring operations by the Standard Oil Company in Shen-Si Province have been delayed by the depredations of White Wolf's bandits.

The company has \$500,000 worth of machinery at Taku ready for shipment to Shen-Si and its oil engineers and experts have arrived in Peking. They will proceed to Shen-Si as soon as the White Wolf's forces are dispersed.

The government is pushing the White Wolf campaign vigorously and four divisions of 40,000 men are now operating against the bands.

ENVOYS EXTEND SCOPE OF EFFORTS

CARRANZA NOW INCLUDED IN ELEMENTS OF SITUATION CONSIDERED

HOPE FOR PEACE IS GROWING

Neither U. S. Nor Huerta Has Yet Indicated Points Upon Which They Will Insist

By Associated Press. Washington, April 30.—Swift developments in the Mexican crisis are expected now that Carranza has placed himself within the scope of the field of endeavor of the South American peace envoys and it was believed that an armistice between Huerta and the northern rebels would be speedily agreed upon.

Confirmation of Carranza's acceptance of the principles of the good offices of Argentina, Brazil and Chile was confirmed this morning. His reply forwarded from Chihuahua thanked the envoys for their attempt to solve in a peaceful manner the trouble between Mexico and the United States, but did not mention the civil strife in Mexico.

The note from Carranza practically brings within the range of the arm of the three envoys all elements in the Mexican trouble and gives added hope that the situation may be composed in a peaceful manner in such a way that lasting peace and order may be restored throughout Mexico.

Assurances have been given both by the United States and Huerta of the acceptance of an armistice. The United States has made it known, however, that any untoward act by Mexico or attacks upon American citizens in Mexico will be regarded as a violation of the armistice.

Neither Huerta nor the United States has indicated what points they will insist upon in the negotiations. They simply have accepted the good offices of the South American envoys in their efforts to bring peace out of a menacing situation in Mexico.

Reports early today from Mexico City from the Mexican war minister that he had received reports that American warships had shelled Manzanillo and that American marines had been landed at Salina Cruz were credited by navy and state department officials here. Rear Admiral Howard is in close touch with the vessels on the west coast and no such incidents had been reported this morning.

LAWTON RECEIVES MEDAL FOR SPANISH WAR SERVICE

Francis N. Lawton, superintendent of the water and power properties here, has received from the government a medal for his service in the Spanish American war in 1898. Mr. Lawton enlisted as a private in the New York volunteer guard and later entered the signal corps, having the rank of sergeant at the close of the war. The medal bears the words "For Service" and is appended to a ribbon bearing the red and yellow bicolor of Spain.

ORGAN RECITAL AT FIRST PRESBYTERIAN TONIGHT.

James Duncan, the lately acquired organist of the First Presbyterian Church, who will give a recital tonight at the church, is a native of Scotland, coming here from Glasgow, where he was organist in a number of the largest churches. He has had an unusual honor conferred upon him by the musical society of London, having been made a member of the Incorporated Society of Music of London, thus being privileged to add to his signature the coveted letters, I. S. M. This degree is one coveted by all of the Continental musicians and gained but by few, so this fact speaks well indeed for Mr. Duncan. All the music lovers of the city are cordially invited to attend the organ concert at the church tonight.

How Did Louis Know It? That Bothersome Question

There were five of them and a merry little game of draw was proceeding blithely on the fifth floor of the Westland Hotel. No chips were used and when one of the participants desired to "decorate the mahogany" he shoved the long green itself out to the center of the table. As time ticked by the pile of green increased.

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AT THE MOVIES

The Victoria.
Today the Victoria is showing one of the famous Keystone comedies, "The Race," one that all will enjoy. A two reel majestic drama of the Canadian woods, "The Atonement" is also showing today. This drama, depicting the backwoods people, contrasts the simple hunter of the forests with a certain class of city hunters to the decided disadvantage of the latter. The action is quick, the plot interesting and the audience views every scene with intense interest.

The Majestic.
The Majestic is showing an unusual program today consisting of four single reel pictures with every picture a feature. To begin with there is "A Change of Baggage Checks," John Bunny and Flora Finch are two actors playing the same vaudeville city celt at different theatres. They get a call to the same town and their trunks get mixed. When they arrive at the different theatres the mix-up in trunks is discovered. It is too late to make any other arrangements so each one decides to wear what is in the trunks. Bunny and Flora lack a

whole lot of being the same size, but they both finally get costumes and make quite a hit. Another of the Webb comic series is showing today, "The Beautiful Leading Lady," also a Scott "King" Barry's "Birthdays" and "Her Father's Silent Partner."

The Empress.
A Criterion feature in three parts, "The Trap" is the chief feature today at the Empress. The story is of life in the north woods and the central figure in the picture is a young trapper who has chosen to seclude himself from the world. A girl enters into the story as usually the case, and current of love runs through the picture. The plot is somewhat out of the ordinary and the manner in which the story is worked out is still more unique. A Vitagraph drama, featuring Mary Charleson in "Silent Trails," a fantasy of the west and an Edison comedy, "The Sultan and the Roller Skates" complete today's bill.

The Gem.
Van Dyke Brooke, Norma Talmadge and Leo Delaney are featured today in a two part Vitagraph drama, "The Blue Rose." A Lubin, "A Romance of the Southwest" and two Selig comedies, "Venus and Adonis" and "A Mat Marathon" are the offerings today at the Gem.

Lydia Margaret.
This Lydia Margaret has a wonderful feature film for today, "When God Wills" an Eclair. The background of the story is the great north woods when the snow is on the ground. The central characters of the story are a man who is very sick whose chance of life is getting to a specialist in Sweden and a woman whose love for him is so great that she will stop at nothing that will make for his welfare. The events in the play are naturally worked up, good fortune is followed by evil mishaps and when in his and sorrow is the portion of both followed by death, the outlook is deeply sympathetic. "The Senator's Bill," a story of a senator who experiences a change of heart and who withdraws a bill proposing to do away with capital punishment through the influence of a dream. Two new vaudeville bills open a three days engagement today.

Claude Lane of Denver, Colo.
The guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Lane.
Mrs. C. H. Orth arrived today for a brief visit to her son, T. R. T. Orth, before returning to her home in Chicago. She has been spending the winter in San Antonio.

Miss Tina Watkins of Fowler
was in the city this afternoon en route to Rochester where she will visit friends and relatives for several days.
C. E. Rogers, state manager of the Garrouths adding machine company, is in the city this afternoon.

Mrs. S. A. Patterson returned this afternoon to her home in Petrolia after spending several days here.

Fred Shell of Falls is in the city this afternoon enroute to points in Missouri.

Miss Ola Claggett is over today from Archer City.

NEW BILL AT THE LYDIA MARGARET

Wolfe and Wicher and the Edwin Barnells, Laguna are in vaudeville acts at the Lydia Margaret for the last half of the week. The latter show "Pastimes in a Gypsy Camp." Wolfe and Wicher recently appeared at the Old Mill in Dallas. The Times-Herald contained the following comment:

It is so easy to overdo the part of a Dutch comedian that the work of Wolfe in "The Dutch Janitor," at the Old Mill this week stands out as an extraordinarily good example of how laughable Dutch comedy can be made. Miss Wicher, his teammate, is a jolly girl of considerable embonpoint and a sweet voice. Wolfe is easily one of the best comedians that has been at the Old Mill since its opening and the act is proving one of the most popular on the bill, which, as a whole, is far above the average. The same program will be repeated at each matinee and night performance up to and including Saturday night.

EVENTS OF THE DAY IN COLORADO STRIKE DISTRICT

Denver, April 29.—The occupation of Las Animas and Fremont counties by federal troops; the continuance of negotiations by the militia at Walsenburg with the strikers for the surrender of their arms; and the taking of additional testimony at Trinidad by the coroner's inquest into the tent colony disaster at Ludlow were the chief events in the Colorado strike situation today.

The federal soldiers who reached Fremont county yesterday took formal possession today.



At the Lydia Margaret, the Barnells, one of the acts on the new bill opening today. In a new novelty, entitled, "Pastimes in a Gypsy Camp," featuring Laurita in a clever violin solo, also introducing Dextrous Double-Juggling and balancing and Pantomime comedy

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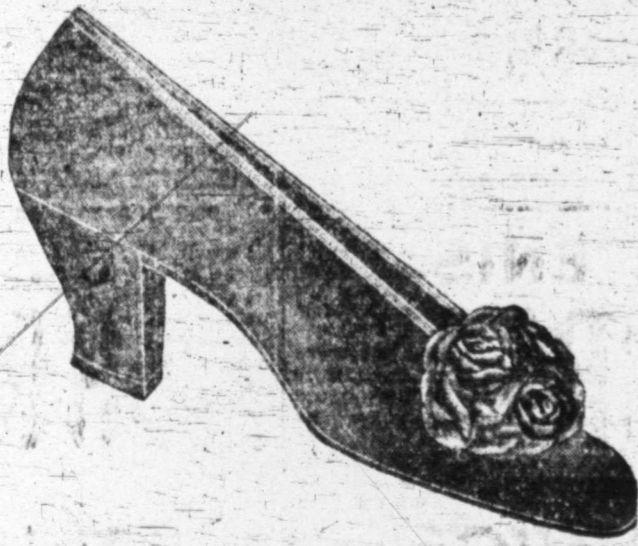
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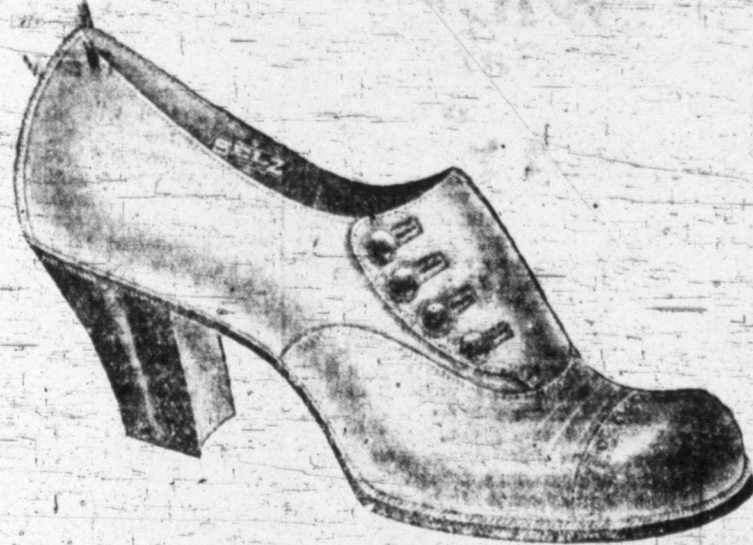
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COMPLAINT OF FRENCHMAN DENIED BY FLETCHER.

Associated Press. Washington, April 29.—Complaint by the captain of the French ship Antik that the American authorities at Vera Cruz had refused to permit him to land her cargo on April 21 was answered by the navy department today when Secretary Daniels announced that he had received a message from Admiral Fletcher denying that such refusal had been made.

Mrs. R. W. Hamming of Burkbarratt is in the city visiting friends and relatives.

MEMBERS OF SIGNAL CORPS AT SAN ANTONIO.

Associated Press. Chicago, April 29.—Twenty-five members of the United States Army signal corps stationed here received orders today to go to San Antonio, Texas. All of the men are expert telegraphers.

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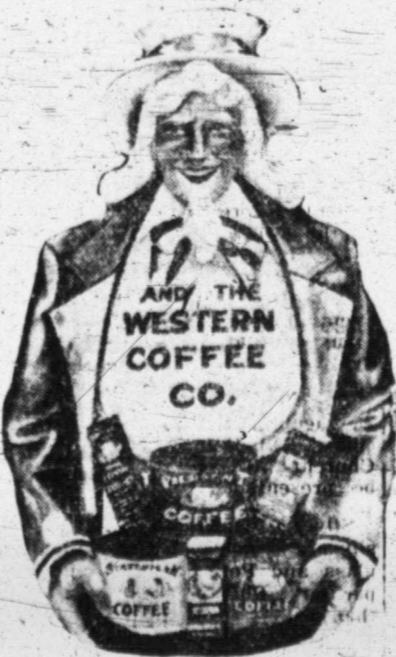
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WICHITA FALLS RECIPES.

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MRS. FOSTER'S PUPILS GIVE RECITAL TUESDAY EVENING

On April 28th at 8:30 p. m. the senior members of Mrs. Foster's class gave a piano recital at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Von der Lippe...

MOTHERS CLUBS ISSUE COORDINATED INVITATION TO PUBLIC

The Mothers Clubs invite you to be with them Friday afternoon and night and all day Saturday to meet the mothers and teachers of the First District of the Texas Congress of Mothers...

THE MISSES BACHMAN ENTERTAIN THE CRESCENT CIRCLE.

The Crescent Circle met in regular session Tuesday afternoon with Misses Lillian and Ruby Bachman as hostesses. The afternoon was spent in the usual manner with needlework and pleasant conversation...

REV. AND MRS. CANNEDY CELEBRATE CHINA WEDDING

Wednesday evening Rev. T. E. Cannedy and wife celebrated their twentieth wedding anniversary with a large informal reception at their home, 805 Bluff. Unique cards for the affair had been issued bearing the name of Rev. Cannedy and his bride of twenty years ago...

MOTHERS CONGRESS OPENS HERE FRIDAY AFTERNOON

Fifty Delegates Including Well Known Child Welfare Workers Will Attend and Take Part

Everything is now in readiness for the First District meeting of the Texas Congress of Mothers and the opening session will be held tomorrow afternoon. About fifty delegates are expected and the best known workers in the state interested in child welfare will be on the program...

WORLD'S CHAMPION RIDER WILL EXHIBIT HERE

Hugo Strickland and Company of Expert Horsemen Here Saturday, Sunday and Monday

Hugo Strickland, who won the \$1000 silver mounted saddle at the Dallas Cattle Show for fancy riding is to be seen in Wichita Falls Sunday and will have his picture taken at Lake Wichita in a performance of wild west stunts...

ENIS & NICHOLS GREATER SHOW

WICHITA FALLS Saturday, Sunday and Monday MAY 2nd, 3rd, 4th Sunday at Lake Wichita 3:30 p. m. One Performance Only

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Other Star Riders With a string of 14 of the worst outlaw horses ever gathered one show.

Fancy Riding and Roping Contests of All Kinds

The management has contracted with the Bell moving picture Co. to make today afternoon performance at Lake Wichita, which is to be used for advertising purposes, and our show will be better than ever for that reason.

MRS. CUMMINGS HOSTESS TO SAMPLERS CLUB WEDNESDAY

The Samplers Club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Cummings at her home on Eleventh. The time was very pleasantly spent in crocheting and social conversation...

MISS MCGREGOR ENTERTAINS THE LITTLE SISTERS CLUB

Miss Lillian McGregor was hostess to the Little Sisters Wednesday afternoon. Some time was spent in sewing and music and dancing was also enjoyed. A salad course was served late in the afternoon to the Misses Bess Kell, Kathleen Blair, Olive Edwards, Genevieve Carver, Ann Freear, Bertha Mae Kemp and the hostess, Miss McGregor.

NINE THIMBLE CLUB MET WITH MISS MINTER WATTS

Miss Minter Watts was hostess to the Nine Thimble Club at its regular session Wednesday afternoon. The usual literary program was held and some of the members turned their attention to sewing. Ice cream and cake was served at the conclusion of the meeting and the club enjoyed having with them as guests Misses Tula Stokes, Kathrine Watts and Madeline Basford. The members present were: Misses Mildred Harrington, Marie Berry, Audrey Ferguson, Alice Jenne, Sadie Addicks, Maurine Smith, Dorothy Warren, Halie Adams and the hostess.

The four young ladies of this city who have been appointed to official places as sponsors and maid of honor for the Confederate Veteran Reunion at Jacksonville, will leave Friday night, Judge Scurry will also go to the reunion from Wichita Falls. The entire party of young ladies, including Misses Lillian McGregor, Carrie Kell, Agnes Reid and Mabel Simms, will make a trip to Cuba before returning home and will be gone about two weeks in all.

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The Civie League will have a called meeting Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the First Presbyterian Church. All members are urged to be present.

Silver Cream polish for all kinds of silver and gold articles, also for fine glass and Porcelain ware. 25 cents per jar. Phones 64 and 67. Treva-thans. 1 Itc

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We will sell while 15 dozen last Thursday and Friday, and positively for these two days only, one of our very best 18x36 inch Huck Towels that sell regularly at 25c per pair, two days only per pair... 19c

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We have one lot of 18x38 inch genuine Terry Crash, bleach Turkish towel bought direct from the mill at a saving. These are the best size and good absorbent crash and should absorb your attentions, each... 18c

Sun Shades! Shower Sticks! Rubber Shoes and Straw Hats!

(Guess that will get the weather man either way he goes, wont it?) Please don't misunderstand us and think we are getting sentimental; it's not that. But what we want you to understand is the fact that, no matter what kind of weather we have for Thursday and Friday, there will be "something doin'" at the Big Department Store. In fact, our stock is so large and varied we can fill your wants, no matter what they are. And better still, more new goods are coming every day, so if you don't find just what you want today, come tomorrow. Among the new arrivals this week are:

Trunks, Bags and Suit Cases, Men's and Boys' Clothing, Ladies' Black Taffeta and Moire Dress Skirts, Etc.

Trunks And right while we think of it we feel safe in saying that no matter what you need in good trunks we can please you, especially in steamer and wardrobe trunks and our price range is from \$10.00 up to \$50.00 Suit Cases and Hand Bags We now have all sizes and colors in these goods at any price you care for from \$1.00 up to \$25.00

Just a Word About Men's Clothing Perhaps you have often seen in a shop window a suit that left this impression, "It looks good for the money." Maybe you were tempted, and swapped your hard-earned dollars for it. Time soon told, it wasn't what it looked to be. Now why run that risk? Buy Benjamin-Washington Clothes Clothes that have been thoroughly tested, that have proven their worth in every land where good clothes are worn. We know they are right and are ready to convince you with a series of models which express all the authoritative innovations in form and a collection of fabrics as varied as the tastes of man in a price range from \$20.00 to \$30.00

30-inch natural Hair Switches We have in all only about one dozen of these, mostly in medium and dark brown shades, (no greens) these are sold regularly at \$4.00 offered special at \$2.98

Ladies' Bleach Vests We have just received one of the best values we have ever found, a real good large size, well taped bleach vest. We are going to sell at \$1 1/3c

Nature's Rival Brassieres We offer for two days only quite a saving on these, made of good grade of corset batiste in a good range of sizes, values you usually get at most places 35c to 50c, offered special at 25c

All charge purchases made Thursday will be placed on May account, payable June 1st

Raisins How to Use Them

The problem of getting the best food for your family as well as the most economical food makes it absolutely necessary to study carefully the food question as a whole and in view of the fact that April 30th is Raisin Day all over the country and especially at my store, I want to tell you just a few things about raisins. 1st. One pound of raisins equals one and one-third pounds of meat in food value. 2nd. One pound of raisins equals six pounds of apples in food value. 3rd. One pound of raisins equals five pounds of bananas in food value. 4th. One pound of raisins equals four and one-fourth pounds of potatoes in food value. Raisins are the best known natural laxative. There are at least twenty-eight different ways in which you can use raisins. Now, it seems to me in view of these remarkable facts about the great and little known food value of this remarkable evaporated fruit that if I could tell you some of the most popular recipes for preparing raisins that you might appreciate them and give them a fair trial. Here's one of the best ones.

RAISIN BREAD Soak one yeast cake in one and one-half cups of potato water; mix enough flour to make a stiff batter; beat five minutes. Let stand overnight. In the morning, scald two cups of sweet milk, into which pour one rounded tablespoon Cottoleone, one tablespoon salt, three table-spoons sugar. When milk is lukewarm mix with the yeast; add enough flour to make a stiff batter; beat about ten minutes; let rise. When sufficiently raised, add two cups seeded or seedless raisins; mix; add more flour and knead until dough is smooth; let rise. Make into loaves and bake one hour. When baked wet top of loaves with sugar and hot water to prevent the crust becoming hard.

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"Tell Me the Secret" How do you make such delicious muffins? Mine are always so dry. And if I make the batter thin they fall. How do you do it? "I make them about as you do, only I use KC Baking Powder. Mine always turn out well, so it must be the baking powder."

It is the baking powder. To make muffins, cakes and pastry rich and moist, yet light and feathery, a modern double acting baking powder must be used—one that will give off leavening gas in the oven as well as in the mixing bowl.

KC BAKING POWDER is really a blend of two baking powders, one of which starts to raise as soon as moisture is added. The other is inactive until heat is applied. This sustains the raise until your muffins, biscuits or cake is done. KC Baking Powder costs less than the old fashioned quick acting kinds, yet you need use no more and it is superior to them in every way. Try a can at our risk and be convinced.

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Tomorrow is the 1st. You will appreciate the many good things we are offering. Phone us your order. Treva-thans. 1 Itc

The Rohatch Mineral Water Acts directly on the digestive organs of the stomach. Strengthening the kidneys and keeps the blood in fine condition. Good circulation is the only cure for constipation, rheumatism and the only way the system has to throw off germs that cause typhoid, smallpox and other loathsome diseases. Four years in the water-ousness in Wichita Falls has taught us precaution during epidemics of loathsome diseases. We are not strangers in Wichita Falls. We have been here fifteen years and are here to stay. We have "swag" method obligations. We are equipped to furnish our trade with a clean wholesome vessel. And the best water in the state. Fall in line and share good health with us. Special attention given five gallon phone orders. Our wagon leaves the well at 7 a. m. and 2 p. m. Two trips daily except Sunday. Phone line 9001 ring 14. G. J. Rohatch, Prop.

\$100 Reward, \$100 The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dread disease that science has been able to cure. All the stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure has been able to cure it. It is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in their cure that they offer one Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists. 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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This is a great country. At Fort Worth Rev. J. Frank Norris is on trial charged with arson, while at Dallas—only 21 miles distant—he is advertised in the papers as conducting a great revival meeting. Just how he manages both attractions at the same time is a little difficult to figure out, unless it is that he attends court at Fort Worth during the day, and after adjournment takes the train for Dallas to fill his appointments at the revival meeting. No one, however, expects Rev. Norris to be convicted. In fact, it has always looked as if the testimony against him was purely of the manufactured kind, and he was indicted to shield the real perpetrators of that piece of dirty work.

The Wichita Falls country, so far as crops are concerned, is in finer condition now than it has been since the year 1891. That year more than one million five hundred thousand bushels of wheat and oats were produced in Wichita county alone. It was a great year, and following the harvesting and marketing of that great crop there was plenty of money. Everybody had it, and they spent it freely—almost recklessly. From the present outlook we have every reason to expect that the wheat crop of 1914 in this section of country will be by far the greatest and most abundant ever harvested.

G. R. Decker of the Bowman community, was in town today. Mr. Decker is a farmer, no farmer, and as a result he seldom makes crops of one kind or other. This year, however, he is unusually optimistic about crop conditions, and is predicting an average of twenty bushels per acre for wheat in his immediate section. Wheat is now in the boot, and in less than a month the harvest will begin. The farmers have no fears of not making a bumper crop, except a heavy fall of hail. Many farmers are insuring against hail, and more would, perhaps, if the premiums exacted were somewhat lower. Insurance against hail is a good thing, but when it costs \$75 to get \$1,000 worth of that kind of insurance many farmers balk, and take their chances. Mr. Decker is in the latter class. He came to town to take out insurance against hail, but found that it was more expensive than he thought it would be, and will therefore take the chances.

THE WOOLEN INDUSTRY

The woolen industry claimed a short time ago that the democratic administration had ruined its industry. In proof of which the Cleveland Worsted Mills Co. have increased their stock from three to ten million, and are putting up additional factories. Quannah Tribune-Chief.

And too, Brother Koch, we noted from a news item from San Angelo the wool center of Texas, the other day that the sheep and goat men of that country were expecting the highest prices for wool than for many years past. And it amusing now that the San Angelo people were fighting the reduction of the wool tariff a few months ago, claiming destruction of the wool interests in Texas. The old democratic party is not half so bad as some would have others believe. Childless Index.

Speaking about sheep and wool reminds us that the farm has always been the high protection goat. Under

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a pretense of protective duty on his products his support was won to a system that placed a high duty—one that really did "protect" the other fellow in insuring profit—on everything that the farmer bought. As long as the American farmer was willing to accept a "protection" against competition that couldn't compete we wasn't in a very good position to kick about the "protection" through which the other fellow gouged him.

THE "COMPANY" STORE IS A THIEF

When there is a disposition on the part of either party to settle their differences by submitting them for settlement to a competent board of arbitration, it is almost clear evidence that the party who declines arbitration is in the wrong. In the Colorado mining trouble, the governor of that state has called on the President of the United States to send Federal troops to protect property and stop fighting going on between the striking miners and mine guards. The mine guards are desperate men. They care little for the taking of life. The striking miners are desperate also. In a manner they have been driven desperate, and no one can doubt but in their desperation they have committed many unlawful acts. As a result, many lives have been lost, and much property destroyed. All of this could have been avoided by submitting to arbitration. President Wilson viewed the matter in that light. The first thing he did after being urged to send troops into Colorado was to call on John D. Rockefeller, the elder, who has large mining interests in Colorado, to bring about a settlement of the differences existing between the striking miners and the mine owners. He refused to interfere, referring the President to John D. Jr., who did the same thing. The mine owners claim to have granted all the demands of the striking miners, except the recognition of their union. This they will not do. The miners, however, assert that while this is true to a certain extent, it is not true in others. One of their demands was that employees should be allowed to trade where they pleased without danger of losing their jobs. All the mining companies in Colorado have what is known as company stores. In most of the mining towns the mining companies also manage to keep out all competition in the way of mercantile establishments. Some times this is accomplished by the mining company acquiring all property within the mining camps. Therefore a strictly mining town usually consists of a few hundred little three or four-room houses, all constructed alike. The only way in which one can be distinguished from the others is by the numbers on the door. Then there is what is known as the "company store," that carries everything the miners have use for. There are no other stores, and if so, they are not located within convenient distance to the mining town. The result is the miners have but one place to trade, and they pay the price asked, and no haggling is permitted. That "company store" make a handsome profit, no one who has ever taken the trouble to investigate, can doubt. As for instance, vegetables that are shipped in from distant points, are sold out to miners at profits that amount to robbery. Radishes that "the company stores" pay 15c for a dozen bunches, usually consisting of five to seven radishes to a bunch are retailed to the miners at 15c per bunch, and everything else in proportion. No peddlers of vegetables are allowed to peddle on company grounds. The miners are therefore compelled to buy from the company store or do without. It is a system that should be abolished. It matters not how much wages the miners might draw, if compelled to buy from the company stores, they are robbed. This is a free country. The employer of labor should not be forced to pay unreasonable wages, nor should the wage earner be robbed of his wages, whatever they might be, after he has earned them. The "company store" is a thief, and should be abolished. It is responsible for more suffering than any other one thing. It will do no good for the mine owners to pretend that the miners can trade where they please unless they make it possible for other mercantile establishments other than their own to come in and compete with the company stores for the miners trade. In many states "the company" store method of robbery has been so regulated or completely destroyed as to make it impossible for employees to be charged enormous or unusual profits for what they are compelled to buy. It should be that way in Colorado, but it is not. There is no law to compel any employer of labor to recognize union labor. There never will be. But there should be a law to protect the man who labors from being robbed of his earnings, whether he be a union or non-union laborer.

THE PRESTIGE OF THE UNITED STATES

War is brought about by cause, but history justifies it by results. Not infrequently the causes are widely at variance with the results, which comes about from the fact that the causes are usually no more than detailed excuses to countenance a general situation too intangible to be reduced to premises for conflict, but too aggravating to be tolerated.

The direct cause of the present trouble with Mexico was a constructive insult to this nation's flag, but the American people will feel, and history will record, that the loss of life and destruction of property is inexorable if the firing of a 21-gun salute is the only result to be obtained.

Already the detailed cause is merging itself into the general situation. Already we begin to see what must be accomplished in order that our action may not be execrated as untimely and ill-advised by future generations. A formal acknowledgment of the respect due our national emblem will not now offer sufficient guarantee that this prestige has been permanently and unequivocally recognized.

Despite President Wilson's declaration to the contrary, the American people, the various elements in Mexico, and the world in general, all view the seizure of Vera Cruz as an act of war. Despite all this smooth talk about disassociating Huerta from the Mexican revolution, the very fact that we have shot down his soldiers and civilians indiscriminately will make differentiation in the minds of those who regard acts as more significant than words.

Despite our refusal to recognize Victoriano Huerta as representing a government, the fact that we have accepted the A. B. C. offer of mediation cannot fail to place him on a parity with recognized authority in the eyes of disinterested nations.

We are at war, and the result of that war can be our only justification. The Mexican people misunderstand our motives. The Huertistas are in league with bitterness. The constitutionalists are trying to curry favor.

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Local News Brevities

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Notice
T. J. Jeffries of Childress, Texas, who will have charge of the race track meet to be held in this city, wishes to announce he will be ready to train all-horses at the Lake track the first of May. All persons who have horses to enter should see me at once. Address T. J. Jeffries, City. 1 2tc

See the new line of Panama, Tagal Braid, Hemp and Mink hats. Olive A. Child, 810 Scott. 1 3tc

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Dr. Bolding, dentist, office 206 Kemp & Kell building. Phone 206. 46 ttc

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Shipments of fruit jars by the Ball Brothers plant have shown some improvement this week and a number of cars are on the company's spurs today awaiting consignments of the "sure-seal" special jar which the plant recently started turning out. General Manager Smock states that while there is some improvement in shipments, the late freezes have prevented business reaching the stage expected.

Better insure your wheat and oats against loss by hail. See Creel Bros. & Chancellor, Room 5 old postoffice Bldg. Phone 1315. 58 ttc

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The ladies of the Christian church will serve the last dinner of the season on Saturday, May 2nd, in the building formerly occupied by McGrattan-Millsap. 99 ttc

Give us your May account. It will be cared for to your satisfaction. Phones 64 and 67. Trevathan's. 1 ttc

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We have just installed a new steam vulcanizing plant. In charge of an expert from the factory. We guarantee his work. Give him a trial. The prices are right. The Alviset Garage, 707 Scott Avenue, phone 621. 99 ttc

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The School Board, City Council and Chamber of Commerce are most cordially invited to attend the meeting of the First District meeting of the Texas Congress of Mothers, which convenes Friday and Saturday at the High School. An especially interesting program will be carried out Friday night.

See D. M. Perkins & Co. for bargains in real estate. Rooms 216-217 K. & K. Bldg. Phone 201. 91 ttc

We are writing insurance on growing crops. Creel Bros. & Chancellor, Corner Eighth and Ohio. Phone 1315. 98 ttc

Large leaf hot-house lettuce from Denver, Colorado, for tomorrow. Telephones 64 and 67. Trevathan's. 1 ttc

Dr. Nelson, Dentist, Moore-Bateman Building. Phone 686 and 423. 77 ttc

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European plan, 42 excellent rooms, with or without bath. Private telephone in each room. Rates \$1.00 and up. 54 ttc

29 pounds strictly fresh country butter for tomorrow, 25 cents per pound. Trevathan's. 1 ttc

Cy Falkenberg, the tall Indianapolis twirler from the American league, who was the favorite with the local fans when the team trained here, got into action in the game with the Pittsburgh team yesterday. He allowed only three scratch hits and shut out Pittsburgh 2 to 0. All sport writers agree that Falkenberg was one of the best hurlers in the American league and if he gets in good form there will be nothing in the Federal league to surpass him.

Tomato Plants For Sale
The "Mammoth Prize," the "Matchless," and the "Early Jewell." Phone J. L. Greenhouse, rural phone 9012, ring 12, or leave orders with M. H. Earnest, 711 7th street. Price per hundred, 40 cents. 99 ttc

Knights of Pythias meet tonight. Initiation. Come early. Dr. DuVal, C. C. 1 ttc

Fresh South-Texas asparagus tips, 2 bunches for 25c. Phones 64 and 67. Trevathan's. 1 ttc

The Majestic Cafe, 509 Eighth street, will be reopened Saturday morning, after being closed for repairs. The interior has been painted and decorated and new furniture installed, and is now the most modern cafe in the city. We serve the best 25c meals in town. Also short orders and chop suey at all hours. 300 3tc

Large Golden Bananas for tomorrow, only 20 cents per dozen. Phones 64 and 67. Trevathan's. 1 ttc

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Registered Jersey Bull will make this season at my barn, 501 Indiana Avenue. Tom Jones, proprietor. 85 ttc

Asparagus direct from the South Texas grower, 2 bunches for 25 cents. Trevathan's. 1 ttc

FRIDAY EVENT

Bargain No. 1--
Ladies' silk hose; a very special for Friday only; as good as is usually sold for \$1.00. We have them in full run of sizes, 8½ to 10 in black and white.
Our Friday Event price 49c

Bargain No. 2--
Extra good wearing hose for ladies in black only. Good for 25c.
Our Friday Event price, 15c pair straight

Bargain No. 3--
10 styles of the newest lasts in ladies' and misses' low shoes, patent Colonials, dull kid Colonials, vici button Oxfords, patent English walking Oxfords; actual \$3.50 values.
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Bargain No. 4--
THREE SPECIALS ON UNDERWEAR

Ladies' full bleached knit union suit, perfectly topped, trimmed in good lace, perfect garment at 75c.
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Misses' full bleached ribbed union suit.
Our Friday Event price 25c

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Bargain No. 5--
Any spring coat in the house.
Friday Bargain Event, One-third price.



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A marriage license was issued today to T. Pompa and Miss Boloniano Cerano; J. O. Gore and Charlie and Mrs. Lizzie Harbin of Byers.

Suit for divorce was filed in the district court today by Mrs. Grace M. Higgins vs. M. C. Higgins.

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Additional Personals

N. Henderson has returned from Mineral Wells, where he has been at the bedside of Tom Jones, formerly a fireman of this section, lately of Del Rio. Mr. Jones is very low from kidney trouble and congestion of the brain, but was slightly improved today. There is a chance for his recovery.

Mrs. A. H. Carrigan and daughter, Elizabeth, have returned from a visit to Miss Anne Carrigan who is attending the State University at Austin.

R. D. Buchanan of Chicago, representing the Hazard Manufacturing Company, is here today.

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PERSONAL MENTION

D. G. McCune of Petrolia, is in the city today.

W. Whitesier is in the city today from Seymour.

J. M. Cameron came in this morning from Fort Worth.

W. E. Wolf of Mankins, Texas, was in the city this morning.

J. H. Lawrence of Amarillo is a business visitor here today.

W. L. Greenhill of Gainesville, is in the city today on business.

J. R. Barclay of Chickasha, Oklahoma, is visiting here this week.

Wess Alexander of Mineral Wells is transacting business here today.

R. D. McCann of Tulsa, Oklahoma, is visiting in the city for a few days.

Edward Kelly of Wichita, Kansas, is in the city for a few days on business.

Attorney W. B. Channery of Dalhart, came in today and will make this his home.

Cloude Lane of Denver, Colorado, is here on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Lane.

Jim Preston went to Tivers this morning where he will transact business for a few days.

Rev. H. H. Liles, pastor of the Methodist church at Avoca, Texas, was in the city today.

J. H. Mathis and wife returned this morning from Galveston, where they have been for the past few days.

Mrs. W. S. Crawford went to Grandfield, Okla., this morning to spend a few days with relatives there.

Two new entries in the Civic League's tin can pile contest are Ed Bennett, 1302 Fillmore street and Leo Sandenburg, 1707 Sixth street.

Mrs. Joe Prazier and children of Dalhart, arrived this morning and will make this place their home. She is a sister to W. T. and R. M. Johnston.

Carl Jungk, late of Minica, Chihuahua state, Mexico, arrived in the city yesterday afternoon. Mr. Jungk was accompanied across the border by his mother who remained in El Paso.

Addison Trotter, Wilbur L. A. Ivan Lawler and Lester Cooper left last night for Austin, Texas, where they will represent the Wichita Falls High school in the track meet held there tomorrow. Otis Nelson, Brennan Tinsley and Mr. E. L. Vance accompanied them. Nelson and Gillespie will represent the Wichita Falls High school in the debating contest.

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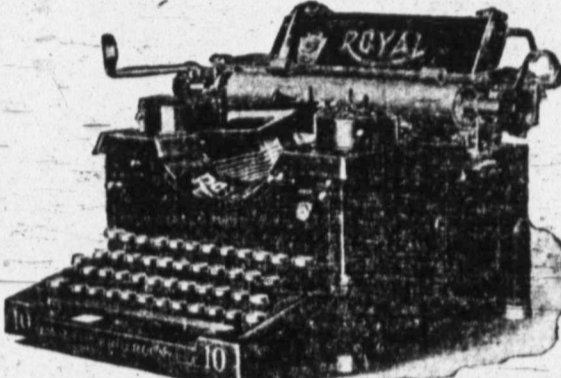
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All Men's Clothing, including the celebrated Hart Schaffner & Marx and Fitwell makes; good styles and patterns; Friday and Saturday at **COST**

Men's Trousers, good patterns, \$2.00 to \$2.50 values, on sale Friday and Saturday at **\$1.45**

All other Trousers, values up to \$7.00 at **COST**.

One lot **Men's Shoes** and **Oxfords**, good styles and leathers, \$3.00 to \$5.00 values; we sell them Friday and Saturday at **\$2.75**

50 Doz. Wilson Bros. athletics union suits; regular dollar sellers, Friday and Saturday **69c**

Walk-Over and Nettleton Shoes, \$5.00 and \$6.00 grades; we sell them Friday and Saturday, per pair **\$4.85**

25 Doz. Men's Shirts, real good patterns, worth \$1.25 and \$1.50, on sale Friday and Saturday **98c**

One lot Men's and Boy's Straw Hats, worth \$1.00 to \$2.50. They go Friday and Saturday for **78c**

2 Doz. Misses Middy Blouses, sizes 6 to 14, made of good material nicely trimmed with blue and red, 50c sellers, on sale Friday and Saturday, only **29c**

One lot Hamburg and Swiss Embroidery; a real good value at 10c; Friday and Saturday, **5c**

One lot Val. Laces, match sets, beautiful designs; values up to 10c, Friday and Saturday **5c**

200 pairs of Ladies' Shoes at **COST**

3 Doz. Ladies' Waists, black end white; values up to 75c, sold Friday and Saturday at **29c**

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Bride's Insubordination Played Important Part In U. S. History

By Associated Press. St. Louis, April 28.—Seventy-one years have elapsed since an eighteen-year old bride in this city played a tremendous part in the history of the United States by intercepting and withholding important government orders. The history of at least three states on the Pacific Coast hinges more or less directly upon this act of insubordination, pronounced at the time, far and wide, as high-handed, but later justified by the exigencies of the times. The bride was Mrs. Jessie Benton Fremont, wife of John C. Fremont, the explorer and statesman, and daughter of Thomas H. Benton, for many years a senator from Missouri.

Early in 1843 Fremont received from the United States government a commission to undertake the second of his noted expeditions of exploration to the northwest, then a vast, uninhabited region, the ultimate destiny of which hung in the balance. In obedience to it, he came to St. Louis from Washington and immediately set about outfitting his expedition, with his young wife acting as his secretary.

It is a matter of history that during the first third of the last century there was a powerful sentiment, both in and out of congress, against extending the dominion of the United States to the Pacific Coast. Such senators as Webster and Calhoun were opposed to it and for the most part were able to influence Congress to their beliefs. On the other hand, Senator Benton, following his first election in 1821, became a staunch advocate of western expansion and was able to command a large following, through whose efforts the various expeditions of exploration were authorized.

In outfitting his expedition, Fremont took the liberty of adding a 12-pound brass howitzer, secured from the government arsenal at St. Louis upon the representation that he needed it as a defense against possible hostile Indians.

News of this acquisition, it appears, was carried hastily to Washington, where the announcement created something of a sensation in governmental circles. The element not especially friendly to the expedition declared that the taking of cannon into foreign or neutral territory constituted an act of hostility which might involve the government in grave eventualities. This view appears to have been shared by the head of the Topographic Bureau, under whose direction the explorations were being made, for he straightway dispatched sealed orders to Fremont at St. Louis, directing him to halt the expedition and report forthwith at Washington for the purpose of giving an explanation of his action.

Fremont had left St. Louis for the west in April, shortly before the arrival of these orders, Mrs. Fremont, as his secretary, being instructed to open his mail and forward by courier such documents as appeared important. He was still within easy recall, having proceeded but a short distance into what now constitutes Kansas upon the day of the arrival of the important post.

The young Mrs. Fremont, who was thoroughly imbued with the ardor of her husband and father for western expansion, thought she discerned in the peremptory orders a subterfuge to defeat the purpose of the expedition. For her husband to proceed to Washington, she well knew, would require weeks and make impossible any journey to the Northwest during that season. Senator Benton was absent; it was before the days of telegraph; she had no one with whom to counsel. Thus, beset, the young wife resolved to suppress the orders.

Summoning one of the fast couriers at her command, Mrs. Fremont dispatched a message of love to her husband, urging him at all hazards to hasten his departure from the farthest fringe of civilization and to pass beyond the Rocky Mountains as quickly as possible. There were hints of a reason in the message, but the reason was not given.

Thus, Colonel Fremont proceeded upon a journey of months all unconscious that his presence in Washington was daily expected.

There was another sensation at Washington when the expedition practiced by the young bride became known. It was stated that Fremont would be arrested and court-martialed as soon as the government could fly hands upon him and that his wife also might suffer prosecution. Nothing came of these threats, however, and when the explorer finally did reach Washington, months later, he found praise and promotion instead of prosecution, while his secretary was regarded as something of a heroine because of her part in the success of the expedition.

The Fremont party dragged that wheel-mounted cannon across the trackless mountains and plains far to the Northwest, almost to the present site of Portland, Oregon. Returning, it was conveyed down the eastern slope of the Sierra Nevada Mountains to about the point where the Central Pacific Railway now surmounts that range. There, in attempting to cross into California, the expedition was caught by the snows of winter and the piece had to be abandoned. At Lake Tahoe, nearby, it rests today—silent memento of a girl's defiance of the government of the United States.

MAKING PREPARATIONS FOR JUNE RACE MEET

Secretary Jeffries Opens Headquarters Here and First Shipment of Horses Arrives

Preparations for the June race meet and the opening of the Texas-Oklahoma Short-Ship Circuit have started here, with the arrival from Childress of T. J. Jeffries, who will act as secretary of the meet. The first shipment of five horses has also arrived and is now in quarters at the lake, in training for the season.

Mr. Jeffries has been employed by the Chamber of Commerce to make arrangements for the meet here and will remain until the races are held in June. Within a few days it is expected that other strings of horses will begin arriving, as this city is to be the training point for all the horses that will take part in the circuit. Horsemen from many parts of the Southwest are getting ready to ship here and within a week or two, Lake Wichita will be quite a racing center.

Every Tuesday and Friday the horses will work out on the track at the lake.

Mr. Jeffries brought his string of five horses with him, reaching here today. They were driven out to the lake this morning. His string includes Mary Malone, the pacer that won first money nine times last season; Baroness May, a green pacer; Alice C., a green pacer; Horace Gano, a trotting colt and Clara A., a pacer.

MAER TO RETURN HERE FITZPATRICK PROMOTED

Two important changes on the Fort Worth & Denver will take place June 1, according to news received here. R. G. Fitzpatrick, for the past four years superintendent of the Wichita Valley will go to Childress as superintendent of the south end division. O. E. Maer, formerly superintendent of the Wichita Valley and for four years past superintendent of the Childress division, comes to Wichita Falls as superintendent of the Valley. Mr. Maer desired to return to Wichita Falls and was transferred here at his request.

The change is a promotion for Mr. Fitzpatrick, who will move his headquarters to Childress, where he was formerly trainmaster for the Denver. Mr. Maer is by no means a stranger to Wichita Falls and his friends here are legion; these rejoice that he is once more to be numbered among Wichita Falls citizens.

It was rumored several weeks ago that this change would be made but definite information was not forthcoming until recently. It is expected that official announcement will be made within the next few weeks.

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TRY TIMES WANT ADS

Government Gives Advice To The Town Poultry Keeper

Washington, April 28.—Of the various kinds of live stock, poultry is most widely adapted to suburban conditions for several reasons. It can be handled successfully on a very small amount of land. The waste products from the kitchen and the table may be used to advantage as feed. The care of the chickens is pleasant work, is comparatively simple, and may be done by any member of the family. Eggs and dressed poultry are always in demand and may be sold to advantage in any quantity, or used at home, thus furnishing a strictly fresh product which is hard to secure under general market conditions; and in addition for adults, employment and good discipline for the children, and be a source of income to the housewife, or saving in the food account for the family, say poultry specialists of the Department of Agriculture.

The following breed are among the most popular in this country: Plymouth Rocks, Wyandottes, Rhode Island Reds, Orington and Single-Comb White Leghorns. The Leghorns belong to the egg-laying class of fowls, lay a white egg and are especially adapted to large, commercial egg farms, or to sections where a white egg brings a premium over brown eggs. The other breeds belong to the general-purpose class, and may lay brown eggs. They are better adapted to the average person, or the farmer who keeps only a small number of fowls, as they are good layers and also make good table poultry. Another advantage of the general purpose breeds is that they will hatch eggs, and brood their chickens; while the Leghorns and other breeds of the egg-laying class are non-setters.

A great variety of methods of feeding and caring for poultry are used successfully. Hatching and brooding, or rearing chickens under hens, is the best method to use where a small number of chickens are raised, and especially in the care is apt to be irregular. Incubators and brooders may be used also, but they increase the cost of the equipment considerably. Chickens can be reared under hens successfully by keeping the hens confined in the brood coop, while allowing the chickens to roam at will.

When many fowls are kept in a small space, the ground becomes so foul that in time it becomes difficult to rear chickens with good success. In order to avoid this condition, it is advisable to divide the lot and sow part of it with some of the quick-growing grains such as oats, wheat or rye. By this method the yards may be rotated every three or four weeks during the growing season, turning the hens onto the growing grain when it is a few inches high. A good combination of grains is oats and wheat in equal parts, sowing 6 or 7 bushels to the acre (43,560 square feet), and us-

ing wheat alone for the last seeding in the fall.

The prime essentials in poultry houses are fresh air, dryness, sunlight and space enough to keep the birds comfortable. Allow about 100 square feet of floor space per bird for general purpose breeds. A good egg-laying ration may be made on a dry mash of equal parts of corn meal, bran, middlings and beef scrap, which is kept before the birds in a hopper all of the time, and a scratch ration of equal parts of corn, wheat and oats fed in a litter 4 to 5 inches deep twice daily. Regulate this feed so that the birds eat about one-half mash and one-half scratch grain, which will mean feeding about one quart of mixed grains daily to 12 Plymouth Rock hens or to 14 Leghorns. In order to utilize the waste table products to the best advantage a moist mash may be used in place of the dry mash, feeding once daily. If it contains much meat, table scrap may be substituted for the beef scrap; if not, merely add it to the mash above given.

The selection of stock is a matter of considerable importance as a great deal of one's success or failure with poultry depends upon the individual specimens used to breed from. Care should be taken to select the early maturing, fast growing pullets. Hens will not, as a rule, lay until they are well matured; consequently it can be readily seen that the slow-growing breeds will not begin to lay as soon as the former. A good index to a hen's laying ability to pay a profit over the cost of feed and labor is her ability to be continually on the move. It is advisable to keep but one breed of pure-bred fowls, as the product from a flock of the same variety is more uniform than that from a flock of mixed breeds or mongrel stock.

It takes a healthy, well-fed flock to produce eggs. Fowls must not be allowed to become too fat, as but few eggs will be laid by hens in such condition. To prevent their getting over-fat, it is best to make them work for most of their feed by scratching in the litter, of which there should be about 4 inches on the floor. This litter can be of straw, leaves, or chaff, and should always be kept dry.

A good feed for egg production is one composed of corn, wheat and oats, equal parts by measure. It is advisable to use home-grown grains whenever possible. In sections where corn and oats do not thrive, other grains can be used to good advantage; for example, a mixture of equal parts by measure of kafir corn, oats, and barley will produce good results. Scatter a small handful of this mixture for every three hens in the litter morning and noon, and give them all they will eat of it in a V-shaped trough at night. In the wintertime some green feed should be fed at noon; cabbage

or mangel-wurzels, either chopped or whole, are good. Every few days look in the litter carefully and see if the fowls are eating all the grain being given them; if not, reduce the quantity. Fowls that have to work for what they get seldom become over-fat. Grit and oyster shells in a hopper should always be kept for them. The grit is used to grind their feed and the oyster shell furnishes the lime for the eggshells. Be sure to keep water before them at all times. Birds that are laying drink much more water than those that are not laying. The water should be kept out of the direct rays of the sun.

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Preat's collection included street scenes in Washington, where trees are well cared for and many similar views taken in Western cities, particularly the coast on the Pacific coast. The same collection will be exhibited in the Grand Central Palace, New York city beginning May 21.

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Contrasting Views On Causes Of Oil Price Reduction

LONG WRITES ON INDEPENDENT DEVELOPMENT LEAGUE

W. G. Long writing of the Independent Development League in Oklahoma in the Oklahoma Democrat, says:

It is to be regretted, yet it is the truth, that the Standard Oil Company never has the true facts placed before it except when papers other than its own subsidized press are read. The men who make the reports think that to earn their meager salary they must clothe all truth in the romantic coloring of falsehoods, thereby weaving a fabric of mis-statements and kid themselves into a knowledge that they have done something for their idol. Pat Boyle knows that sometimes even the good natured Associated Press will administer a reprimand, when he buys the report and colors it to suit Broadway, as the report of the board of directors of that organization will show in 1913 or 1912. The meeting that organized the Independent Development League at Oklahoma City on April 23 was a representative meeting. The spirit manifested there was one of righteous indignation brought about by the long-suffering humanity, from the heel of the oppressor. That they were all desperately in earnest was indicated by the number present, the Chamber of Commerce meeting well filled at the morning and afternoon meetings. It being an independent meeting of independent people, not alone of oil producers, but of all the people of the State of Oklahoma, for it concerned the whole people, as the gold that poured into the coffers of this state last year from the oil and gas industry amounted to more than \$120,000,000. Does it not make a difference to the laymen as well as the oil men whether that will be this year half as much or twice as much? Does not the dollar measure all things? If a thousand dollars comes into a community the enterprising citizens will get their share, and no matter from what commodity that thousand dollars comes. Hence when you cut into the receipts of every business in the community, that was the reason that this meeting was called. There is no other industry in the whole world where the buyer says, what you have is worth one dollar, and you have no where else to make your product. This in itself would not be so bad if the purchaser was a creator. If he made the market, if by his genius he had evolved mechanism that made the goods into a merchantable product. But he is neither of these things. He is a greed curialist. The market, as he did recently when he took Oklahoma oil off the fuel market—the oil was too precious to be used in that way. He would do the same thing if every man, woman and child would get catarrh and create a demand for vaseline to lubricate the nostrils. He would do the same thing if the world would turn Catholic on the wax that goes into the candles. He might do the same thing if the women would change their attire from dresses to pantaloons and the demand for an increase of pressing shops be created (on the gasoline product). But what goes on? Whenever the demand gets dangerous and the stocks are declining he is the autocrat that dictates to the man who has the money. Just let this soak in and see if there is not justice in the calling of meetings and appealing to our government for help—it is not his government, although he has owned it so long that I do not blame him for claiming it on statute of limitation of squatter's right. Does any fair-minded man see anything wrong in asking aid from the United States government, as I said before, our government? When the panic of 1907 was at its worst who did the money appear to for help? To their government, and they were not denied that help. When the flag was insulted in Mexico the demand was made by the patriotic men for satisfaction. It will cost thousands of precious lives (don't forget that they will be some mothers' sons) and millions of dollars to wipe out that insult. Yet the same government when asked for assistance to help in the great development of a great commodity by men of character, a hired press agent battles their effort. It is no wonder that socialism is rife, it is no wonder that the producers are bitter. But that meeting at Oklahoma City shows that they were desperately in earnest.

ANOTHER SIDE OF THE OIL PRICE QUESTION

Oil and Gas Journal.

Chickens will come home to roost. And some of the oil producers of Oklahoma are finding this out to their sorrow. As usual, it is the small producer who realizes bitterly and to his financial detriment that he has been worked and that legislative statutes which were thought remedial and to his benefit are really only for the benefit of the big producer who can always take care of himself.

Five years ago the agitating producers, the class which is never satisfied with anything and which is always trying through statutory enactment to change natural and immutable laws, had the Oklahoma legislature pass a law which required that the oil pipe lines should be common purchasers or common carriers. The law provided that the purchasers should buy an equal amount from every producer in the field and severe penalties were imposed for violation of any of the provisions. The statute is known as the Yeager-Strain bill and its passage was heralded as another victory for the downtrodden and oppressed producer and another long step in the direction of making the wicked pipeline companies be good. It was a bloodless victory, because the pipeline companies interposed no objection to the passage of the law.

And every transportation company in the state at once put the law in force, and it has been in force ever since. As long as the pipeline capacity could take care of and handle all the production in the state there has been no occasion for complaint as to the operation of the statute. But recently there has arisen one of those situations which arise in every oil field in the country, which demonstrates anew the folly of trying to abridge natural laws by act of the legislature. The Cushing district produces more oil every day than the transportation companies can possibly take care of. The production has increased rapidly every week and is still increasing rapidly. The transportation companies have repeatedly warned the producers to shut down drilling, and these warnings proving futile, reductions in price have necessarily followed. But none of the appeals have been heeded and the producers have gone steadily ahead drilling inside locations and adding daily to the flood of oil. So great has been the pressure of the production on the facilities of the transportation companies that the Prairie Oil & Gas Company on Saturday notified the producers that it could only take 75 per cent of the production.

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Cleveland, April 30.—Amid blasts of factory whistles and city-wide celebration, Cleveland at midnight tonight will turn her watches and clocks forward one hour, signaling a change from Central to Eastern time. A score of other cities in Northern Ohio also will make the change.

Instead of going to work at seven o'clock tomorrow morning thousands of workers will really answer factory whistles at 6 a. m. (central time) and will cease at 4 p. m. The primary purpose of the change, brought about by Cleveland city officials, is to give

workingmen an additional hour of daylight. Some confusion is expected in the announcement of railroads that, temporarily at least, schedules will continue to operate on central time. Thus a traveler may arise at seven, prepare his toilet, eat breakfast and take the seven o'clock train with plenty of time to spare. Others, unfamiliar with the change may arrive an hour early at the railroad station and be forced to wait. A few adjacent cities will not adopt the change with Cleveland. Railroad trains destined to these cities will in this case make the run in less than nothing—so to speak—from a standpoint of Eastern time prevailing in the city of departure.

Mayor Newton D. Baker issued a proclamation several days ago, calling on every citizen to observe the formal change by setting forward the hands of his watch and clock or clocks and take part, if possible, in the general celebration.

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