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## FOUR STEAMERS AND SEVEN SCHOONERS

Are Known to Have Been Sunk Off North Atlantic Coast by Teuton U-Boats.

New York, June 3.—Eleven American vessels, four steamers and 7 schooners, were known tonight to have been sunk by submarines off the North Atlantic coast since May 25.

The largest of the prey of the raiders, seeking to prevent the sailing of transports with troops for the battlefields of France, was the New York and Porto Rico liner Carolina of 8,000 tons, which was attacked Sunday night about 125 miles southwest of Sandy Hook. The fate of her 220 passengers and crew of 130 was unknown late tonight, but there was hope they had been picked up by some passing ship or would reach shore safely in the small boats. Not a life was lost in the sinking of the other ships, according to late reports.

Besides the Carolina the known victims of the U-boat are the Atlantic Refining Company tanker Herbert L. Pratt, the steamer Winneconne of 1,800 tons and six schooners, the largest of which were the Hauppauge, a new ship of 1,800 tons, and the Edward H. Cole. The crews of these vessels have been landed at Atlantic ports.

Urged Mexican to Cheer Kaiser.

Reno, Nev., May 29.—Carl Schmidt, a German employed on a ranch near here, Monday night, was severely beaten in a fight with Pedro Dominguez, a Mexican employed at the same place. Realizing force could not obtain revenge, he took a characteristically German way of soothing his feelings.

Pretexting friendship, he induced the Mexican to come to Reno with him Wednesday, and after visiting numerous saloons, the German urged the Mexican to give cheers for the Kaiser, which Dominguez did.

Dominguez is in a hospital.

The endurance of the amateur corner artist would bring him fame and fortune if directed in the right way.

Dr. Being Held for Federal Government.

Dr. William J. Hayes, whose home is in the Percilla community, is in the county jail here, charged with obstructing the operation of the army draft law, and held for the federal government. He was arrested under instructions of Chairman P. H. Hughes of the local exemption board. Mr. Hayes said the arrest followed the board's experience with a young man, Dan F. Ferguson of the Percilla section. Young Ferguson was ordered to report for examination on February the 7th, and on that date appeared with the excuse that he was then suffering an attack of measles. He was then ordered to report again

in March, and according to Chairman Hughes, a certificate from Dr. Hayes declared Ferguson was too ill to report. Later on the young man was ordered to report, and again a certificate came from the doctor that he was ill. Mr. Hayes became suspicious and in company with a doctor from Palestine called at the home of the young man. An examination there convinced the new doctor there was nothing the matter with the man. He was brought to Palestine and given a thorough medical examination. The result was that he was drafted into the company of young men who left here last night. In the meantime Mr. Hayes had asked for and secured the arrest of Dr. Hayes.—Palestine Herald.

Only One Objector to 2,000 Fighters Is Record of Draft.

Washington, June 1.—Only 600 professed conscientious objectors have been reported among the 1,300,000 men called for military service under the draft. Secretary Baker said today. Military officials say this proportion of one objector to 2,000 fighters will be reduced still further when the board of inquiry appointed by President Wilson to examine into each case has reported.

## BATTLE WITH POSSE; FIVE NEGROES DEAD

AFTERMATH OF RECENT KILLING HAS TRAGIC RESULTS AT DODGE, TEXAS.

Dodge, Tex., June 1.—Five negroes are dead and another perhaps fatally injured as the result of a battle between the negroes and a posse of white men which took place here this morning. The fight lasted about two hours, and about 250 shots were exchanged.

The names of the dead were given as Coot Cabiness, Tenola Cabiness, Peter Cabiness, Sarah Cabiness, mother, and Lena Cabiness, sister of the men. One sister, Bessie, is desperately wounded.

George Cabiness was shot and killed and two women, his mother and sister, were seriously wounded here Thursday. Cabiness refused to register last June, it is alleged, and was arrested, but was later released and he registered. He had been called twice for service, it is asserted. Three farmers on their way to work Thursday morning saw him and attempted to talk to him, but he is said to have threatened them with a gun and refused to talk. A posse was formed and the negroes barricaded themselves in a house, but later came out and Cabiness was killed. None of the white men were injured.

It is alleged that the negroes had declared their intention of getting revenge for the killing of Thursday. The negroes were surrounded in a house early this morning by white men and the fight started about 6 o'clock, lasting until 8. The negroes were well armed with shotguns and pistols and replied vigorously to the fire of the whites, but none of their shots took effect. The house started burning. The negroes were forced to the open, where they died.

Sheriff King was summoned from Huntsville, but arrived after the trouble was all over. No arrests have been made as yet.

## GROWING OUR OWN WHEAT

An Encouraging Start Made That Promises to Solve the Wheat Flour Problem.

It will be remembered that the Commercial Club, through the organization of the Houston County Wheat Growers Association, made an effort last fall to get enough winter wheat planted to furnish the needed flour for the county. Also that over a thousand acres were signed up, but on account of the drought that prevailed during planting time only one tenth of the subscribers planted. In other words about one hundred acres were sown. Fortunately sufficient moisture followed to carry the plants through the winter, and favorable reports filtered into our office at times that encouraged us to believe that the crop was coming on allright. Harvest time is here and the crop is being cut and arrangements being made for threshing, and the result is all that the most optimistic could expect.

The growth in stalk is greater than the average in what has been considered wheat growing sections, and the grain is larger and better filled out than was expected, as this was not thought to be a wheat growing section. In fact there was considerable doubt in the minds of many of our farmers as to whether it would do any good at all in Houston county. To test this out was the purpose of most of those who planted last fall, and the result proves beyond a question that wheat can be grown here of an excellent quality and the yield per acre is satisfactory.

The harvesting is being done by two or three parties who have self-binders, and the threshing is to be done for this vicinity by having the wheat in the bundle hauled to Crockett on a certain day to be announced later. The acreage is so small in each instance that it would not pay for the thrasher to be hauled about the county.

Every farmer who has grown wheat this time is so well pleased that he expresses himself in favor of greatly increasing the acreage this fall.

Uniforms for the Cavalry Troop.

Did you see Captain Snell and Lieutenant Deupree in their new uniforms Monday afternoon when they met at drill? Looked fine, didn't they? Well all the members of the troop must have uniforms like these and the state has no money available to buy them. General Wolters has asked each county furnishing a troop to find a way to furnish the necessary uniforms.

The Houston county troop contains a hundred and twenty members, but forty of them are from Palestine. The citizens of Palestine have provided the uniforms for their men, and it is now up to Houston county to do likewise for the eighty members from this county.

The uniforms cost \$10.20 each and it is the real handsome thing to do for those who feel they can afford it to offer to uniform one member. Some of the business men of Palestine paid for three uniforms, but we are going to be very proud of our people if they will pay for one each until all have been provided. The necessity for the uniform is twofold.

First to instill the proper amount of pride and interest on the part of members during their drill and other preparatory work, and second to be fully equipped and ready for duty when mustered into federal service. In other words, be ready to go to France soon as called upon, and it looks as if they would all be needed. Meetings will be held over the county this and next week, and it is expected very little trouble will be experienced in raising the needed amount. Many have already told Captain Snell and Lieutenant Deupree they were ready to assist.

War Savings Stamp Drive.

On Friday, the 28th of this month, a meeting in the interest of the War Savings Stamp method of raising money to help carry on the war will be held in every church, school house and town hall in Houston county, and it is expected that every man, woman and child will be represented in these gatherings for the purpose of making a pledge as to the amount he or she will invest in this popular savings plan to help the government.

Prior to this meeting pledge cards will have been mailed to every one in the county, and when this one day campaign is over the amount Houston county has pledged will be known. More particulars will be published later.

H. A. Fisher, Secretary.

## SLACKER IN ALABAMA UNPOPULAR

CHILTON COUNTY SHERIFF EXONERATED OF CHARGE OF NEGLIGENCE.

Montgomery, Ala., May 31.—Word reached here Friday from Clanton, Ala., that there was no truth in a report which came from there yesterday that H. A. Harris, sheriff of Chilton county, had been arrested for negligence and nonenforcement of draft regulations. The message quoted O. L. Doggerell, federal agent in charge of rounding up slackers and army deserters, as saying the sheriff had not been arrested.

Doggerell's statement was confirmed from other sources and it was stated Sheriff Harris has been actively engaged in the drive to round up alleged deserters and slackers in his county.

Three men have been arrested in the county—Thomas Simms for failure to register, Dan Lockhart for deserting the Rainbow division at an Atlantic port, and W. T. Martin for deserting his company at Camp Wheeler. In the adjoining county, Coosa, Sheriff John R. Hardy stated Friday that there was no situation that could come about for which he was not prepared. The widespread reports that army rifles have been shipped to a gang of slackers and deserters in that county are not believed by him, though parties in Chilton county saw boxes pass through to Coosa. No arrest other than that of Lucien Bean early in the week has been made in Coosa, and Bean is reported to have been released on his own recognizance, pending a term of federal court.

Birmingham, Ala., May 31.—When W. M. Cannon, one of the prominent merchants of Fayette, Ala., came down to his store Friday morning, he found the entire front painted yellow, including the plate glass. Citizens have recently been greatly stirred over the alleged failure of Mr. Cannon to buy liberty bonds or subscribe to the Red Cross.

## 16 KNOWN TO HAVE BEEN DROWNED

All Are From Steamship Carolina, Sunk on Sunday Afternoon.

New York, June 4.—The list of dead and missing from the raid of German submarines against shipping off the American coast apparently stood tonight at fifty-eight, all from the steamship Carolina of the New York and Porto Rico Line. Sixteen of this number are known to have perished when one of the ship's boats capsized in a storm Sunday after the vessel had been sunk. The fate of the others is not known, but it is hoped they have been picked up by a passing ship and will yet reach shore safely.

Texas Boy is Killed While Making Flight for Red Cross.

Lovelady, Tex., June 2.—W. T. Wilkins of this place was killed Friday while flying at Alto. Something evidently wrong with his machine at a height of about 1,200 feet. He was making his 731st flight for the Red Cross. He is survived by a mother and three brothers, two of the latter having volunteered in the army.

Officers Arrest a Draft Official.

Montgomery, Ala., May 30.—Arrest of Sheriff H. A. Harris of Chilton county and of W. T. Martin, an alleged deserter from the army, were developments Thursday in the campaign of federal authorities in Chilton and Coosa counties against alleged deserters and slackers. Harris as chairman of the county exemption board, is charged with failure to enforce the draft law, negligence and inefficiency.

I AM THE RED CROSS.

By Henry Payson Dowst.

I am the symbol of the pity of God. I burgeon upon the flaunting banner of victory and the drooping guidon of defeat.

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I am the color of blood spilled for democracy, the form of Christ's tree of agony, and my followers, at need, crucify themselves to let men live.

I carry the hope of life into the red pits of death, and a dying soldier salutes me and smiles as he goes to touch the hand of God Almighty.

I stand for the organized love of mankind, the co-ordinated impulses of young and of old to do good, the sacred efficiency of human service.

I mark the flag under which are mobilized the forces of industry and finance, of church and school, of capital, of labor, of genius and of sinew.

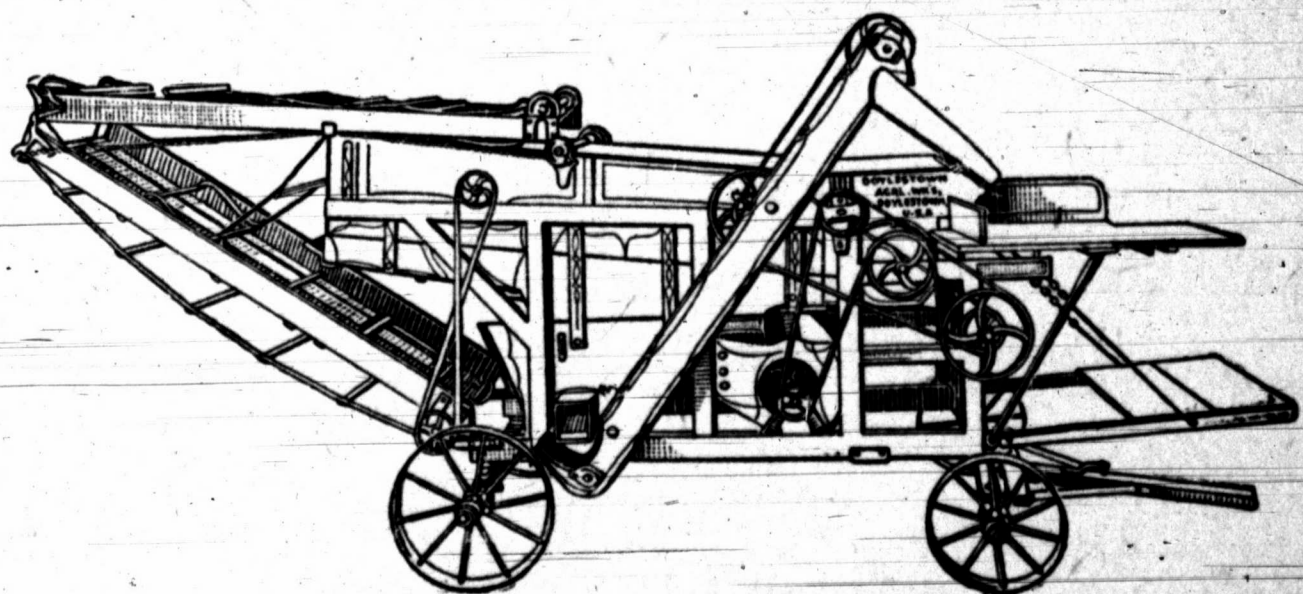
I am civilization's godspeed to those who defend her; I am the message from home.

I am the symbol for the pity of God.

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### Local News Items

Fruit jars, all sizes, at Shivers Brothers' tf.

Sol Bromberg of Galveston was here Sunday.

Miss Alice Foster has returned from Mt. Pleasant.

Miss Ruth Warfield is at home from school at Dallas.

A complete and up-to-date abstract. tf. Aldrich & Crook.

Mrs. E. M. Burk and son were in Lufkin the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Goodwin of Elmo were here for the weekend.

Mrs. C. L. Edmiston, Josephine and Sheelor are visiting in Longview.

Fresh peanut butter in bulk at Crockett Grocery & Baking Company's. It.

Miss Sue Smith returned Sunday from a visit to relatives in Palestine.

Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Harrison and daughter of Houston were here Sunday.

Misses Mary Sue Powers and Minnie Bly Leediker are visiting in Jacksonville.

Beech Nut vinegar, per quart 50 cents at Crockett Grocery & Baking Company's. It.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker King of Austin are spending the week with friends here.

Five pounds good roasted coffee for \$1.00 at Crockett Grocery & Baking Company's. It.

J. W. Howard and family and Mrs. J. R. Howard were visitors to Houston last week.

Fresh bulk sweet pickles, at 30 cents per pound, at Crockett Grocery & Baking Co's. It.

Mrs. B. S. Elliott and Miss Clarite Elliott have returned from a visit to Galveston.

Misses Lucia Painter and Bess Satterwhite are visiting Miss Grace Mainer at Lovelady.

Miss Gertrude Orr and mother are spending the summer with friends at Bentonville, Ark.

Heinz pure cider vinegar, per quart 35 cents, at Crockett Grocery & Baking Company's. It.

For Sale—One Chevrolet car, 1917 model. tf. A. A. Aldrich.

Get your Buckwheat and Pancake Flour from Crockett Grocery & Baking Company. It.

Mrs. J. W. Brightman and Miss Willie Barlow are visiting in Dallas and Fort Worth.

Silver Moon and Maxwell House Coffee at Crockett Grocery & Baking Company's. It.

The Boy Scouts received their tents Monday morning. They are now ready to set up camp.

Miss Fay Murray of Lovelady returned Friday from Ward-Belmont Seminary, Nashville.

Money to lend on farms. Terms reasonable, money quick. See J. S. French, Crockett, Texas. tf.

Dr. Perry Bromberg of Nashville, Tenn., arrived Sunday to be present at the bedside of his father, Mr. M. Bromberg, who is very ill.

Rev. S. F. Tenney is expecting to preach at Oakland church Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Misses Lizzie DuPuy and Beth Lundy returned Friday from the Presbyterian college at Milford.

For genuine Ford service, see or phone Towery Motor Co., authorized Ford Sales and Service. tf.

Miss Evelyn Bennett has returned from Belton, where she was a student of Baylor University.

If in need of a good wagon see Shivers Brothers before you buy. They handle the Owensboro—none better. tf.

Mrs. Chas. U. McLarty, Miss Louine McLarty and Sinks McLarty are visiting in Caldwell and Georgetown.

Mrs. James M. Tenney, who has been visiting in Crockett, has returned to her home at Fort Smith, Ark.

Harvey Bayne of Camp Bowie was here Sunday and Monday. He expects to leave Camp Bowie soon for somewhere.

#### Boarders Wanted.

Mrs. C. M. Newton wants a few boarders at the residence of Judge A. A. Aldrich. It.

Just received at Shivers Brothers'—one car Owensboro wagons in wide and narrow tires, Bois d'Arc and oak fellows. tf.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Klein are spending a few days at Port Arthur before going to New York to make their home.

We have received another car of Studebaker Wagons and Buggies this week. tf. Jas. S. Shivers.

When you bale your hay remember Shivers Brothers have a good stock of baling wire now on hand at the right price. tf.

Shivers Brothers now have on hand a fresh supply of barley and corn flour which, when mixed, makes a good biscuit. Try it. tf.

T. B. Tunstall, living on the Porter Springs road, west of Crockett, exhibited some very fine wheat at this office Saturday.

#### For Sale.

One bay mare, about seven years old, 15 1-2 hands high, works anywhere. tf. Edmiston Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Musick of the Trinity river country announce the arrival of a boy whom they have named for a certain popular county official.

Mrs. Scott Bagby, who will be remembered as Miss Adelle Bruner, and children of Corsicana will arrive next week to be guests of Captain Arrington and family.

#### Red Cross Turkey.

On Saturday, June 8, the Red Cross will sell at auction a fine bronze gobbler, weighing 30 pounds. This turkey was donated to the Red Cross by Mr. Keys, living on Route 3.

#### Don't Forget

The Day and Night Garage for automobile or airplane service at submarine prices. We have experienced mechanics for all kinds of cars, and if you are in the market for a Grant Six we have it. tf. Day and Night Garage.

A message from Howard Jordan of Camp Bowie to his mother, Mrs. J. L. Jordan of this city, announces his departure for an unknown destination. The supposition is that he was leaving for some eastern training camp or possibly for France.

#### Pocket Book Lost.

Somewhere on the road, my pocket book containing double lens glasses, \$1.85 in money and a pocket handkerchief. Will pay \$5.00 reward for the pocket book and contents.

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#### No Trespassing Allowed.

The fair ground is private property and does not belong to the public. Parties entering same without permission are trespassers and in the future will be prosecuted as such. 2t. Houston County Fair Ass'n.

#### Novel Entertainment.

Money for the Red Cross was recently raised in Crockett in a novel manner. Taking charge of a vacant barn or garage, the following young people gave a musical entertainment that netted the Red Cross \$8.30: Vocory Tunstall, Beth Tunstall, Elvira Tunstall, Dollie Denton Tunstall, Rebecca Tunstall, Catherine Powell, Aline Powell, Stella Powell and Nannie Leene Parish.

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Jap Brannen of Pennington, 16 miles southeast of Crockett, made two round trips to Crockett Friday with a heavily loaded truck, bringing in products and taking out merchandise. Where there are good roads trucks and automobiles are replacing the railroads.

#### Exceeded Quota.

The Lovelady district exceeded its quota in the recent Red Cross drive. The quota for that district was \$885. The total amount raised in the district was \$1376.95, divided among the school districts as follows: Lovelady, \$781.70; Prairie Point, \$81.00; Holly, \$141.25; Center, \$38.25; Center Hill, \$82.75; Pearson Chapel, \$66.55; Lone Pine, \$127.45; Antioch, \$62.00.

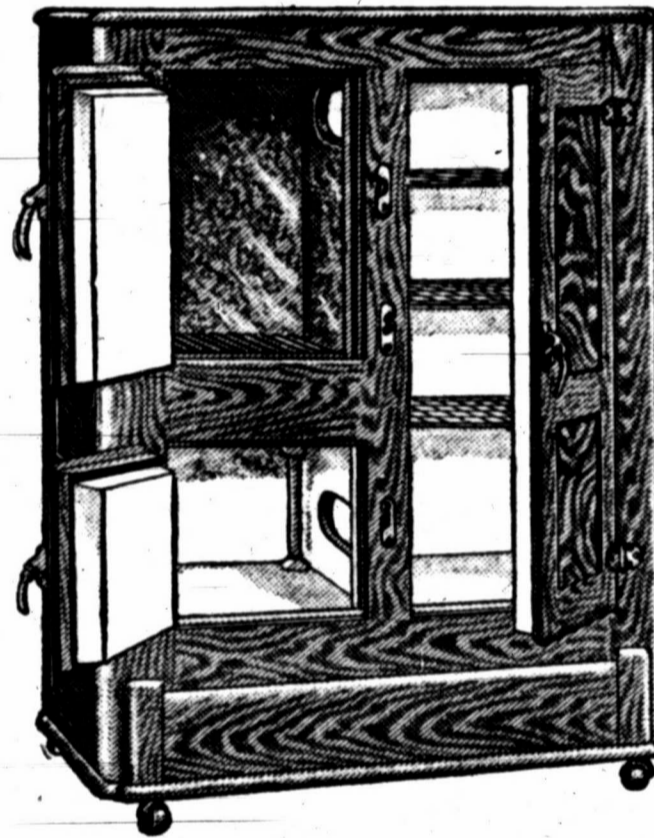
#### Cemetery Work.

We are making a strong effort to keep up the cemetery work, but need money to do this.

Will all who have loved ones in the cemetery be willing to contribute fifty cents per month, payable monthly; or, in advance, six dollars per year, as they prefer?

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## STATEMENT BY BRIGADE COMMANDER

Gives Information Regarding Induction of Guard Organizations Into Federal Service.

Houston, Texas, June 2.—Brigadier General J. F. Wolters, commanding First Brigade Cavalry, National Guard of Texas, gave out the following statement tonight:

"All the troops of the First Cavalry regiment have been mustered into state service except the Dayton troop, and it will be mustered Tuesday, June 4. This regiment is recruited up to 1,560 men, being forty more than the maximum. Six troops of the Second Regiment Cavalry have been mustered into the state service, and the remaining troops will be mustered by June 4. This regiment has recruited 1,489 men, being short only thirty-one for maximum war strength. These thirty-one men and more will be enlisted Monday and Tuesday.

"All troops of the Third Regiment Cavalry have been mustered into the state service, with an enlisted force of 1,594 men, being seventy more than maximum war strength.

"In addition to the above, each of the troops mustered into the state service have enlisted at least ten men additional. This will protect these troops in the event they lose any of their men in the draft. However, the number of men who are in Class 1 of the draft in this brigade are so few that it is almost a negative number.

"An analysis of the history of the line officers shows the following interesting facts:

"Out of the 45 captains, 31 have had previous military experience. Thirty-two are college men. The 14 who have not had previous military experience are all college men. Out of the first lieutenants, 31 have had previous military experience and 26 are college men. Out of the second lieutenants 26 have had previous military experience and 37 are college men. Fifty-one of the officers read, write and speak Spanish, four French, eight German and one Bohemian.

"The officers who are not classed as college men are, however, men of good education. Some of them are successful lawyers, who did not have the advantage of a college education.

"An analysis of the enlisted men discloses that approximately 90 per cent are young men between the ages of 18 and 21. Fifty per cent of them have a high school education and the other 50 per cent attended grammar schools. Included in this is a large per cent of young men who have attended college for one or more years. The other 10 per cent is composed of men in the deferred classification of the draft or over the draft age. Practically all of these have had high school education or better. Eighty-five per cent of the enlisted men are now living on farms or ranches or were raised on the farm or ranch.

The commanding general avails himself of this opportunity to extend his appreciation to the daily and weekly newspapers for their generous and patriotic assistance in the organization of this brigade, as well as the patriotism and loyalty of the citizens everywhere who have rendered the recruiting officers their assistance. In this connection the commanding general especially extends his thanks to the patriotic women who in every locality where troops were

organized rendered such valuable assistance.

"The next step in the organization will be the inspection of the forty-five troops by federal inspectors. This inspection is for the purpose of federal recognition. Federal recognition is contradistinguished from a call or draft into the federal service. Upon the granting of federal recognition the units are recognized by the United States government as national guard units of the state of Texas and the United States. They are then subject to call or draft into federal service by the president. Upon receiving federal recognition the troops are subject to equipment by federal government. Whether or not the government will equip these units before they are called or drafted into the federal service is a matter regarding which the commanding general has no information. It is, however, desirable that until called or drafted into federal service that the troops receive all the training at their home stations that is practical.

"It is essential that each troop be provided with a fund known as 'troop fund.' After troops have been in federal service for some time they will acquire such funds through exchanges but where the troops are originally organized there is no way by which such 'troop fund' can be procured except through contribution from local citizens. There are many things the troops need which are supposed to be acquired from the 'troop fund,' which the government does not supply. Such, for instance, as typewriters (each troop should have two of these), file cases, rubber stamps, and other articles are also a necessity. It is also well that each troop have means of entertaining its men. For instance, victrolas, baseball outfits, football outfits, and other implements for athletic sport. The troop commanders are responsible under the regulations for handling of such troop fund and must account for it. Such accounts are inspected monthly by the major commanding the squadron, and every three months by the inspector general's department. The commanding general is quite certain that if the people living in the communities where troops have been organized fully understood how much assistance this fund is to the boys enlisted in such troops, they would gladly raise in each community a sum requisite for that purpose. Every little helps and no sum can be too great to further that interest. When the federal inspectors visit the troops for inspection they will judge the sympathy of the community with the troop, largely by whether a 'troop fund' has been supplied. This statement is made by the commanding general because the troop commanders in the different localities feel a delicacy in asking their friends to assist them, and because some of the citizens are uninformed and do not always understand that these funds are entirely for the benefit of the men and that every cent of it must be rigidly accounted for by the troop commander in the manner above stated."

## THE I. W. W. WORKS AGAINST THE U. S.

PRIVATE WORMKEE'S TESTIMONY GRAPHIC EXPOSURE OF PLOTS.

Chicago, May 30.—Private Frank Wormkee, alias Frank Woods, testified Thursday at the trial of 112 Industrial Workers of the World that he was asked by members of the organization at the Minneapolis headquarters to teach sabotage in the American army. This sabotage, Wormkee said he was informed, could include placing a foreign substance in food to cause illness and the cutting up of clothing.

Wormkee's tale of violence by members of the organization spanned a period of nearly two years, during a part of which he worked as an organizer in the harvest fields, the big lumber camps, the shipping districts and the orange belt of California.

He admitted he committed acts of sabotage while an Industrial Workers of the World delegate, and said he received Industrial Workers of the World literature in at least one instance after he entered the Jefferson barracks.

In substantiation of government charges that the organization taught the doctrines of sabotage and used it in the alleged conspiracy to block the war program, Wormkee testified that he and other members drove spikes into logs to wreck mill machinery in Washington and Oregon lumber camps. In Oklahoma spikes were driven in fields to break grain cycles, and one member, whom he named as James Edgar, carried a bottle of liquid in the Montana lumber district that would cause fire when thrown upon wood.

"It was a general practice of the organization, according to my understanding, to plant grain shocks upside down," testified the witness.

He testified during the outbreaks in Kansas and Oklahoma harvest fields last year the authorities were intimidated, and in one case the sheriff himself placed in jail.

He testified that while secretary of the branch at San Pedro, Cal., he attempted to organize longshoremen with a view of shutting down export of munitions. The organization was "100 per cent complete on the Atlantic and 90 per cent complete on the Pacific," he said he was told.

Wormkee said members were advised to resist the draft and commit sabotage against big war industries.



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## NATIONAL THRIFT DAY DESIGNATED

Appeal Made to People to Put Savings Into Government Loans to Win the War.

Washington, May 29.—To save materials and labor for necessary war purposes President Wilson Wednesday appealed to Americans "to buy only those things which are essential to the individual health and efficiency," and to volunteer on or before June 28 National Thrift day; to invest systematically in war savings and thrift stamps or other government securities.

"This war is one of nations—not of armies," said the president, "and all of our 100,000,000 people must be economically and industrially adjusted to war conditions if this nation is to play its full part in the conflict. The problem before us is not primarily a financial problem, but rather a problem of increased production of war essentials and the saving of the materials and the labor necessary for the support and equipment of our army and navy. Thoughtless expenditure of money for non-essentials uses up the labor of men, the products of farms, mines and factories and overburdens transportation, all of which must be used to the utmost and at their best for war purposes.

"The great result which we seek can be obtained only by the participation of every member of the nation, young and old, in a national concerted thrift movement. I therefore urge that our people everywhere pledge themselves, as suggested by the secretary of the treasury, to the practice of thrift; to serve the government to their utmost in increasing production in all fields necessary to the winning of the war; to conserve food and fuel and useful materials of every kind; to devote their labor only to the most necessary tasks and to buy only those things which are essential to individual health and efficiency, and that the people, as an evidence of their loyalty, invest all they can in liberty bonds and war saving stamps.

"The securities issued by the treasury department are so within the reach of every one that the door of opportunity in this matter is wide open to all of us. To practice thrift in peace times is a virtue and brings great benefit to the individual at all times; with the desperate need of the civilized world today for materials and labor with which to end the war, the practice of individual thrift is a patriotic duty and a necessity.

"I appeal to all who now own their

liberty bonds or war savings stamps to continue to practice economy and thrift and to appeal to all who do not own government securities to do likewise and purchase them to the extent of their means. The man who buys government securities transfers the purchasing power of his money to the United States government until after this war, and to that same degree does not buy in competition with the government.

"I earnestly appeal to every man, woman and child to pledge themselves on or before the 28th of June to save constantly and to buy as regularly as possible the securities of the government; and to do this as far as possible through membership in war savings societies. The 28th of June ends this special period of enlistment in the great volunteer army of production and saving here at home. May there be none unenlisted on that day."

## LARGEST OF GOVERNMENT PRISONS

Millionaires and Low-Grade Criminals on Same Level of Discipline and Treatment.

The federal prison at Atlanta, Ga., is a most interesting place to visit. There are three such prisons in the United States—one at Leavenworth, Kan., one at McNeil Island, Wash., and one at Atlanta. The latter is said to be the largest and most complete in all its apartments. The main and other important buildings are surrounded by a brick wall forty feet high on which are seven guard towers. The large gate opens and closes by electricity and the guard stand is surrounded with a belt of electricity so that no one can approach it. There are 1,500 prisoners held in this prison.

Bank presidents, railroad presidents and capitalists, some of them millionaires, are incarcerated in the Atlanta prison. There are also five or six noted German spies and propagandists. One of them, after doing much damage in this country, made his escape, going to England, where he was arrested, brought back and convicted, and is now serving his term of punishment here. Another is a famous spy that was arrested in Cuba. The German sympathizer, who burned the bridge in Maine that connects the United States with Canada, is among the spies in this prison. They are treated like other prisoners, with kindness. Prisoners of a low order of intelli-

gence are made to work on the farm. In connection with the prison is a farm of 240 acres that is being cultivated, and on which corn, potatoes and various truck and vegetable products are being produced. The prison also operates a dairy and raises poultry and hogs. The prisoners of a higher order of intelligence furnish the labor of operating the laundry, the shoe factory, the making of clothing, etc. All of the several departments are operated with perfect system, and everything moves without friction, every man being in his place at the right time to perform the duty allotted to him.—Galveston News.

A woman seldom believes anything her husband says about her, but she believes everything he says about other women.

Belief that there are as good fish in the sea as ever were caught is poor consolation to the man whose bait is gone.

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All sick watches treated by the latest scientific methods. All dead watches and clocks not mortified can be resurrected. A trained nurse to help the specialist.

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TROOPS FROM UNITED STATES EXPECTED TO EQUAL ENGLAND'S ARMY.

Chicago, May 30.—Senator James Hamilton Lewis said in a speech here Thursday that the United States now has 1,000,000 soldiers in foreign lands and that by December 1 will be numerically equal to England's army.

He said 700,000,000 pounds of explosives are in process of manufacture. The ordnance department has spent, he said, \$775,000,000 for projectiles and 75,000,000 projectiles are on their way to Pershing. One thousand rifles are being manufactured daily. He placed the machine guns contracted for at 350,000 and added that 100,000 have been delivered.

"We have 150 warships in European waters," he said, "and 50 others of a war character. There are 400,000 men in the navy and by October 1 there will be half a million, he explained.

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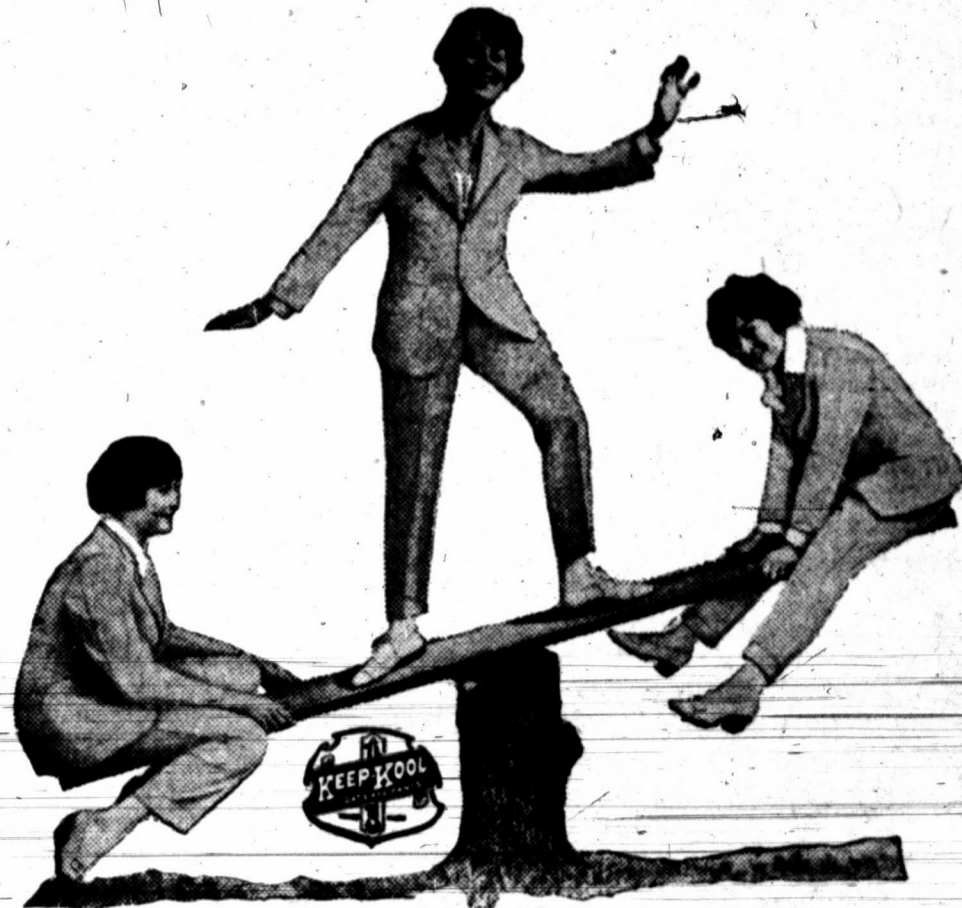


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## NO LIMIT PLACED ON SIZE OF ARMY

House Breaks Record in Passing Largest Annual Budget in History of the U. S.

Washington, May 31.—The largest annual army appropriation bill in history, carrying \$12,041,682,000 and authorizing the president to call into military service all men who can be trained and equipped, was passed late today by the house and sent to the senate.

The house broke its record for speed on an army bill by taking the final vote after three days of debate.

The measure is framed to provide for an army of 3,000,000 men during the coming year, in accordance with the government's revised program for rushing soldiers to France. Among the big items are \$6,315,130,000 for the quartermaster corps, \$3,396,000,000 for ordnance, \$1,028,000,000 for the engineers, \$990,250,812 for aviation and \$267,000,000 for the medical corps.

The measure preventing the use of stop watches or other speeding-up devices in plants where the money provided in the bill is spent was adopted by a vote of 63 to 59. The house also adopted an amendment by Representative Anthony of Kansas forbidding "cost plus" contracts except in emergency.

During the debate Representative Longworth of Ohio and others condemned what they called overoptimistic statements concerning the number of American soldiers sent overseas.

Representative Caldwell of New York predicted that the million mark will be reached by July 4.

Longworth Criticises Claim of Lewis As to Forces Abroad.

Washington, May 31.—Representative Longworth of Ohio, speaking in the house today on the army appropriation bill, asked Chairman Dent of the military committee whether it was true that there were 1,000,000 American soldiers abroad as announced yesterday in a speech by Senator Lewis of Illinois. Mr. Dent replied that because of the request of the war department that the exact

number of troops abroad be kept secret he was unable to answer.

"The senator from Illinois is at least believed to be one of the principal spokesmen for the administration, and I therefore think it proper to ask if the figures he quoted are correct," replied Mr. Longworth.

"Do you believe the figures are incorrect?" asked Representative Sherley of Kentucky.

"I do," Mr. Longworth replied, "and I criticize any man in public life who gives information to the public which is not correct."

## BIG TRANSPORT CUT SUBMARINE IN TWO

An Atlantic Port, May 31.—A German submarine, lying in wait for transports carrying American troops was rammed and sunk by a large British transport off the Irish coast during the second week in May, according to authentic information brought here today by a prominent American returning from an important mission to England.

The ship which sunk the submarine is one of the largest liners known to American and European travelers, and hit the U-boat full amidships after a torpedo had been fired and the transport maneuvering to make way for accompanying destroyers to drop depth bombs. It is possible, the American said, that the submarine might have been forced to the surface by one of the explosions, but at any rate it came up less than fifty yards in front of the liner.

In full view of the soldiers assembled on her deck the big steamer rammed her way into the submarine and "cut her like a piece of cheese," the American said.

## TO INDUCT 200,000 MEN INTO SERVICE

Louisville, Ky., May 30.—Word has been received from the war department that 200,000 men will be inducted into the military service through the draft and sent to 21 camps throughout the country during the five-day period beginning June 24.

Of these 12,000, it was said will be sent to Camp Zachary Taylor, 12,000 to Camp Travis, 12,000 to Camp Pike, 15,000 to Lee, 15,000 to Custer, 7000 to Devens, 5000 to Dix, 9000 to Dodge, 5000 to Funston, 12,000 to Gordon, 10,000 to Wheeler, 7000 to Grant, 15,000 to Jackson, 5000 to Lewis, 12,000 to Upton, 10,000 to Meade, 5000 to Cody, 6000 to Kearney, 7000 to Greenleaf, 6000 to Riley, 3000 to Wadsworth, 4000.

Washington, May 30.—No official statement is available as to the number of fighting men to be called in the next draft movement further than that the time and number will be determined by the condition of cantonments and camps to receive them.

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## HEARTY RECEPTION IS GIVEN TO ENEMY

Lanky Farmer Lad Leads Repulsing Drive That Annihilates Raiding Party of Huns.

With the American Army in France, May 29.—The purpose of the German attack today against the American positions near Bremenil, east of Luneville, was to capture Americans. The determined resistance, however, repulsed the enemy with heavy losses and no Americans were taken prisoners.

The Germans attacked at three points and at one place a group of fourteen got into the American trenches. It never went back. Nine of the fourteen Germans were killed, four are prisoners and one is dead of wounds.

The prisoners reported that they were ordered to capture Americans at any cost, their superiors being anxious to determine where American troops are stationed and their present fighting strength.

At a point west of Bremenil, after a heavy barrage, fifty German soldiers attempted to reach the American line. They were in three groups and the two larger ones were held up and then dispersed by the American machine gun and rifle fire. The third group, consisting of fourteen men, managed by reason of terrain conditions to reach the American trenches and jump into them.

Under the leadership of a lanky youth, who was a farmer until he enlisted, a group of Americans gave the Germans a hot reception. Bayonets on the end of American rifles flashed white and then red almost as quickly as it takes to tell it and the enemy party was soon overpowered. During the engagement a big German noncommissioned officer, who directed the enemy party, stood on a parapet. He raised his hand to hurl a grenade at an American soldier, but he never threw it. Another American, who had come through a heavy gas attack last Monday morning, reached the German with his bayonet. The grenade fell from the dying German's hand and exploded harmlessly on the parapet.

The gas bombardment that preceded the infantry advance by the enemy began at 12:40 o'clock this morning. The Germans had brought up additional eight-inch projectors to replace those that had been destroyed by the American guns Monday night, and mustard, phosgene and chlorine shells fell by the hundreds on the American positions. In one small area alone 300 of these arrived. Many of the Americans as a result began to show the effects of slight gassing and were harboring a large grudge against the enemy on this account.

When the gas shells began to fall there was hardly any wind, making certain that the fumes would remain in the localities where the Germans placed them, and the men in the American trenches hoped the enemy would follow up the shelling with an infantry attack.

The hopes of the resentful defenders were fully realized and the result completely satisfied the Americans, for in one trench at daybreak this morning lay nine dead Germans who perished in the bayonet attack, while to the east where the men in the trenches had gone to work with their machine guns, the ground was dotted with gray-clad bodies.

Many of the machine gunners, still wearing their gas masks, stuck to their guns throughout the preliminary bombardment and when they saw the advancing forms of the Germans just outside the American wire they cut loose with their fire.

## LETTER FROM CAMP TRAVIS

Camp Travis, Texas, June 1.—The casual visitor to Camp Travis, who has not lost in this day of motor cars an interest in horse flesh, marvels at the splendid collection of horses to be seen about the camp. They are in excellent condition, well cared for, well trained for the most part, but there is a reason.

One of the largest remount stations in the world is located at Camp Travis. Here every horse and mule used at the camp is received, sorted, inspected, branded and fattened. The wild ones are broken, and in the breaking Camp Travis has gathered a choice collection of premier broncho busters of the world of the kind that is developed in Texas and Oklahoma. They will ride anything any time, and hundreds of people visit the Remount to see the wild animals broken to the saddle.

Sick and injured horses are given far better treatment than the people in many localities receive. Three large veterinary hospitals are located at the remount station, with a corps of seventeen graduated veterinarians and a staff of seventy-five men as assistants. They have at their command all the experience, medicine and instruments the United States government can afford.

Horses, like men, are trained on a schedule, the keystone of which is regularity. They are fed balanced rations at regular hours and are given every attention. In the army, particularly in those branches of the service where the horse and mule is used continuously as in the cavalry,

machine gun, etc., the animal comes before the man. After drilling all day, or fighting, when the recall has sounded then the animal gets first attention, then the man comes next.

After horses or mules have been inspected at the remount station and have developed or given indications of spavin, blindness or any symptoms of disease making them unfit for army service, they are caught, branded with an "IC", which means "Inspected and Condemned," and then sold. The brand is placed on the neck. Army buyers will not buy in horses so branded. Such horses may be fit for any and every duty demanded of them for other purposes, but Uncle Sam is particular.

Peach marmalade is a delicacy, particularly in an army camp, but the way it is being served recently is not at all popular and steps may be taken to stop any further distribution at Camp Travis. Soldiers have recently been getting a taste of it on their letters or newspapers. Friends and parents of the soldier boys have thought to send them fresh peaches in flimsy containers. The large volume of mail received at the camp makes tender handling of mail sacks an impossibility and peaches have been smashed and their juices and meats distributed among the remainder of the mail in the near neighborhood. The postoffice authorities are urgent in their request that peaches be not sent through the mails unless the containers are heavy enough to stand some pretty hard jolts. The peaches never reach the parties intended and the good humor of many is spoiled when oftentimes the most important or most eagerly sought for word in a letter is nothing more than a stain of peach juice.

In order that mosquitoes may not breed in or near Camp Travis, gangs of men are working daily on the banks of the Salado, which runs near to the camp, clearing out drift wood, straightening the course, eliminating holes of standing water and distributing crude oil. Camp authorities take every step to insure the protection of the health and happiness of the soldier boys. The Salado is fed by running wells. Bath houses are being erected for the use of the men, swimming classes organized, special hours designated for respective units, in order that all may benefit by the fresh water. A dam has also been erected to deepen the waterway. Along the banks of the river, are groves of huge pecan trees, offering shade and cool spots to rest.

## GERMANS EMPLOYED NEW TACTICS

Bombardment of Only Two Hours Preceded Drive Which Advanced Huns 26 Miles.

London, May 31.—A statement given to the Associated Press Friday night by a high military authority expressive of the opinion of the British general staff of the situation on the western front says:

"The main German offensive has been directed toward Chateau Thierry and Dormans. The Germans have reached the right bank of the Marne on a front of 10 miles from a point west of Chateau Thierry to Dormans. They have not captured Chateau Thierry, but are attacking very heavily and to the northward.

"They already have captured Soissons and yesterday they extended their attack northwest to Noyon and forced the French back so that the line now runs almost straight from Noyon to Soissons.

"Around Rheims the position is somewhat obscure. Probably the Germans already have entered that city.

"The French reported yesterday that the allied line had retired to the south of the canal near Rheims, but this morning there was news that the British were resisting north of the city. The development is that the German attempt is to extend the attack east of Rheims where they were reported attacking last night.

"The Germans have thrown in every resource in an effort to widen the salient in which they find themselves by attacking its flanks, but on the heights to the west of Soissons the French are resisting well while the British are making a stand south and southwest of Rheims. These efforts, thus far, have held the German salient to a narrow width.

"The situation is very anxious, not only because the Germans have made such rapid progress—an advance of 26 miles in four days—but also because they still have such large reserves available to be thrown in at any point.

"The Germans' big attack began May 27 with about 30 divisions on a front of 35 miles from Bermericourt to Leully. This front was held by seven allied divisions of which three British were on the right and four French on the left.

"After a bombardment of two hours, which appears to have been very effective in cutting our wire, the Germans assaulted. They overran the French front lines. The British held in their second line at first, but eventually were compelled to fall back to conform to the French alignment.

"The Germans advanced very rapidly, crossing the Aisne although the French had occupied very strong positions here with three divisions commanding the river crossings.

"Since this time the crown prince has done the utmost possible with his group of armies to push forward. He has thrown in every reserve division he possesses with the aim of pushing through to the Marne and more.

## TO THE CITIZENS OF HOUSTON COUNTY:

I have just returned from Galveston where I had ample opportunity to learn the sentiment concerning the candidacy of Hon. Clay Stone Briggs for Congress. I found that Galveston was stressing two points in the selection of Mr. Briggs, who is Judge of the 10th Judicial District. One is dis-appointment over the present incumbent in congress, A. W. Gregg; the other, the ability, public spirit and aggressiveness of Judge Briggs.

Galveston is suffering heavy loss because of the depression along her dock front due to the falling off of shipping and to the failure of its congressional representative to properly present the advantages of the port. Houston county is seriously affected by the depression at Galveston and should act with that city in obtaining an efficient representative in Washington at a time when efficiency and patriotism are paramount to the well being of this country.

Houston county recalls political promises that are still unfulfilled and it wants improvements that have thus far been withheld. I believe the interests of our county would be better served by Judge Briggs in Congress.

In talking to Judge Briggs I learned that he has special claims upon the people of our county. His mother's people are from East Texas. His grandfather was Judge Edward T. Branch of Liberty, who was judge of the judicial district when Texas was a republic. Judge Branch organized the first district court of Houston county. Candidate Briggs' aunt is Mrs. Cornelia Branch Stone, vice president of the Daughters of the Republic and ex-president general of the Daughters of the Confederacy.

The ballot which has been extended to the women of Texas imposes civic and political obligations which we cannot shirk. No woman hereafter will be justified in condemning a public act which she has done nothing as a citizen directly or indirectly to prevent.

I am convinced that Judge Briggs is a man of vision and of action, and the prophets say that without vision a people must perish.

My work in our county has been to teach others to think, and on the eve of my departure from the happy associations of a life time, I wish to do what I can to lead the women of our county to think on civic and political affairs. With Judge Briggs in Congress I am convinced that we shall have a young, able, intensely active defender of our rights and that our district will be greatly benefitted.

LENA BROMBERG KLEIN.

Political advertisement.

## COMMANDER BIDS TROOPS FAREWELL

An American City, June 2.—"These orders stand and the only thing to do is to do the best we can—all of us—to win the war," were the words of Major General Wood, in a farewell address to the officers of his late command, the Eighty-ninth division of the national army, which he trained at Camp Funston for overseas service. General Wood had expected to go to France at the head of this division but at the last moment was ordered to Camp Funston to train another division.

"At the request of the troops, it was learned today, General Wood, before departing for Camp Funston, reviewed the division at an army camp here and made a brief speech to the officers.

"I will not say good-bye," he told them, and those who heard him said his voice trembled with emotion, "but consider it a temporary separation—at least I hope so. I have worked hard with you and you have done excellent work. I had hoped very much to take you over to the other side. In fact, I had no indication, direct or indirect, of a change of orders until we reached here the other night.

"The orders have been changed and I am to go back to Funston. I leave for there tomorrow morning. I wish you the best of luck and ask you to keep up the high standard of conduct and mark you have in the past. There is not anything to be said. The orders stand and the only thing to do is to do the best we can—all of us—to win the war. That's what we are here for; that's what you have been trained for. I shall follow your career with the deepest interest, with just as much interest as though I were with you. Good luck and God bless you."

Those who witnessed the review said the troops were never more on their mettle and gave an exhibition of perfect marching for the benefit of their former commander.

## RUIN EMPLOYERS IS I. W. W. POLICY

Chicago, May 31.—Investigation into the burning of threshing machines in the harvest fields of Washington and Montana by Industrial Workers of the World was taken up by the government late Friday at the trial of 112 leaders and organizers for se-

ditionous conspiracy before Federal Judge Landis.

Chief Prosecutor Nebeker sought to show that destruction of machinery and numerous fires in these grain regions were direct results of teachings of officers of the organization and that sabotage was practiced for the purpose of blocking the war program.

J. N. Banks, a farmer of Canyon, Wash., testified that fires were numerous in his district and that on one occasion a threshing machine was destroyed immediately after an Industrial Worker of the World had fed it with grain. In this and other occasions the prosecution charged that matches had been hid in the grain.

Other witnesses testified that Industrial Workers of the World gunmen patrolled freight trains and prevented other than members of the organization stealing rides. Two boys from North Yakima, Wash., testified they were put from a train by a brakeman with an Industrial Workers of the World card and compelled to walk 50 miles.

Industrial Workers of the World bulletins declaring that last summer was the most opportune time in history for the organization to come into power and defy the established laws, were read into the records by Special Prosecutor Porter. They told of expulsion from the organization of members who had joined the British army.

Cross examination of Frank Worm-kee, a private in the American army and a former organizer of the Industrial Workers of the World, failed to shake his story that the organization taught the doctrines of sabotage and violence. He testified that it was the policy of the organization to "ruin the employer," whether he was fair or unfair in his dealings.

## 280,000 MEN WILL BE CALLED IN JUNE

Washington, May 31.—Official announcement was made Friday that 280,000 men will be called to the colors during June. They will be ordered to report June 24, but it has not yet been determined to what camps they can be assigned so the list of apportionments is for the present being withheld.

The quota is based on estimates of the space available for the men in camps and cantonments. If the rate of shipment of troops across again is raised still more men will be called. In any event the probabilities are that enough men will be called for special service to round the number out to 300,000.

## GO-TO-WORK ORDER IS NOW OPERATIVE

Governor of New York Makes Public Text of Anti-Loafing Measure.

Albany, N. Y., May 1.—Governor Whitman today made public the text of the anti-loafing proclamation which he will issue tomorrow. It sets forth that the successful prosecution of the war, require a large supply of labor. It continues:

"Public exigency requires that every able-bodied person, between the ages of 18 and 50 years, inclusive, be habitually and regularly engaged in some lawful, useful and recognized business, profession, occupation, trade or employment, until the termination of the present war."

The proclamation also declares that any such male person who refuses to be employed for at least 36 hours a week is liable to a fine not exceeding \$100 or imprisonment for more than three months, or both.

Chicago Loafers Instructed to Have Job By Monday Morning.

Chicago, May 1.—Police captains have been ordered to instruct every "loafer" in their districts to have a job by Monday morning, it was announced today.

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### Taken to Nashville.

It was decided, on the arrival of Dr. Perry Bromberg from Nashville, to take Mr. M. Bromberg to Nashville for an important operation instead of to Galveston, as had been previously decided on. A private sanitarium is maintained at Nashville by Dr. Bromberg, and that city being his home, Dr. Bromberg thought it would be advisable to have his father there for the operation.

Mr. Bromberg, accompanied by his son, left Tuesday afternoon for Nashville. Dr. Bromberg, a Crockett boy, has achieved fame as a skilled surgeon and practitioner, and his numerous friends are rejoicing in his success. He is frequently called into consultation with the leading surgeons and physicians of the country and his advice is not infrequently sought regarding difficult cases. He is another Houston county boy winning success on the field of professional activity.

### An End to Idleness.

We, the undersigned members of the Houston County Bar Association, hereby agree that we will absolutely refuse to defend any one charged with the offense of vagrancy, as that offense is defined in Article 634, Branch's Annotated Penal Code of the State of Texas. This agreement to be binding upon the undersigned during the continuance of the war with Germany.

We make this voluntary agreement for the purpose of aiding our government in its effort to put an end to idleness, and in its effort to direct all energy to doing something useful towards winning the war.

Witness our hands at Crockett, Texas, this June 3, 1918.  
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Earle Adams,  
Joe Adams,  
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D. A. Nunn,  
B. F. Dent.

### For County Commissioner.

E. M. Callier announces for county commissioner in precinct No. 4. Mr. Callier is too well known to Houston county people to need much of an introduction at the hands of the Courier. Having served twelve years as justice of the peace of precinct No. 1, the Crockett precinct, there are few men better known in the county. For the last two years he has been devoting his time to his own private business affairs, but his friends are insisting that he again enter politics. They want him to run for county commissioner and he has consented to enter the race. His platform will be: "An economical administration of the county's business affairs." He believes in the same economy in spending the money of the taxpayers as he does in spending his own money. He does not believe in loosening the public pursestrings in order to pay a political obligation or anything of that kind. In early life he was a farmer and is therefore in close touch with the needs of the masses. It should be unnecessary to say that his candidacy is subject to the democratic primary in July.

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### Local News Items

#### Goes to Grapeland.

Dr. G. Ward Sheffer, optometrist of Dallas, member of the State Optometrical Association, also of the American Optical Association, leaves Crockett tonight for Grapeland, where he will spend Friday and Saturday with D. N. Leaverton. Many of our best people have been using glasses fitted by Dr. Sheffer for years with best results.

#### Schedule Change.

There was a slight change in the I. & G. N. train schedule Sunday, made necessary to allow trains 3 and 4 more time between Houston and St. Louis. Under the new schedule No. 3 southbound arrives at 11:25 a. m., twenty-five minutes later than formerly. No. 4 arrives at 8:15 p. m., twelve minutes earlier than heretofore. These trains arrive and depart at and from St. Louis at about the same time as formerly, but reach Houston later and leave earlier than under the old schedule. The schedule of the other four trains is unchanged.

#### Woman's Hobby Club.

At a well-attended and enthusiastic meeting of the women Wednesday, the 29th, a Crockett Woman's Hobby Club was formed with the following officers:

Mrs. Jno. A. McConnell, president.

Mrs. W. A. Norris, vice president.

Mrs. D. F. Arledge, secretary-treasurer.

A general meeting from every section of the county is called for Tuesday, the 10th, when a county organization will be perfected. Mrs. Hortense Ward of Houston has been invited to address the meeting, which will be held in the court house at 3:30 o'clock p. m.

#### With Our Subscribers.

Callers at this office report good rains over various parts of Houston county. Some sections have received rain in abundance while other sections have received only scanty showers. On the whole most of the county reports good rains.

Among subscription renewals since last report are noted the following:

William B. Taylor, Camp Sheridan, Ala.

K. D. Lawrence, Lovelady.

T. M. Sherman, Jasper.

J. C. Estes, Crockett Rt. 2.

O. C. Goodwin, Elmo.

W. A. Norris, Crockett.

Oscar Williams, Lovelady.

Algie Bizer, Creek Rt. 1.

Thomp LaRue, Crockett Rt. 5.

#### Married at Parsonage.

Mr. William R. Allee and Mrs. Virginia Johnson were married at the Methodist parsonage Saturday evening at 8 o'clock by the Methodist pastor, Rev. Chas. U. McLarty. Present at the marriage were Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Monzingo, Mrs. Johnson being a sister of Mrs. Monzingo. The bride's home has been in Memphis, Tenn., until coming to Crockett recently to be with her sister. Before her former marriage she was a visitor here and made many friends among our people. The bridegroom, "Billie" Allee, is a son of Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Allee of this city and is well known and popular. Mr. and Mrs. Allee will make their home in Crockett. They have the best wishes of all our people.

#### Liberty Loan Subscribers.

The remainder of the subscriptions to the Third Liberty Loan, as subscribed through the two banks of Crockett, is published in this issue of the Courier. Last week we gave the subscriptions received through the Crockett State Bank. This week we are giving the subscriptions received through the First National Bank of Crockett. If you are a subscriber to the Third Liberty Loan through either of the two Crockett banks and your subscription was not shown last week or is not shown this week, please let us know and the oversight will be looked into. Or if the amount of your subscription is in error, let us know about that, also. Remember that if your subscription was through the Crockett State Bank, it was published last week, but if through the First National Bank of Crockett, it is published this week, or should be.

#### To the Voters of Houston County.

Last week I handed my announcement for the office of tax collector to the Crockett papers, but after a more serious consideration I have decided to withdraw from the race for the following reasons:

First—If I should continue in the race, it would be necessary for me to neglect to some extent the work I am now engaged in, while said work demands all of my time.

Second—I think the voters are entitled to a better acquaintance with me than it would be possible for them to form under the circumstances.

Third—I think this is a time when every man's energies should be exercised towards destroying autocracy instead of seeking political preferment.

Thanking all who had promised to support me, I am

Respectfully,

W. T. Ham.

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#### The Workers.

Young man, if you have a job and are doing your part—making a living for yourself and helping in the various government enterprises—don't get excited about the provost general's war order. It is the loafer who has his choice of fighting, going to work or going to jail. The government has stood all the foolishness it is going to.—Sherman Democrat.

The provost marshal's intention is to sweep the loafers out of their loafing places. If they are of draft age they must either go into the army or perform useful work. There is a tremendous demand for labor. The nation's agricultural and industrial systems must be kept going day and night. It takes a highly productive nation to maintain intensified warfare. We must produce the goods and deliver them, get the sale price, buy bonds and war stamps, pay wages, produce and deliver more goods—round and round. Idle men must be fed and clothed by somebody. If they are earning nothing themselves, they are consuming that which is needed elsewhere for more important people, people who are working or fighting.—Galveston News.

Many a man is compelled to be a nuisance in order to attract attention.

A wise girl goes to a neighboring town to study music when the matrimonial field at home is overworked.

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This paper has enlisted with the government in the cause of America for the period of the war.....

## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The Courier is authorized to make the following announcements for office, which announcements are subject to the action of the democratic primary to be held in July:

**For Congress, Seventh District**  
CLAY STONE BRIGGS  
of Galveston County

W. L. HILL  
of Walker County

**For Representative**

E. WINFREE  
J. D. SALLAS

**For County Judge**

NAT PATTON  
S. A. DENNY

**For County Attorney**

EARLE PORTER ADAMS  
J. F. MANGUM

**For District Clerk**

V. B. (Barker) TUNSTALL  
JOHN D. MORGAN

**For County Clerk**

ARTHUR E. OWENS  
ALBERT S. MOORE

**For Sheriff**

P. T. (Preston) LIVELY  
E. B. (Bud) HALE  
R. J. (Bob) SPENCE

**For Tax Assessor**

WILL McLEAN  
JOHN H. ELLIS

**For Tax Collector**

C. W. BUTLER Jr.

**For County Treasurer**

MIKE McCARTY  
WILLIE ROBISON  
NEY SHERIDAN

**For Co. Supt. of Schools**

J. N. SNELL  
J. H. ROSSER

**For Road Superintendent**

G. R. (Ross) MURCHISON  
F. H. BAYNE  
WILL CARSON  
W. A. MANNING

**For Commissioner, Prec. No. 1**

J. S. (Sam) LONG  
W. J. BRANCH  
C. C. MORTIMER

**For Commissioner, Prec. No. 2**

J. C. ESTES

**For Commissioner, Prec. No. 3**

AARON SPEER

**For Commissioner, Prec. No. 4**

J. A. (Ab) BEATHARD  
O. T. RATCLIFF  
E. M. CALLIER

**For Justice Peace, Prec. No. 1**

C. R. STEPHENSON  
J. D. (Jeff) SEXTON

**For Justice Peace, Prec. No. 4**

CAL BARBEE

**For Constable, Precinct No. 1**

J. H. (Jim) PATTON  
C. R. McPHAIL  
O. W. ELLISOR

Wednesday was Confederate Veterans' Day and registration day in Crockett. It was interesting to watch the Old Confed-

erate veterans, who are fast passing to their reward, mixing and mingling with the youths of 21 who are to become the soldiers of our country—grandfather and grandson exchanging the greetings of patriots. The cause for which the grandson takes up arms today was the cause for which the grandfather fought in years gone by—the cause of liberty and freedom. It makes no difference which side the grandfather fought on in years gone by, whether on the side of the south or the side of the north, it was for the liberty of the people and the freedom of the country as he saw it. Fitting entertainment was provided for the veterans by the local chapter of the U. D. C. and the local board was kept busy registering the youths of 21.

## JUDGE BRIGGS HERE.

Judge Clay Stone Briggs of Galveston was a visitor in Crockett Tuesday, leaving Wednesday morning for Lovelady. It is pleasing to meet and know Judge Briggs and the Courier hopes that all our people may have the pleasure of Judge Briggs' acquaintance before the campaign is over. The impressions he leaves are those of the scholar, the gentleman and the statesman. Judge Briggs was in the state legislature with I. A. Daniel, representing the people of Galveston county in those troublous times following the Galveston storm. It is known all over Texas that his representation of Galveston's interests was with credit, honesty and ability. Later he became a district judge in Galveston county, succeeding by appointment Judge Lewis Fisher, who resigned to become mayor during the rehabilitation of Galveston and who carried Houston county for congress two years ago. Judge Fisher had incurred political enemies while in office and he lost his home county and the race. But Judge Briggs comes to us with the solid endorsement of his home county. All factions in Galveston county are united for him and perhaps a majority of the voters of Galveston county have signed a petition asking him to make the race. He has consented to do this, provided there should be no division in the ranks of Galveston county democrats, who are his neighbors and the majority of whom are his friends. Judge Briggs is in the prime of life, free from past political entanglements and enmities and a man on whom all factions in the democratic fold may unite. He is active and at the same time conservative. He has the ability to properly represent this district in congress, and the energy and integrity to carry to a successful conclusion any measure proposed in the interest of the people of the district.

## WE WANT NO KAISERISM HERE.

In passing around the Courier editor has been congratulated on every hand on his editorial of last week regarding the subscriber who discontinued because of a political difference. Some have called at this office to extend congratulations and a few have written. A Ferguson supporter called to say that while he could not agree with the editor in his support of Hobby, he did agree with us in that every newspaper should display the flag under which it is flying and that he respects the county paper that shows its colors. He would not fall out with his neighbor or his county paper because they held different opinions from his as to who would make the best governor. He would rather have his neighbor and his county paper on his side, but if they are not on his side he would not fall out with them. That is the right spirit. The Courier would like to have every man and every woman on its side of every question, but we cannot so have them and therefore we are not going to fall out with any of them. The Courier hopes that we will never see the day when the American people will not have the freedom of political thought, conviction and

expression, unfettered by autocracy and untrammelled by the threats of patronage withdrawn or extended. That is the very thing we are fighting the Germans about now. We are fighting to keep our country free and to oppose with all the might that is in us the encroachment of kaiser rule. In Germany, where the autocratic kaiser rules, the people are not permitted to give expression to political thought and the government runs the newspapers. Editors must write as the kaiser says or the kaiser puts them out of business. We want no kaiserism in America and no self-constituted kaisers dropping around the newspaper offices telling the editors what they must write or what they must not write, threatening the withdrawal of patronage or promising the extension of patronage. We want no such kaiserism here, and we are not going to have any such kaiserism here. The Courier does not want to take advantage of any man who has not been warned, but we want to serve notice now that if any other man comes around this office seeking to influence this paper with the withdrawal of his patronage, we are going to publish his name as a friend of kaiserism and hold him up to the ridicule of all liberty-loving Americans.

## SEN. W. L. HILL ANNOUNCES

Huntsville, Tex., June 3, 1918.  
To the Voters of the Seventh Congressional District:

I am a candidate for the democratic nomination for congressman from this district. I will as soon as possible announce in detail the principles for which I stand and the public policies I advocate. I shall content myself now with this brief announcement of some of the policies I shall urge if elected.

I am a democrat and one hundred per cent American in breeding, sympathy and association, and will give to the president an aggressive support in his efforts to save us from German slavery, and shall consecrate the supreme effort of my life toward marshalling all the might and power of our government in assisting and sustaining our soldiers in their fight for liberty.

I have in the past advocated and whenever possible voted for prohibition in precinct, state and nation, and shall in the future continue to do so. If the amendment to the Federal Constitution now pending for ratification by the states is adopted, I shall introduce and endeavor to have congress pass a bill making the amendment so effective as to forever silence the boast of the brewery that "prohibition don't prohibit" and to eliminate the liquor traffic from politics. Especially would I urge such a law NOW, for I am profoundly convinced that the brewery is the usual and most effective instrumentality employed by the German government in spreading its propaganda and sowing its seeds of sedition in America.

I have always advocated equal suffrage and equal rights before the law for women. As a member of the Thirty-third and Thirty-fourth legislatures of Texas, I voted for equal suffrage for women and introduced and passed in those legislatures bills enlarging the legal rights of women, and designed to give better working conditions for women and girls. In Washington in January of this year, I urged our congressmen to vote for the resolution submitting to a vote of the states the Woman Suffrage amendment to the Federal Constitution. And now, when probably two million American male voters have already left America and before the next election many million more will leave for the war, when the German political propaganda is an active and insidious menace seeking by its votes to paralyze the efforts of our government in support of our armies and when the American woman is making the supremest sacrifice

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of us all, every consideration of safety of justice and humanity demands that we arm our American women with the ballot.

W. L. Hill.

(Advertisement.)

## Bromberg-Klein Wedding.

The wedding of Miss Lena Bromberg of this city to Henry K. Klein of New York City was solemnized at the home of the bride's brother, Mr. Sol. Bromberg, in Galveston on Tuesday evening of last week, Rabbi Henry Cohen performing the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Klein returned to Crockett Wednesday afternoon and leave for Nashville and New York on Tuesday of next week.

The bride stands among the well-known educators of the southwest. Born in Crockett and having spent the first years of her life among our people, she soon became a leader in literary and educational affairs in this city and county. Her work has been largely in the public schools of Houston county, almost wholly so, with the exception of brief periods of educational refreshment in some of the largest schools of this country. Of late years she has been teacher of science and mathematics in the Crockett city schools.

Mrs. Klein is the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Bromberg, among the city's oldest and most prominent families. The bridegroom is prominent in the affairs of his home city.

Henry H. Klein is the first deputy commissioner of accounts for the city of New York. He has been chief investigator for several legislative and official investigating bodies in New York City and New York State. He is also an author of considerable note, one of his most notable works being "Bankrupting a Great City," a story of New York, and the other, "Standard Oil or the People." He was an advocate of Mayor Hylan in the last city election and received his present appointment from Mayor Hylan.

Mr. and Mrs. Klein take to

their New York home an abundance of well wishes and congratulations from the people of our city and county.

## Volunteers Wanted.

The Houston County Local Board has instructions to accept volunteers of the draft age, grammar school graduates with mechanical experience, for military training at Prairie View. Only colored men, physically qualified for general military service, are to be accepted, and they will entrain June 14.

Instructions to accept volunteers of the draft age, grammar school graduates with mechanical experience, for military training at A. & M. College. Only white men, physically qualified for general military service, are to be accepted, and they will entrain June 14.

Instructions to accept volunteers of the draft age, grammar school graduates with mechanical experience, for military training at Texas University. Only white men, physically qualified for general military service, are to be accepted, and they will entrain June 19.

Instructions to accept volunteers of the draft age, grammar school graduates with mechanical experience, for military training at Camp Mabry. Only white men, physically qualified for general military service, are to be accepted, and they will entrain June 26.

If a sufficient number of volunteers do not immediately come forward, the men will be secured under the draft regulations. None but registrants may be entrained and only those of last year.

Volunteers will be accepted for only one of the Austin camps, apportionment yet to be determined by the adjutant general.

If a man is looking for trouble all he has to do is to marry a woman older than himself and tell her that he is going to have her life insured in his favor.

A man may succeed in becoming a hero to his valet, but to his mother-in-law—not by any means.

## HOUSEWIVES ATTENTION

We will be rationed on flour to the end of the war, and must get used to substitutes. We are now marketing some fine CORN FLOUR, which is the cheapest and best substitute, and your grocer will supply you, and furnish you a nice book of recipes. If he has none in stock, tell him to get it of us, and ask for your recipe book, which will give you some fine recipes for using CORN FLOUR. We also keep Barley and Rye Flour, and your grocer will supply you.

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