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SHAKEN, BUT POWERFUL IS GERMANY'S LINE ON WEST, OPINION AT WASHINGTON

Superiority Of British Is Believed Fully Evidenced; Teutons Waste Men

Washington, Oct. 1.—Shaken, but still powerful, is the estimate of Germany's defensive strength in the western front, given in this week's official communique issued by the German government.

Analysis of Situation. The analysis of the situation on the western front follows: The battle of Meuse road (Ypres salient) which promises to be one of the great battles of the war, is following its normal course.

DRAFT DECISIONS EXPECTED FIRST OF HIGH COURT

SUPREME FEDERAL TRIBUNAL CONVENES WITH MANY CASES AHEAD

Washington, Oct. 1.—Five big anti-trust cases involving the dissolution of the United States Steel Corporation, the International Harvester Company, the United States Machinery Company and the Lehigh Valley Railroad are the leading cases on the docket of the Supreme Federal Tribunal.

ASYLUM LOCATING COMMISSION SOON TO INSPECT SITES

WILL MAKE TOUR OF NORTH-WEST TEXAS WITH VIEW OF PLACING NEW INSTITUTION

GOV. MAKES STATEMENT

Wichita Falls Proposition Is Declared About Complete by Member of Commerce Secretary

Austin, Texas, Oct. 1.—Governor Hobby, as chairman of the board to locate the site for the new Northwest Texas Asylum, announced today that the proposition is about complete.

FIFTH AIR RAID IS REPULSED BY COMPLETE ORGANIZATION OF FORCES MAKING "AIR BARRAGE"

London, Oct. 1.—British naval air patrol destroyed two enemy machines and brought down another, says an official announcement. A Cotha also was brought down and is believed to have been damaged.

GERMANS ARE HARassed BY FRENCH AROUND

WAR TAX MEASURE "CATCHES" ALMOST ALL IN COUNTRY

BABY'S FIRST DASH OF TALCUM POWDER MUST PAY TRIBUTE

Washington, Oct. 1.—The \$2,000,000 war bill which is the first of its kind today in the House, catches almost everybody from the cradle to the grave, and for good measure, leaves a few new ones on the heels.

FLANDERS'S OF PREPARATION BY ALLIED ARMY

GERMANS ENDEAVOR TO STAY PLANS TO REPEAT ASSAULTS. IS REPORT

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ARTILLERY FIRE HEAVY

News from Italian Front Gains Added Interest With Cannon Launched East of The Isonzo.

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Almost nothing is known concerning damage and casualties caused by the raid. It is said several bombs were dropped in Essex and Kent without causing casualties.

London, Oct. 1.—The air raid Sunday night—the fifth within seven days—was for all available records, unproductive. There was an intense and searching search of the sky in all directions, the flashes of bursting missiles showed brightly in the heavens notwithstanding the extreme brilliancy of a full moon.

Even more impressive was the terrific din of the guns. The Germans and British were firing at each other, and it was alarming to civilian ears not accustomed to it. Some of the high-velocity weapons employed detonated with a deafening crash indistinguishable to the civilians from the roar of bursting bombs. So great was the amount of defense shell fire that an estimate of a thousand shells discharged for every bomb dropped does not seem extravagant.

London, Oct. 1.—The big drive for the second Liberty Loan in New York City today began to take shape.

SECOND GREAT LIBERTY LOAN DRIVE LAUNCHED AT NOON IN EVERY STATE; EVERY STAMPED LETTER IS REMINDER

NEW YORK CITY BEGINS GREAT BOND SALE DRIVE

New York, Oct. 1.—New York City's Liberty Loan drive today began to take shape. At least half as much more as possible of the second Liberty Loan in the second federal reserve district—\$1,500,000,000 in twenty four working days—was ushered in today by the ringing of church bells and the striking of whistles from factories and harbor craft.

HOUSTON JURIST GIVES OPINION OF STONE, ET AL

STONE, LAFOLLETTE AND GRONNA FACE PETITIONS THAT THEY BE EXPELLED

Washington, Oct. 1.—Petitions from New York organizations asking expulsion from the Senate of Senators BaFollette of Wisconsin, Gronna of North Dakota and Stone of Missouri, were presented in the Senate today by Senator Wadsworth of New York and referred without action to the Senate privileges and elections committee.

COUNTY OFFICIALS WILL ENFORCE LAW TO HAVE DIMMERS

ARMED MEXICANS IN ARIZONA ARE MADE TO DISBAND

Phoenix, Ariz., Oct. 1.—Sheriff Slaughter and a force of deputies early today dispersed a band of 400 armed Mexican militia marching from Clifton, Ariz., where there has been a strike in the copper mines, according to reports received at the government office. Seventy three were arrested. The sheriff has asked Governor Campbell for troops to protect the copper property.

General Gurko Is Ordered to Leave Russian Territory

Petrograd, Oct. 1.—General Gurko, former commander on the southwest front, has been expelled from Russia by way of Archangel because of the letter he wrote to the former emperor expressing his loyalty. A telegram from Archangel announces the general's arrival and says he boarded a British vessel.

Those who have profited most by the war, the recipients of enormous excess war profits, will pay the most heavily on the bill. More than half the total amount of the bill, or about \$1,100,000,000 is to be collected from them.

The person who writes a postal card will be caught by the provisions of the bill. Letters will be three cents. It will be taxed when he goes to a moving picture show, if the admission is over five cents, one tenth of the cost of the ticket. That rate will affect all who attend the rate in the gallery and the one in the box.

Normal rates have been doubled and exemptions lowered to \$1,000 for single persons and \$2,000 for married men. Surtaxes for incomes over \$2,000 range from one to 50 per cent, the maximum applying to incomes over \$100,000. This section is expected to raise \$600,000,000.

Included in the tax is a tax on automobiles, music instruments and jewelry. Even drawing one's tax troubles in drink or smoking them up in smoke will cost more, for the levies on all kinds of drinks and tobacco soar. The new rate on whiskey is \$2.10 per gallon, and on beer, \$1.10 per barrel. Taxes will be doubled and even grape juice will be taxed a cent a gallon.

A person cannot escape the taxes by traveling. Eight per cent is assessed on passenger tickets and summer tickets also pay a tax.

There was slight damage in the neighboring villages of Warrington and Walsby. Student aviators from the naval aeronautic station nearby rescued a number of residents from the flooded portion of Warrington during the storm. Ten fishing schooners and other small vessels were aground in the harbor and one large steamer was aground in five feet of water. A few other merchant vessels were aground but not damaged.

DAMAGE BY STORM AT PENSACOLA IS ABOUT \$110,000

AIRLINE HIGHWAY LOG IS COMPLETE; COCKRELL RETURNS

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Life Is Threatened. This new British advance in the Ypres salient now definitely threatens the enemy's line of communications to the Belgian coast.

The superiority of the British over their enemies was conclusively proven during the engagement of the past week. The battle of Meuse road, furthermore shows that the fighting stamina of the Germans is deteriorating, not that the enemy did not display great skill and dogged determination in his resistance.

Waste of Man Power. Of the fighting on the French front the communique says: The outstanding feature of the recent engagement was the waste of the man power of the enemy. If we compare the combat front of Verdun in 1916, held by 12 German divisions, both of practically the same length, it is found that during the same period of time from May to September, 1916 and 1917, held by 14 divisions, both of practically the same length, it is found that during the same period of time from May to September 1916 and 1917 respectively, the enemy engaged along the Verdun front 25 new divisions last year, along the Aisne 35 new divisions this year.

So great has the waste of enemy forces become, owing to the improved mechanical means of the allies and the perfection of their methods of combat, that the Germans are obliged to maintain a reserve as a minimum guarantee for the safety of their battle line in the west at least forty divisions. This reserve is being drawn from the principal battle front of the war. It is still strongly held by the enemy and his defensive strength while shaken, remains powerful.

The situation on other fronts is dismissed with a brief review of recent official dispatches. The only mention of American forces is as follows: "The mobilization of the national guard in their camps is proceeding rapidly and the formation of reorganized divisions is taking place. This reorganization is necessitated by the conditions of the present war and requires larger regiments and certain machine guns and other units not typical of divisions as they were in 1914. The reorganization is being explained and the division commanders are doing their utmost to preserve the loyal associations and historic memories of these state forces.

The assembling of the national army in the cantonments has gone on with smoothness and success. Equipment difficulties are not serious and are being rapidly overcome. The most obvious shortage is in rifles but an adequate supply for all purposes will soon be at hand and no delay in training results from the shortage. All overseas forces are of course adequately supplied."

Higher Courts At Austin Are Again Grinding. Austin, Texas, Oct. 1.—The higher courts—supreme court, court of criminal appeals and third court of civil appeals—convened today for the fall term. The supreme court and the court of criminal appeals met and heard motions were submitted, but no opinions were handed down, opinion day being Wednesday. The court of criminal appeals merely met and adjourned until Wednesday. This court has upward of two hundred cases on the docket filed during vacation, besides thirty seven cases left over from last term.

Two Boys Held Upon Forgery Charge Here; Make No Statements. J. L. Anderson and Edgar Lewis, two boys held here on forgery charges, today made no statement when charged with the crime and attempting to pass a forged instrument.

Violent Artillery Fire Both Sides Of Meuse. Paris, Oct. 1.—The Germans attacked last night on the Verdun front on both banks of the Meuse. The war office announces that they were repulsed.

Violent artillery fighting is in progress in the Verdun sector. French aviators dropped half a ton of projectiles on the German city of Stuttgart in reprisal for the bombardment by the Germans of Bar-Le-Duc.

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RED CROSS WILL SEND OUT QUOTAS EARLY THIS WEEK

SUPPLIES ARE TO GO TO CAMPTONMENTS ALL OVER THE COUNTRY.

COTS EQUIPMENT ASKED

Letter Just Received by Miss Kell Explains in Detail Methods Being Employed

This week the local Red Cross chapter will have to send its first supply for Camp Service stations at National Guard and other military posts throughout the country. The call for contributions for this shipment of supplies he made promptly was issued last week, immediately on receipt of the list of supplies wanted, sent Miss Willie May Kell, chairman of the Wichita county Red Cross.

Today Miss Kell has received a letter from George W. Simmons, manager of the southwestern division of the Red Cross explaining more fully the working plans of the Camp Service, both the supplies and the emergency of equipment.

Letter Explains

The letter follows:
To Chapter Chairman,
There has been established under the opening of military posts a Bureau of Camp Service as outlined in enclosed memorandum. This does not duplicate but rather supplements the work of other authorized organizations such as the Committee Camp Activities, Y. M. C. A. etc. are planning for the personal comfort of our soldiers.

Briefly the American Red Cross will have at each Army Cantonment, National Guard Mobilization Camp, and other military post throughout the country, a field representative who will look after the needs of the soldiers pertaining to their physical comfort; at each military post will be a Red Cross warehouse where will be stored such articles as may be needed for emergency and in general for the comfort of the soldiers. There are sixteen National Army Cantonments and sixteen National Guard Mobilization Camps. In order that they be placed an initial installment of the various articles, drugs, etc. indicated in the enclosed list.

One hundred of each complete equipment will be carried at each of the sixteen National Army Cantonments and sixty-five equipments at each of the National Guard Mobilization Camps. This total 2,640 cot equipments has been allotted among all the Chapters of the Red Cross throughout the country, in order that by having only a few provided from each Division prompt delivery to the camps will be effected.

This particular job must, in no way, interfere with your shipments to St. Louis Supply Warehouse of regular supplies for shipment abroad. Keep up your regular production and let us appreciate a regular supply for our "Camp Specials."

Yours very truly,
GEORGE W. SIMMONS,
Manager Southwestern Division.

THIS CITY FOURTH IN NAVY RECRUITS DURING PAST WEEK

RESTRICTED QUOTA HAS BEEN LIFTED AND ALTOGETHER MORE MEN.

Fort Worth and Waco both went ahead of Dallas itself in the last week's list of Navy recruits. It is known here, this is the first time that any of the subdivisions have ever recruited more heavily than Dallas. Wichita Falls comes fourth on the list being next to Dallas.

The restricted quota for recruits has been lifted, and all the stations have been notified to accept every man they can obtain. This order has been expected for some time, as navy recruiting has fallen off generally all over the country. The recruiting officers have expressed much satisfaction at the new order, as they feel sure that as soon as the fact becomes known that much more recruits will be obtained than possible, there will be no difficulty in obtaining them. The restricted quota, and the conflicting reports as to the need of men have demoralized recruiting, and it is believed that the plain statement, without any strings attached, that men are needed, will get as good results in the future as it has in the past.

The standing of the towns are as follows:
Fort Worth 6, Waco 5, Dallas 4, Wichita Falls, Abilene, and Paris 3, San Angelo, Texarkana, and Sherman 2, Amarillo and Denison 1, Cleburne.

Bids on Furnishings And Fixtures Asked For Public Library

Bids on the furnishings and electrical fixtures of the new Kemp Public Library, construction of which is progressing rapidly, have been asked from various firms by the library association's executive committee, which has obtained interior plans from the architect, Madrie and Field. These plans have been submitted to furniture and fixture dealers and as soon as all bids are in the contract will be let.

The employment of a librarian, and means of raising funds to fill the shelves of the library are other matters which are receiving attention of the library committee. An open meeting of the association will be held sometime in October when the work of committee will be presented for action.

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LONE STAR GAS COMPANY TO USE WICHITA PIPING

GAS CUT OFF SUNDAY WHEN CONNECTION WAS BEING EFFECTED

IS NO "CONSOLIDATION"

Shortage of Supplies and Desire Of Both Companies to Give Good Service Cause of Arrangement

Wichita Falls will be served with gas this winter through the two lines of the Wichita Falls Gas Company, the Lone Star Gas Company, known locally as the North Texas Gas Company, commencing on Sunday tying up their line with one of the Wichita Falls company's pipelines, which it has leased. This action was responsible for the gas being shut off on Sunday afternoon and evening as previously announced by the two companies.

For some time the Lone Star Company's gas to this city and Pella has come through the lines of the Wichita Falls company, owing to the former company's line being in bad repair.

There is a shortage of pipe-line supplies which has rendered the immediate repair of the line impossible so the company leased one of the lines of the Wichita Falls company and this arrangement is now in effect.

The Wichita Falls company is using the pumping station of the Lone Star company at Pella, having found it impossible to sustain the expense of erecting its own pumping station on the prevailing gas prices, the request for a slight raise in the schedule having met with dissent from some quarters.

The Lone Star company's pipe line from Oklahoma will be finished sometime in November. This line will not affect the Wichita Falls service however, the gas to be taken to Gainesville from the Oklahoma field.

No Consolidation
This arrangement does not mean a consolidation of the two gas companies as has been rumored, according to officers of the Wichita Falls Gas Company, but merely that the two companies are endeavoring to give the best service possible with the same price and have combined their mechanical equipment with this end in view. It is understood that this city's rate compares favorably with that of other cities and in many instances is much lower.

AMERICAN NAVAL OFFICERS INSPECT FOREIGN FLOTILLA

Base of the American Flotilla in British Waters Sept. 30 (Delayed).—Two American naval officers of high rank spent a busy day today inspecting the American destroyers and receiving reports from their commanders on the satisfactory progress of the anti-submarine campaign. They declared they would carry back to the United States the excellent impression made upon them by all ranks in the flotilla.

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Thousands of women as well as men take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—the successful substitute for calomel—now and then just to keep in the pink of condition. 10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

Taft Asks People To Press Campaign For Liberty Bonds

New York, Oct. 1.—Mayor Henry D. Landsey of Dallas, Chairman of the Texas State Branch of the League to Enforce Peace, has been asked by William C. McAdoo, the League's president, to organize the members and supporters of the League in Texas for cooperation in the campaign for the second Liberty Loan, pursuant to an appeal from Secretary of the Treasury, McAdoo.

The League to Enforce Peace, which has effected a re-organization to work on definite, constructive lines, and which subscribed to \$10,000 in Liberty Bonds of the first loan, was chosen by Secretary McAdoo as the medium for an appeal to all national societies engaged in patriotic propaganda. Copies of his letter to Mr. Taft and of Mr. Taft's reply are appended.

Ex-President Writes.
In his letter to the leaders of the League's state organizations, Mr. Taft says:

"The Secretary of the Treasury, the Hon. William C. McAdoo, has requested the League to Enforce Peace, through its state and county branches, to join with the committee in the several Federal Reserve Districts in the campaign that will begin on October 1st to secure subscriptions to the second Liberty Loan."

"As president of the League, I have promptly and gladly acceded to his request, in so far as it is possible for me to commit the organization. It remains for you to take the steps necessary to make our cooperation effective, a thing I have no doubt you will be both quick and zealous to do."

Speaks for Committee.
"I speak for the committee and all the national officers of the League, in expressing the earnest hope that our League may under your direction give a good account of itself in this matter."
"With assurance of my appreciation of your activities in behalf of the League program for guaranteeing international law and order, after the victorious ending of the war against Prussian aggression, I am, sincerely yours,"
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Passengers Are Declared to Be Doing Their Part in "Making One Car Do the Work of Two."

Reports just compiled for the War Board indicate that the traveling public in general and shippers in particular are giving the finest kind of co-operation to the roads in the handling of the increased traffic that the war has produced.

Public Help. In addition to the foregoing saving of equipment and trackage, the shippers—big and small—have rallied splendidly to the slogan "Make One Car Do the Work of Two."

900 to 125,000 cars. Sugar, on which the carload minimum from the South was formerly only 24,000 lbs. per car, now moves only on a 50,000 carload minimum.

Carriers Assist. The producers of manufactured food products, especially the canners, have also come to a realization of the value of intensive loading and now are loading virtually all of their cars to capacity.

From now on 250 cars a day will be required by the government to move food and supplies to the men training at National Army, National Guard and other encampments, while the demand of the Allies for cars to carry export goods to the seaports will be practically doubled.

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OVERTURNING OF CAR HURTS ONE OCCUPANT; OTHERS ARE SHAKEN

A party of officials from the aviation camp met with an accident yesterday while driving on the Seymour road according to a report received here.

Two of the cases which were passed until tomorrow morning are against motorists for running their cars with dimmers on the headlights.

USE OF DIMMERS ON AUTOMOBILES TO BE REQUIRED

Eight men were fined \$5 for intoxication, in notice court this morning. Four other cases were also tried.

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FEW DEVELOPMENTS IN OIL FIELDS FOR WEEK JUST PASSED

CONTRACT AWARDED FOR WELL BY BEAVER VALLEY CO. AT NOCONA

MONTAGUE IS WATCHED

Wichita Fuel And Development Co.'s Test West of Iowa Park Is Abandoned

There were few completions or other developments of interest in the proven oil fields in the Wichita Falls district during the past week.

Attention will be directed for the next few months to Montague county where several fields of interest are to be made.

From Stephens county there are only drilling details mentioned. The Texas & Pacific Coal Co.'s Hughes No. 1 is still remaining at 2,400 feet.

Table with columns for OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, and financial data for the First National Bank.

Official Condensed Statement of Condition of First National Bank, Wichita Falls, Texas.

Table with columns for RESOURCES, LIABILITIES, and DEBITS, showing financial details for the First National Bank.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK Indiana at Eighth Street.

AUTO SOAP (Buckeye Cleanser) advertisement with image of a car and text: 'KEEPS THE NEW CAR NEW MAKES THE OLD CAR LOOK NEW'

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DRAFT CONTINGENT DATE FOR LEAVING NOW SET FORWARD

In compliance with an order issued Sunday by Adjutant General Hutchings...

ERTLE CHALLENGES HERMAN TO BATTLE FOR TITLE

By Associated Press. Milwaukee, Oct. 1.—Johnny Ertle of St. Paul, claimant of the bantam-weight boxing title...

A NERVOUS WRECK

From Three Years' Suffering, Says Cardui Made Her Well. Texas City, Tex.—In an interesting statement, Mrs. G. H. Schill, of Fairtown...

HIGHEST MILK PRICES PREVAIL IN CHICAGO

By Associated Press. Chicago, Oct. 1.—Increased milk prices went into effect today and unless municipal, state or national authorities intervene...

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MAJESTIC THEATRE

TODAY LOUISE GLAUM IN 'A STRANGE TRANGRESSOR'

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Receiving Want Ads by telephone is the final detail in making The Times Want Columns promptly and perfectly useful to the readers. Telephone Ads cost no more, in money—and less in time—but The Times must employ collectors to follow the phone.

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS

WANTED—You to know that we are in the Auto Top business. We recover and repair all kinds of Tops. For further information phone 528. J. A. Deaton & Son, 116 t/c.

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

FOR RENT—Three furnished light housekeeping rooms. Phone 2107. —120 3/4 t/c.

FOR SALE—City Property

INSTALLMENT PLAN—A vacant lot between 7th and 8th and Austin streets. —108 1/2 t/c.

HELP WANTED—Female

WANTED—Woman or girl, German preferred, for general housework and nurse for two-year-old child. Good pay and good home. Phone 1756. —118 t/c.

Local Brevities

Dr. Du Val, Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat, Glasses fitted. First Nat'l Bank Bldg.—22 t/c.

LARGER MILEAGE OF ROADS FOUND THAN EXPECTED

County Judge Harvey Harris announced this morning that the survey of the roads had been completed by Engineer J. B. Crockett and his assistants, and that there is a total of one hundred and thirty-five miles of road to be laid in the county.

FOR SALE—New north front lot on Ninth street in Floral Heights. —280 t/c.

Why Not EAT COCOANUT PIES? Sure they are good, and we will sell you the Shredded Coconut at before the war prices. KING'S Grocery 721 SEVENTH STREET Phone 604 DELIVERIES

WANTED Good Teams to haul Brick and Tile by the Thousand. Apply Supt. WICHITA FALLS BRICK & TILE CO.

WANTED FIRST CLASS HELP OF ALL KINDS. POSITIONS PERMANENT TO THE RIGHT KIND OF MEN. Apply Supt. Wichita Falls Brick & Tile Co. Plant

Get the Money For your old Tires and Tubes, Sacks, Rags, Brass, Copper, Lead, Tin, Iron, Aluminum, Zinc, Bones, all kinds of Metal and Rubber. Write us for prices on anything you have in Junk. WICHITA JUNK CO. 311 Indiana Ave. Phone 2348

I. H. ROBERTS CEMENT WORK GENERAL CONTRACTOR Walks, Curbing, Steps, Cement Work, Floors, Foundations, Street Crossings. Telephone 504

WORRIES LOSS DISTRESS Glasses ground to fit your eyes. Worries Optical Co. 621 Eighth Street. Phone 5181

REAL ESTATE BARGAINS Good east front lot, close in, on Austin, \$1500. Large corner lot, close in, on Tenth, \$1000 cash, balance good terms; act quick to get it.

New and Second Hand FURNITURE THE BLACK DIAMOND FURNITURE CO. Office 604 Eighth St. Phone 1478

Money to Loan If you desire a loan on your property, or if contemplate building, I can take care of you at the BEST RATES AND TERMS, with the privilege of paying off the loan, or part of it at the end of any year.

McFall Transfer & Storage Co. Office 217 Ohio Ave. Phone 345

ICE CREAM "Quality Kind" GET A BOX TODAY We Deliver—Phone 47 Shaw-Williams Drug Co.

Roberts' Adhesive Mastic Special Attention Given to the gallon orders. Retail phone 528. Ring 14

FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—Household goods, 904 Austin, Phone 1339. —116 t/c.

FOR SALE—Farms-Ranches

FOR SALE—72 acres of Red River Valley land one mile west of Charlie, Texas. All in cultivation except nine acres.

FOR RENT—Bedrooms

FOR RENT—Large southeast bedroom, all modern conveniences, 48 t/c Tenth St. Phone 835.

SITUATIONS WANTED

POSITION WANTED—As stenographer, permanent place wanted, can give reference. Address L. M. C. care Times. —129 3/4 t/c.

FOR RENT—Offices and Stores

FOR RENT—Storage room in concrete building close in, phone 1331 183 t/c.

DRESSMAKING

MRS. FRANKIE ROSS, Dressmaker, alterations, repairing. 1209 Scott, Phone 1718. —26 t/c.



We may have on our lists just such a home as pictured in your dreams. Cravens, Walker & Co. Phone 694. K & K Building

FOR RENT—Farms-Ranches

ARM and RANCH LOANS Any size and liberal terms. No fees low rates, quick service. Vendor liens bought and loans renewed. Life Insurance and other funds Write, giving details—make appointment before calling—as inspection. Keep me in the field most of time. EDWIN M. JOHNSON District Representative 216 First National Bank Bldg. Wichita Falls, Texas.

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The Wesley Girls will meet on Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Miss Cook, 1294 Austin, invited of with Mrs. John Chambers, as was first arranged.

A BULLETIN from Bell Mattress Factory

A faulty uneven Mattress makes a good night's sleep impossible. Let us make over any such mattress you may have in mind. We'll return it to you, not just as good but better than it was when you bought it new. And as to our own special make, we will not only guarantee its substantiality, workmanship, but guarantee you a good night's sleep, if it takes only a comfortable mattress to induce it. T. J. Edmonson, Mgr. Phone 2412.

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PERSONALS

Attorney Leslie Hulphrey is in Fort Worth, where the appeal of Joe Powell from the Archer county district court which awarded the county a judgment against Powell, who was former tax collector of Archer county, will be heard in the court of Civil Appeals. Mr. Hulphrey represents Archer county.

METALIC MIRRORS

FOR TRAVELLERS, SOLDIERS, WORKING MAN-

An unbreakable, high-reflection, metal mirror; fits right into the vest pocket—something to be used all the time. You cannot break it if you try. Every traveller should have one—every soldier should be supplied with one—every workingman away from home needs one. We are showing the mirrors in khaki-cloth cases; some with just the mirror, and some with comb, file and mirror. Price 40c to 75c.

SHAVING DEMANDS RAZORS, SOAPS, TALCUM, LOTION

We sell Safety Razors in all popular makes—single, simple razors, up to complete travelling combination sets. Every kind of Shaving Soap, Stick, Cream or Powder, always in our stock. This store is the shaving man's headquarters for supplies.

First Attention to All Orders For The Sick Special Attention Given Our Prescription Dept.



DR. J. W. DU VAL
Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat.
GLASSES FITTED
First National Bank Building

ELKS CLUB MEMBERS WILL ASSEMBLE TONIGHT
The regular meeting of the Elks Club will be held at the hall tonight beginning promptly at 8 o'clock.

MISS KELL WILL DELIVER ADDRESS AT HIGH SCHOOL
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"Red Cross Week" at the high school a notable one, and is doing every thing possible to impress upon the students the fact that they can be of great service to the community in this work.

Miss Kell will speak tomorrow of the needs of the local chapter, showing why a thousand dollars is necessary if they are to turn out the required amount of supplies.

Everyone signing one of the subscription cards agrees that, "To provide funds to carry on the work of the Wichita Falls Chapter of the American Red Cross, I hereby pledge myself to pay the sum of \$1.00 at the time of the first of each month thereafter for twelve months from date, and unless cancelled by me in writing at the expiration of twelve months the payments are to continue for the duration of the war."

Foot Ball Goods

A Complete Line of Spalding's



PLAZA AIRDOME

TODAY AL SHAFFER MUSICAL COMEDY COMPANY

10—Big Vaudeville Headline Features—10 HEAR THE ORIGINAL "JAZ" QUARTETTE

RAILROAD TIME TABLE

Table with columns for Missouri, Kansas & Texas, Ar., Lv. and various routes like Eastbound, Westbound, etc.

A complete stock of KODAKS and Supplies Miller Drug Store Phone 193

WE wish to announce that we are now showing one of the most complete lines of beautiful Engraved Christmas Greeting Cards it is possible to obtain. Prices range from \$8.50 to \$40.00 per hundred.

Everyone wishing to see our line should phone 2186 and our solicitor will be pleased to call at either office or residence.

We wish to impress upon everyone the necessity of placing your orders early. We are dealing with one of the largest engraving companies of the South, and can guarantee prompt delivery.

Phone 2186—Any Time

Stationery Supply & Engraving Co. Phone 2186 Ninth and Indiana

As the price of all materials in the cleaning business has more than doubled in the past year, we will, after October 1st, raise our prices on cleaning and dyeing.

Wichita Cleaning and Dye Works 1102 Scott H. R. HANKS, Mgr. Phone 620

"Hello My Soldier Boy" Soprano and Tenor Duet sung by Katherine Clark and Henry Burr

Shaw-Williams Drug Co. Phone 47

The Eyes of the World Will Be Upon You

—because you are in some special sense the soldiers of freedom. Let it be your pride, therefore, to show all men, everywhere, not only what good soldiers you are, but also what good men you are, keeping yourselves fit and straight in everything and pure and clean through and through.

Let us set for ourselves a standard so high that it will be a glory to live up to it, and then let us live up to it and add a new laurel to the crown of America.

My affectionate confidence goes with you in every battle and every test. God keep and guide you.

PRESIDENT WOODROW WILSON

To the Soldiers of the National Army.

Victrolas, Edisons, Five Thousand Victor Records, Trunks, Bags, Suit Cases, Cedar Chests, Violins, Ukuleles, Tennis Goods, Golf Goods—YOUR CREDIT IS GOOD FOR A VICTROLA

MACK TAYLOR DRUG COMPANY WHOLESALE and RETAIL School Books and Supplies 812-814 Ohio Ave

OWING TO THE INCREASE OF PRICES IN CLEANING MATERIALS and LABOR our prices will slightly advance, on and after the first of October.

Mount Tailoring Co 704 Seventh St. Phone 1067

The BEST Feed is the cheapest feed. When you pay the present high prices for feed you want to be sure you are getting quality.

Maricle Coal & Feed Co. 707 Tenth Street

STALE COFFEE

Stale coffee bears the same relationship to Fresh Roasted Coffee that a cold storage egg does to one fresh from the nest

We Roast Coffee Every Day

BERT BEAN COFFEE HOUSE 824 Indiana Ave. Telephone 35

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