

AMERICANS SENT FROM PETROGRAD BY AMBASSADOR

SAYS NO GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS COULD BE UNEARTHED IN THE CITY.

NO DAMAGE IS FEARED

Conditions Are Represented as Chaotic, But U. S. Citizens in Moscow Are Reported Safe.

Washington, Nov. 19.—Ambassador Francis at Petrograd reported to the state department in a message dated Friday and received today, that he had recommended that all unattached American women and American men accompanied by women and children, leave the city.

There was no central seat of government and the embassy dealt directly with the superintendent of passenger service of the railway in arranging for the removal of the Americans.

Mr. Francis said he feared no damage to the embassy, but conditions were so unstable that he deemed it best to get the Americans out.

Lenine's Statement. Basing their opinion on the statement of Lenine that the success of the Bolshevik revolution was dependent on a world-wide revolutionary movement by soldiers and workmen officials at the Russian embassy predicted today that followers of the Kerensky government would win either through a military victory or through the success of the Bolsheviks to make good their promises to their followers.

No late news had been received at the embassy, but officials declared that the mention of Captain Pavloff as the commander of troops opposing the Bolsheviks was an encouraging sign.

CHICAGO WAITERS REPORTED GUISE OF ENEMY SPIES

By Associated Press. Chicago, Nov. 19.—Investigation of charges that waiters employed in first class Chicago hotels were alien enemies, agents of foreign espionage corps to report the result of their inquiry to men of affairs they served, was ordered yesterday by the federal department of labor.

The charges were made by B. M. Parker, representing the waiters' union. The accusation met a prompt denial from hotel owners, who asserted that since the beginning of the war they had taken precautions to prevent just such espionage.

Parker asserted that most of the waiters serving in large hotels are members of an organization known as the International Geneva Association, with headquarters in Dresden, Germany, and that 75 per cent of these waiters are not citizens and that a majority of them are German and Austrian subjects.

PERSHING REPORTS TOTAL CASUALTIES OF NOVEMBER 13

Washington, Nov. 19.—General Pershing has reported to the war department that two months were killed in action on Nov. 13. Three were severely wounded and four slightly wounded.

Killed. Sergeant John F. Czajka, father, Milwaukee, Wis., and Private Stanley Janovic, sister, East Boston.

Severely Wounded. Private Earl E. Aund, mother, Harriburg, Pa.

Francis Blevins, father, Eckman, W. Va.

Edward V. Cahill, mother, Bakerton, Pennsylvania.

Slightly Wounded. Sergeant Joan A. Logan, father, Mount Carmel, Pa.

Private Chester Johnson, father, Samuel Johnson, Forest Hill, Ia.

Robert L. Redd, mother, Mrs. Elliza, both Redd, Burneyville, Okla.

ONE MAN ACCIDENTALLY KILLED, REPORTS PERSHING

Washington, Nov. 19.—A casualty list cable by General Pershing to the war department, today shows one man killed by accident and two dead from natural causes. All were from the east.

QUARTER OF AN INCH OF RAIN FELL HERE

The rainfall at Wichita Falls Sunday and Sunday night amounted to only 25-100 of an inch, but it seemed to be much more. This precipitation was in addition to the 3-10 of an inch that fell Friday and Friday night.

FINAL ARGUMENTS MADE AT HEARING FOR RATE ADVANCE

FIFTEEN PER CENT INCREASE IS ASKED OF COMMISSION BY EASTERN LINES.

Washington, Nov. 19.—Final stages in the common fight of the eastern railroads for 15 per cent advance in freight rates, involving \$5,000,000 annually, were reached today when the interstate commerce commission heard closing arguments of counsel.

All the big trunk lines between the Mississippi river and the New England seaboard and north of the Ohio river had a coalition of counsel headed by George Stuart Patterson, making it stand in the greatest contest before the commission in months.

Large shippers of livestock, independent oil and other bulk freight were represented by attorneys, including Clifford Thorne as leading counsel, who disputed the railroads' attitude. They contended that present freight rates are adequate.

Inadequacy of war time revenues of the nation's railroads is no longer a purely economic problem, but a vital question of national defense, Mr. Patterson argued.

He asked for a sweeping readjustment of prevailing rates to allow the railroads to meet soaring operating costs and serve more efficiently the transportation needs of the nation in the present emergency.

An increase of \$97,000,000 produced by rate increase granted by the commission earlier in the year, taken in conjunction with the supplemental advance now asked for, Mr. Patterson said, would give a total of \$155,000,000, or a little more than half the advance of \$275,000,000 expenses. As a hearing must be had for further increases, he gave notice that application will be made by eastern carriers for permission to file tariffs making such additional increases.

NAVAL RECRUITING IS IMPROVED OVER ENTIRE DISTRICT

From Monday's Daily. Navy headquarters report results over the entire district as greatly improved last week, a total of 34 recruits having been obtained.

At Abilene, for the first time since the spring, went to first place in the list of substations, and Denton showed more activity than has for a long time.

Wichita Falls had an off week, taking fifth place in the substations. The standing of the towns in the district is as follows: Dallas 29, Abilene 6, Fort Worth 12, Denton 14, Wichita Falls 5, and Texarkana 2.

Less Drunkenness Found in New York Than Ever Before

By Associated Press. New York, Nov. 19.—Drunkenness has decreased greatly in New York because of the demand for labor caused by the war and "indirect" prohibition, according to officials of the board of health and hospital authorities, made public today.

Arrests for intoxication in New York in February, 1917, numbered 969 in August while the psychopathic ward in Bellevue Hospital has had fewer alcoholic patients in the last six months than at any time in its history.

No Verdict Reached In Parker Case Up to Late Afternoon Hour

From Monday's Daily. The jury in the T. W. Parker case against W. R. Arnold and 17 other citizens of and near Iowa park had not arrived at a verdict at 2 o'clock this afternoon. The case was turned over to the jury shortly after 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon, at which time Judge Edgar Scurry informed the jurors they could consider the case on Sunday if they wished to.

At one time this morning the foreman of the jury sent word to Judge Scurry that the jurymen wished to be further informed on a point of law, but the jurors are said to have finally agreed upon the question that had been giving trouble without Judge Scurry's assistance.

Federal Court Here Is Formally Opened And Then Adjourned

From Monday's Daily. District United States Marshal Robert Goodfellow opened and closed the fall term of the United States district court of the northern district of Texas, Wichita Falls division, at 10 o'clock this morning in the new courthouse, without a judge being present.

The trial consumed all of last week and continuing until 5:15 o'clock Saturday afternoon, Nov. 17.

New Suits Filed. J. A. Fisher et al against E. S. Massey; try title and damages.

TITHING EXPERT BEGINS CAMPAIGN FIRST CHRISTIAN

From Monday's Daily. Dr. Claude L. Jones, stewardship secretary for the Christian Church of Texas, opened his tithing campaign in Wichita Falls at the First Christian Church yesterday.

Through the evening hour gave reasons why every Christian man and woman in Wichita Falls should tithe their incomes. Various phases of tithing will be explained at the several meetings this week and Dr. Jones hopes to make the tithing system, as commanded in the Bible, quite clear to the church members of Wichita Falls. Dr. Jones promises to answer all questions on the subject.

Wants All to Attend. Though Dr. Jones is a minister of the Christian Church and is being brought to Wichita Falls by the First Christian Church, his work is not denominational in character and special invitation is extended to all church members to attend the lectures.

Throughout the state where the stewardship expert has put on the campaign he has received the co-operation of all church people and he is anxious that the same condition obtain in Wichita Falls. Throughout the week he plans to meet and talk with as many of the business men of the city as possible.

Already today he reports finding a gratifying number who are working out the tithing system for their incomes. Many Favor System. Men who are known in the world of "big business" are more and coming to accept the tithing as the correct way of giving, according to Dr. Jones, and this statement is supported by a telegram of congratulation which Dr. P. G. Cross, pastor of the local church, received last night from Arthur A. Everts of Dallas, one of the leading business men of the state.

The First Church on its action in securing Dr. Jones' services for the campaign and giving his best wishes for the success of the movement, mentioned in the Bible, the denarius, a silver coin bearing the figure and signature of Augustus Caesar. This coin, which is nearly 2,000 years old, is owned by a member of the state stewardship committee, and is loaned to Dr. Jones to illustrate his lectures.

First Presbyterian Campaign to Be Cut Down to Two Months

From Monday's Daily. Owing to the demands on the people for war work, it has been decided to cut short the campaign of the First Presbyterian Church by one month. Rev. N. F. Gratton announced that the campaign will close with the last of November, instead of lasting through December, as had been planned.

There have already been a number of additions to the church, a growth in the church at home and school congregations and similar good results of the campaign. It was announced that the committees will meet tonight at the church for conference. Mr. Gratton made a request from the pulpit Sunday morning that his church members do as much Red Cross and other war work as possible.

The small children of the church have been organized to make scrap books for the soldiers and meet each Saturday at the church for the purpose of the church are to make special effort to be at the work rooms of the Red Cross on Monday and Saturday. In addition to the work at home and church members are to write letters to the young men of the church who are in the various training camps and in France, a list of the boys being included in the church bulletin of Sunday. There are about 20 names in this honor roll.

"Character Building" Topic of Dr. Jones in High School Lecture

From Monday's Daily. A lecture on "Character Building" was enjoyed by the high school students in chapel this morning, the speaker being Dr. Claude L. Jones, tithing expert, who is here for a campaign at the First Christian Church this week. Dr. Jones and Prof. L. C. Clark, the superintendent of city schools, were classmates as boys and enjoyed a visit together at the schools after the chapel lecture.

Schweers Case on Trial

The suit of W. H. Schweers against Lucile Mulhall for debt and attachment will probably go to trial in the Seventy-eighth division of the Wichita county district court this afternoon. The defendant, Mrs. Lucile Mulhall, is well known in Wichita Falls, her wild west show leaving here last summer. She is an Oklahoma woman.

MANY OPENINGS WITH GOVERNMENT ARE ANNOUNCED

Lon Howard, local secretary of the civil service commission, has received a personal letter from the commission, requesting him to express to the newspapers the best thanks of the commission for the space devoted to civil service needs.

Vacancies are still occurring in large numbers in the service at Washington, and the following examinations are announced for the near future:

For Dec. 4.—Telegraph rate expert (male), \$117 per month.

For Dec. 5.—Junior chemical engineer (male), \$1,200 to \$1,500.

For Dec. 6.—Operative, \$720 to \$1,000.

For Dec. 11.—Assistant in visual agricultural instruction (male), \$2,000.

Inspector of car equipment (male), \$1,500.

Electrical designer (male), \$153 to \$164 per month.

Scientific preparator (male), \$1,200.

Second class (or assistant) steam engineer (male), \$1,200.

Editorial clerk \$1,200 to \$1,600.

For Dec. 12 and 13.—Architectural and structural steel draftsman (male), light house service, \$1,500.

For Dec. 15.—Assistant in lumbering (male), \$2,000 to \$2,500.

Ore dressing engineer (male), \$2,400 to \$2,600.

Electrical expert aid (male), \$4 to \$5 per day.

For Dec. 29.—Bookkeeper and accountant radio, \$1,800.

Assistant bookkeeper and accountant, \$1,200.

Auditing clerk, radio (grade 2), \$1,800.

Auditing clerk, radio (grade 1), \$1,200.

The following examinations will be held at any time:

Inspector of hats (male), \$100 per month.

Inspector of shoes and leather (male), \$100 per month.

Mechanical draftsman, bureau of ordinance, navy department; Grade 1, \$3.58 to \$4 per day; grade 2, \$4 to \$5.04 per day; grade 3, \$5.04 to \$6 per day.

In the above list, when not otherwise stated, persons of either sex are eligible for examination, and salaries are for the period of one year.

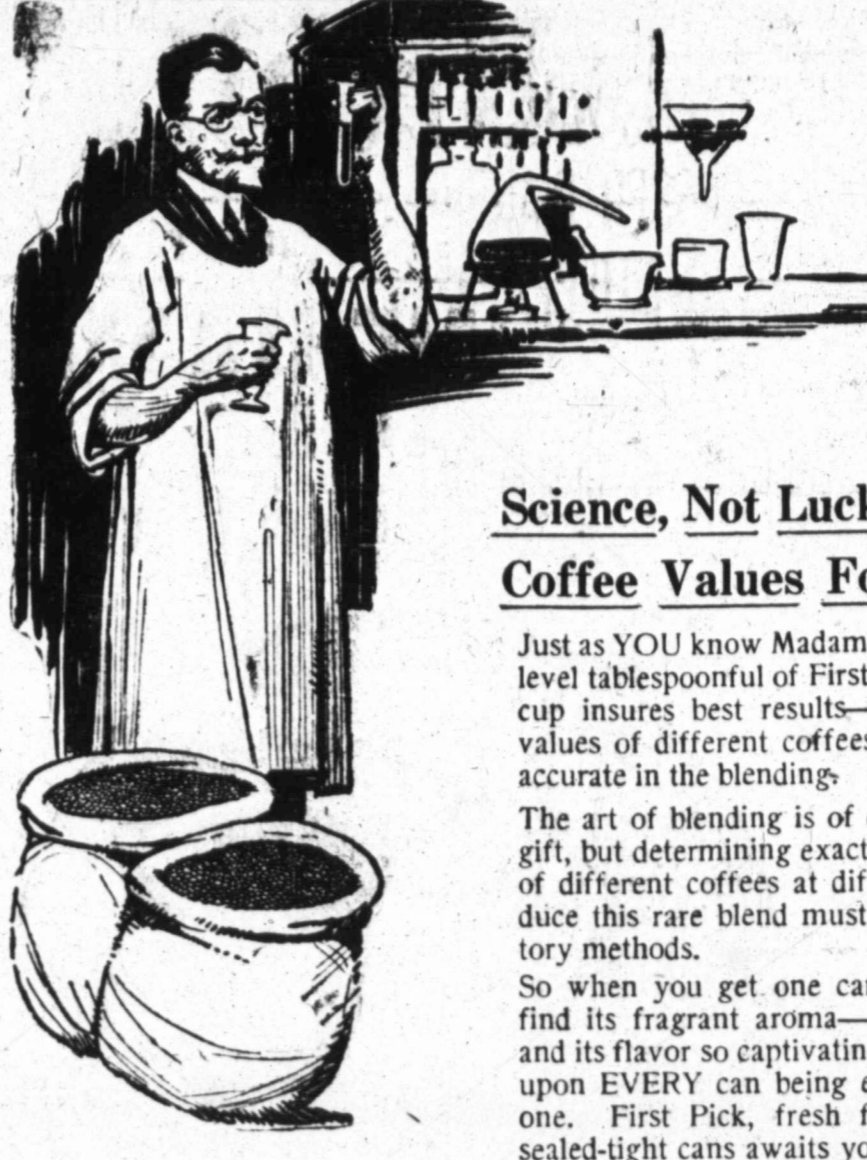
Railroad Commission Assumes Jurisdiction Over Interurban Lines

By Associated Press. Austin, Texas, Nov. 19.—The railroad commission today issued an order assuming jurisdiction over all the interurban railway companies operating in Texas, this rather unusual action being the result of notice received by the commission of an advance in freight rates by the interurbans. The order also requires the interurbans to file with the commission all passenger, freight and express tariffs covering a period from Oct. 1 to the present.

The interurbans are required to file these tariffs and rates within ten days from the issuance of this order. That the advance in rates by the interurbans is not justifiable, the commission proposes to restore the old tariffs and place the rates where they were before the advance was ordered.

Boston Advertiser Is Purchased By Hearst

By Associated Press. Boston, Nov. 19.—The sale of the Boston Advertiser to William Randolph Hearst was announced today by Charles Sumner Bird, president of the Advertiser Newspaper Company. The sale does not include the Boston Evening Record, published by the same company. Mr. Hearst will take over the Advertiser within the present week. Mr. Bird stated that the Advertiser was founded by Samuel Adams in 1748. It has been issued as a daily since 1813.



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WHAT Y. W. C. A. IS EXPECTED TO DO IS NOW OUTLINED

PAMPHLET TELLS OF ORGANIZATION FOR WAR TIME SERVICE.

From Monday's Daily. The work of the Y. W. C. A. is some what along the same lines as that of the Y. M. C. A., dealing, of course, with women and girls, instead of men and boys. Its object is the same—that of their welfare, and their activities around the many camps has been of incalculable benefit.

Of their work in the war—what they have done, and what they plan to do, the following extracts from one of the pamphlets will give some little idea:

"Ever since this country faced the possibility of an active part in the European war, the national board of the Young Women's Christian Association has been confronted with an immense responsibility for helping to safeguard the moral conditions in the neighborhood of army and navy training camps and to provide for the welfare of women in varied industries in the unusual conditions created by the war."

"Telegrams from the war department commission on training camp activities and from the general secretary of the international committee of the Y. M. C. A., setting forth the need of expert women workers added impetus to the plans of the national board. The acceptance of this sudden challenge to prove their ability to

help in the social, industrial and economic readjustments in the lives of thousands of women and girls in our country culminated in two meetings on June 6 and 6, wherein a war work council was organized. The national board authorized the creation of the war work council of 100 women, consisting in part of national board members and field representatives, and in part of women of varied interests not at the time connected with the association.

"This council voted to raise a budget of \$1,000,000, which has been increased to \$4,000,000, for work among women and girls in communities adjoining United States army training camps and mobilization centers, in connection with special war industries employing girls, and in European countries affected by the war.

"In order to enlist the interests and activities of the younger girls, the patriotic league has been formulated; not as an organization, but as a standard to which every girl may pledge herself. This league is being promoted by the junior war work council and literature and buttons have been prepared for distribution to all members.

"The pledge reads: "I pledge to express my patriotism by doing better than ever before whatever I have to do. "By rendering whatever special service I can at this time to my community and country.

"By living up to the highest standards of character and honor, and by helping others to do the same. "It is an exceptional privilege to so direct the spirit of youth and patriotism that it may be a power and not a danger in these days of trial.

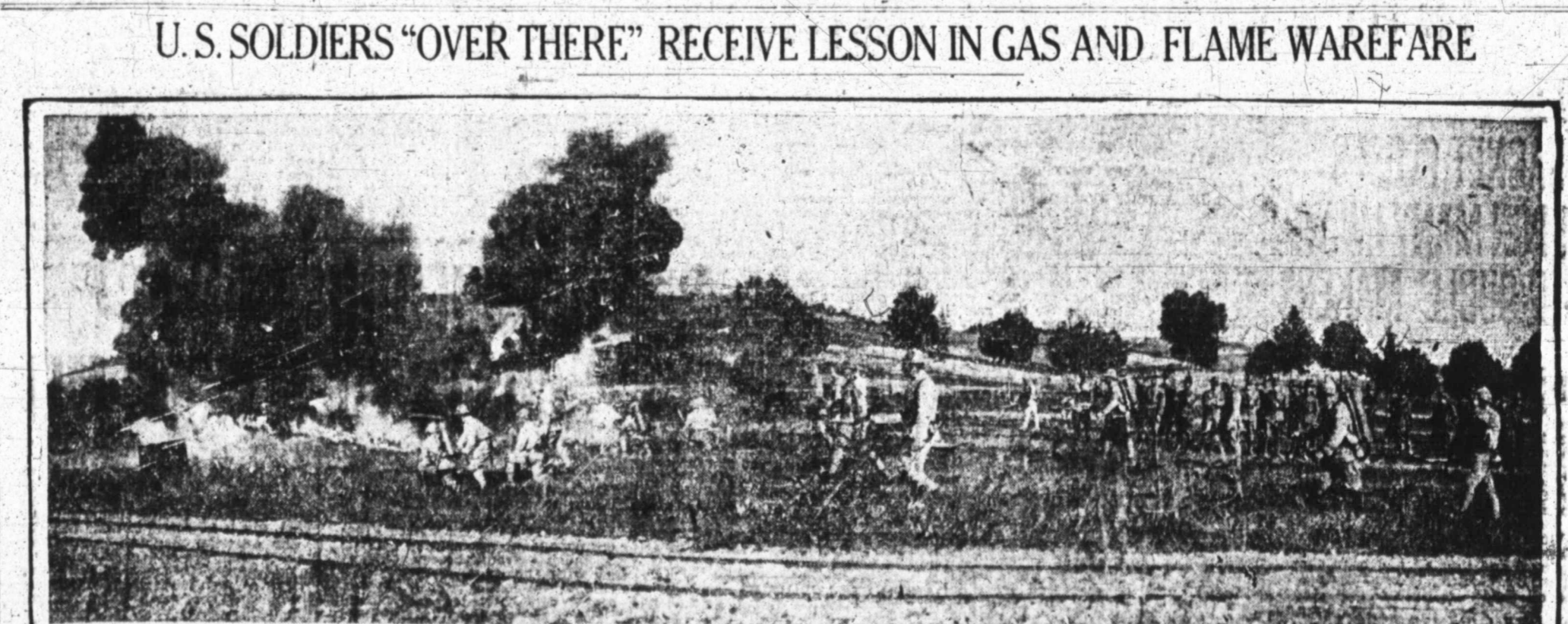
"The whole secret-of-the-usefulness of the Y. M. C. A. and the Y. W. C. A. depends upon motives and ideals and personality. Buildings do not count unless there is something behind them. They are important, but it is the question of individual work and the motive of it that will go a long distance in

STATE OFFICIALS' CASES CONTINUED TO NEXT MONDAY

Austin, Texas, Nov. 19.—Cases in the criminal district court against John McKay and Chereuil Bartlett, former secretaries of state, C. L. Stowe, former state superintendent of buildings and grounds, and C. O. Austin, commissioner of banking and insurance, were continued today to next Monday. Judge James H. Hamilton ordered the continuance pending decision of McKay's application for habeas corpus by the court of criminal appeals.

Three Good Wells On Ramming Lease Are Reported In

From Monday's Daily. Three good wells on the Ramming lease was the Adams Oil Company's total for last week. No. 4 is thought to be good for around 400 barrels. No. 6 reported as making 200 and No. 7 50 barrels.



American troops receiving a lesson in gas and flame warfare. Each operator has fire equipment slung across his back and hose nozzle in hand, and is guarded by picked French soldiers with rifles. They seek to rout the enemy from protected positions in the woods to the left. Observe the flaming trees and bushes in the line of attack.

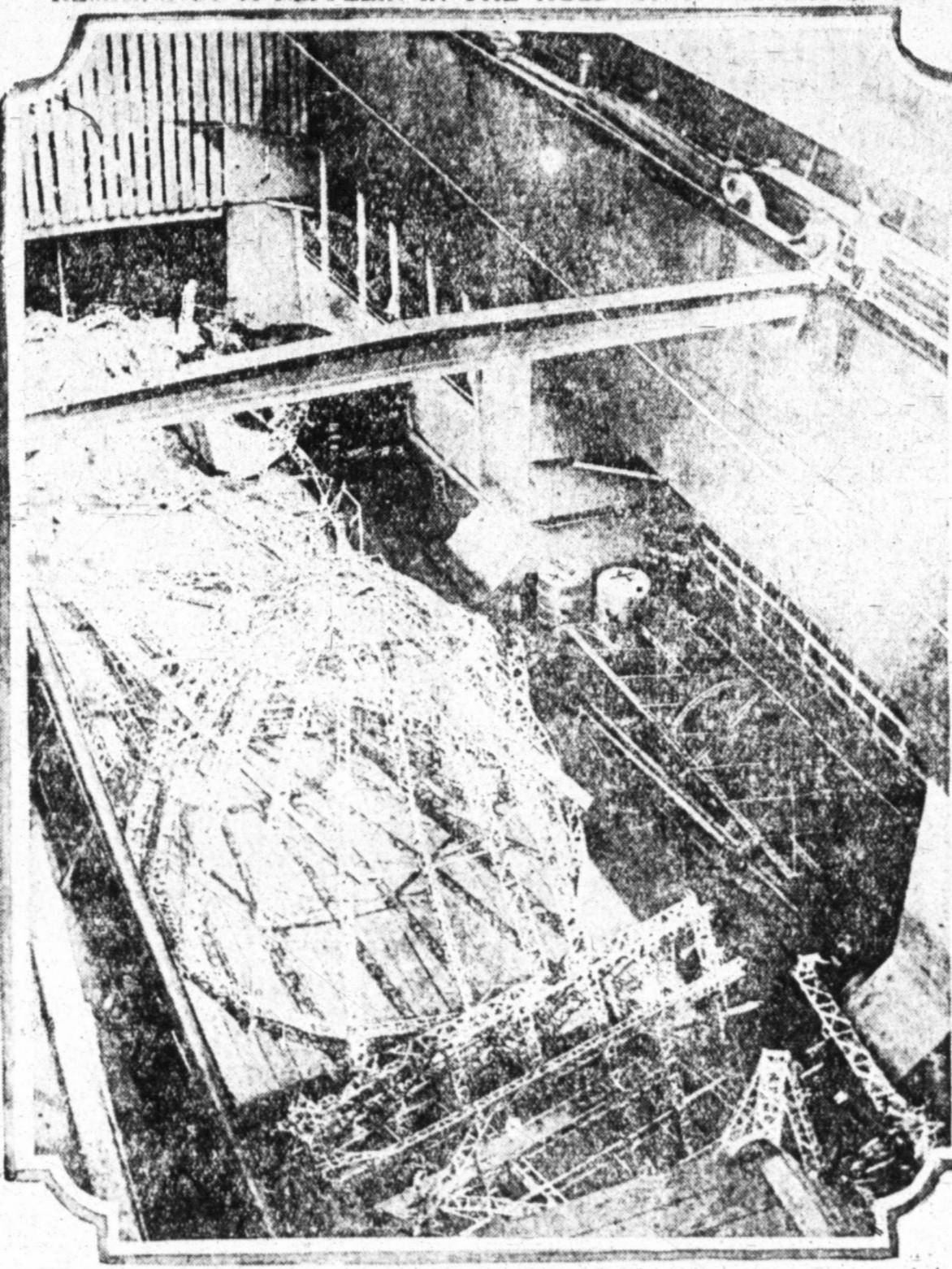
WICHITA FALLS BOY DESCRIBES HIS TRIP TO LONG ISLAND ARMY CAMP

This is the first of a series of three letters received by the parents of Ernest Mayo of this city, from their son who has been stationed at Garden City, N. J., Nov. 4, 1917. Dear Mother—Well, guess you will be surprised to hear from me here. Well, we reached this place safe and fine. Believe me, we sure had some nice trip coming down here. We saw some beautiful cities. We came through Louisiana, Mississippi, Alabama, Georgia, South Carolina, North Carolina, Virginia, Maryland, Delaware, Pennsylvania, New Jersey and New York to Long Island.

Elks Plan to Lend Some of Their Books To Call Field Y.M.C.A.

The Elks, at their meeting Monday night, voted to loan books from their library to the Y. M. C. A. at Call field. The Elks have a library of several thousand volumes and the Y. M. C. A. secretary has been invited to take as many of them out to the camp as he thinks can be used.

REMAINS OF A ZEPPELIN IN THE HOLD OF A BRITISH SHIP



The remains of a huge enemy Zeppelin in the hold of a British ship, and a sorry spectacle it is. The Zeppelin aircraft has not been as successful as the Tenthons thought it would. It is possible that this Zeppelin is coming to the United States to join the British tank and captured German U-boat already here.

HINDENBURG LINE HAMMERED BACK

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made at all points. English, Scottish, Irish and Welsh battalions secured the crossings on the canal at Masnières and captured Aire and Nœuf wood. West riding troops, who had taken Havrincourt, made remarkable progress east of the Canal du Nord, storming the villages of Graincourt and Anieux and with the Ulster troops operating to the west of the canal carrying the whole German line northward to the Bapaume-Cambrai road.

Last Year's Offensive. The British drive covers a part of the field of last year's offensive on the Somme and destruction of the Arras battle front south of Arras. The British center in this thrust is nearly opposite Cambrai, the important German base and railway center, from which the British line on the Bapaume-Cambrai road was about nine miles distant, as it has stood for several months past. The main force of the push just launched is apparently aimed at Cambrai along this road.

Supposedly Impregnable. What is known as the Hindenburg line was established by the German command last spring when the famous "strategic retreat" on the Somme front was carried out. It was a supposedly impregnable line, which has been broken in careful preparation. The British and French, however, showed in the Arras battle last spring and in the French drive on the Aisne front that the line was by no means a bar to their progress and serious inroads were made upon it in various places on both these fronts. The British break, however, sufficient to permit the penetration of a large force which could debouch for large field operations had ever been attempted.

The British movement in its phases gives the appearance of being the most ambitious that has been undertaken by them on the western front since the creation of the new armies gave them the power to strike effective blows. The attack came almost without warning, the only preliminary salarations being a series of somewhat elaborate trench raids.

No Hint of Rush. Even the rather extensive operations in this sector reported last night by the British war office gave hardly a hint that a push in any such force or over such a wide extent of front was in prospect.

There has been little speculation over the possibility of a British attack in force on the western front this fall in any area other than that of Flanders. It has been apparent, however, that German attention was largely centered on the Italian front, but the assumption has been that these had been largely drawn from the western front. It is considered possible, however, that the British secret service had knowledge of a weakening of the German front in the west, and was accordingly able to give backbone to the push in Northern Italy, an opportunity thus being afforded to the Germans to withdraw and shift them a crushing blow while their strategic reserve in the Franco-Belgian war area was depleted.

University Students Serving as Soldiers To Be Kept Track of

By Associated Press. Austin, Tex., Nov. 21.—An effort is being made to obtain and put in record form a complete list of all former students of the University of Texas who have entered the military service of the United States or any of the allied countries. It is recognized that it may be somewhat difficult to obtain the names of all these patriotic and heroic young men, as they are widely scattered and belong to the various branches of the military service. The assistance of all who may have knowledge of the names of such students, their place of residence, and, if possible, their military organization, to which they belong is earnestly desired in the compilation of this roster. It is requested that all names of former students who are now in the army, either that of the United States or the allied governments, be immediately sent to the Division of "Publicity, University of Texas, Austin.

CLEMENCEAU SAYS HIS WAR AIM IS SIMPLY VICTORY

By Associated Press. Paris, Nov. 21.—The war aim of Premier Clemenceau is to be a victory, he told the chamber of deputies today. "If Germany tomorrow expressed a wish to enter into the society of nations I would not agree," M. Clemenceau said, "for Germany's signature cannot be trusted. You ask what my war aims are? My aim is to be a victor." During interpellations after the ministerial declaration Deputy Pierre Forget demanded the firm handling of the political scandals. He declared that Louis J. Malvy, former minister of the interior, is either a traitor or Leon Daudet, Malvy's accuser, is a scoundrel. He demanded that the connection with the scandals of Joseph Caillaux, the former premier, should be made clear. Premier Clemenceau made an approving gesture and M. Caillaux applauded, but the premier in reply refused to enter into details. He assured the chamber that justice would be dealt rapidly and relentlessly for crimes against the country.

Former Congressman Leaps to His Death From Hotel Window

By Associated Press. New York, Nov. 21.—George P. Lawrence, former congressman from Massachusetts, whose home was in North Adams, Mass., jumped to his death today from the eighth floor of the Hotel Belmont.

GERMANS GIVEN TO DECEMBER 15 TO QUIT CAPITAL

By Associated Press. Washington, Nov. 21.—Today is the last day that natives of Germany who have not obtained their final naturalization papers and who have come to Washington since war was declared on April 6, may remain in this city. Germans whose residence at the national capital antedates the war declaration will have until Dec. 15 to pack up their goods and go away.

WORTH INVESTIGATING

The Times. An inexhaustible supply of artesian water of the finest quality has been discovered in the north part of Monticello county, where they were prospecting for oil. It is the general belief that this water can be had at a shallow depth in that section. It is not far from this city and it would be worth while for the water company to investigate. Many cities bring water a longer distance than that. While the water is low in the lake a good time to prepare for whatever may come upon us and at the same time supply Wichita Falls with pure water. We can get it in forty or fifty miles from here. A READER.

Women in London Will Be Allowed "Old Age" Ballot

By Associated Press. London, Nov. 21.—Only married women whose husbands are entitled to the municipal franchise are affected by the House of Commons decision yesterday to extend the municipal vote to women. The women must, as in the case of those having the parliamentary franchise, have reached the age of thirty years.

Mrs. J. A. Hyndaman and daughter arrived in the city yesterday from Hobart to join Mr. Hyndaman, who has been here for the past two or three days looking over some oil prospects.

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GOOD ROADS PARTY IS OFF FOR LAWTON TRAILS CONVENTION

From Wednesday's Daily. A large party of good roads enthusiasts left this morning for the Ozark Trail convention at Lawton, Nov. 21, 22 and 23. Besides about forty or fifty from here, a delegation of about fifty from Seymour and one of twenty from Monday joined the party at the city hall and these, with other visitors, made a total delegation of about 140 people.

Almost all of the party intend to remain in Lawton for the entire convention, as the program, following the lines of all Colonel Harvey's conventions, has reserved some of the best things for the end.

Duma of Moscow Is Reported Dissolved By New Government

By Associated Press. Petrograd (delay), Nov. 20.—The military chief of the district of Kiev and the temporary governors, with their staffs, are reported to have left their posts. Ukrainian commissaries have been appointed to succeed them and they have confirmed the independence of the Ukraine. Three hundred and sixty thousand Ukrainian troops are said to have been recalled from the front. This is commented upon here as meaning a serious crippling of the army and the possible opening of the front to the enemy.

HOME GUARD NOW AWAITING PERMIT TO BE ORGANIZED

PREPARATIONS CONTINUE TO GO FORWARD FOR DEFENSE BODY.

From Wednesday's Daily. The organization of the "home guard" is at present waiting on the decision of the county commissioners, and is likely to be settled by the second week of December, according to the statement of County Judge Harvey Harris. All the necessary data and information has been obtained, and it is now up to the county commissioners to formally "allow" the organization. It is understood that preparations are still going forward, and by the time the decision of the county is announced the organization will be ready to spring into being.

Petty Crimes Short Of Old Saloon Record In Dallas Say Police

By Associated Press. Dallas, Texas, Nov. 21.—Petty crimes have decreased in Dallas ninety per cent since local option went into effect last month, according to Night Sergeant Lane at the Central police station. Notwithstanding this fact, however, more felony charges have been filed during the month than in the memory of Deputy Constable Grady Kennedy.

Work in the Dallas police department has been channeled about considerably. For the past several nights the police department has averaged only five calls each night. There also has been fewer arrests than ever before. Emergency hospital interns declare it was not for automobile accidents, the emergency hospital could very well close at night. There was an average of ten cases treated at this hospital each night prior to last month. From one to three is the average now.

Additional Funds Are Received For Y.M.C.A. War Work

The final figures on the Y. M. C. A. drive were not yet available. It was expected that the final report would have been ready by the end of last week, and a good showing had already been made. But as long as donations were coming in, it was thought wise not to close the campaign. Among some of the recent donations to the fund are: Local office Co. 350; National Supply Co. \$50; and the Oil Well Supply Co. \$75.

FRANCE IS GIVEN FULL ASSURANCE OF AMERICAN AID

SAYS THAT EVERY RESOURCE OF NATION WILL BE USED IN PRESENT WAR.

COL. HOUSE IS IN PARIS

Millions of Men in Factories, Farms and Military Units Being Mobilized to Defeat Kaiser.

Paris, Nov. 23.—Colonel E. M. House and the other members of the American mission have had the quickest trip from London to Paris since the war began. They crossed the channel at the rate of 31 knots an hour and traveled from a French seaport, where they landed, to Paris in a special train at a speed unattainable three years ago.

Commander Scales of the American embassy and Baron Theodore Berckheim and Maurice Cabanac, representing the French foreign office, met the mission at the French seaport and welcomed them to France.

Colonel House, concerning the purpose of his mission: "We bring to the French republic a message of encouragement from the American nation who are mobilizing in factories, farms and upon military fields."

"There is a grim determination amongst us to wage war in the shadow and specter of the sword. We have in mind no material gain. What we want is an assurance of permanent peace, and the tramp of our soldiers upon the soil of France will be heard ever increasingly until it is achieved."

"It is here that our brave men are come to mingle our blood with yours. It is here that all come to gather in inspiration from your heroic deeds."

"Our president and our country see the issue clearly and France may confidently count on every resource which may be at our command."

Vatican Is Accused Of Aiding Central Powers in Conflict

London, Nov. 23.—The Vatican is accused in an editorial in the Morning Post of being implicated in the propaganda which the newspaper says was largely responsible for the recent Italian reverses.

"The Vatican has leaned to Austria side and lately has furiously but effectively expounded the Austrian case."

"The newspaper calls on the British government to look into the matter and demands that the Vatican declare definitely on which side it stands."

Loss of Jerusalem Expected in Berlin According to Press

Amsterdam, Nov. 23.—The German newspapers are preparing public for the loss of Jerusalem. The Nord Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung says that it is to be expected that the city will be abandoned by the Turks.

NO NEW EVIDENCE GIVEN AT TRIAL OF NEGRO RIOTERS

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ADMIRAL CAPPS RESIGNS RESULT OF ILL HEALTH

GENERAL MANAGER OF SHIPPING BOARD'S FLEET CORPORATION STEPS DOWN.

FERGUSON MAY SUCCEED

President of Newport News Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Company Is Spoken of for Position.

Washington, Nov. 23.—Rear Admiral Harry H. Capps, chief constructor of the navy, has asked to be relieved as general manager of the shipping board's emergency fleet corporation, a position he had hesitated to suggest his name to the president when General Goethals resigned.

It is probable that Admiral Capps, for the present at least, will be obliged to abandon active duty entirely.

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Lawton Meeting ON GOOD ROADS IS TO END TODAY

Lawton, Okla., Nov. 23.—Final scenes in the good roads convention here are expected to be closed late this afternoon and tonight, when the convention will formally close.

The convention opened Wednesday afternoon in the high school auditorium. The feature of Wednesday night's session was an address on the "Cause of the War," by Hon. Scott Ferris, Mr. Ferris also delivered the welcoming address, which was responded to by L. O. Williams of Las Vegas, N. M., and Rev. A. D. Clark of Seymour, Texas.

Thursday morning delegates visited Fort Sill and Camp Doniphan, spending all forenoon there, seeing the entire cantonment.

They were accorded a welcome by the commanding officer.

Discussion of routes will be taken up tonight.

Lawton was crowded with so many visitors, but all were taken care of satisfactorily, by putting cots in steam-heated buildings and they were fed at great banquets.

Three military bands, the 15th, 18th and 19th regimental bands, have furnished music for the entire convention.

A big parade was held Wednesday, participated in by delegates and townspeople, led by the officials and the 9th regimental band.

Colonel Harvey is well pleased with the convention.

Oil Strike AGREEMENT EXPECTED

Houston, Tex., Nov. 23.—Oil operators and striking workers agreed today to hold a conference at 2 o'clock to settle the strike which has affected approximately 9,000 men in sixteen producing fields of Texas and Oklahoma.

FRENCH ARTILLERY IN RESERVE ON THE MARNE



The French have shown their superiority in artillery. The above photo shows a crack French regiment waiting for the word to advance.

Leon Trotzky Transmits Proposal For Armistice

CENTRAL POWERS REPORTED READY TO MAKE PEACE

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CHILDREN CLUTCH PUPS

Wichita Falls Man Dies in Camp Travis Following Operation

Little Girl Bitten At Neighbor's Home By Dog; Not Serious

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Men Who Hoard Money Attacked By Truett In Talk To Baptists

Threatening Letters To Be Investigated; Faust Alleged Author

Relief Is Offered Stricken Westerners From Many Sections

ALLEGED ALIENS SEEKING RELEASE FROM ARMY CAMP

General Byng Given Promotion by King

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BRITISH CONSOLIDATE POSITIONS SECURED IN RECENT GREAT ASSAULT

The war situation of today is summarized by the Associated Press as follows: While standing off German counter-attacks, British forces have consolidated their positions and are preparing for another advance toward Cambrai. General Byng's men are just west of Fontaine Notre Dame, less than three miles west of Cambrai and have nearly completed the occupation of Burlon Wood just north of Fontaine and which dominates the entire region.

Fontaine Notre Dame was the scene of the heaviest fighting yesterday. Wednesday night the village was captured by the British but a strong German counter-attack Thursday drove the British to the eastern outskirts. The village is the apex of the wedge which the British have driven toward Cambrai and which includes approximately fifty square miles of territory formerly within the German lines. The Germans are reported to be rushing up reserves for counter-attacks.

Cambrai Made Useless. Cambrai probably has lost its usefulness as the German supply base in the immediate region as the city and the three railroads entering it from the northeast and south are dominated by the British artillery. The new wedge also is a direct menace to Quant, the southern end of the Quedant-Brocourt switch line which held up the British advance east of Cambrai last spring. Quant now is within a sharp salient which has been heightened by the British advances from Bullcourt in the present drive.

General Byng's stroke was a master piece organization, according to reports from the front. The transportation service kept pace with the advance, the construction of roads and railroads. Field Marshal Haig announced having contributed largely to the success of the operation.

Surprise Complete. The surprise was complete in that the British casualties were probably less than the number of Germans captured—more than 9,000. The British were also able to free the French population of some of the towns and villages. These people the Germans had been unable to remove. The reserve German troops encountered included cripples and convalescents.

High military opinion, recently expressed, that the chances of the Italians holding the Piave line and saving Venice are increasing hourly seems likely to be strengthened by the issue of today's Italian official statement showing continued successful resistance. The Italians to the curious accents being made by the enemy to pierce their northern front.

First and Fourth Armies. The Italian first and fourth armies, defending the northern lines, were the defense forces that added to the record of their already notable achievements. An encircling movement in the Monte Meletta region northeast of Asiago, was completely frustrated by the first army, although great forces of Austro-German troops were employed in the attempt. All the Italian positions remained in the hands of the defenders.

The fourth army, holding the front to the east between the Brenta and the Piave, was compelled to contend all day with a series of attacks in the Teutonic effort to turn the flank of the Piave river line by pushing a wedge through in the Monte Grapha region. This battle, like the others, flowed throughout the day but when night came the Italians had retaken all the positions they had temporarily lost and a final counter-attack clinched the victory.

British Army Headquarters in France, Nov. 23.—The British early today drove back the enemy at the elevation called Tadpole cove, which dominates a large section of the Canal du Nord and a large part of Mouvriers in the Cambrai area.

London, Nov. 23.—The British have advanced their line slightly in Flanders, southeast of Ypres, the war office announced. The situation on the Somme front, southwest of Cambrai is unchanged.

Paris, Nov. 23.—Another German attempt to recapture ground taken by the French in their recent attack on the Aisne front was checked by the trench fire, the war office reports.

Rome, Nov. 23.—A great encircling attack was attempted yesterday by the Austro-German forces against Monte Meletta but the Italians held all the positions. It was announced today by the war office.

Berlin, Nov. 23.—(via London).—Fighting is progressing favorably for the Austro-Germans in the Italian mountains between the Brenta and Piave rivers, says the official statement issued today by the German general staff.

Austin, Texas, Nov. 23.—Offers of relief for the drought-stricken farmers and stockmen in west Texas are reaching the governor from various portions of the country. Today he received several offers, including some from Mississippi and Idaho. One was from O. H. De Lemont of Laine, Kreole county, Mississippi, in which he declares that he had 100,000 acres of fine grazing land available for the starving cattle of west Texas, and the other offer was from the state farm markets department of Boise, Idaho, in which he declares that southern Idaho has thousands of tons of first class alfalfa with excellent feeding grounds and ideal winter climate. The governor has referred these letters to the bureau of markets and the Texas Cattle Raisers' Association.

Dallas, Texas, Nov. 23.—The rich who hoard their money were attacked by Dr. George W. Truett of Dallas at this morning's session of the general convention of the Texas Baptists for their failure to "come to the front with their money at this hour," when the civilized world is looking to the United States for the essentials to end the war. Various committee meetings were held this morning and reports will be submitted to the convention later.

Chicago, Nov. 23.—Reinhold A. Faust, who plotted the bomb in the auditorium theater last Friday night during a grand opera performance, will be questioned regarding the sending of letters which were received on the entrance of the United States into the war by several wealthy men here demanding money under threats of blowing up their homes.

Further inquiry also will be made into the letters received recently by Frank O. Wetmore and James B. Fort, bank officials, which demanded \$100,000. An excerpt from one of the letters read: "M. O. Keat kidnaped child, killed, and Chief of Police Schuetler sold her to find out if Faust had planned the kidnaping in his scheme of getting money."

Major General Willis G. Hazan, commander of Camp MacArthur, has been served with writs of habeas corpus on behalf of five men now in service at the camp. They are Nick Krych, an Austrian; Harry Zed, a Polish; Benjamin Wilk, a Russian; Fred Appell and Benny Taoski, two Russians. A Detroit attorney is representing the men who claim to be aliens and not subject to conscription. They were all drafted in Michigan, sent to Camp Custer and thence to Waco.

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MONEY IS ALLOWED FOR NEW LIBRARY BY CITY COUNCIL

At the city council last night, in addition to the appointment of the committee for the revision of the city charter, an appropriation of \$2,500 was allowed for the equipment of the city library, and Miss Mary C. Roberts was formally appointed city librarian, Miss Roberts being the unanimous choice of the library committee.

An arc light was ordered placed at the corner of Eleventh and Brook streets, and an incandescent light at the corner of Ninth and Buchanan streets. A fire plug was ordered for the corner of Eleventh and Basior, and a sewer line on the new mill property.

Those present were Mayor A. H. Britain, presiding; Aldermen E. G. Hill, Les, Richolt, Smith and Gardner, City Attorney Nutt and City Clerk Skeen.

SUPERINTENDENT OF COUNTY FARM IS NOW "WANTED"

The sheriff's department is looking for W. M. Vickers, former superintendent at the county farm. A complaint charging a statutory offense has been filed against Mr. Vickers, but since the finding of the complaint the sheriff's department has been unable to locate him. Mr. Vickers is said to have had knowledge of an investigation with which his name had been connected.

The prosecuting witness is a feeble-minded girl, one of the county's wards, who lived at the county farm. The girl is now at the Wichita General Hospital, and is about to become a mother.

CATTLE WANTED

Washington, Nov. 23.—For the purpose of informing cattlemen in the drought regions of the southwest where they can find pasturage or feed in the states east of the Mississippi river, the bureau of markets and the states relations service of the department of agriculture have made a complete list with addresses of county agents in the southern states where cattle are wanted or can be accommodated or where feed can be obtained. The list has been furnished to all local offices of the bureau of markets, to members of the livestock and meat trade, to officials and station agents of the railroads serving the drought regions of Texas, New Mexico and Arizona and to the directors of extension county agents and field agents in marketing in all states. The list covers many counties such as Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Arkansas and Mississippi. This information, with emergency rate on lines in the south east which has just been announced will greatly facilitate the accommodation of cattle that now must be sustained by the importation of feed.

ENGINEER DUREN EXPECTED HERE FOR INSPECTION

State Engineer G. A. Duren will be here early tomorrow morning to commence the formal inspection of the Wichita valley highway as far as Abilene. Mr. Duren will leave the first thing in the morning, arriving at Abilene in time to take the night train from there, according to a telegram received from him by the chamber of commerce.

DIZZY SPELLS

Relieved After Taking Two Bottles Of Cardui, Says Tennessee Lady.

Whitwell, Tenn.—Mrs. G. P. Cartwright, of this place, writes: "About four years ago the dizzy spells got so bad that when I would start to walk I would just pretty near fall. I wasn't past doing my work, but was very much run-down."

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GERMAN TROOPS DETERIORATING STATES OFFICER

TELL OF BUNCH WHO REFUSED TO ATTACK AND KILLED OFFICERS.

Associated Press Mail Correspondent.

Liverpool, Oct. 20.—Evidence that the German commanders are well aware that the German army is deteriorating and that they have to try to keep it together by terrifying their troops is given in a letter written by an officer of a Liverpool regiment to one of the local newspapers. Expressing the "collapse" of the "collapsing" of the German will come soon," he added:

"The best cure for pessimism would be a few days in the front-line trenches. There are no pessimists here except among the German prisoners."

"The last time our battalion was in action we took quite a number of prisoners, and they were a dismal lot. The non-commissioned officers of whom I spoke told me that large numbers of the Germans simply will not face our fire, but refuse to attack. His own company had been under fire for nearly five days, and at last they had signed a round-robin to the company commander to say that they would not stay any longer. Two of the ringleaders were arrested with the idea of making an example of them, but their comrades demanded their release with such energy that the officers had to give way. Later on the men repeated their demand to be taken out of the front line. The officers ordered them back to duty, but the men refused. The officers threatened the soldiers, who replied by killing all but four of the officers and marching over to the British lines to surrender."

"When this particular battalion was moved up against the British, the men had to be bullied into fighting by being sent into action in front of a moving barrage, which meant certain death to all who lagged behind."

"On another occasion recently, our Liverpool regiment had a fierce fight which ended up with a strange experience. We had heavily engaged and driven off a whole some Germans who had been holding a strong position. Moving on to the next objective, another party of the enemy appeared. We felt certain that we were in for a rough experience, but the truth was that this bunch wanted to surrender badly, and they had made a pretense of advancing to a counter-attack with the object of 'getting near enough to be sure of protection from their own officers."

"When the German command found out what had happened, they sent forward a great body of reserves with order to recapture our prisoners. Heavy gunfire rained on us, of which the prisoners got a 'good share. They begged us hard to save them, and we did all we could. But at one stage we were nearly caught when the enemy suddenly turned on a party of liquid fire experts. Fortunately we were alert and charged at once, capturing the whole liquid fire outfit. There ensued a terrible row between the earlier prisoners and the men we had taken with the liquid fire outfit. The first prisoners wanted to kill the liquid fire men. We had our hands full getting them all back."

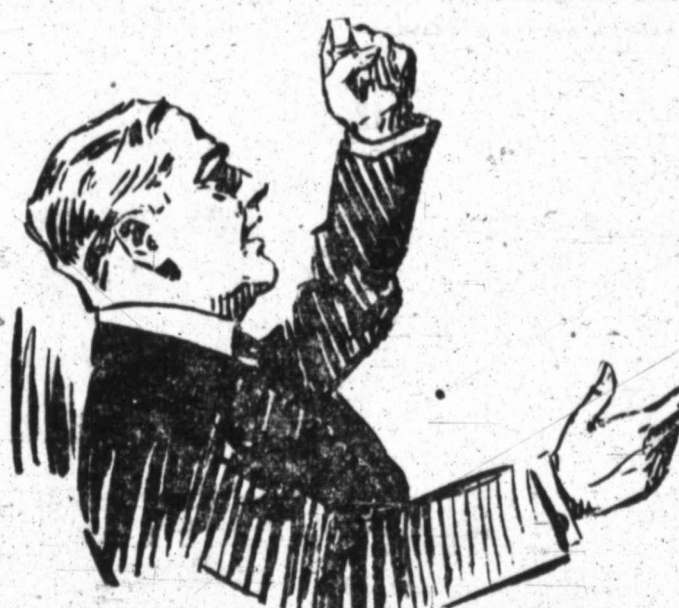
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CUBAN SUGAR MAGNATES CONFER WITH MENCAL

By Associated Press. Havana, Nov. 22.—Cuban sugar producers at a conference with President Menocal last night are understood to

have accepted the offer of the United States food administration of \$4.60 a hundred pounds for sugar free on board at Cuban ports. No official confirmation could be obtained but an announcement probably will be made tomorrow.

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They had been subsisting on the bounty of the American Relief Committee, which furnished them virtually the only food they obtained.

Hard fighting has taken place today at Crevecoeur, southeast of Masnières. The British were holding a high ridge in front of this place and some troops had forced an entrance into the western part of the town. The Germans were holding the eastern section. A German battery here, which had been given trouble, was charged and captured by dismounted cavalrymen. The battery was surrounded by heavy barbed wire entanglements, precluding the use of horses, so the soldiers stormed the position on foot and annihilated the gun crews.

In the region of itunilly heavy machine gun and rifle fighting was proceeding last night and this morning. West of Cambrai, tanks, cavalry and infantry were pressing the attack vigorously about Fontaine Notre Dame and the strong position in Bourlon Wood. Fontaine Notre Dame has not been officially reported captured but the story goes that tank crews were served with hot coffee by the civilians in this place this morning. (Field Marshal Haig's official report Thursday night said the Germans had retaken Fontaine Notre Dame).

Further north near Bussecoort the British were in position of the entire underground fortifications known at the tunnel trench which had been famous for its supposed impregnability. At least five determined counter attacks have been smothered in this region. Southeast of Bullecourt hard fighting occurred at Meuseux, last night and a strong counter attack was repulsed. The last line of trench defenses in the region of Cantaine have been broken and the British today were firmly established at many points in the Masnières-Beauraiois line south of Cambrai.

Detail of Battle.
 It is now possible to give more details of Tuesday's battle. In the advance south of Cambrai the first hard fighting occurred at Latou Wood, which lies on the Cambrai highway south of Masnières. This wood finally was cleared of Germans and the advance continued toward Masnières. Some opposition was encountered in a suburb but by 1 o'clock this had been overcome and the British had crossed the L'Escaut canal at a lock. The German garrison fought bitterly

to retain Masnières. The whole place was undermined with dugouts in which the enemy hid with machine guns but the Germans were forced to give up this place after a sanguinary struggle, although some of them were still holding out in the cellars today. Marconing was taken with small resistance on the part of the enemy and this gave the British a second crossing of the canal. The advancing troops forced passage here at the same hour as Masnières was entered. The Masnières-Beauraiois trench line north of Masnières apparently had been reinforced by Germans from Cambrai and this front held up the advance temporarily with rifle and machine gun fire but the British alternately forced the Germans from the trenches in hand-to-hand fighting.

Many Surrender.
 German resistance on the first day was comparatively weak as whole and they surrendered freely in many places. Yesterday their lines stiffened and hard fighting followed. German reinforcements from Lens and the two companies of invalids already mentioned were thrown into the line.

The first counter attack came over the ridge from the northeast of Masnières. The enemy advanced in massed formation as in the early days of the war. The British had concentrated a large number of machine guns at this point and were hoping for a counter attack. They permitted the enemy to advance to within a thousand yards of the line before they opened fire. Then the machine guns and artillery were turned on the Germans and they were smashed in a withering storm.

Enemy Forced Back.
 At one o'clock an attack on Marconing was attempted by the enemy but as in the former case they were caught in a heavy artillery and machine gun fire and they turned back after suffering severely.

An hour later another body of Germans advanced on Noyelles which was held by one company of British troops. Here some of the stiffest fighting of the battle took place at close quarters. Both sides rushed reinforcements and for two hours the battle surged back and forth through the streets and among the buildings. It was a melee in which the bayonets played the principal part. The Germans fought well but they were not good enough to withstand the fury of the British assaults and gradually they were forced back across the canal to the east.

Prisoners Taken.
 Among the prisoners taken by the British were several officers who were caught in the regimental headquarters. The regimental commander was captured and it is reported that his advance into the British lines was a particularly humorous spectacle. He came tramping back in an elaborate fur coat followed by two servants who carried more of his finery. He was swearing mad at the turn of events. The sight of a company of British cavalry threw him almost into a frenzy and the lurid language which he directed at the British drew a

smile from even the hardened Tommy, who has a somewhat picturesque vocabulary of the day.

Civilians who were released from Masnières today told something of their experiences in the last three years. They related at their newfound freedom and many of them today still wept with joy when the subject of their deliverance was brought up.

Only 350 Germans were holding the town and all except a few left in the cellars withdrew five minutes before the British entered. With the civilians who greeted the British were two German soldiers, one from Alsace and the other from Lorraine, who had deserted and were waiting to give themselves up to the British with whom they sympathized.

During the three years of their captivity the civilians were fed by the American relief committee. All other food was requisitioned by the Germans, who placed heavy penalties on those who concealed any.

The Germans stripped all the houses of the town of their furniture as soon as they entered. Among the houses thus pillaged were five magnificent chateaux. Men of all military age were arrested and sent to Germany. Women were compelled to do all manner of work, such as sweeping streets, washing, mending, and other menial tasks.

The mayor declared his belief that the Germans were actually starving. He said there seemed to be no doubt that the civilians in Germany were undergoing great hardships.

Among the most interesting of the refugees was a man of military age who had hidden in a cellar for three years to escape the Germans and had been fed by his wife with an extra ration of food allowed her because she had a baby. This man is thirty five years old and in the ordinary course would have been arrested and sent to a prison camp as soon as the Germans entered the town. He did not want to leave his wife and baby so hid in a secret place in the cellar, thereby making himself liable to the death penalty if detected. German officers came to live in his house and daily he heard them tramping above him. In accordance with the custom this house and all others were searched every little while to see if anyone was concealed but the Germans never discovered his hiding place. Each day while the officers were away his wife smuggled his little store of food and water to him.

Husband Had Hidden.
 When the British entered the town the wife after making sure that they were indeed British went home and brought out her husband, who had his first glimpse of the outside world since August, 1914. The Germans were to have searched the house again the day the British captured the town.

The refugee seemed to be in fair health, notwithstanding his confinement in his cell, which he had suffered and he wept continually today as his story was being related. He was clinging to a bag containing several hundred francs, which he had carried with him into his cave.

FOOTBALL TEAM GOES SATURDAY TO GAINESVILLE

The Wichita Falls high school football team will leave tomorrow for Gainesville, where they will meet the Gainesville high school team tomorrow afternoon. The Gainesville team is regarded as the strongest team the locals have met this season.

Their defeat at Chillicothe last Saturday was a bitter disappointment to the Wichitans, who had been expecting an easy victory. It is believed, however, that some good lessons were learned through that defeat, and the team expects to make a good showing against Gainesville tomorrow.

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There is a shortage of men and women in every line of work. Each vacancy occurs and these vacancies must be filled with people possessing good health and able to fill the bill. It is a certainty that the attorney or woman in good health is able to do this. This message is really intended for those who are creeping around with tired, lazy bodies and languid brains unable to stand long hours and whose minds fail them at the psychological moment.

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Humphris Funeral Is Attended By Large Concourse of Friends

The funeral of late Police Chief A. J. Humphris Thursday afternoon was attended by a large gathering of friends, who came to pay their last tribute to a good man. The funeral was held at 3 o'clock at the residence at 312 Burnett street. The crowd filled the house and overflowed into the yard, where men stood with bare heads during the funeral service. A long procession of automobiles followed the body of Mr. Humphris to the cemetery.

The funeral sermon was delivered by Rev. S. A. Barnes of the First Methodist Episcopal Church, South. Men who had been fellow-officers and who had shared the late chief's sorrows were the pallbearers. These included R. L. McDonald, D. D. Meiver, W. W. Allen, D. W. Pichford, Homer Johnson and Frank Bena.

All departments of the city government were closed during the hour of the funeral and every member of the city police force was in attendance at the funeral. This was the first time that all the policemen had been off duty. The city was policed by the sheriff's department.

Gen. Luther P. Hare Will Be Commandant At Texas University

By Associated Press. Austin, Tex., Nov. 23.—That General Luther P. Hare, U. S. A., retired, will be assigned by the Adjutant General of the army as commandant and instructor in military science at the University of Texas, is said now to be practically certain. Acting upon the recommendation of the board of regents, Dr. R. L. Vinson, president of the university, took up the matter and official action is expected soon.

General Hare, hero of the Gilmore expedition of the Philippines, has been making his home at Austin since his retirement from active service.

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Kavanaugh Case Is Not to Be Decided Before Next Spring

By Associated Press. Austin, Tex., Nov. 23.—The Kavanaugh injunction case now pending in the Supreme Court of the United States, will NOT be submitted until next spring, according to Judge C. M. Cureton, first assistant attorney general, who has just returned from Washington.

The case, which is of state wide interest, is directed against the board of regents of the University of Texas. It is sought in the injunction to enjoin the board from condemning 26 acres of land situated near the university. This land, for which the sum of \$75,000 was offered by the Kavanaugh, is wanted for the erection of additional educational buildings for the university.

The case was instituted in the Federal Court at Dallas and decided in favor of the board, and the Circuit Court of Appeals at New Orleans affirmed the judgment and now it has been appealed to the United States supreme court.

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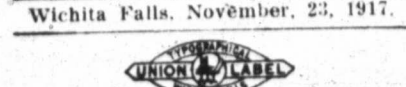
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President Wilson has again stepped into the breach between capital and labor with success.

The Germans used wounded men and convalescents in their attempt to stop the British drive. "Man's inhumanity to man!"

From a nation utterly unprepared for war, we have an idea that when the United States is represented at the peace table this will be the best prepared nation on earth.

WHY EXEMPT THEM?

President Tener, of the National League, has announced that he will make no effort to secure special exemptions from army service for men who play in that league.

Ban Johnson, of the American League, suggested that since the government did not intend to ruin any business, the President might exempt baseball players from provisions of the draft, as most of the players are of draft age.

We can see no reason why any special favor should be asked for the players in the major leagues. Baseball, while it is the national game, is not essential to the winning of the war, nor will it contribute toward that winning.

The country can get along without a number of high salaried players, and army games at cantonments, or between lesser paid clubs, will give quite as much sport to the average fan, pending the successful culmination of the great world conflict.

Baseball players, themselves, have showed how they feel by enlisting in large numbers, even when it was reasonably certain that they would not be called under the draft law for many months to come.

NO NARROW POLICY WITH THE UNIVERSITY.

Because one understands the religion of Mohammed or Confucius, is he a Mohammedan or a Confucian? Because one understands the theories underlying Socialism, must he be, in fact, a Socialist?

We have little patience with Mohammed, Confucius or Socialism, the latter in its generally accepted garb. Yet we do not feel that such limited knowledge as we may have of these subjects has either barred our way from heaven or the presidency, regardless of whether we ever get there—to the presidency—or not.

Members of the legislative committee investigating the University of Texas have questioned certain professors as to whether the theory of Socialism is explained to students, and the answer came in the affirmative. We cannot see why, since there is no propaganda in favor of Socialism at the university, there should be any question as to whether the subject should not be thoroughly explained to those in attendance.

The University of Texas is a failure if it does not give breadth of vision to the men and women who take up the courses it teaches. These men and women secure ample practical knowledge in arithmetic and other fundamentals in the high schools from which they come.

The province, however, of every institution of higher education is to pilot its students through channels of thought charted by the leading men of the world. These enlarge the individual's perspective, impart a broadening influence so to be desired in the cultured, the educated man and woman of today.

If it is the purpose of the members of the legislative investigating committee to erase from the curriculum of the university all discussion and study of socialism, or of other political or economic theories or tenets, then the school will fall short of its purpose, in that it will not give those in

attendance that breadth of vision, that wealth of information, so essential in the graduate of any reputable school.

On the other hand, should any member of the university faculty endeavor to shape the future course of those who come under his tutelage—should he deviate from the path of the teacher and seek to influence the men and women, under his care—either in favor of or against persons or policies—then the surest method for dealing with such an one is always at hand.

San Jacinto School Story Hour Will Be Held On Saturday

Story hour will be conducted by Miss Ruth Mastern at the San Jacinto public school building at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon, and all of the smaller children of the school are cordially invited to attend.

FAMILY FROM BURKBURNETT WILL MOVE TO THIS CITY

W. C. Myers has bought the home of Dr. Daniels in Wichita Falls and will occupy same with his family in the near future. The consideration was \$10,000. Mr. Myers has a splendid home on his farm near Burkburnett, but he has decided to let others attend to the farm and he will become a resident of our county capital, as so many of our people have done during the past year. The removal of this family from our midst will occasion regret on the part of their many friends in Burkburnett. However, we expect them to make frequent visits to this city. Mr. Myers retains his extensive farming interests and town property and near Burkburnett.—Burkburnett Star.

What Would Happen? Question Is Answered When Tailgate Drops

"Suppose this tail gate should give way and let us down, what would happen?" asked one of the men on the big army truck going out to the aviation camp this morning.

The question was answered immediately in the most practical manner, and in complete detail. For the gate gave way at that moment, as a result of a terrific jolt when the truck went over a rough place in the street, and the four men sitting on the gate fell into the street.

William Rackaway, one of the men fell on his left side, sustaining a simple but very bad fracture of the hip and forearm. The other three men were slightly bruised, but otherwise unharmed. Rackaway is receiving attention at the general hospital.

The accident happened when the car crossed the well-known "dip" in the paving on Tenth street, at the corner of Broad.

PERSONALS

Miss Willie May Kell, Mrs. Annie Hood, Mrs. B. J. Bean and Miss Audrey Adikes are representing the local chapter of the Red Cross at the North Texas and Oklahoma conference of Red Cross workers at Dallas today.

Mrs. A. E. Anderson left today for Colorado Springs and will return on Wednesday with her daughter, Grace, who is coming home for a visit of ten days.

Miss Anna Reidelback, registered nurse, of Norfolk, Va., arrived in Wichita Falls Wednesday. Miss Reidelback expects to make this city her home in the future. She is now the guest of her brother-in-law, Charles M. Blakowski, local contractor, and family.

Mrs. W. F. Underwood, who has been seriously ill at her home on Lamar street, is reported to be somewhat better today.

Mrs. Tom Foster has returned from

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Mount Pleasant, Texas, to which town she had been called on account of the sudden death of her sister, Bady, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Gunn. Mrs. I. D. Russell and daughter, Miss Marie, are in the city today from Petrolia to meet Lieutenant Hanes, instructor at Call field, who has just arrived in the city from Santiago, C. Lieutenant Hanes is a nephew of Mrs. Russell. J. W. Patterson and S. E. Kern of Altus are here on a business trip. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dodvin of Fredrick are visiting in the city. P. E. Rowe of Pawnee is registered at the Elham. Frank Harbin and B. F. Gillis of Electra are in town today in connection with some oil business. Joe Clark of Hobart is in town on business. H. L. Mecum is here from Mangum for a day or two.

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TODAY'S MARKETS

COTTON MARKET PROVES STEADY AFTER OPENING

New York, Nov. 23.—The cotton market opened steady today at an advance of 3 to 11 points in response to relatively firm cables and buying by houses with Liverpool connections. There were renewed reports of an easier spot basis and freer spot offerings in the eastern belt, however, and renewed realizing for over the week end largely from Wall Street sources.

Prices soon eased off in consequence with January selling from 28.42 down to 28.27 and from 28.08 to 27.95 shortly after the opening or about 4 to 6 points net lower. Trade interests were buyers at the decline and offerings tapered off toward the end of the first half hour with prices showing rallies of a few points.

Cotton futures opened steady: Dec. 28.50; Jan. 28.30; March 28.06; May 27.88; July 27.63.

The early buying by houses with Liverpool and domestic connections left the market virtually bare of offerings and prices went up sharply later with Dec. making a new high record for the season. A private report estimating the crop at 10,500,000 bales excluding linters, was a factor in the advancing, which carried the general list about 10 to 20 points net higher. Dec. touched the 29 cents

mark while January sold at 28.53 and March to 28.20, or nearly to the high level of yesterday. Cotton closed steady.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON. New Orleans, Nov. 23.—The favorable tone of war news stimulated buying of cotton here today and in the first half hour prices rose 8 to 12 points. The advance of spots here yesterday which put prices above the parity with Texas markets served to encourage bullish sentiment. Cotton opened steady. Opening bid: Dec. 27.60; Jan. 27.38; March 27.17; May 27.12 asked; July 26.96.

Steadiness held over into the afternoon session when considerable short covering was apparent. At 1 o'clock active months were 31 to 35 points over yesterday's close. Cotton closed steady at an advance of 20 to 27 points.

LIVERPOOL SPOT COTTON. Liverpool, Nov. 23.—Cotton spot quiet; prices steady. Good middling 22.68; middling 22.16; low middling 21.62; good ordinary 20.63; ordinary 20.11. Sales 3,000 bales including 2,000 American. Receipts 61,000 bales including 59,400 American. Futures steady. New contracts: Jan. 22.05; March 21.95; May 21.95. Old contracts (fixed prices): Nov. 21.00; Dec. Jan. 20.45; Feb. March 20.27; April, May 20.09; June, July 19.83.

Small crop estimates increased the buying power of the market and in the trading up to noon the advance was widened to 26 to 30 points.

COTTON SEED OIL. New York, Nov. 23.—The cotton seed oil market closed quiet. Spot and Nov. 18.30; Dec. 18.25; Jan. and March 18.30; May 19.00 ask. Sales 400.

CORN PRICES ARE HARDER ON REPORT OF BAD WEATHER

Chicago, Nov. 23.—Unfavorable weather conditions tended today to make corn prices harder. Dampness and mild temperatures prevailed where as a huge proportion of the new crop needed continued dry cold to render the quality of the grain desirable. There were reports also that the additional empty cars promised by Washington authorities would not be furnished for corn only, but that shippers would be allowed to choose whether to forward corn or oats. Opening prices, which ranged from 1/2 cent off to 1/2 cent advance, with January 1.20 to 1.20 1/2 and May 1.17 1/2 to 1 1/8 were followed by a moderate general upturn.

For the third day in succession on oats went to a new high price level for the season. The scantiness of arrivals continued to be the main factor. Provisions averaged higher. Big shipments of packing house products and the firmness of the hog market were mainly responsible.

Activity and strength in oats had a decided bullish effect on corn. Government purchasing on a large scale was reported to have taken place of late in the oats market and here were high authority for statement that no maximum prices on oats would be established. Corn closed firm 1/2 cent higher with Jan. 1.21 1/2 to 1.22 and May 1.19 1/4 to 1.19 1/2.

	Open	High	Low	Close
CORN				
Dec.	1.25	1.24 1/2	1.24	1.24 1/2
Jan.	1.20	1.22 1/2	1.19 1/2	1.21 1/2
May	1.17 1/2	1.19 1/2	1.17 1/2	1.19 1/2
OATS				
Dec.	.68 1/2	.70 1/2	.68 1/2	.69 1/2
May	.67 1/2	.69 1/2	.67 1/2	.68 1/2
PORK				
Jan.	46.30	46.60	46.20	46.60
LARD				
Nov.	27.50	27.50	27.50	27.50
Jan.	24.85	24.95	24.85	24.92
May	24.40	24.60	24.37	24.60
RIBS				
Jan.	24.75	24.90	24.75	24.87
May	24.37	24.75	24.37	24.72

LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK. Fort Worth, Tex., Nov. 23.—CATTLE: Receipts 4,000; active and strong. Beefs \$6.00@10.50; stockers \$5.50@9.00; heifers \$6.50@9.50; cows \$4.25@8.00; bulls \$5.00@6.25; calves \$5.50@10.00.

CHICAGO STOCKS. Chicago, Nov. 23.—HOGS: Receipts 2-6,000; firm, bulk 17.65@18.00; light 17.25@17.95; mixed 17.50@18.05; heavy 17.40@18.15; rough 17.45@17.60; pigs 15.00@17.90.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK. Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 23.—HOGS: Receipts 9,000; five higher. Bulk \$17.60@17.80; heavy \$17.70@17.90; light \$17.40@17.70; pigs 7.25@17.50.

ST. LOUIS LIVESTOCK. St. Louis, Nov. 23.—HOGS: Receipts 9,000; steady. Bulk \$17.60@17.80; heavy \$17.70@17.90; light \$17.40@17.70; pigs 7.25@17.50.

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2 cans Eagle brand Milk .45c
4 cans of Milk .25c
25c Can Health C. Baking Powder. 20c
2 packages new crop Raisins for 25c
New Crop of dried Apricots and Apples at bargain prices and nuts of all kinds at the most reasonable prices. Large quantity of new crop Honey which we sell cheap.
Big line new Pecans and nuts of all kinds at the most reasonable prices. Large quantity of new crop Honey which we sell cheap.
5 pound bucket best Peanut Butter \$1.25
New crop Prunes, all sizes.

Big shipment new crop Beachnut and Peanut Butter, per jar 30c, 20c, 15c
Big shipment of new crop Jellies and Preserves 25c, glass for .30c
New White Swan Minco Meat, 10c per package.
2 cans best Blackberries for .25c
No. 3 can of Lotus brand California Peaches, 3 for .50c
6 cans No. 1 Tomatoes for .60c
6 bars good white Soap for .25c
We carry all of the leading brands of the best coffee roasted.
White Swan, White House, Richelieu, Wedding Breakfast and Waco Thanksgiving brands. Best San or Peaberry Coffee and Lipton's White Swan and Gunpowder Teas. All at reasonable prices.
We carry a big line of fresh home-made candy and chocolates. Three quarts of Cranberries for .50c
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For Women at Prices That Are Appealing

Brown Kid Boots, all leather. Military, Cuban or Louis heels, turn or welt soles \$4.85 to .99

Gray, Ivory or Champagne Boots, all leather, 9-inch tops, greatly reduced to .75

Black Kid Boots, all leather, Military, Cuban or Louis heel, turn or welt soles, \$4.85 to .99

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9,000; 10 and 15 cents higher. Lights \$17.60@17.85; pigs \$16.00@17.50; mixed and butchers \$17.70@18.80; good heavy \$17.50@18.05; bulk \$17.60@18.00.

CATTLE: Receipts 2,500; steady. Native beef steers \$8.00@16.00; yearling steers and heifers \$7.00@15.00; cows \$5.00@11.00; stockers and feeders \$6.50@11.00; Texas quarantine steers \$6.75@10.50; fair to prime southern beef steers \$9.00@12.75; beef cows and heifers \$6.00@10.00; prime yearling steers and heifers \$7.50@10.00; native calves \$5.75@13.25.

SHEEP: Receipts 500; steady. Lambs \$13.00@14.50; ewes \$10.00@11.00; wethers \$11.00@12.25; canners and choppers \$5.00@8.50.

Local Brevities

Dr. Du Val, Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat, Glasses, fitted, First Nat'l Bank Bldg. —22 tlc.

Sell your sacks to Wichita Junk Company. 160-6tc

Just received, fancy new crop prunes. C. H. HARDEMAN, 167-1tc
Phone 231 or 232

E. G. Hill, undertaker, office and parlors, 900 Scott Ave. Phone 225
Prompt ambulance service. —92 tlc

Don't let an amateur tinker with your battery. Bring it to us and have the right thing done and done right. And we'll supply you with a rental battery while yours is being fixed. Phone 606 Willard Service Station, 610 Scott Ave. 124 tlc

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231 or 232

Come and see the Chrysanthemums Donnelly Floral Company, Tyler street 160-4f

A new remedy used internally and externally for Coughs, Cold, Croup, Sore Throat, Diphtheria and Tonsillitis.

This oil is conceded to be the most penetrating remedy known. Its prompt and immediate effect in relieving pain is due to the fact that it penetrates to the affected parts at once. As an illustration pour ten drops on the thickest piece of sole leather and it will penetrate this substance through and through in three minutes. Accept no substitute. This great oil is golden red color only. Every bottle guaranteed: 25c, 50c and \$1.00 a bottle or money refunded at Miller Drug Store.

THANKSGIVING TURKEY. What is Thanksgiving without turkey and cranberries? We have them to suit your purse. Delivered to your door.

F. B. MASSEY, Phone 397
403 Lee street.

We churn daily and all butter manufactured by us is guaranteed to be the best or money refunded, whether you buy of us or your grocer. Pure Milk Products, 705 Tenth, Phone 2236. —161 tlc.

I will buy any amount up to \$25,000 of first series 2 1/2 per cent Liberty Bonds at par. —Dr. Jos E. Daniel. —153 tlc.

The booster trip to Lawton scheduled for this morning was called off, on account of an insufficient number of delegates being able to make the trip.

For good service cars phone 1459. City or country drives. Rates reasonable. 147-26c.

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Phone 231 or 232

A. Lucas, veteran telegraph operator, is reported critically ill at his home on Folk street, in Floral Heights. Mr. Lucas is a sufferer from gallstones and a complication of troubles.

Service when you want it. O. K. Transfer line, Phone 1167. 21-26tp

Dinner at St. James noon and night Thanksgiving Day \$1.00. Katz orchestra, three pieces. 161-13tc

Rev. N. F. Gratton, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, who has been spending the week at Mineral Wells for his health, expects to return Saturday. He will conduct the usual services Sunday, according to a letter received from him by Otto Stehlik.

L. A. Childs, the gas man, gas fitting, repair plumbing, phone 554 1207 Scott 236 tlc

Notice.
Price's Mattress Factory, located at 808 Tenth street, Phone 1629. Renovating a specialty. 153 tlc

Notice to Out of Town Subscribers. The Times wishes to announce that J. K. Luton is authorized to solicit subscriptions for the Daily and Weekly Times. Any courtesies shown Mr. Luton will be appreciated by this company.

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NIFTY FOOTWEAR FOR MEN

These styles reflect our alertness of months ago in anticipating the footwear that would meet your approval and at a satisfactory price.

HAVANA BROWN KID, long recede vamp, low flat heel, a beauty for dress wear. \$8.95

DARK BROWN CALF SKIN Shoe, for dress and street wear \$6.95

BLACK GLAZED KANGAROO, English model, a good shoe for dress and street wear. \$5.85

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The store of Style and Quality at the Price.

HARRY'S SAMPLE SHOE STORE
BASEMENT KEMP & KELL BUILDING

Bulk Sauerkraut at the Sanitary Market, Phone 2527. 164-6tc

Dr. Scharff, Osteopath, E. & K. Bldg. Barney Knoeks has filed suit against Charlie W. Woods on the Thirtieth district court, alleging breach of contract. For quick taxi, baggage and livery service phone 422. 115-tlc

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If you are interested in buying a new desk or anything else for your office, we shall be glad to call or have you come to our store and inspect our line.

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"THOU SHALT NOT STEAL"

A virile American photoplay based on the seventh Commandment.

A mystery picture, a detective story, a bank robbery—full of thrills and vividly acted herself from misery and her father from disgrace this girl by a splendid cast. To save herself from misery and her father from disgrace this girl steals \$100,000, which her father had borrowed from her sister. Was she right? Would you have done the same under the circumstances? With the only clue the marks of her own teeth on the wrist of the man who had tried to steal the money from her, she becomes a thief chasing a thief, and the result is most interesting and entirely unexpected.



VIRGINIA PEARSON
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TOMORROW

ALICE JOYCE and MARC MACDERMOTT

-IN-

"AN ALABASTER BOX"

From the Famous novel by Mary E. Wilkins Freeman and Florence Morse Kingsley

The splendid story of a daughter's loyalty to her father, and her fight to bring back the honor of the family that had gone out with her father's misdeeds.

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TODAY

Complete change in Musical Comedy, Vaudeville, stage settings, etc. ALSO—

ALEXANDRA CARLISLE

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"TIDES OF FATE"

(From the story "Creeping Tides," by Kate Jordan)

Fanny Lawson, the heroine of this thrilling story, is a young English girl who goes to prison through no fault of her own, who escapes under dramatic circumstances, who comes to America and who meets final happiness here. This is a mighty entertaining and interesting photodrama.

ALSO

"NEPTUNE'S NAUGHTY DAUGHTER"

Two-Reel Special Burlesque Comedy

30c 20c 10c

MATINEES 2:30. Night Show starts 6:30. Last Vaudeville at 9:45

TOMORROW

THE DAINTY GIRLS

Fourteen people in Musical Comedy—pretty girls, funny comedians, special scenery, promise us the best bill of the entire week. ALSO

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-IN-

"BETTY BE GOOD"

Her dad was a price-fixer and she sympathized with the down-trodden masses. The old man escapes indictment and she falls in love with the son of an arch enemy, the mayor, who masquerades as a traffic cop. You'll like Jackie better than ever after seeing "Betty Be Good."

SHOW STARTS 1 O'CLOCK

Continuous performance—come in any time during afternoon and see the whole show.

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PRESSING NEED OF NATION NOW IS MORE SHIPS

JUDGE GEORGE GRAY URGES NECESSITY FOR HARMONY IN RANKS OF LABOR.

NOTED JURIST SPEAKS

Nation Has Not Chosen "Path of Submission" to Germany's Arrogance and Hence Must Stand Firm.

By Associated Press.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 23.—A pressing need of the country is set forth in a statement upon the shipbuilding industry by Judge George Gray of Washington, Del., a member of the War Shipping Committee of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States. Judge Gray, who is well known for his part in settling the anthracite coal strike in 1902 and as a former United States Senator, addresses the shipbuilders of the country as follows:

"There is no exaggeration in the statement that the necessity for an adequate production of ships is the most serious matter that now confronts us in this the greatest crisis of our country's history, or in the history of the world. We have entered this war for a just cause, and we must prosecute it with all our might and with all the resources of our country. Otherwise, we cannot win it.

No Path of Submission.

"We have not chosen the 'path of submission' to the arrogant demands of the German 'overriding class, in their attempt to achieve world domination, but, in the language of our President, we have taken our stand 'to vindicate the principles of peace and justice in the life of the world, as against selfish autocratic power.' The manhood and womanhood of our country must unite in wholesome and patriotic endeavor to defend our liberties and sustain the honor of our flag. We shall need the co-operation of all our people. We must give our time, our strength, and our money to the cause of our country. In comparison with this paramount duty, all other matters are of little concern. All other questions, social and industrial, of minor importance. Their discussion and settlement must be postponed until this great national peril has been averted by the defeat of the military despotism that seeks to terrorize and enslave the world.

Industrial Resources.

"Our industrial resources and our industrial energies must all be mobilized for the support of this war. They are the factors vital to its success. We must see it through. To leave unsupported the boys we have sent to the American battle line in Europe, would be dastardly, and would disgrace the American name, and the American character irredeemably for generations to come. The manhood of our country recoils at the suggestion. The proposition is inconceivable. I am confident that we only need to realize the imminent dangers of the situation to make a hearty response to the call of our country, and the call we are now considering is the call to the industries of our land—to the employers and employed alike. Without their full and efficient co-operation, we must accept the condition of defeat. This is especially true, at this time, of the shipbuilding industry.

"I do not fail to appreciate the part to be played by the employers of labor, or the importance of the duty imposed upon those who direct these great industries; nor do I undervalue the patriotism which, for the most part, they have shown and are showing in this unprecedented crisis, but my appeal is to all concerned, for that co-operation which is absolutely necessary to produce the desired results.

Sympathy With Labor.

"My long time sympathy with the efforts of the labor of this country to better its conditions and to raise the standards of its life and conduct, emboldens me to appeal to all those concerned with the shipbuilding work of the country, to illustrate the worth of their American citizenship by rallying with loyal devotion, in these days of stress and danger, to the splendid appeal recently made by our President to the patriotism of organized labor. It is your country and it is my country, and it is your duty and it is my duty to defend its life and its liberty. The service to which you are called is essentially a military service. It is a call to the colors, as truly as if it were a call to stand in the battle line in defense of your country. Upon your service depends the transport and sustenance of the American Army on the battle fields of France. Your American manhood will no more allow you to shirk the one service

OLD MATTRESSES MADE NEW.

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 good night's sleep, if it takes only a comfortable mattress to induce it.

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than the other. You will do your duty here as they are doing their duty over there and in loyal comradeship you will all be fighting the battles of democracy. That circumstances permit you to perform your share of this military service, free from the dangers of actual fighting and near the quiet of your own homes, is no imputation on your manhood or your courage.

Serving Country.
"You are serving your country where it most needs your service, and are performing your duty without thought of any advantage it may bring or sacrifice it may entail. You are fighting the enemies of your country with every rivet you drive, with every blow you strike, and you are showing to the world that free American democracy is capable of defending its liberties, not only with a splendid efficiency that will more than match the boasted efficiency of German despotism. After the war, you will be proud of what you did to defend the liberties of this dear land of ours, and that you did your part in this great struggle to make sure that in the immortal words of Lincoln, 'government of the people, by the people and for the people shall not perish from the earth.'"

At the Gem.
The Gem today is showing a strong program, which includes Marie Walcamp in "The Red Ace," also Lena Bas in "The Child," and the wonderful "Little Mariana's Triumph," and other pictures. In the latter Mariana and her little brother, Pedro, are shown evading the child dancing wonder, for they cannot pay their rent. They sleep the first night in a barrel. A kind-hearted Irish woman takes them to her room, and the manager and finally members were present: Messrs. Ziegler, Thompson, Wilson, Ziskind, Bauch and Gottlieb, Mrs. J. C. Dakan and Mrs. Jack Barnard being the guests. Mrs. John Chambers will be the next hostess.

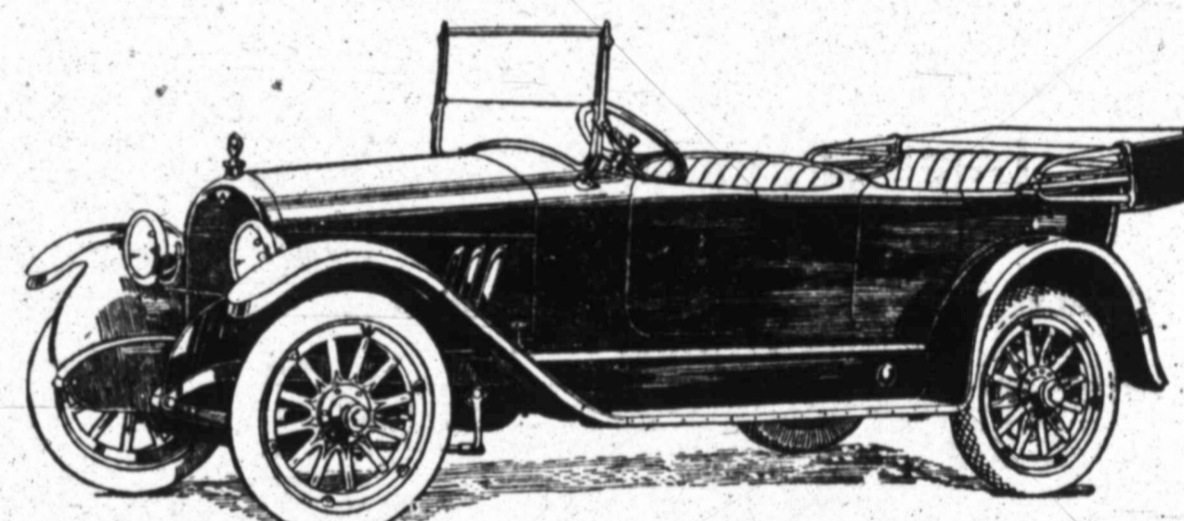
WICHITA COUNTY RED CROSS

The Red Cross announces that only the surgical dressings department will be open tomorrow at the work room. There will be classes in this work all day, and no hospital garments will be made.

The New Crochet Club met yesterday afternoon at the Red Cross work room, working for about two hours on surgical dressings. Mrs. Emil Bauch was the hostess, and the following members were present: Messrs. Ziegler, Thompson, Wilson, Ziskind, Bauch and Gottlieb, Mrs. J. C. Dakan and Mrs. Jack Barnard being the guests. Mrs. John Chambers will be the next hostess.

After completing their work at the Red Cross rooms, the club was served an ice course at Pells.

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The greatest motor car sensation of the year. In design, workmanship and material as well as appearance and appointments, it stands in a class by itself. Never before have so many points of perfection been combined in a car of moderate price. We list just a few:

- Motor—six-cylinder, 45 h. p. Rubenber, 3-1/4" x 5".
- Borg & Beck multiple-disc clutch.
- Warner transmission.
- Gray & Davis starting, lighting & ignition system.
- One hundred ampere-hour Willard battery.
- Springs special—front 38", rear 52".
- Spicer universal joints.
- Heavy duty bearings in axles and supporting differential.
- 12 spokes to each wheel alternate spokes in rear bolted.
- Wrapped tread standard tires—no equipment tires as are usually offered.
- Wheelbase 122", which accounts for the ease of control.
- Three point motor suspension.
- Engine driven tire pump.
- Single fuse control electrical system—fuse in plain sight.
- Long grain leather upholstery—French plaited.
- Instrument board and back of front seat of polished walnut.
- Motor-meter.
- Heavy crown fenders.
- Lamps of distinctive design.
- Spiral bevel gears.
- Frame 25% overweight—side members 5-3/8" thick with 2" flange.
- A balanced chassis—almost to a pound each wheel carries an equal share of the load.
- Average mileage of gasoline, 16 to 18, with credit to the Zenith carburetor and the long stroke motor.
- Weight 2950 lbs.

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CHARTER REVISION COMMITTEE CHOSEN BY CITY COUNCIL

A committee has been appointed by the city council to consider the revision of the city charter, and will convene shortly to discuss certain proposed amendments to the present charter.

Among the matters to be brought up for discussion by this committee is a proposed change of government as to whether certain offices shall be appointive or elective. The advisability of making permanent provision for the maintenance of the library will also be considered, as the present provision is said to be wholly inadequate.

The contraction of the city bound-

The Best Pictures

Are made early—not in the December rush. Your better judgment prompts you to have the sitting now, and of course it must be made at the

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When you want a suit of clothes that fit you, you have them made, don't you? When you get glasses that fit your eyes, you have to have them made. All our time is devoted to grinding glasses to fit each defect of your eyes. If you want the best I can, then have us grind it for you. We duplicate any broken lens.

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Kemp, T. B. Noble, J. F. Reed, J. W. Bradley, J. S. Birdwell and Horace Nutt.

TRY TIMES WANT ADS FOR RESULTS.

Wanted To Buy Second-Hand Furniture and Stoves! Star Furniture Co. Phone 1011

BE READY FOR THE COLLECTOR

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.

The extra accommodation of receiving by phone should be encouraged by always being ready for The Collector.

DON'T LET HIM CALL THE SECOND TIME

If you have a room to rent, a house to rent, a farm for sale, or if you want to buy an article, whether new or second-hand, you should use The Times Want Ad Column daily.

RATES—Want ads are one cent a word for the first insertion and half a cent a word for subsequent insertions. No want ad taken for less than fifteen cents and no ad taken to run three times for less than 55 cents. In giving in Want Ads PHONE 167.

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS

R. A. BAILEY cleans carpets and rugs at your home. Work guaranteed. Auto Motor Power, Vacuum process, quick service. Phone 2268. 149 tlc

We do Automobile top work; all work guaranteed. DODSON FURNITURE CO. 908 Indiana avenue. Phone 528. 163-tlc

WANTED—To buy second hand furniture and stoves. Phone 1513. Gas Stove and Furniture Co. 150 tlc

HIGHEST PRICES paid for cast-off men's clothing and shoes. Phone 434. 164 tlc

WANTED TO BUY clean cotton rags at Times office. 160 tlc

WANTED—To rent 5 or 6 room house, must be close in. Wanted by Dec 1st. Phone 1976. 165 tlc

WANTED—Board and Room in quiet family by young lady. Address G. P. O. Box 1030. 163-3tp

WANTED—To rent 4 or 5 room house flat or 2 furnished rooms, reliable parties. Phone 222. 163-3tp

WANTED—Two furnished housekeeping rooms, permanent, to couple with out children, near Joyce's grocery store. Apply J. G. care Times. 166-3tp

We want your Gas Stoves and Second-hand Furniture. Pay cash for yours. Sell our son installations. DODSON FURNITURE CO. 908 Indiana avenue. Phone 528. 163-tlc

WANTED—Listings on good residential property, in any part of the city. If you have a lot or a residence that you wish to sell please call, as I will advertise same and make a special effort to sell it for you.—N. O. Monroe, phone 2454. 167-3tp

FOR SALE—Farms-Ranches

Alfalfa Farms in Washita County, Okla., have made this year 75 per cent on the investment. They produce 4 cuttings a year and average 1 ton per acre per cutting. I have a few of these choice bottom land farms for sale. Prices reasonable. E. C. Norwood, 2208 9th Street. 162-6tp

LIVESTOCK

FOR SALE—At bargain, good delivery horse and wagon. Phone 723 or 1224. 144 tlc

FOR SALE—Twenty dairy cows and calves. One bull, fine Jersey stock. Winter feed laid in. Whitaker's Dairy, near W. H. Downing. 157-149

FINANCIAL

MONET. TO LOAN—Farm and city property note bought, sold and extended. Stehlik & Baber. 149 tlc

LOST

LOST—Automobile crank on 6th St. between Burnett and Broad. Return to Blair Highes, Wholesale Grocery Co. 165-3tc

LOST—Small pendant, set with diamond. Phone 18176. Reward. 166-3tc

LOST—Ladies minkie grey coat with black velvet collar. Wednesday evening. Return to Wichita Hardware Co. 167-3tc

LOST OR STOLEN

LOST STRAYED OR STOLEN—White horse weight about 1600 lbs., is about 14 years old, has close cropped mane. Finder return to Herring Lumber Co. Reward. 165-3tp

HELP WANTED—Male

WANTED—Salesmen to sell oil stock. Okla-Tex Oil Co. Ward Bldg., Suite 7. Phone 1791. 165-3tp

WANTED—Young man to learn trade good pay to start. B. J. Porch, 1191 7th St. 167-3tp

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Farm of 160 acres, three miles of Duke, Okla. Wanted to rent for cash rent. N. O. Monroe, Phone 2454. 166-3tc

FOR RENT—6 mares, 6 colts, buggy and harness. F. P. Warren, six miles southwest of Burk Burnett, Tex. Phone 2749 Wichita Falls, Tex. 167-3tp

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

TWO nicely furnished housekeeping rooms for rent, 2109 Ninth Phone 1665 161 tlc

FURNISHED housekeeping rooms, 1415 Fourteenth street, phone 1133. 165-3tp

FOR RENT—Two light housekeeping rooms 1319, 11th St. Phone 2268. 165-3tp

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms to parties without children. 1311 8th. Phone 235. 166-tlc

FOR RENT—Two furnished light housekeeping rooms, to parties without children. 302 Sixth street. Phone 1723. 166-tlc

FOR RENT—Two furnished housekeeping rooms; walking distance. No children. Phone 1596. 166-3tp

FOR RENT—2 furnished light housekeeping rooms, near Austin school. Phone 1298. 167-3tp

FOR RENT—2 well furnished light housekeeping rooms. Phone 1850, 1066 7th St. 167-tlc

FOR RENT—4 furnished housekeeping rooms suitable for 2 families. 1301 Scott. 167-3tp

FOR SALE OR TRADE

TRADE for land, business and residence property—good town and good rentals. Give full description. Location and price. Box 412, city. 162-6tp

FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—1600 feet of standard weight 6 1/2 new casing. W. J. Grisham, office 608 Eighth street. Phone 1538. 149 tlc

FOR SALE—Camping tent practically new. Fire Shop, 608 Sixth street. 161 tlc

FOR SALE—New Star drilling machine, No. 26; equipped with large engine, calf wheel and sixty-foot mast. Complete string tools. New manila cable. A complete wild cat outfit. Invoice furnished on application to J. Eugene Brown, Gunter Hotel, San Antonio, Texas. 164-3tp

FOR SALE—Furniture of six room house; buyer may rent house. 702 Travis street. 166-3tp

FOR SALE—1630 feet casing. See Van McPhale or R. M. Cavett, Hearn Hotel. 165-3tp

FOR SALE—Invalid chair in first class condition. Phone 1729—809 Harrison. 165-3tp

FOR SALE—Gas cook stove. Phone 333. 164-tlc

NICE PECANS for sale at pavilion at Lake Wichita. 165-6tp

FOR SALE—Furnishings of a 6 room rooming house, good location. House is full of roomers. \$850.00 cash. Phone 1900. 165-3tc

FOR SALE—Household furniture, practically new. Also fuel Range Stove. Apply 208 San Antonio street. 166-6tp

FOR SALE—Good furniture 1505 Smarsh avenue. Phone 1511. 165-6tp

FOR SALE—Household furniture at bargain. 1108, 15th street. Phone 2604. 166-3tc

FOR SALE OR TRADE—New Schulz Piano or lot in FL. Worth to trade for lot here. Box 134. 166-6tp

FOR SALE—Dairy loan, 50c per load, clear of Johnson grass seed, at the Sanitary Dairy. 166-3tc

FOR SALE—3 h. p. gasoline engine and double pump jack.—S. W. Stout, 1 1/2 miles east on Meridian road. 167-3tp

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—Position as office girl. Use typewriter and do collecting. Phone 996. Address Stepanographer. 150 tlc

POSITION WANTED—By young lady in bearing house or private home. Phone 539. 164-3tp

POSITION WANTED—As truck driver. Apply E. L. Brown, 703 Burnett. 165-3tp

BOOKKEEPER wants position, years of experience in all kinds of accounting. Phone 50. 166-3tp

BOARD AND ROOMS

ROOM and BOARD—At 1208 Burnett Phone 1868. 158 12tp

BOARD and Rooms at 506 Scott. Phone 1978. 163-6tp

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WOMEN OF CITY CALLED TO MEET ON NEXT SUNDAY A mass meeting of the Y. W. C. A. will be held in the First Christian Church Sunday afternoon, Nov. 25, at 3:30 o'clock, under the auspices of the national war council of the Y. W. C. A. Miss Mabel Stafford of Dallas, field secretary, will give an address dealing of local, state and foreign needs.

HELP WANTED—Female WANTED—White girl for general housework, family of four. Apply 1606 Teuth. 138 tlc

Stewardship Meeting At Christian Church Will Be of Interest One of the most interesting and helpful of the entire series of stewardship meetings being conducted at the First Christian Church will be held tonight and will be in the nature of an open conference on tithing and will be participated in by various members of the different churches of the city who have been invited to be present.

Lindsey Nunn Thinks Wichita Falls Grows With Wonderful Speed Mr. J. Lindsey Nunn of Amarillo, owner of the Nunn Electric Company's chain of stores in Texas and Oklahoma, is here today visiting with Manager B. C. Workman of the Wichita Falls store.

Back Pay Is Given Veteran Guardsmen Now in Camp Bowie Fort Worth, Nov. 23.—Assistant Adjutant General Wood of Austin has established an office at Camp Bowie to direct the distribution of back pay to veteran Texas national guard officers. The total will reach \$100,000 and will be based on the period of service.

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Mothers Telegraphed Invitation to Meet In This City Next

R. E. Huff, president of the chamber of commerce, has wired Mrs. J. W. Lee at the Texas Congress of Mothers, a cordial invitation to hold the next convention in Wichita Falls. The telegram follows:

"Texas Congress of Mothers, Per Mrs. J. W. Lee, Houston, Texas: 'The citizenship of Wichita Falls extends to you a most cordial invitation to convene in this city on the occasion of your next meeting.' R. E. HUFF, 'President Chamber of Commerce.'"

JUNIOR ENDEAVORS WILL MEET SUNDAY

A Junior Endeavor Society of the First Presbyterian Church has been launched and an excellent program has been arranged for the meeting to be held next Sunday afternoon at 7 o'clock. The program follows:

"For What Am I Grateful." Song, "He Included Me." Reading, Psalms 34. Prayer. Roll call, respond by telling something for which you are thankful. Song, "Count Your Blessings." Story of the ten lepers and the ungrateful nine. Sentence prayers. Missionary story from "African Trail." Why Dr. Weber did not see the first Bulu minister ordained. Open discussion. Song, "God Be With Us Till We Meet Again." Benediction, "Mizpah."

Myles Will Deliver Memorial Address of Local Elks' Lodge

A. E. Myles has accepted the invitation of the Elks' lodge to deliver the memorial address on Sunday, Dec. 2. At the meeting of the lodge this week it was unanimously voted to invite Mr. Myles to deliver the address. A. L. Huey has been selected to deliver the eulogies on the members who have died during the past twelve months.

Peddling of Meats Is Frowned Upon By City Board of Health

The city board of health is most anxious to put a stop to the indiscriminate peddling of meat in the city, and wishes to remind all meat peddlers that a city permit is necessary before they are allowed to sell meat on the streets. This permit may be obtained

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by any one who conforms to the requirements, but the board advises against the buying from peddlers, even when they possess such permit, as it is believed that the best sanitary methods cannot be obtained when meat is sold from wagons and that such a method of selling meat is not conducive to public health.

Two drunks, the affrays and one speeding case made up the police court docket. Five dollar fines were assessed in the drunk and affray cases. The speeding case was carried over.

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