

ARMY AVIATION SQUAD IS READY FOR ITS LONG FLIGHT; REPRESENTATIVE HERE TODAY

FORT SILL FLYERS SQUADRON TO LAND SOUTH OF WICHITA VALLEY RAILROAD

DATE OF FLIGHT SET FORWARD TWO DAYS, AS ALL ARRANGEMENTS HAVE BEEN COMPLETED EARLIER THAN EXPECTED.

EQUIVALENT TO WAR SERVICE

Trip Will Test the Efficiency of Aero Squadron Under Actual Conditions. Many Automobiles to Accompany the Aeroplanes.

By Associated Press. From Wednesday's Daily.

Fort Sill, Okla., Nov. 17.—Fort Sill was bustling with activity today in preparation for the departure of the first aero squadron of the United States army which tomorrow will fly from Fort Sill to Fort Sam Houston at San Antonio.

The flight is scheduled to start November 20, but fine weather and the fact that everything was in readiness at San Antonio, caused a change in plans. Six aeroplanes will make the journey.

The aerial journey will be made under conditions as nearly like those encountered in actual war time as possible. The start is expected to be made on November 18.

Trucks Carry Repair Kit. To each aeroplane will be assigned one truck as tender, carrying the spare tools, spare parts and other supplies.

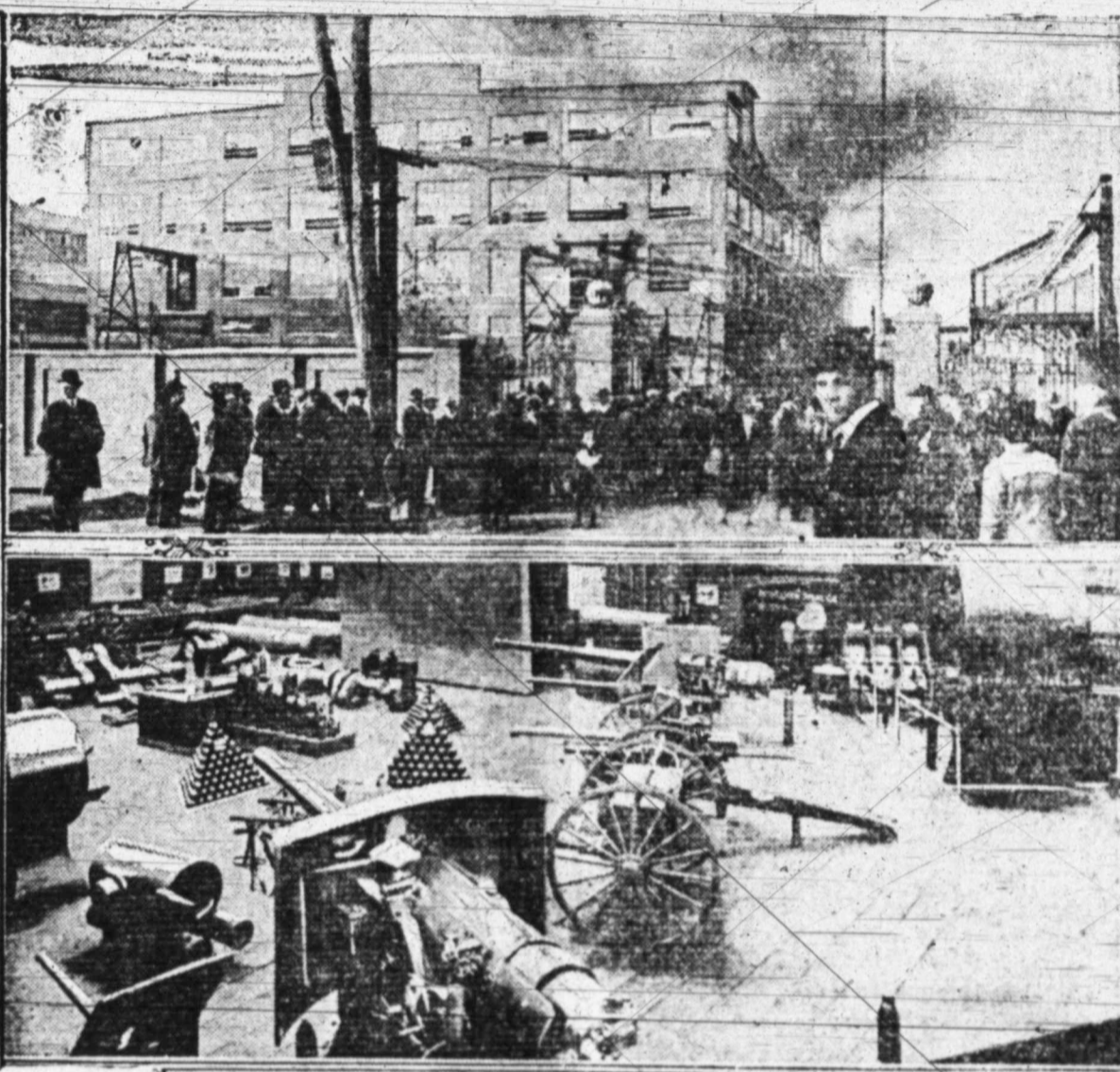
The First Aero Squadron, signal corps, U. S. A. is the official designation of the flying unit. The squadron is divided into six flying sections, a transport section, a supply section, an engineer section charged with motor repairs, and a headquarters section.

As the First Aero Squadron is for service with field troops, it must be separated from the Army Aviation School at San Diego, Cal., where opportunities for the preliminary training of aviators are excellent.

Fort Sill was chosen as a temporary station for the squadron because of the opportunity for work in cooperation with the artillery arm, the school of fire, for training artillery officers in the conduct of fire and in the difficult art of supervising a battery under war conditions.

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Bethlehem Fire Caused Greatest Loss Since War Began To Any Munitions Plant



WATCHING FIRE IN BETHLEHEM PLANT. SCENE IN GUN SHOP

Persons generally well informed on conditions in the great munitions plant of the Bethlehem Steel company at South Bethlehem, Pa., estimate the loss in the machine shop fire at from \$1,000,000 to \$4,000,000. In the burned building are said to have been 300 field guns being built for the allies, and they are supposed to have been destroyed. The great American war munition plant is now working on contracts worth millions of dollars from Great Britain, France and Russia.

MOTHER SACRIFICES AND DEFORMED INFANT

PERMITS IT TO DIE RATHER THAN LIVE TO BE USELESS AND HELPLESS.

"LET NATURE CORRECT ERROR"

Mother Declines to Permit Operation That Would Save Life of Deformed Baby.

By Associated Press. Chicago, Nov. 17.—Mrs. Anna Bollinger told today the story of her consent to let her six-day-old son, deformed in body and mind, die rather than live a life barren and useless.

The infant, if it lives, would, in the opinion of Dr. Haiselden, be a mental or perhaps moral defective. He therefore, with the consent of the child's parents, declined to perform the operation. Death is expected to take the infant within forty-eight hours.

"It is not heartless of me," Mrs. Bollinger said, "I love the poor little deformed one as I love my three other healthy children. But the doctor told me it would be a cripple all its life, probably an imbecile and possibly a criminal. I gave my consent to its death. Left to itself, it has no chance to live. I consented to let nature take its course. No one need think me an unnatural mother. This poor little one, if allowed to live, would be barren and useless. It is one of nature's blunders and I am willing that nature should correct its error by my baby's death. I am satisfied I am doing right."

Dr. Haiselden said he was prepared to face bitter criticism and defend his course. "I have no doubt that I shall be called a murderer," he said, "but the infant's death is a question between me and my conscience."

The baby, born after its mother had been seriously ill with typhoid fever, came into the world last Friday.

RESUME HEARING ON THE OKLAHOMA TWO-CENT FARE.

By Associated Press. Oklahoma City, Ok., Nov. 17.—Judge Youmans in federal court resumed hearings in the famous two-cent fare case here today. The railroads are expected to consume about two weeks in finishing their evidence. It is expected the case will be completed without further postponement.

GIRLS' BAND IS ORGANIZED AT MEETING TUESDAY NIGHT

Has a Dozen Members—Won't Appear in Public Before Next Spring.

A girls' band, with a dozen members, has been organized at the College of Music & Art, the first meeting being held Tuesday night. It will be a brass band, the various wind instruments being handled by the young women, under the instruction of J. E. Maddy of the College, who will be the director.

FIVE DAIRIES IN FORT WORTH ARE RULED OUT

Special to The Times. Fort Worth, Texas, Nov. 17.—The city health board has barred five local dairies from selling their products in Fort Worth, as a result of investigations which developed their premises were not up to the department's standards of cleanliness.

ROUMANIA TO AID GERMANS, NEW REPORT

By Associated Press. Bucharest, Nov. 17.—Former Premier Karp's credited by a newspaper here today with the statement that Roumania will take up arms on the side of Germany in December.

The prediction is made by Karp that as soon as established communications make it possible, Germany will make new offers to Roumania in the form of an ultimatum requiring a reply within 48 hours.

PEACE OFFER MADE ITALY BY AUSTRIA

By Associated Press. Rome, Nov. 17.—Proposals for a separate peace were made to Italy by Austria at the time the recent Italian offensive was begun, the newspaper Toloio Italia asserts, but the Salandra cabinet refused to consider them.

HOLDS WAREHOUSE LAW CONSTITUTIONAL

COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS UPHOLDS MEASURE IN DECISION TODAY

8-HOUR LAW ALSO SUSTAINED

Validity of Two Measures Passed by Last Legislature is Upheld Today

By Associated Press. Austin, Texas, Nov. 17.—The eighth hour and state warehouse law were held constitutional by the court of criminal appeals today. Judge Davidson dissented in the holding on the warehouse law and the constitutionality was upheld on a majority opinion.

This law was attacked under proceedings styled ex parte Dabney White. Constitutional questions were raised that the law was unconstitutional because it contains more than one subject, that it violated the fourteenth amendment to the Constitution of the United States in that it deprived persons of life, liberty or property without due process of law and that it denied equal protection of the law to all parties.

The eight hour law, in proceedings styled G. H. Bradford et al from Bexar county, was attacked on the ground that it withdrew the right of contract, that it was uncertain and indefinite and that it did not mention contractors. The court overruled all these questions.

ANGLO-FRENCH WAR COUNCIL HAS FIRST SESSION TODAY

Exact Object Not Known—Members of Cabinets of Both Countries in Attendance

By Associated Press. Paris, Nov. 17.—The first meeting of the joint Anglo-French war council was held here this afternoon. Those taking part were Premier Asquith, First Lord of the Admiralty Balfour, Minister of Munitions David Lloyd-George and Sir Edward Grey secretary of foreign affairs of the British cabinet, while the French participants were Premier Briand, General Joffre, French commander in chief.

The precise object of the meeting has not been disclosed; it is generally assumed that it marks an important development, however, in the policy of coordination among the entente powers as announced by Premier Asquith in his recent speech before the House of Commons.

SERBS AND THEIR ALLIES NOW IN PERILOUS POSITION; SITUATION VERY CRITICAL

FAILURE OF ALLIES' BALKAN CAMPAIGN NOW SEEMS LIKELY

"MUST HAVE REINFORCEMENTS OR REEMBARK WHILE THERE IS YET TIME" DECLARES DISPATCH FROM SALONIKA

SAYS SERBIANS WEAKENING

Correspondent Wires That Allies May Be Prepared for Unexpected Developments—Says More Troops are Needed at Once

By Associated Press.

Paris, Nov. 17.—"Our expedition in the Balkans is reaching a critical stage," telegraphs the correspondent at Saloniki of the Journal under date of last Sunday, "notwithstanding appeals by competent personalities, our reinforcements are not anything like the number required. Our enemies have decided to nip in the bud, at any cost, our offensive in the east and are prepared to resort to any means to obtain the necessary assistance."

"Serbian resistance is weakening daily. The defenders of Babuna Pass will soon be surrounded and the road to Pelepe and Monastir will then be thrown wide open. The hosts of Austro-Germans hurrying southward are sending detachments ahead by forced marches on all available routes."

"Do not expect to find a second Belgium. Greece will not hesitate to permit passage by the enemy through her territories, as she now permits us. We must defend ourselves alone and unaided against the triple attacks of the Germans, Bulgarians and Turks. The entente plan is being carried out and may be realized rapidly."

"The German fleet of submarines in the Mediterranean has just been more than doubled. I advance nothing whereof I am not absolutely sure. We must be prepared for any news, even the most unexpected and even that which seems the craziest. We must have reinforcements in large numbers at once or reembark while there is yet time."

POSTOFFICE FORCE STRIKES WHEN ASSISTANT IS FIRED

Town of Fairmount, West Virginia is Without Mail Today as Result of Walkout

By Associated Press. Fairmont, W. Va., Nov. 17.—Twenty-five clerks and carriers in the postoffice here, almost the entire force, struck today as a protest, it was said, against the discharge of W. H. Brand, assistant postmaster, and three other employees. Postmaster Charles H. Manley found on his desk today a large piece of cardboard on which was written:

"Your clerks and carriers have quit. Here are your keys." Brand was connected with the postoffice for seventeen years, was dismissed recently on the charge that he had given assistance to applicants in civil service application. Manley is a democrat while the majority of the strikers are republicans. Manley was compelled to close the office and bring the postal service of the city when he discovered he could not open the safe. It was stated every striking employee had last night sent his resignation by mail to the department at Washington.

GERMAN PAPERS MUST PUBLISH ENEMY REPORTS

By Associated Press. Washington, Nov. 17.—The German ambassador, Count Von Bernstorff said today he had been informed that German censors had been instructed to insist upon the publication in full in Germany of war reports issued by the allies. Exceptions are made only in cases where financial reasons or technical difficulties in printing demand consideration.

HEARING ON RED RIVER IMPROVEMENT TODAY.

By Associated Press. Shreveport, La., Nov. 17.—A hearing relative to the proposed federal government improvement of the Red river was scheduled to be held here today. Captain Harold C. Elgie, corps of engineers, United States army of Vicksburg, Miss., has been designated to conduct the hearing.

FRANCO-BRITISH TROOPS IN DANGER FROM FLANK MOVE

FATE OF SERBIANS HOLDING BOBUNA PASS NOT KNOWN—CITY OF MONASTIR IS THREATENED AND DIPLOMATS ARE LEAVING

RETREAT INTO GREECE LIKELY

Athen's Government's Attitude More Favorable to Entente Powers—Russians and Teutons Fight for Crossings of River Styra in Galicia.

By Associated Press.

London, Nov. 17.—The fate of the Serbian army may be only a matter of hours. Monastir, in southwestern Serbia, is reported to be in such a perilous position that the consular officials have departed from the city. From the various conflicting reports which have reached the public, the following apparently may be deduced as fact: The Bulgarians have taken Krusevo and are now six miles west of Pelepe. Thus the southern Serbian army and its Franco-British allies are confronting with the formidable peril of an outflanking movement. Tetovo is in the hands of the Bulgarians.

The fate of the Serbians holding Babuna Pass is more obscure. One report states that the pass had been forced. It seems certain that the defenders are at least threatened seriously that their position soon may be untenable. With Krusevo and Babuna in the hands of the invaders, the fate of Pelepe would be sealed and the road to Monastir opened.

While the military situation becomes darker from the standpoint of the entente allies, the diplomatic phase of their near eastern venture is somewhat more favorable. Greece is giving some indications that it is seeking a solution of the problem which would be presented if entente troops should take refuge on Greek territory. It is clear that the entente powers are bringing considerable pressure to bear on Greece, not the least of which is England's rejection in home ports of a fleet of Greek merchantmen. Greek shipping is making enormous profits out of the war and even a temporary check of its activities would mean a great loss.

Along the eastern front, interest centers on the attempted recrossing of the Styra of the river, where Austrians and Germans claim an important success. Petrograd reports merely admit Austro-German occupation of Podgacze, about five miles from the river, and a slight advance east of that place. It is asserted the advantage gained by the Teutonic forces in this region is due to the arrival of reinforcements from other sections of the eastern front and heavy artillery brought up by rail road. From the conflicting reports, it may be seen that the east bank of the Styra is held by the Russians, while the battle for the crossings is still undecided.

Reports from the western front indicate that the military activities there are limited to rather general artillery exchanges.

STATE TREASURY MAY RESUME CASH BUSINESS SOON.

By Associated Press.

Austin, Tex., Nov. 17.—The state of Texas may get back on a cash basis before next year in the opinion of H. B. Terrell, state comptroller, who with other state officials is working to that end. When the state went on a deficit about a month ago it was announced that it would be the middle of next February before there would be sufficient funds on hand to pay all warrants when presented, but since that time two calls for registered warrants have been made, nearly \$500,000 having been received from collectors. This money was remitted from all collectors who were urged to send in collections from \$100 up as rapidly as collected. This plan has worked successfully and today the state, it is said, is only two weeks behind in payment of its warrants.

FIVE NORTH TEXAS HIGH SCHOOLS STILL IN RACE

Special to The Times. Dallas, Texas, Nov. 17.—Five north Texas high schools are still in the race for championship football honors; they are Dallas, Oak Cliff, Sherman, Greenville and Amargillo. On Thanksgiving day Dallas will meet Oak Cliff and Greenville will meet Sherman and the winners of these games will meet in post season contests with Amargillo and each other. The north Texas team that escapes elimination will play either Austin or Waco, between which teams the south Texas championship rests.

BULGARIANS ARE REINFORCED, BEGIN FRESH OFFENSIVE

UNCERTAINTY AS TO EXACT SITUATION IN MACEDONIA PREVALES AS RESULT OF CONFLICTING DISPATCHES

Doubted if Allied Forces are Strong Enough to Help Extent of German Victory in Galicia Has Not Yet Been Ascertained

By Associated Press. London, Nov. 16.—The exact situation in central Macedonia is uncertain. Dispatches from the near east are conflicting and doubt as to the time of events to which they refer injects an additional element of uncertainty. It is clear, however, that the Bulgarians have been reinforced and have begun a new offensive. The operations in central Macedonia according to Rome accounts, present a most powerful front. The army of Serbia and her allies which are operating from Tetovo through Perlepe to the southeastern Serbian frontier.

Telegrams received almost simultaneously from Greece announce that Tetovo is in the hands of both the Serbians and Bulgarians, but the preponderance of evidence points to Bulgarian occupation of this front. The Bulgarians are making desperate efforts to force their way through Katchanik Pass in the direction of Tristina. They are also attempting to advance from Tetovo to Perlepe and Monastir and by forcing Buduna Pass to reach Perlepe from the other side. These operations are said to have placed Monastir again in danger.

It is at present a problem whether the newly arrived French and British forces are large enough to meet this Bulgarian onslaught, extraordinary vigor. What Greece will do in event the allied troops are forced back over the Greek border is still a matter of speculation. A message from Greece says the government will extend to the Serbians as those accorded to the French and British in case of their encroachment on Greek territory, but in view of the fact that no definite announcement has been made as to what these provisions will be further than the official statement of Premier Skoulioudis that the allied troops would be permitted to reach the sea, unopposed, the intentions of Greece present serious questions.

On the Gallian front, the Russians while admitting they have held some ground in the neighborhood of the Star forts, do not concede they have been forced back across the river, as is claimed in the German official communication of yesterday. Further details of the fighting are necessary to determine whether the Russians have lost the town of Charortsk and whether Russian control of the Kovel Saray railway is thereby endangered.

NEW DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT OF KATY IS ASSIGNED HERE

J. W. Butz of Greenville Succeeds W. R. Cahill, Who is Transferred to Smithville.

From Tuesday's Daily. W. R. Cahill, superintendent of the Wichita Falls district of the Katy lines including the Wichita Falls and Northwestern and Wichita Falls and Southern has been transferred to Smithville district.

J. W. Butz of Greenville has been assigned to the superintendency here. Mr. Cahill will shortly go to Smithville and Mr. Butz was expected to arrive here today. At Smithville Mr. Cahill will relieve C. A. Thunheiser, who has been granted an indefinite leave of absence on account of ill health. Mr. Butz who comes here will be succeeded at Greenville by H. E. McGee, ironsmaster there who has been transferred to his family to pack up their goods and come to Smithville. Mr. Butz is expected to bring his family here from Greenville.

Mr. Cahill has been superintendent here since the injury of Superintendent Sullivan early last summer. Mr. Sullivan will not go back into active service for several months yet.

MEMORIAL SERVICES FOR BOOKER WASHINGTON PLANNED

Services Will Be Held at Negro School Which Was Named for the Noted Educator.

From Tuesday's Daily. The memorial exercises for Booker T. Washington, the noted negro educator, will be held at the Washington school (colored), at 8 p. m. Wednesday. As a mark of respect to Washington the flag of the school will be hung at half mast from 10 a. m. until 3 p. m. The Washington school was named in honor of Booker Washington. C. C. Trimble, principal of this school, and his wife both received their industrial and their literary training at Tuskegee Institute, the noted school for negroes of which Washington was the founder and head. Both Trimble and his wife knew Washington well and his death was a shock to them. Trimble will deliver an address on the life and character of Washington at the exercises tomorrow night and others will speak.

ASQUITH IS STILL HOPEFUL OF AVOIDING CONSCRIPTION

Tells Parliament He Believes That Voluntary System Will Produce Enough Men.

By Associated Press. London, Nov. 16.—Premier Asquith is still hopeful that the voluntary system of recruiting in the United Kingdom will succeed. He stated in the House of Commons this afternoon it was his hope and belief conscription would not have to be resorted to.

AMERICANS URGED TO FEED GERMANY

MOVEMENT ORGANIZED TO SEND SUPPLY TO CIVILIAN POPULATION.

Cutting off of Imports Results in Acute Problem, Says Committee Today.

By Associated Press. New York, Nov. 16.—An organized movement to aid the civilian population of Germany and Austria by sending food from the United States was launched here today by a citizens committee for food shipments consisting of 45 clergymen, physicians and prominent women. The organization has provided for branch committees throughout the country. Dr. H. J. Wolf is chairman of the committee and in an announcement says: "America's position with reference to the central powers, especially Germany, is peculiar. Germany for many years has depended upon us for large quantities of meat and wheat and is a purchaser of our cottonseed meal for the support of our vast herds of cattle. The shutting off of our exports of cottonseed meal curtails the milk supply and creates problems in the feeding of children that are now becoming increasingly acute.

"Our government has declared that the present English blockade is ineffective, ineffective and illegal and that it is entirely within the rights of any citizens of the United States to deal with civilian Germans in supplying foodstuffs and these rights are not merely privileges. Our obligation to Germany as a customer in the past and of the future and innumerable ties of relationship and sympathy impose a duty on us to live up to our rights because shipments of foodstuffs, while a matter of profitable commerce to us, may become to many of our friends a matter of life and death."

NOVEMBER PEACH CROP IS GATHERED BY WICHITANS.

Postmaster Bacon Has Trees Which Do Not Bear Until This Time of Year

From Tuesday's Daily. Postmaster Bacon has just finished picking his fall peach crop. Several years ago Mr. Bacon planted several peach trees at his residence on Burnett street. Among them was a tree that bears a crop of peaches in November. This year the tree bore several bushels of fine peaches.

HOSPITAL BUSINESS BRISK; PATIENTS ALREADY NUMEROUS

From Tuesday's Daily. If the Wichita General hospital continues to do business at the rate that marked the first few days, the hopes that it would prove to be a self-supporting institution will be fully realized. Saturday three patients were admitted. Sunday saw this number increased to eight, and yesterday there were fifteen. Today several more patients were admitted. With one exception, all those accommodated so far have been pay patients.

A number of operations have already been performed by local physicians and the institution is meeting its requirements handsomely. The equipment is not yet complete, but will be in a short time. Miss Webster, the superintendent, has been one of the busiest persons in Wichita Falls getting things going. Two applications for admission to the hospital have been rejected both being charity subjects. One was from Waco and the other from Fort Worth, the latter coming here several days before the hospital opened so as to enjoy Wichita county's hospitality while under treatment for a chronic trouble. Both applicants were informed of the provision of the law under which the hospital was built, that only those who have resided in the county twelve months can be charity patients, except of course in emergency cases. A date has been fixed for the formal opening reception, but it will likely be held as soon as the equipment is complete and everything is in entire readiness.

BALLASTING OF TRACKS OF NORTHWESTERN IS ORDERED

From Tuesday's Daily. The expenditure of between thirty and forty thousand dollars for ballasting authorized at a meeting of the directors of the Wichita Falls & Northwestern, held at the Northwestern offices this morning.

The directors present were: C. W. Whitehead of St. Louis, vice president of the Northwestern and assistant to the receiver; W. E. Hockley of Elk City; U. W. Key of Galveston and C. C. Huff, general attorney for the Texas lines of the Katy.

PROHIBITION MAJORITY IN BEL COUNTY IS 443

Special to The Times. Temple, Tex., Nov. 16.—The prohibitionists carried Bell county by 443 votes Saturday, according to complete returns from all boxes. The vote was: dry, 3402; wet, 2959. No contest is anticipated. Complaints charging violation of the election laws have been filed against one negro and three white men. The principal gains by the pro-wet in Temple and Belton, the vote in the rural boxes being about the same as in 1912.

DENISON FANS HOPEFUL OF GETTING NEW FRANCHISE

Special to The Times. Denison, Tex., Nov. 16.—Local baseball fans are much interested in this city's prospects for getting into the Texas league next season. They have their eyes on the Beaumont franchise which it is understood would be sold if the price was right. Denison has supported her teams in the Texas-Oklahoma league and Western association very creditably and believes she can make good in faster company.

Reports Of Unrest In India, Most Populous Dependency, Worry Great Britain



SIKH SOLDIERS AND MAP SHOWING INDIA

London denies that there is serious unrest in India, but there have been circumstantial reports of trouble in the great dependency, including reports of the deposition by the people of Hyderabad of their nizam or ruler, owing to his staunch support of British rule. It was even said that Earl Kitchener, formerly commander of the troops in India had gone there to quell the disturbances. It is now known, however, that Kitchener has gone to the Balkans. In the past few weeks some German agents have asserted that British rule in India and also in Egypt is seriously menaced by the Teuton-Bulgar advance in the Balkans.

Henrietta Citizen Century Old Today; Cast First Vote For Andrew Jackson, Hale And Vigorous In Spite Of Years



From Monday's Daily. Today is the 100th birthday of John Alexander Phelps of Henrietta, believed to be the oldest resident of Northwest Texas. In spite of his age, Mr. Phelps is declared to be in good health, giving promise of the ability to celebrate many more anniversaries. The Henrietta Independent to whom The Times is indebted for the use of the accompanying picture of Mr. Phelps, has the following to say about him: "Mr. Phelps is a native of Virginia, having been born in Washington county in that state on November 15, 1815. He is of Scotch ancestry. His father, a brawny Scot who himself lived to the great age of 112, came to Virginia from his native home in Scotland in the latter half of the 18th century. He died in the city of Nashville, Tenn.

He has always lived much in the open, exposed to all kinds of weather, and has been a hard worker. His regular habits has no doubt helped him. He eats heartily, goes to bed early, sleeps soundly and gets up early.

It was Mr. Phelps' good fortune to enjoy the personal acquaintance of five presidents—John, Quincy Adams, Andrew Jackson, Abraham Lincoln and U. S. Grant. He also knew personally Jefferson Davis, the president of the Confederacy, having served with him in the Mexican war. Twice a pioneer of Tennessee, was largely a frontier state when he went there. Mr. Phelps has witnessed the growth of Henrietta from a stray shanty covering trading point as it was in 1830 when first made his home here, to a thriving city with practically all the conveniences of our modern civilization. Likewise he has witnessed the development of the country from one vast open cattle range to a net work of farms and pastures, dotted with towns, villages and country homes, with factories, mills, railroads, telephone lines, gas and oil wells.

MURDER OF AMERICAN BY VILLA INDIANS DESCRIBED

By Associated Press. El Paso, Texas, Nov. 16.—Details of the murder of Joseph W. Tays near San Blas, Mexico, are contained in a letter received today by J. E. Tays of this city, from his brother, E. H. Tays, father of the murdered man.

According to the letter, dated September 23, Tays set out for Los Mochis, 25 miles away on September 2, in company with four companions and three Indian porters. They were met by 500 Indians of the Villa faction and made prisoners. Despite Tays' protest of American citizenship they were forced to march naked and about five miles across the desert to the camp of the Indians. Tays and his companions were robbed of \$300. Then they were lined up and shot. The Indians' intention was to kill him in trying to escape.

The father accompanied by seven armed Americans visited the scene of the tragedy the next day but was unable to recover the body of his son. Two days later Darcho sent word to Tays that he would kill him too, if he persisted in searching for his son's body.

REPORTS OF REVOLUTIONS IN INDIA ARE DISCREDITED

By Associated Press. Tokio, Nov. 16.—So far as can be ascertained, no information has been received in official circles here to bear out recent dispatches from America reporting revolutionary trouble in India.

JAPANESE FREEMAN IS INTERCEPTED BY FRENCH

By Associated Press. Pekin, China, Nov. 16.—The French minister here was advised today that the Japanese consul here had been taken into Saigon by a French cruiser on suspicion of being engaged in carrying arms to revolutionaries in India.

FIELD GOAL GIVES VICTORY TO LOCALS

WICHITA FALLS FOOTBALL TEAM DEFEATS ELECTRA HERE SUNDAY

Visitors Give Good Account of Themselves in Game Free From Any Unpleasantness

From Monday's Daily. Wichita Falls' promise to get revenge on the Electra football team was made good Sunday afternoon, when the locals got the large end of a 3 to 1 score. A field goal by Jungk in the final quarter gave the Wichitans the threepoint margin, which proved to be sufficient.

Contrary to the expectations of some folks, the game was clean and sportsmanlike in every particular, without a suggestion of "dirty" play, and it was witnessed by a crowd that gave evidence they were assessed on several plays, but Wichita Falls suffered far more in this regard than Electra did. The Wichita Falls players not only were victorious, but they can have the added satisfaction of knowing that their victory was won without a blot or blemish.

Vict Jungk's toe, which has been a deciding factor in more than one game here in the past few years, proved to be the needful element in the game yesterday. In the final quarter, after Wichita Falls' attack had been hurled back from the very shadow of the goal, the locals gained the ball on downs and Jungk essayed the kick from the 25 yard line. The ball sailed squarely between the uprights for an unquestioned goal. It looked for a while after like Electra would win, anyhow, for the visitors came back gamely and were soon threatening the local's goal, but the game ended with the ball in Wichita Falls' possession on her own 30 yard line.

As in the previous game, Electra's line was far superior to that of the locals, and had the attack been directed more into the line, instead of attempting gains by forward passes and end runs, there might have been a different result. Both Myers and Fred Barron, for Electra, made handsome gains through the Wichita Falls line when ever called upon to do so, and better generalship would have called on them much oftener. But the forward passes, attempted by Electra were, with one exception, all failures. Wichita Falls tried the forward pass often, succeeding nine times.

Although "pig" playing was not as spectacular as that of some of the other teams, it was the best work for Electra, opening up the local's line time and time again and delivering the goods nearly always on the defensive. Captain Barron played a brilliant game for Electra. His return of the kickoff after Wichita Falls' had scored was a failure, and he came dangerously near getting away for a touchdown. He returned the ball 55 yards through a broken field, his team-mates giving the best exhibition of interference running ever witnessed here.

For Wichita Falls, Courtney was the shining light, seldom missing his tackle and doing excellent offensive work also. Bachman handled his end of the line with great credit to himself, while big Frank Holliday was a tower of strength in the line.

Wichita Falls kept the ball in Electra's territory for about two-thirds of the game, but when the visitors' goal was threatened the line held like a brick wall. Twice Wichita Falls had the ball within two yards of the goal and was unable to penetrate the visitors' defense. Electra did her best work in the second quarter, which ended just as a brilliant play had placed the ball on Wichita Falls' eight yard line. Half a minute more to play might have proved disastrous for the locals.

At another time, Captain Barron of Electra attempted a field goal from the 40 yard line, the effort being uncomfortably close to success.

One Wichita Falls player was forced to retire early in the game on account of injuries. Vincent, playing left guard, was laid out and the services of a physician were required. He was later taken to his home. He was badly lamed but his injuries were not serious. Several other players were laid out for brief intervals but no other injuries resulted.

There will be a game here next Sunday, it is announced, but it is not yet known who the opponents will be. Yesterday's lineup: Electra—center, Green; manager, guards Sylvester and Bartlett; tackles, Ware and Wilson; ends, Magallon and Erb; quarterback, E. Barron; half backs, Myers and Bourland; full back, F. Barron; captain.

ANOTHER LIVERPOOL RIOT BY MEN REFUSED PASSAGE

Passengers Arriving at New York Tell of the Scenes on Docks Just Before Sailing.

New York, Nov. 16.—Passengers who arrived here today on the Cunard liner Saxonia reported that considerable rioting occurred at the Liverpool docks when 123 men who had booked passage in the second cabin, and more than 700 other men, chiefly Irishmen of military age, who sought passage in the steerage were refused passage after the crew threatened to strike if any British citizens of military age were allowed to sail. Officers of the ship said there were a number of Englishmen and Welshmen in the crowd. The 800 men; passengers, said, made a great disturbance and it required considerable force to drive them from the docks.

OFFICIAL REPORTS ON ANCONA MATTER VERY CONFLICTING

STATEMENTS FROM ROME AND VIENNA AS TO WHAT HAPPENED ARE WIDELY AT VARIANCE, WASHINGTON FINDS

By Associated Press. Washington, Nov. 16.—The American government will await the receipt of the Austrian government's statement of facts regarding the sinking of the Italian liner Ancona before considering whether any rights of Americans have been violated. These facts will be sought through Ambassador Penfield at Vienna.

The state department now has before it the Italian government's communication addressed to neutral nations, announcing the sinking of the Ancona as an unparalleled atrocity, and officials have also seen the published statement of the Austro-Hungarian admiralty describing the attack. The two statements differ.

Italy's statement charges that "without even a blank shot of warning from the attacking submarine" the Ancona was shelled, and that the killing and wounding of passengers continued after the vessel stopped.

The admiralty statement, on the other hand declares that the Ancona attempted to escape and only after repeated shelling was brought to a stop. It also claims that the passengers and crew were given 40 minutes to escape in small boats and denied the charge that the submarine fired on the boats.

Diplomatic exchanges between the American and Austrian governments probably will follow over the entire question of submarine warfare and the obligations of a submarine commander to see that neutrals are safe before destroying a prize.

Electra Woman Gets Soused Here And Is Sent Home

From Tuesday's Daily. A woman too drunk to walk was taken from a local restaurant this morning by the police. A dray was necessary to convey her to the police station. There she revived and informed "fish all risk" and asked for the "making" later she said she lived at Electra, and told the officers that she wanted to go home on the next service car. She said they made a round trip every minute. Chief Nail took her to the station, bought her a ticket for Electra and heaved a sigh of relief when he saw her safely on the train.

BELIEVE KITCHENER WILL BRING GREECE TO DECISION

London Papers Think Visit to Near East May Result in Definite Outcome

By Associated Press. London, Nov. 16.—The reported mission of Field Marshal Kitchener to King Constantine of Greece has evoked considerable comment in the London newspapers. They all agree that Great Britain has taken the best possible means to bring Greece to a definite decision as to the role she is to play in the Balkan conflict and ending once for all the uncertainty and uneasiness which have followed in the wake of what are alluded to as Greece's political and constitutional vagaries. The Prime Minister has taken what appears to be the general view says: "It seems probable that Earl Kitchener has gone out armed with full powers to bring King Constantine to a definite decision."

RETREATING SERBIANS NOT TO BE DISARMED IN GREECE

Modification of Country's Policy Toward Allies Is Announced by Premier Skoulioudis

By Associated Press. London, Nov. 16.—The Greek government is reported to have modified its position somewhat in favor of the entente allies. An Athens dispatch says it has decided that in the event of a retreat of the allies to Greek soil, Serbian troops will be placed on the same footing as the British and the French. Premier Skoulioudis originally proposed to permit the French and British to reach the sea without interference from the Greeks but to disarm the Serbians who crossed the border. The change is due, it is said, to objections raised by the French minister at Athens. However, it still remains for Greece to define her position clearly. Designation of a neutral zone has been suggested.

SAYS KATY RECEIVERSHIP TO CONTINUE ABOUT 18 MONTHS

General Attorney C. C. Huff Is Visitor Here Today—Says Conditions Improving.

From Tuesday's Daily. C. C. Huff, general attorney for the Katy lines in Texas, came up from Dallas this morning to attend a meeting of the directors of the Wichita Falls & Northwestern. He took dinner with his mother returning to Dallas this afternoon. "This town looks good to me," said Mr. Huff. "There isn't a better one in the country. Dallas would be as good if it had Wichita Falls people." Mr. Huff said he believed the Katy would continue under the receivership for eighteen months. Things were running smoothly, he said, and the Katy's affairs were getting in better shape.

PARENTS OF CHILD ENGAGE IN TUSSLE FOR POSSESSION

A. T. THREAGILL OF FT. WORTH ATTEMPTS TO SEIZE SON FROM MOTHER, WHO OFFERS SUCCESSFUL RESISTANCE

CHILD'S UNCLE RUSHES HERE

Makes Quick Trip From Archer City and Tense Situation Results. Father Returns Home and Will Institute Legal Proceedings

From Monday's Daily The attempt of A. T. Threagill of Fort Worth to secure possession of his six year old son who was here Sunday morning in company with the boy's mother, Mrs. Bula Threagill of Archer City, caused considerable excitement and but for the interference of the police might have been successful. Filled in his attempt to get the child Threagill announced that he would invoke legal proceedings to have the child brought to Tarrant county.

Mrs. Threagill, who before her marriage was Miss Dycus and a member of a prominent Archer county family has separated from her husband. She filed suit for divorce some time ago in Tarrant county but later withdrew the suit when she went to Archer City to live with her mother, intending to file suit for divorce in the Archer county district court. Mrs. Threagill teaches music at Archer City and has been visiting Wichita Falls each week to take music lessons herself, usually coming up Saturday and remaining over until Sunday.

When Dycus faced Threagill in front of the city hall there were a few anxious moments for Policeman Rawls who stood between the two men and by his presence probably averted trouble. Mrs. Threagill and the boy immediately left with Dycus and Sheriff Turbeville for Archer City but not before Dycus had fairly warned Threagill that any attempt on his part to interfere with Mrs. Threagill or the child there would bring consequences that he would not name.

Threagill and his attorney are reported to be in Wichita Falls. Threagill told the officers that he had not intended to take the child away with him, but that he wanted to see him and talk with him. He declared that he would institute legal proceedings to have the child returned to Fort Worth.

Threagill, who is well known here as formerly located in Oklahoma. He is now engaged in the real estate business in Fort Worth.

PRICE OF OIL AGAIN HITS DOLLAR MARK; NEW ADVANCE TODAY

MAGNOLIA PETROLEUM COMPANY TAKES INITIATIVE AND ADDS TEN CENTS TO NEW PRICE POSTED SATURDAY

MUCH NEW WORK EXPECTED

New Quotation is Only Five Cents Lower Than Maximum for Northwest Texas—Gain of 55 Cents in Price in Four Months

Following swiftly on the heels of Saturday's advance, the price of oil in Northwest Texas reached the dollar mark this morning, when that figure was posted by the Magnolia Petroleum company. This is an advance of 55 cents over the price of four months ago.

In poker parlance, the ten-cent advance posted by the Texas company Saturday afternoon was "seen and raised" by the Magnolia company and there is little doubt that the "raise" will be "seen" by the Texas company before today is over. It was expected that after the Texas company's advance of Saturday the Magnolia would meet the raise, but that it would tack an additional dime on the price was an unforeseen, though gratifying development. The new price has already been met by the Gulf Production company.

It was announced this afternoon that the Texas Company had met the new advance. The new price is only five cents less than the maximum figure in this field, \$1.05 being the highest price ever paid here. Oil men are hopeful that the former figure will be not only equalled but surpassed, but a twenty-cent boost in three days is considered ample cause for present satisfaction.

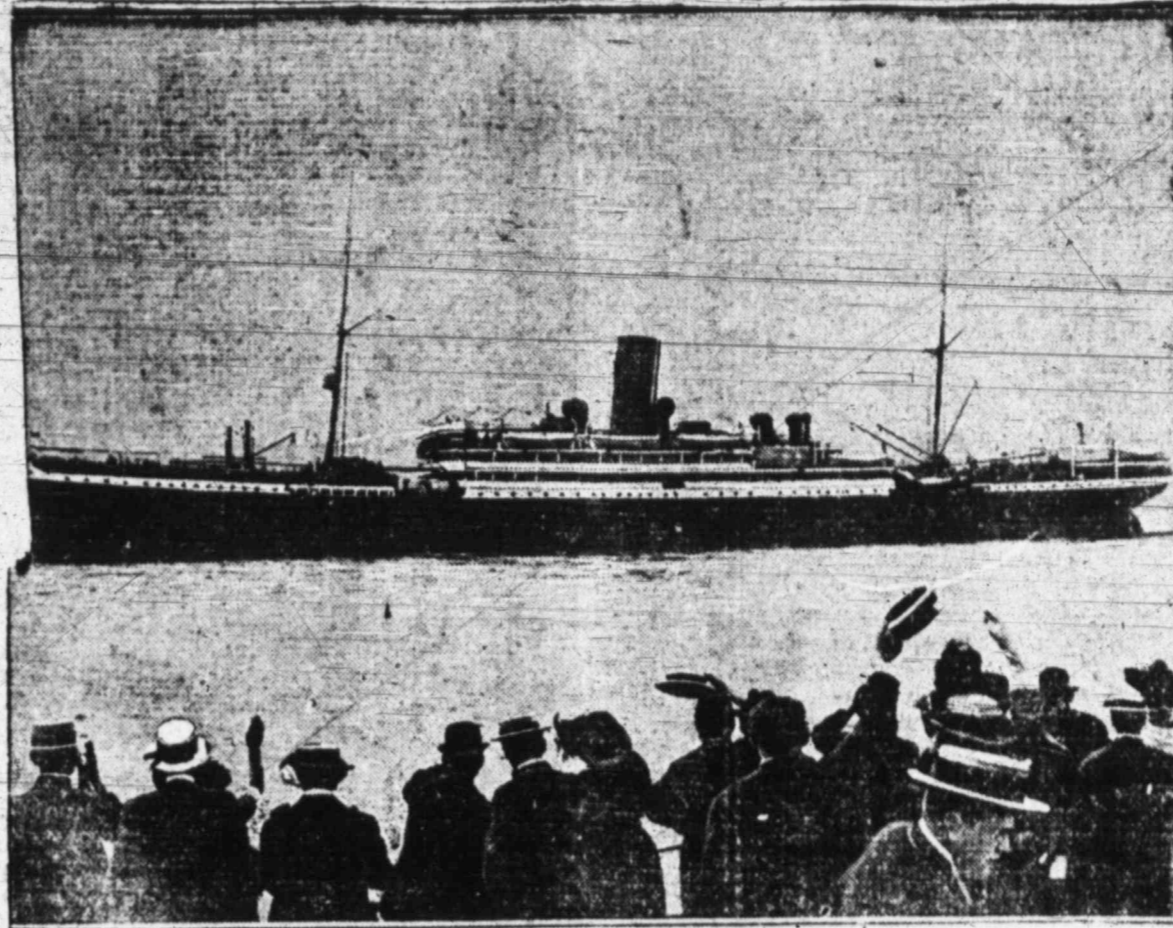
It is expected that the new price will cause still greater increases in work in this field, and the starting of a number of new rigs in the near future is confidently expected. Since the price began its steady upward climb last August, about 100 rigs have been operations at Burkburnett, Electric, Petrolia and Iowa Park.

Twenty-cent advance in mid-continent, also. Tulsa, Okla., Nov. 15.—The price of Oklahoma crude oil advanced to one dollar this morning, when the Prairie Oil and Gas company announced an increase of ten cents. This is a jump of 20 cents within three days as the price was raised from 80 to 90 cents Saturday. Producers here are jubilant and are preparing for unusual activity in the oil fields.

Pennsylvania prices go higher today, also. Pittsburgh, Nov. 15.—The tenth successive advance in the price of the principal grades of crude oil since August 13th was announced today by the South Penn Oil company as follows: Pennsylvania Crude, \$1.90; Cabell, \$1.45; Newcastle, Corning and Mercer black, \$1.45; Somerset, \$1.35; Ragland, 70 cents. This is an increase of five cents a barrel on all grades except Ragland, which advanced two cents.

Southeastern Ohio oil near two dollar mark. Lima, Ohio, Nov. 15.—All grades of eastern crude oil advanced five cents a barrel today, sending Southeastern Ohio to within ten cents of the two dollar mark. All grades central western oils also advanced five cents.

Ancona, Victim Of Submarine. Had Figured In War News



S-S ANCONA, SUNK BY SUBMARINE

The Italian steamer Ancona, sunk in the Mediterranean by a submarine flying the Austrian colors, was built in Belfast in 1908. She was a twin screw steamer of 8,210 gross tonnage, 482 feet long and with a beam of 58 feet. The Ancona had been in the Italian line service six years, and without her cargo was valued at more than \$1,000,000. She played a prominent part in the rescue of passengers from the burning Fabre liner Santa Anna in mid-August 1914, coming to the Santa Anna's aid and taking off more than 600 passengers without further assistance. For several months before Italy's entrance into the war the Ancona was engaged in carrying home Italian restivists from this country and supplies for the Italian government. On one of her trips from New York to Naples late in August last year the Ancona was stopped by the British at Gibraltar and twenty-four Germans and one Austrian were taken off the ship.

FREEZING TEMPERATURES PREVAILING IN SOUTHWEST. Texas and Oklahoma Points Visited By Cold Wave, Following Recent Warm Weather

By Associated Press. Washington, Nov. 15.—High temperatures have turned into freezing weather in Oklahoma, West Texas and Northern Arkansas. It will be much colder in the South Atlantic States with temperatures close to freezing tonight in the East Gulf States and the higher latitudes of the South Atlantic States. Fair and cold weather is promised Tuesday east of the Mississippi river. The first general rain of the month east of the Mississippi began Sunday and continued today in the Atlantic coast states.

STEAMER NAMED ADRIATIC REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN SUNK. Not Believed, However, That It Is Big Passenger Steamer of White Star Line

By Associated Press. New York, Nov. 15.—There was a report this morning that the steamship Adriatic had been sunk, but the report did not state whether the steamship was the big passenger ship of the White Star line or was the British steamship Adriatic which left Kymass, Greece on October 13 for Philadelphia and passed Parais on October 19. The White Star liner Adriatic arrived in Liverpool November 11 and was not scheduled to leave for New York until November 24. The other steamship Adriatic should be about in Mid Atlantic today.

Officials of the White Star line said this morning they had no information regarding the Adriatic other than that she had arrived safely in Liverpool last Thursday. They did not credit the report David Dindsey, assistant passenger manager of the line, said he was positive the Adriatic was still at Liverpool.

"The Adriatic was heavily laden when she left New York," he said, "and it will take at least three days to unload her and on many more to reload for the return voyage to this port."

WOMAN WILL GIVE \$25,000 TO TEXAS WOMAN'S COLLEGE. Mrs. Dan Waggoner Announces Gift, Conditioned on Raising of Additional \$95,000

By Associated Press. Fort Worth, Nov. 15.—Mrs. Dan Waggoner, widow of the wealthiest of West Texas cattlemen, gave the Texas Woman's College here \$25,000 today with the condition that the college raise an additional \$95,000. This is assured by a campaign which has been on here for a week.

ANTI-SUBMARINE MEASURES ARE DEMANDED BY ITALIANS. Death List in Ancona Disaster is Now Placed at 208, Missing Boats Sought

By Associated Press. Rome, Nov. 15.—The sinking of the steamer Ancona, following closely the destruction of the Ancona and the Firenze, has resulted in a determined agitation for the adoption in the Mediterranean of measures similar to those which have checked submarine activities in the North Sea. Careful search is being made for the missing boats of the Firenze and Ancona, but there is no longer hope of finding additional survivors of the Ancona. Latest official reports give the number saved as 299 out of a total of 567 aboard the Ancona. Most of the victims were steerage passengers of whom only 57 were saved.

50TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY OF MR. AND MRS. W. J. HOWARD. Occasion is Being Quietly Observed Today—Residents Here for the Past 35 Years

Judge and Mrs. W. J. Howard are quietly celebrating their golden wedding anniversary today at their home at 508 Lamar street. A number of their friends are calling to congratulate the couple, but no reception is being held. W. J. Howard, a young Confederate trooper of Forrester's Cavalry, and Miss L. C. Davis, were married soon after the close of the war, November 15, 1865, in Shelby county, Alabama. In 1868 they came to Texas settling in Livingston county. After a short residence there they moved to Waco, later going to Weatherford in Parker county, in 1880, by this time several of their children had been born. They came to Wichita Falls making the trip overland in wagons. At that time there was no railroad here and the county had not been organized.

Judge Howard sided against the county and in their 35 years residence here this honored couple have contributed a full share to their chosen community. Judge Howard has been honored by the people of the county in many ways. For terms he was sheriff of the county and his record is one to which the people still point as a worthy example, for several years he was animal and hide inspector here when that office was an important one. For the past six years he has been justice of the peace in this precinct.

SEVERAL SUITS AGAINST DENVER COMPROMISED. From Monday's Daily. The suits of Joe Kofmek and V. M. Clifton against the Fort Worth Denver, which were set for trial in the 78th district court this week were compromised out of court. The suit of William Fehler against the Denver which was next on the docket was passed as a compromise is being negotiated in this case also. Judge Nicholson will take up non jury civil cases tomorrow.

\$100,000 ESTATE INVOLVED IN PROBATE PROCEEDINGS. From Monday's Daily. C. A. Walling, temporary administrator of the estate of A. J. Vancleave, deceased, has filed application for appointment as permanent administrator. Mr. Walling also filed application for appointment as permanent administrator. The will of Mr. Vancleave named Edmund Newell as administrator and in case of the latter's death or failure to qualify J. C. Pepper was named for the administration.

It is charged in Walling's application that Pepper failed to qualify but that when some of the property of the state came into his possession he entered into a conspiracy to dispose of it. The estate is appraised at more than \$100,000. A son who is not yet of age is the only heir.

AUTOMOBILE MAIL ROUTE. EXAMINATION NOVEMBER 27. From Monday's Daily. Rural mail patrons in Wichita county will probably receive their mail late on November 27th. On this date there is to be an examination here for eligibles for an auto delivery route at Electric. Those who pass will also be eligible for service here when the automobile delivery is established from this office. The carriers already in the service will be given an opportunity to qualify. There are not enough substitutes to take their places on that day and the carriers will be permitted to take the examination before starting out on their routes.

BIG MOVEMENT OF WHEAT IN PROGRESS. CRITICISED WILSON; FIRED, REINSTATED

THREE MILLION BUSHELS ARE IN STORAGE NOW AT PHILADELPHIA.

More Than 5,000,000 Bushels Destined for Immediate Shipment to European Ports

By Associated Press. Philadelphia, Nov. 15.—What is probably the greatest movement of grain the country ever has witnessed is in progress. In Philadelphia all the elevators are filled and there are more than a thousand cars of grain on the railroad tracks waiting to be discharged as soon as the fleet of steamers arriving in ballast from Europe relieves them of the 3,000,000 bushels now stored in them. In all the westward bound fleet headed for Philadelphia has a carrying capacity of more than 5,000,000 bushels. Ocean freight rates continue to advance daily.

Rumors are current that the Italian government will soon call many vessels home for war purposes, which would intensify the situation.

BOOKER WASHINGTON, NOTED NEGRO EDUCATOR, IS DEAD. Succumbs to Nervous Breakdown Sunday—Attained Prominence Though Born in Slavery

By Associated Press. Tuskegee, Ala., Nov. 15.—Booker T. Washington, the noted negro educator and founder of Tuskegee Institute, died of a nervous breakdown early Sunday at his home here, four hours after his arrival from New York. He returned here with the knowledge that the end was near, expressing a wish to spend his last hours in the South. His widow, three children and four grandchildren survive. The funeral will be held Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock.

The body will lie in state all day tomorrow. Thousands are expected to attend the funeral. A special train will be run from Montgomery to bring state officials and others. Messages of condolence reached the Washington home today from throughout the country. They came from leaders in all walks of life.

Booker T. Washington was born a slave, at Hale's Ford, Va., in 1857 or 1858. His owner's name was John Burroughs. His mother was the plantation cook and had several children, all born in slavery. Booker never learned with certainty the name of his father. All he knew was that he was a white man. At the close of the war his mother, Jane Ferguson and his stepfather took him with the rest of the family, to Malden, W. Va., where he was put to work at a salt furnace. He had never been to school but was ambitious to obtain an education. After his father's death he managed to attend night school for three or four months a year. Then his mother died and Booker was compelled to earn his own living.

After working in the mines and furnaces for some time, he obtained employment at the house of Mrs. Farris Ruffner, a lady of New England birth and training, who through very exacting regarding all matters of work, gave him opportunity to continue his studies. Having heard of Hampton Institute in Virginia, he determined to go there. With his small earnings and a little money which his brother, John H. Washington, had given him, Booker was enabled to reach Richmond, Va., arriving there penniless. Finding shelter in a hole under the sidewalk, he slept there all night, awakening next day to find himself near a dock, where pig iron was unloaded from a vessel. Securing work from the captain, Booker Washington remained there until he had enough money to pay his way to Hampton and 50 cents over. He entered Hampton Institute and to pay for his tuition became assistant janitor. He graduated with honors three years later and then returned to West Virginia, where he taught school for a while. He was then entered Waukegan Seminary, Washington, D. C., where he remained one year until he was offered a professorship at Hampton Institute. He accepted and remained in that position two years.

In 1881 application was made to General C. Armstrong, by citizens of Tuskegee, Ala., for some one to start an institution at that place on the order of the Hampton Institute. Booker Washington was recommended for the position and accepted with enthusiasm. Upon reaching Tuskegee he found neither land nor buildings, only a promise by the state to contribute \$2,000 annually toward the expenses of the school. Booker Washington started the school in an old church and a shanty with thirty students. He was the only teacher.

After a short time Mr. Washington bought an old plantation for \$500, paying from Gen. J. F. B. Marshall, one of his old teachers at Hampton Institute. By herculean efforts he managed to raise enough money during the next five months to pay off the debt. Now, after thirty years of existence, the school's plant with its 2,500 acres of land and its forty or more buildings is estimated at more than \$1,500,000. Its annual income from all sources is about \$325,000, a considerable part of which comes from benefactors. Last year the number of students was 167 officers, instructors and helpers and training was given in 38 industries or trades, in addition to the academic work. Since 1882 more than 8,000 graduates, for such some men and women who had taken partial courses, have been sent out, all

PRESIDENT INTERFERES IN CASE OF ASSISTANT POSTMASTER IN ILLINOIS.

Wilson Holds That Expression of Views Is Not Sufficient Cause For Discharge

By Associated Press. Washington, Nov. 15.—President Wilson today instructed Postmaster General Burleson to reinstate George Burkitt, recently removed as assistant postmaster at Winnetka, Illinois because he criticized the president in his engagement to be married. The president qualified his instructions by telling the postmaster general that Burkitt should be restored to his position if there were no other charges against him. Announcement of this action was made today by Secretary Tumulty after a brief conference with the president.

In correspondence between Burkitt and Postmaster Klopfer of Winnetka, it was stated, Burkitt had been given demerits for other things besides the remark about the president's engagement. Burkitt denied this. President Wilson did not go into that feature but made it clear that Burkitt should not be discharged for expressing his view that a man should not become engaged within a year after the death of his wife.

It was stated at the White House that Postmaster General Burleson had no knowledge of the case before it was called to his attention by publication in the newspapers. The discharge of Burkitt was approved by Assistant Postmaster General Roper after an exchange of letters with Burkitt. Burkitt protested he had an opportunity to reply to the charges, as required by civil service law. Mr. Roper informed him that the law had been complied with by a letter sent to Burkitt by the postmaster, notifying him of the charge of showing disrespect to the president. White House officials were annoyed by the publicity given the case and it is expected the postmaster general will act immediately on the president's instructions.

DEDICATOR SERVICES FOR PIPE ORGAN HELD SUNDAY. Special Exercises With Excellent Music Are Held in Morning and Evening

From Monday's Daily The lately installed pipe organ of the Episcopal Church was formally dedicated yesterday, the dedicatory sermon being preached by the rector, Rev. Frederick T. Datson yesterday morning with a special service of Holy Communion at 11 o'clock. An organ and choir recital was given in the evening with Mrs. W. H. Carnes as organist and Rev. Datson as conductor. Both services were well attended, members of other congregations attending the special recital which was unusually good.

ALLEGED ASSAULTS OF GAINESVILLE MAN HELD. Bound Over to Grand Jury in Sum of \$1500 on Charge of Assault to Rob

From Monday's Daily Harry Garland and J. J. Foley, both of them strangers in Wichita Falls, were bound over to the grand jury by Justice Jones after a hearing this morning on charge of assault to rob. Their bonds were placed at \$1500 each. Both waived the privilege of making a statement. T. J. McFall of Gainesville the man who they are alleged to have assaulted, robbed and left bound on the ground, testified this morning on a statement. His statement confirmed to the report in Sunday's Times The third man mentioned as having had a part in the robbery has not been apprehended.

ORGANIZATION IS PERFECTED BY CONFEDERATE VETERANS. Will Be Known as N. B. Forrest Camp—George Simmons is Chosen Commander

Organization of a camp of Confederate veterans was perfected at a meeting held at the court house Sunday afternoon. The name for the organization will be the N. B. Forrest Camp of Confederate Veterans. Two members of the camp, W. J. Howard and George Simmons were members of Forrest's cavalry. Mr. Simmons was elected permanent commander and Mr. Howard, adjutant. The other officers of the camp will be appointed. Another meeting will be held Sunday, November 27th at which time it is expected a regular time for meeting will be chosen.

ADVANCE IN GASOLINE PRICE ANNOUNCED TODAY. Dallas, Nov. 15.—The Magnolia Petroleum Company announced an increase in the retail price of gasoline from seventeen to nineteen cents per gallon.

qualified to do good service as teachers or industrial workers. The remarkable success of the institute, which was incorporated in 1882 under the name of Tuskegee Normal and Industrial Institute, was due entirely to Washington, Harvard University and several other universities and colleges conferred honorary degree upon him. He traveled a great deal, delivered many important addresses and was the author of several important books dealing with the race problem and the education of the American negro.

The Wichita Times

Published at the Times Building, Corner Seventh Street and South Avenue... Subscription Rates: 1 month \$1.00, 3 months \$2.50, 6 months \$4.50, 1 year \$8.00

An Austin press dispatch is authority for the statement that there is a movement among pro-Democrats of the State to pit State Senator Robert Lee Warren of Kaufman county as a candidate for governor next year in opposition to Governor James E. Ferguson.

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As the day when congress is to convene, December 6th, approaches near, it is becoming more apparent that the Democratic majority in congress is not going to be sufficient to put through the recommendations made by President Wilson.

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affirmed. This should be a warning sufficient to those holding such position. They may think what they please to think, but if they are particularly stuck on holding their jobs, it is perhaps best to refrain from expressing their thoughts in the hearing of those to whom they are indebted for the positions they hold.

As yet, Governor Ferguson has had nothing to say as to the results of the Bell county local option election last Saturday, by which 32 saloons in that county are to be closed.

Booker T. Washington, great negro educator, died at Tuskegee, Okla., yesterday, aged about 57 years. He had done more for his race of people than all the negro politicians that have been elevated to high positions since the war, and his loss will be keenly felt.

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MRS. HUFF FAVORS THE WICHITA FALLS ELECTRIC COMPANY BUYING PLANT OF THE NEW COMPANY.

Editors Times:—As the city authorities have put up to the citizens of Wichita Falls the question of approving or vetoing the sale of the property of the Citizens Light & Power Company to the Wichita Falls Electric Company, we have looked into the question with a view of seeing whether there is anything in the proposed sale that would be detrimental to the public or that would render it desirable that the city should purchase the property of the Citizens Light & Power Company.

One of the things that we should look into is, will the Citizens Light & Power Company be likely to continue in business and afford facilities if the sale is not approved.

For the year 1913 the report as recorded on page 5, shows gross earnings of \$7,996.50, and cost of operation was \$7,995.50, showing no net income; but \$900 was also charged off that year for extensions, which possibly might be considered a profit.

Now, at its most favorable view in three years of operation the earnings above cost of operation has only been \$1,637.91, no part of which has reached the stockholders and all of which, except the 186.55, has been placed back in the property.

Now, in view of the fact that the Citizens Light & Power Company has realized nothing on their investment and are in no condition to make extensions to other parts of the city, no public good would be subserved by vetoing the sale.

It seems to me that if the owners of the two light plants have come to an understanding satisfactory to themselves that there is no reason why the citizens should forbid the sale.

It now begins to look as if the United States has found a way to dispose of Huerta, and that way is to turn him over to Carranza to be tried for the murder of Madero.

This is the time of year to plant trees. The horticulturalist for the extension department of Texas A. & M. College is authority for the statement that trees planted in the fall always bring better results.

Just after noon Tuesday Mayor Henry L. Lindsey was notified that the Lone Star Gas Company had completed its new gas main from Galveston to the city, and that the Lone Star Gas Company would connect with it Wednesday morning.

PHILIP KLEINMAN GIVES BIRTHDAY DINNER TUESDAY

The thirty-second birthday of Philip Kleinman was made the occasion of a birthday dinner Tuesday evening. The elaborate decorations carried out a color scheme of pink and white and an eight-course dinner was served to the following: Messrs. A. Zundelowitz, M. Hirschfelder, M. Marks, H. Katz, E. Katz, D. Cohen, J. Cohen, L. Levy, H. Kleinman and the host, P. Kleinman.

"Dutch" Home After Exciting Journey to Points in Oklahoma

"Dutch" Lennox, whose right arm was paralyzed and who lost his speech as the result of an accident on a pipe line several years ago, has returned from a trip to Oklahoma points in the oil district.

ARMY AVIATION SQUAD READY FOR LONG FLIGHT

The invention of an automatic survey camera has occupied much of the time of the aviators. This apparatus, when set in operation by the pilot of the aeroplane in which it is installed, takes a continuous series of photographs of the ground underneath the line of flight.

MINERAL WELLS FOOTBALL TEAM TO PLAY HERE SUNDAY

From Wednesday's Daily. The Mineral Wells football team, one of the strongest in West Texas, will be the next eleven to try conclusions with the Wichita Falls eleven, a game having been scheduled for next Sunday afternoon at the city park.

MORE ROOM IS ALREADY NEEDED AT NEW HOSPITAL

From Wednesday's Daily. With practically every room set aside for pay patients occupied and with a number of other pay patients ready to enter the hospital, it is apparent that the Wichita General Hospital will be too small to meet the demands of the county.

NEW GAS LINE TO DALLAS HAS BEEN COMPLETED.

The danger of the natural gas service in Dallas being cut off this winter by breaks in the line from the Petro-His field has been reduced by the completion of a new main which covers part of the distance. The Dallas Times-Herald says: Just after noon Tuesday Mayor Henry L. Lindsey was notified that the Lone Star Gas Company had completed its new gas main from Galveston to the city, and that the Lone Star Gas Company would connect with it Wednesday morning.

DALLAS MAN CHOSEN STATE VETERINARIAN

Port Worth, Nov. 17.—Dr. E. F. Jarrell of Dallas was elected state veterinarian by the livestock sanitary commission at its session here. Dr. E. F. Jarrell will continue as assistant. Jarrell's appointment was favored by Governor Ferguson.

UNWELCOME VISITORS RAISE BAND AT BURKBURNETT

Last Tuesday was a busy day with our city authorities, in the matter of assessing fines for drunkenness and other offenses. City Marshal Griffin made eight arrests of which six were for drunkenness.

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ALIMONY APPLICATION REFUSED IN COURT TODAY

The application of Joseph Walston for alimony from B. G. Walston was heard by Judge Nicholson in the 78th district court this morning. The application was refused.

GERMAN FARMERS MAY SETTLE IN PANHANDLE

Ed Paul, Texas No. 1. A German colony near Crosswell in the Panhandle is about to be established by a number of Teutons who have been farming in Canada.

WICHITA FALLS BOY STAR IN GAME AT GEORGETOWN

Edgar Gorsline, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Gorsline of this city, is mentioned as one of the stars in a game between the second team of Southwestern University and the Cherokee Institute team at Georgetown.

55 ARE LOST WHEN HOSPITAL SHIP SINKS

London, Nov. 17.—The British hospital ship Anglia was sunk by a mine in the English channel today; 300 men were saved out of a total of 385.

MRS. REXFORD BEEKS LETTERS AS ADMINISTRATRIX

Mrs. Jennette Rexford has filed application in the county court for letters of administratrix of the estate of E. Rexford, her husband who died in estate last September.

The Degree team of W. O. W. Camp

3901 meet this evening at 7:30 p. m. to prepare for the big class initiation to be held on November 24th.

J. A. Medlock, State Deputy, has offered as a prize to the member that has the most paid up applications on the night of Nov. 24th.

A handsome gold Elgin watch, and so far a number of applications have been handed in, and the contest is growing with more interest each day.

26 Trainloads of Wounded Soldiers Daily Hauled Back From Trenches And Distributed to Various Hospitals

By Associated Press. Paris, Nov. 18.—Long trains of wounded kept rolling into the La Chapelle station of the Gare du Nord; train after train, even after the fiercest fighting of Champagne has occurred, for the city and flow of the struggle keeps going on with its steady yield of maimed and stricken soldiers.

Occasionally some case needed special attention. One red bearded peasant soldier, well along in years, was ashen pale as he was rolled in an invalid chair to receive the care of surgeons.

How Paris Art Treasures Were Removed When Invaders Threatened

By Associated Press. Paris, Nov. 18.—Many conflicting reports have been published of the circumstances under which the art treasures of Paris were placed in safety when the German invasion threatened the capital.

People of all sorts, who gave up their establishments in order to contribute to the safety of the National Art Treasures. All the doors leading to the court were sealed up, bars placed on all windows, fire fighting apparatus installed and constantly day and night the entire block around this court was patrolled by territorials with their bayonets.

LIGHT ON PREHISTORIC MAN

Discoveries Made in New Mexico Are of Great Interest to the Antiquarian.

Prehistoric man on this continent stands revealed in a new light, through the discoveries made by an expedition of the American Museum of Natural History of this city, headed by Nels C. Nelson, who has returned from the Southwest.

ENGAGE IN SINGING "DUELS"

Intense Rivalry Among Caged Chaffinches Has Been Noted by Lovers of the Birds.

It is well known that caged chaffinches are celebrated for their eagerness to compete with one another in singing. They deliver their songs alternately until one is exhausted and unable to take up his turn.

"HAUNTED" DUCK IS KILLED

But San Francisco Hunter Trying to Recover It Almost Lost His Life.

Hunters may now pursue their sport on the marshes of San Francisco bay without fear, for the "haunted" duck has been slain. It got its quietus from Walter Taber, a professional market hunter.

BAD PREDICAMENT



The Duckling—Gee! dere's man an' I promised I wouldn't get me feet wet!

THE PLAICE

The plaice, whose price has increased so enormously on account of the restriction of the fishing area, is the chief export of Great Britain. Over 2,000,000 worth of plaice are landed in Great Britain and it is essentially the fish of the fried fish shops of our coast.

HEARTLESS

"Why do you want a divorce from this woman?" "On the ground of cruel and inhuman treatment."

STRICTLY PROFESSIONAL

"Jim came to blows with the landscape architect his wife employed over his charges."

THE REASON

"What a pushing manner Mr. Judd has." "Force of business habit. He manufactures electric buttons."

MEAN INSINUATION

"Do you think that white goes well with my complexion?" "Oh, yes, dear. White and yellow look very well together."

ONE EXCEPTION

"Two negatives are equal to an affirmative." "Not if her father says no and the girl backs him."

QUEER

"I heard you had a big blowout at your home yesterday." "So I had. Two tires on my auto burst."

ANCIENTS USED DIVING BELLS

Writings of Aristotle Prove That They Were in Use at Least as Early as 325 B. C.

That the diving bell has been in use for many centuries is proved by the fact that Aristotle makes reference to the use of this device for exploring ocean depths about 325 B. C.

In 1716 Halley made great improvements in this machine and he was the first to set foot on the bottom of the sea by means of a diving bell. The talpa marina, or sea mole, a diving machine to be used for laying torpedoes and the like, being a cylinder provided with compressed air sufficient for two people for fifty hours, was invented by Trosselli, a Venetian, and was used in the Bay of Naples in 1871.—American Boy.

DEER SEES SUNDAY PARADE

As persons in this town were on their way to church a full-grown male deer walked in from the old Pittsburgh and Philadelphia pike road and slowly amped down the main street, taking no heed of the group on each side of the street.

SOMEWHAT SIMILAR

"I once saw a man shot from the mouth of a cannon. I presume you have seen such foolhardy performances?"

CHANGING THE SUBJECT

"Blowster's favorite way of beginning a statement is, 'I've been all over this world and I ought to know what I'm talking about.'"

THE REMEDY

"My husband broke his word to me." "Then you'll have to make him mend his ways."

THEIR CLASS

"There is one kind of sites I can't abide in an suburban place." "What kind are they?" "Parasites."

JUST NATURALLY



"How came you to be in such a state?" "I suppose I was allus a bad egg, mister."

DISCOVERING CORN MEAL

The war in Europe is likely to teach the Europeans the value of corn meal as human food. The demand for it has already boosted the price of corn in the American markets, and it is likely to boost it still higher.

WENT TOO FAST

"The reason why this town doesn't progress faster," said the visitor, "is because too many men are marking time."

ADDING INJURY TO INSULT

Excited Citizen—Here, captain, I want your detectives quick! "My chauffeur has run away with my wife."

THE PROCEEDINGS

"It was that fellow's absurd conceit which egged him on the stage." "And it was his audience that egged him off."

THE REASON

"The horse men all seem to hang around that pretty widow." "But, you know, she's a grass widow."

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Concentrated Shell Fire Gave French Victory At Champagne

Châlons, France, Nov. 16.—There was a "big day" for the French on the battlefield of Champagne three weeks after the battle was fought to give some idea of the havoc of destruction when it was fresh after the advance. Within a space of five hours, the French, from one to three in breadth at least, a million men were engaged on both sides. Casualties, thousands of men were taken, and at least two or three shells for every man engaged were fired.

PEANUT OIL IS PRODUCT OF PLANT AT COMANCHE

Special to The Times. Comanche, Texas, Nov. 17.—The cotton oil plant at this place has started the manufacture of peanut oil, using the same equipment and machinery as for cotton seed oil. The first car of the new product, which is valuable for cooking and other purposes, will be shipped out this week.

WHITE AUTO FACTORY NOW IN MORGAN'S CONTROL

Cleveland, Nov. 17.—Bankers here admit that control of the White Company of this city, one of the largest manufacturers of automobiles and motor trucks in the world, virtually had passed into the hands of J. P. Morgan & Company of New York. A new corporation with \$100,000,000 capital, it was said, would absorb the White Company. Since the outbreak of the war the company's profits are said to have been between \$7,000,000 and \$10,000,000.

IN THE SPHERE OF WOMANKIND

Lullaby.
Sleep baby, sleep,
Daddy's not nigh;
In a trench deep
Daddy doth lie.
Moon shining bright,
Lighting his face,
All through the night
He lies in his place.

Sleep baby, sleep,
Daddy's away.
Mother will weep
With coming of day.
Baby, dear, ne'er
Thy daddy will come,
Bringing red shoon
For baby at home.

—F. G. B. in Chicago Tribune.

SEWING CIRCLE MEETS THURSDAY AFTERNOON

Mrs. J. W. Murph entertained the Thursday Sewing Circle Thursday afternoon. The time was spent in the usual manner and the hostess passed bon-bons at intervals. Miss Johnson was a guest, the members present being: Mesdames Harrison, Waggoner, Gardner, Montgomery, Dell, Murph and Glen Berry.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN GIRLS ENTERTAINED THURSDAY

Thursday evening the Helen Beau-Guild entertained with an elaborate supper in the parlors of the First

Presbyterian Church. The guests were the associate members, young ladies who are unable to attend the regular meetings of the Guild, being employed during the day. The long banquet table was made most attractive with vases of chrysanthemums, roses and other flowers being used in all of the reception rooms. The menu consisted of fried chicken, cream gravy, creamed potatoes, peas, hot rolls, olives, a salad course and ice cream with nuts and chocolate sauce and cake. Numerous games had been planned and some found diversion in fancy-work until late in the evening. There were about fifty young ladies indebted to the Guild members for a most pleasant evening.

NEW CENTURY CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. NOBLE

Russia was the engrossing study subject of the New Century Club meeting Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. T. B. Noble hostess. Mrs. C. R. Hartsock was leader for the afternoon and roll call was answered by short sketches of some of Russia's famous citizens. The occupation of the Russians was given by Mrs. C. Y. Tully, Mrs. W. W. Silk gave "The home life of Russian women." Numerous races and languages were mentioned. The topic and Mrs. Whitney told of the winter sports of Russia. A round table discussion of the principal cities of Russia and a vocal solo by Mrs. Wade Walker completed the program. Miss Elizabeth Johnson of Denver was a guest and contributed to the program, giving a discussion of Russia, one of the important Russian ports which is flourishing in the recent war news. A social half hour followed the final program.

MERRY MATRONS MEET WITH MRS. J. H. SIDES

The Merry Matrons met Wednesday afternoon for a pleasant two hours of fancywork and social chat. Mrs. J. H. Sides being hostess. A delicious salad course was served. Miss Moore, sister of the hostess was the only guest, the club members present including: Mesdames Prothro, Budlong, Walker, Wiley, Hodge, Pitchford and Raley.

DELPHIAN SOCIETY MEETS WEDNESDAY MORNING

"The Principate of Rome" formed the topic of study for the Delphian Society meeting Wednesday morning with Mrs. L. W. Grayson. Mrs. Overton McDowell was leader and also gave a paper on "Five Good Princes." Mrs. T. B. Smith discussed on the reforms of Diocletian and Constantine and Mrs. Everett Jones told the centinels in the life and work of the Emperor Augustus. The members present were: Mesdames Strib Moore, R. L. Taylor, T. B. Smith, W. S. Robertson, Mark Moore, McDowell, O. E. Maer, A. J. Lyon, Jones, Grayson, Dent, Cullinan, B. J. A. T. Brainard, Misses Avis and Nolen.

MERRY MAKERS WITH MR. AND MRS. GRIFFIN

The Merry Makers met in regular session Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Griffin. Auction bridge with three tables of players was the amusement. The gentleman's prize, a silver knife, went to Mr. Greenwood and Mrs. Larkin won the ladies prize, a sweet grass sewing basket. A tempting refreshment course of chicken salad, potato chips, celery, olives, date and nut salad and orange ice was served. Those enjoying Mr. and Mrs. Griffin's hospitality were: Messrs. and Mesdames E. P. Greenwood, Penton, Larkin, R. O. Harvey, and Moore. The club will be entertained next November 30 by Mr. and Mrs. Strib Moore at the Jollie.

MRS. MEAD HOSTESS TO CONGENIAL CROCHET

The members of the Congenial Crochet Club enjoyed an informal meeting Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Anna Mead. Crocheting, conversation and late in the afternoon a dainty refreshment plate was the order of amusement. Mrs. Mary Friberg was a guest, the members present being: Mesdames G. A. Andree, A. J. Andree, Byman, Doke, Shappell, Dollard, Snyder, Bachman, Corckhill and Taylor. The next regular meeting has been postponed until the first of December when Mrs. J. H. Taylor will be hostess.

SEW SO CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. OSCAR WILLIAMS

Mrs. Oscar Williams was hostess to the Sew So Club Thursday afternoon. A welcome diversion from the routine fancywork was the reading given by Mrs. Fonville. Mrs. Grace, mother of the hostess and Mrs. C. B. Hayne of Seattle, Wash., were guests. The hostess served marshmallow pudding, cake and grape juice late in the afternoon. Members present were: Mesdames Baggett, Coffield, Fonville, Howerly, Jamison, Nicholson, Perkins, Peeler, Taylor, Urban. The club will meet next Thursday, December 2 with Mrs. Baggett and Mrs. Thornberry hostesses at the home of Mrs. Thornberry.

The ladies of the U. C. T. will entertain Saturday evening at the U. C. T. Club rooms with a progressive forty-two party.

Miss Elizabeth Johnson of Denver, Colo., is visiting Miss Webster, an independent of the Wichita General Hospital.

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SPEED DECIDING ELEMENT IN BATTLE OF CHAMPAGNE

French Attacking Forces Rushed into Trenches so Quickly That Germans Were Overcome.

Paris.—(By mail)—Eye witnesses of the battle of Champagne declare that the French assault beginning at 9:15 the morning of September 25 developed such impetus in the first twenty minutes that the Germans, though expecting it, were simply overrun. Men on guard in the trenches had scarcely time to fire. The artillery in the rear, whose role was to maintain a barrier of fire before their line in case of attack, opened only after the three waves of assailants had already passed out of range. The troops advancing from Perthes reached the German camp behind the lines and in a single rush killed the guards and made many officers prisoners in their beds. North of Beausejour the first bound carried the line to the positions of the German artillery; in a twinkling the gunners were bayoneted and the line went on.

The progression was not everywhere uniform because the artillery fire had not everywhere destroyed the armored redoubts sheltering machine guns. The French advanced in parallel or converging columns, according to the ground in front of the different sectors; in some places the objective was a frontal attack for the capture of trenches, in others the aim was to encircle the enemy's positions. Over the whole line of attack it was only on the extreme flank at Auberville and in the neighborhood of Servoz that the Germans held their ground. Unable to advance at those points, the French pursued their attacks so vigorously the adversary was unable to detach any of his men to reinforce the center.

The two converging columns that were to meet at a fixed point behind the Sabot woods formed their junction before the German detected the move and the 2,000 men caught in a side wedge thus formed raised a handkerchief in guise of the white flag after holding out three days.

Two other columns encircled the height called Mammelle. Cud on which were the formidable defense works named Trapeze and took more than a thousand prisoners.

Speed in the opinion of some authorities, cannot be said to have won the battle of Champagne alone; there was first the artillery preparation that comes in for a large share of the credit and then there were many positions that were taken only after several days of struggle in which attacks and counter attacks were alternately successful. Speed alone, however, it is thought may explain the extent of the success judged by the German losses in proportion to the extent of the field; 25,000 prisoners, 143 cannon and 115,000 killed and wounded over a field covering less than 50 square miles.

At the battle of Lena the French took only 15,000 prisoners and 200 cannon while the Prussians lost 12,000 killed. At Austerlitz Napoleon took only 12,000 prisoners and 186 cannon. At Froeschwiller the French lost 3,000 prisoners, 5,000 killed and 28 cannon while at Saint Privat they lost 12,000 men to the Germans 10,000.

In the battle of Champagne the losses in prisoners exceeded the total in any one of the above decisive battles and their total losses nearly equal the aggregate in all four. The losses of the entire army, based on the 25th and 26th of September, according to French information ran from 40 per cent to 80 per cent. On this basis the French official estimate of the total German losses at 140,000 is declared to be conservative since there were 99 battalions on that front before the battle began and 92 battalions were sent to reinforce them, making a total of 223,000 men, among whom the losses averaged 70 per cent. Nearly all the 1st line troops were either killed or captured.

USE OF RIVER WATER IS IRRIGATION PROBLEM.

Austin, Tex., Nov. 19.—Just how far it may proceed to prevent consumers of water for irrigation purposes from wasting the water of streams in Texas is a question that is perplexing the state board of water engineers. The board has made a request to the attorney general for an opinion clearly defining its powers and limitations under the general irrigation law. The board is informed that great quantities of water running into the thousands of gallons daily are being wasted but it appears that the law is indefinite on the point as to procedure against the users who are guilty of waste. The board also wants an opinion as to the right to accept money from irrigation companies to pay salaries of and expenses of supervisors.

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CONFESSION OF SLAYER OF PRESIDENT MADERO PRINTED

Cardenas Says He Killed the Mexican Executive When So Ordered By Blanquet.

(Corpus Christi Democrat)

Below is printed the full confession of Cardenas, the self-confessed murderer of President Madero of Mexico. This is probably the first account of the incident that has ever been published in the English language. The confession in its original form was published in a Guatemalan newspaper. The Democrat is indebted to Miss Mary Carroll, instructor of Spanish in the Corpus Christi High School, for the translation of this article. It appears in full as follows:

Cardenas was arrested on the frontier of Guatemala, near Chiapas, in June of the present year. He was disguised with moustache and upon being interrogated denied his identity. After a Guatemalan barber had removed the beard Cardenas admitted that he was the person whom they desired to arrest. He made a statement as follows:

"On the 27th day of February, about one o'clock in the afternoon, and before the military commander of Mexico arrived at my hotel and told me that General Blanquet desired to see me. I went to see General Blanquet and the latter said to me that the country demanded a great service of me; that I kill Madero. The brusque manner in which he told me disconcerted me. I was very popular with the people of War, where General Manuel Mondragon, General Felix Diaz and Mr. Cecilio Ocon were in conference.

"Mondragon said: 'Major, this service can be entrusted to men only in whom we have the greatest confidence. I thought that they wished to put all the responsibility of the death of Madero upon me and asked where it was to take place. Ocon explained to me that it was to be a real attack. He told me that he had arranged for Messrs. Madero and Pino Suarez to be sent from the national palace to the penitentiary at night. While on the way they would be attacked. When the feigned attack began, I was to shoot Madero and Felipe Angeles. Later this name was taken off the list as Angeles was very popular with the people and Huerta feared that his assassination might produce a bad effect.

"You have nothing to fear, it is not the first time that you have killed a man," General Mondragon said to me. "It is true, General, but I have never killed a man of his importance," I answered.

"That is a very small matter," said Felix Diaz.

"Ocon added that it had been the intention of the group to kill Madero as far back as February 13th. Blanquet then took me to call on General Madero at the national palace to be delivered to the Council of Ministers had decided that Madero should die and ordered me to proceed in accordance with the instructions, adding that Angeles should be spared. I returned to the general barracks and saw Ocon and General Acosta who had given orders to a patrol of ten rurales to make the attack upon our escort.

"A little later the same afternoon General Blanquet ordered General Chicorro, commander of the guard that was in charge of the prisoners, to deliver Madero and Pino Suarez to me.

"They were placed in two automobiles. Madero was seated in the first with me and with Suarez and we were followed by another in which was Rafael Pimentas. We started for the penitentiary, but the detachment of rurales did not appear and I ordered the car to (halt) stop and I got out to see what had happened.

"I saw that Ocon was on the south side of the penitentiary with his detachment; I reentered the car and we drove in the direction of Ocon's patrol. At this place Madero seemed to

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EARNINGS OF COLORADO AND SOUTHERN INCREASE.

Denver, Nov. 18.—The annual report of A. D. Parker, vice president in charge of operations of the Colorado & Southern Railroad company, for the fiscal year ending June 30 last shows an increase in net earnings of \$602,332 over the previous year and an increase in gross earnings of \$867,778. The company operates 1,968 miles of railroad in Colorado, Wyoming, Texas and New Mexico.

The report, referring to the affairs of the Trinity & Brazos Valley railroad a subsidiary line, which has been in the hands of a receiver since June 1914 says that a recent contract has been made by the receiver enabling the line to operate freight trains between Fort Worth and Waxahachie over the Houston & Texas Central railroad, making a direct connection with the Colorado & Southern at Fort Worth.

INQUIRY INTO GASOLINE PRICE ADVANCE PROBABLE

Special to The Times.—Austin, Tex., Nov. 19.—The recent advance in gasoline prices, announced last Saturday, may be the subject of an investigation by the attorney general's department. Gasoline is much cheaper in Texas than in the eastern states, but it is feared that the price here will continue to advance if some action is not taken.

TULSA WIDE OPEN TOWN SAYS ATTORNEY GENERAL

Special to The Times.—Oklahoma City, Nov. 19.—Gambling and liquor law violations are everyday affairs at Tulsa, according to Attorney General S. P. Freeling, who has just returned from Tulsa where he attended the grand jury sessions. The situation at Tulsa is deplorable, says Judge Freeling, and he found little evidence of public sentiment in opposition to the practices.

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WANTED—Afflicted people to investigate Chiropractic at 1404 Scott Ave. Phone 753. 61-3tp

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WANTED—Two small motors. Phone 1703. 62-3tc

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FOR RENT—Nice convenient bedrooms. 600 Scott. Phone 1094. 43-4tc

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FOR RENT—Two modern unfurnished rooms. Phone 946. 34-4tc

FOR RENT—One light housekeeping apartment, 810 9th St. 41-4tc

FOR RENT—Two rooms furnished for light housekeeping, water, light and gas furnished, also 12 room house, 607 11th street. Phone 1432. 58-4tc

For Rent—Bedrooms

FOR RENT—Two furnished light housekeeping rooms, 509 Scott. 59-6tp

FOR RENT—Furnished housekeeping rooms; also extra bed room. Barn accommodation, 907 Travis. 60-4tc

FOR RENT—Single and light housekeeping rooms. References required, 1206 Scott Ave. 61-4tc

FOR RENT—Two well furnished light housekeeping rooms, modern. Phone 940, 512 Travis. 62-4tc

FOR RENT—Three modern furnished light housekeeping rooms, 806 13th street. 62-4tc

FOR RENT—Two furnished housekeeping rooms, 1510 10th street. Phone 1615. 62-3tc

FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping, 905 7th street. 62-3tp

FOR RENT—Two downstairs light housekeeping rooms. Phone 1326. 63-4tc

For Sale or Trade

TO TRADE—Owner wants to trade automobile in good condition, 50 h. p., seven passenger, for Ford. Phone 668. 60-4tc

FOR SALE OR TRADE—10 1/2 acres of irrigated land one mile of city, very good improvements. Address 200 in care of the Times. 60-4tp

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Imperial radiator, will sell on easy terms or trade for vacant lot. Schnell & Weaver, 610 Scott. Phone 740. 62-3tc

FOR TRADE—A house and two lots at Quanah, Tex., will take light car, prefer a Ford. Phone 72. 63-3tp

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\$200,000.00—To loan on farms and improved Wichita Falls property. Very easy terms and low rates of interest. F. W. Tibbets. 26-4tc

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Help Wanted—Male

WANTED—Man to spread dirt over yard. Phone 1378. 61-3tc

WANTED—Solicitor for city, man or lady. Nice work. Good pay. Call at St. Elmo Hotel. 61-3tp

WANTED—Retail shoe clerk, must have some experience. Apply at once Harry's Sample Shoe Store. 63-4tc

Livestock

FOR SALE—Span, young work mules, 16 hands, reasonable. Address P. O. box 744, city. 50-4tc

FOR SALE—Twelve young mules, coming two, at my farm on Red River. J. W. Murph, at Wichita Mill. 55-7tc

FOR SALE—Young Jersey cow, 905 Broad. 62-3tp

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FOR SALE—4-room house, city water and gas, \$700 or will take Ford, rooming house. J. S. Bridwell. 40-4tc

FOR SALE—One large east front lot on Seventh street. Close in, one block from paved street. Price \$1100. Phone owner, 285. 37-4tc

For Rent—Houses

FOR RENT—Several houses. See E. B. Gorsline, Phone 720 or residence 62. 122-4tc

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FOR RENT—Rooming house of twelve rooms, modern, 806 10th St. Inquire of D. M. Jones, with Alfalfa Lumber Co. 56-4tc

FOR RENT—One four room house, corner 5th and Austin, modern. Also one 5 room house on 5th street, modern. Phone 1585. 59-4tc

FOR RENT—Five room house, 1504 Broad. Apply to J. M. Childress, telephone No. 609. 62-3tc

FOR RENT—The Labor Council hall, 607 Ind. Ave. Apply A. J. Sellz. Phone 1790 or 795. 63-4tc

FOR RENT—A nice large modern house, six large rooms, bath and sewer, sleeping porch, large front porch, also large room up-stairs; built for a home; on Kemp Boulevard on car line. Phone 906. 59-4tc

For Sale—Miscellaneous

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Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—A middle aged woman as nurse for sick person; call at 806 Austin or phone 671—wanted at once. 63-3tc

WANTED—Experienced white girl for cooking and housework. Mrs. Wade Walker, phone 267. 63-3tc

COMING WINTER PROMISES TO BE VERY HARD ON SOLDIERS

Comparison Between German and Napoleonic Campaign in Russia is Furnished.

Paris.—(By mail) — Predictions that the approaching winter will be very severe have inspired comparisons between the German campaign in Russia and Napoleon's Russian campaign of 1812.

Abbe Moreaux of the Bourges observatory points out that a curve indicating the European localities where the average temperature in January is zero Centigrade or 32 above zero Fahrenheit would pass along the coast of Norway, protected by the Gulf stream from greater cold, ascend abruptly along the west coast of Denmark, and follow a line considerably westward from Berlin, turning eastward in the region of Trieste to the Black and Caspian Seas. Another curve marking a zone where the average temperature is 14 degrees above zero Fahrenheit would comprise Berlin, Vilna, Riga, Dvinsk, Moscow and Petrograd. To make up this average, however, zones of greater cold are compressed, the maximum at Petrograd being 38 below zero and at Moscow 47 below zero Fahrenheit.

Examining the situation from a meteorological point of view, Abbe Moreaux finds confirmation of the predictions of naturalists in reviewing the natural return of periods of extreme cold in the past. We are approaching in his opinion, a period of cold winters and he thinks that the German soldiers may experience the same vicissitudes as those that cost Napoleon 450,000 men from the Grand Army.

AMERICAN ARMAMENT MAY FIGURE IN NAVAL CONFLICT

Ships and Guns From This Country Are Now in Use By Some Balkan States.

By Associated Press.

Paris, Nov. 19.—American built ships and American big guns will figure in the first line of any naval operations growing out of the Balkan conflict, as the former American battleships Idaho and Mississippi, now the Greek battleships Kilkis and Lemnos are the best warships possessed by any of the Balkan states, while eight monster 14 inch guns built by the Bethlehem works for Greece are now doing secret service at the Dardanelles.

The Balkans have a long stretch of coast on the Mediterranean and Black Seas, making naval operations likely on both of these fronts. All the states have navies, except Serbia. The Greeks had ordered a monster superdreadnought of 20,000 tons but this is cancelled. They also had the Salmis, 19,500 tons, building in Vulcan yards of Germany, which the Germans quickly appropriated. This leaves them with the former Idaho and Mississippi in



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the first line, the Avonoff of 10,000 tons, three 5,000 ton cruisers, 12 gunboats and a fair sized flotilla of destroyers and torpedo boats, including two submarines. One of the best Greek submarines was being built in France, and was taken over by France only two weeks ago because Greece was behind on payments.

Bulgaria has a Mediterranean and Black Sea front. But her navy is insignificant, consisting of the gunboat Nadejda of 700 tons, six torpedo gunboats and four small craft including King Ferdinand's royal yacht, the Kroum, which is strongly armed. Should Russia bombard Varne, Bulgaria's Black Sea port, as has been threatened, Bulgaria could make little naval resistance beyond that from shore batteries.

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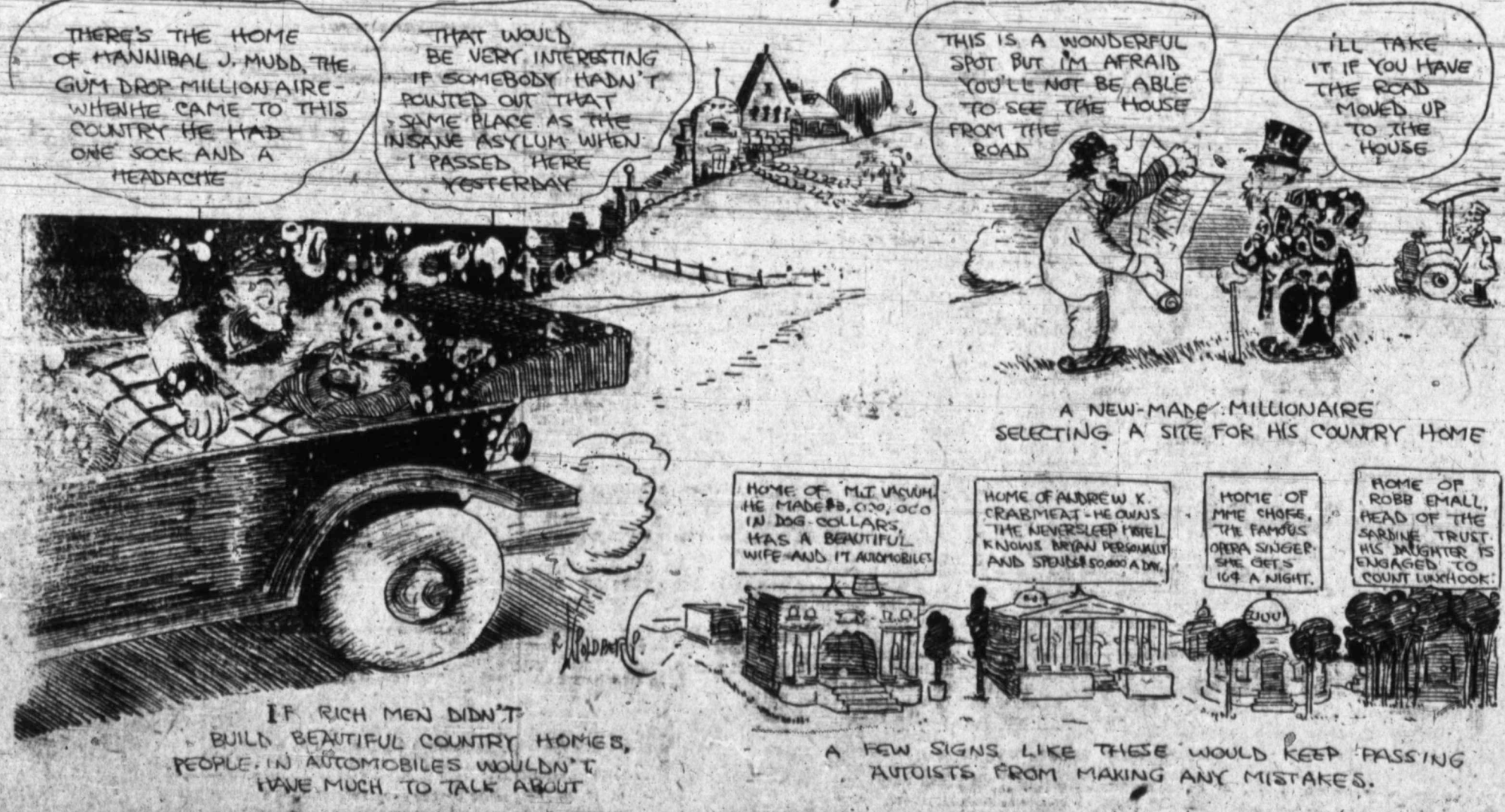
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LOCAL FOOTBALL TEAMS TO PLAY SUNDAY AFTERNOON

The Mineral Wells football team, which was scheduled to meet the Wichita Falls eleven at the city park Sunday, is unable to come and two local teams will clash instead. These teams are made up mostly of members of the independents, chosen so as to be as evenly matched as possible.
 An admission fee of 25 cents will be charged and the game promises to be well worth seeing. There are about 26 members in the independents' squad, including substitutes and these with a few additional players, will form the two teams. They will be evenly matched and expect to give as good an exhibition as any visiting team could. The names of the rival elevens have not been designated as yet.

Legal Notices

ORDER CALLING AN ELECTION.

Whereas, on the 28th day of October, A. D., 1915, at a regular session, the board of aldermen of the city of Wichita Falls, Texas, ordered an election to be held on the 20th day of November, A. D., 1915 at which election the following proposition shall be submitted:
 An ordinance authorizing an election to be held in the city of Wichita Falls, Texas, on the 20th day of November, 1915, for the purpose of determining whether or not the sale of the electric light plant and physical property now belonging to and operated by the Citizens Light and Power Company of Wichita Falls to the Wichita Falls Electric Company shall be authorized, and providing how the same shall be conducted and how the vote shall be canvassed, and how the returns of such election shall be made, and how notice of such election shall be given, and providing for ballots to be used at such election, and what said ballots shall contain, and providing for declaring the result of such election.
 Be it ordained by the board of aldermen of the city of Wichita Falls, Texas:

Section 1. That an election is hereby ordered to be held in the city of Wichita Falls, Texas, on the 20th day of November, 1915 for the following purposes to-wit:

To determine whether or not the sale of the electric light plant and physical properties now belonging to and operated by the Citizens Light and Power Company to the Wichita Falls Electric Company shall be authorized.
 Section 2. Except as otherwise provided herein the qualifications of persons entitled to vote at such election, the manner of voting at, and of conducting such election, keeping poll lists, canvassing the votes, and certifying the returns, shall be such as provided by the laws of the State of Texas and by the charter of Wichita Falls of similar elections.

Section 3. Notice of such election shall be given by posting three written or printed notices thereof, one at each of three public places in said city of Wichita Falls, Texas, at least 20 days before the day of such election and by publishing such notice in some newspaper published in said city three times during the ten days next before the date of such election; such notice to be under the official signature of the city of Wichita Falls, Texas, and provided that a copy of this order, signed by the mayor of said city shall constitute a proper notice of said election.
 Section 4. For use at such election the mayor of the city of Wichita Falls shall have ballots prepared and provided, which shall have written or printed thereon the following: Official Ballot.

For the sale of the electric light plant and physical properties belonging to the Citizens Light and Power Company to the Wichita Falls Electric Company.

Against the sale of the electric light plant and physical properties belonging to the Citizens Light and Power Company to the Wichita Falls Electric Company.

Section 5. Said election shall be held at the city hall and at the Wichita county court house, in the city of Wichita Falls, Texas, and the following named persons are hereby appointed managers of said election: At the city hall voting box, J. J. DeBerry, presiding judge; T. J. Weidman, assistant judge; E. M. Morris, J. I. Manley and Jerome Stone, clerks; at the Wichita county court house voting box, George Simmons, presiding judge; J. A. Albritton, assistant judge; I. D. Browder, G. R. Walker and J. J. Bartle, clerks.

Section 6. The returns of such election shall be made to the board of aldermen of the city of Wichita Falls and said board of aldermen at a regular meeting shall examine such returns and shall declare, and the result of such election upon the minutes of such meeting.

H. BRITAIN, Mayor of the city of Wichita Falls, Texas.

The State of Texas, County of Wichita.

I, W. A. McCarty, city clerk of the city of Wichita Falls, Texas, hereby certify that the within and foregoing is a true and correct copy of an election order passed by the board of aldermen of the city of Wichita Falls, Texas, on the 28th day of October, A. D., 1915, at a regular meeting of the said board of aldermen, a quorum being present, which order is recorded on pages 467 and 468, book 2 of the minutes of the said board of aldermen, which said minutes have been approved and duly signed by the mayor.

Witness my hand and the seal of the said city, this 29th day of October, A. D., 1915, at Wichita Falls, Texas.

W. A. McCarty, city clerk, of the city of Wichita Falls, Texas.
 Nov. 10, 14, 17, 19.

DAVIS WILL MEET HENDERSON TONIGHT

TWO FAST BOXERS WILL MEET IN FIRST CARD AT CLUB'S NEW QUARTERS.

GOOD PRELIMINARY EVENTS

Both Henderson and Davis Are Now in Good Trim and Fast Contest is Expected.

The first boxing match to be held in the new quarters of the Business Men's Athletic Club will be staged tonight when Red Henderson of Dallas and "Sailor" Davis of Brooklyn, will come together in what promises to be one of the best glove affairs yet held here. The first preliminaries will start at 8:45.

It was planned to have the army aviators' party as guests of the club management at the affair, following the banquet.
 Both Henderson and Davis returned here early this week and have been working out regularly in the new quarters, which it is believed will afford a much more satisfactory arrangement than has heretofore been possible. The bouts will take place on a raised platform in the center of the large hall at the quarters, and the spectators will be close to the scene of action with nothing to obstruct a good view of the proceedings.
 The usual admission fee will be collected at the door and pays the club dues of each spectator for the months of November and December.

Davis thinks he will be able to handle Henderson, feeling since his successful bout with Harry Walsh that he can have equal success with Henderson, with whom Walsh was quite evenly matched; but Henderson is a different style of fighter from Walsh and he, too, will enter the ring tonight with full confidence. Both men are fast, active fighters and the bout ought not to lack steam for a minute.
 There will be several good preliminaries. An effort will be made to arrange a battle royal, but local negroes are not as fond of entering that sort of thing as they once were and it is sometimes difficult to persuade a sufficient number of them to enter the ring.

This will probably be Henderson's last appearance here for some time, as the fight fans of Dallas, his home, are clamoring for his return and he has a match scheduled there next Tuesday night.

"DAMAGED GOODS" SEEN BY SMALL AUDIENCE HERE

A crowd that ought to have been larger witnessed the production "Damaged Goods" at the Wichita Theatre Thursday night. The crowd ought to have been larger, not only because of the deep interest in the production, which was far above the average play seen here, both in subject-matter and in acting, but also because of the powerful lesson that was taught is one that might well be brought home to every individual in the land.

The play depicts the dangers of the social evil with brutal frankness and it was as unsparring of the modest nature of the spectators as the stage musical comedy—almost. Things were called by their right names instead of being garnished and masked, as is usually done in plays. It was a sex drama with coarse English, instead of sin and vice, as things to be laughed at or overlooked, they were held up in such a way that the lesson could not be missed. There were scenes and passages that sent little shivers down one's spine and it cannot be said that the production was a pleasant one, judged by theatrical standards; but this fact was apt to be forgotten in the engrossing interest of the lesson that was portrayed.

The acting was excellent and the production lost nothing in the manner of its presentation here.

CEMETERY LOT SALES MADE WITHOUT RECORDING DEEDS

As Result, the Ownership of Several Tracts is in Question—Will Try to Straighten Tangle.

Dr. J. F. Reed, chairman of the park board, reported to the city council last night, that the board was preparing for the adoption of rules and regulations governing Riverside cemetery and that an effort would be made to straighten out the tangles in connection with the ownership of lots in the cemetery. He said many lots had been sold and that no records of the transaction could be found and that as a result some bodies had been buried on lots belonging to other persons. A map which it was expected would show some of the lots sold could not be located. He said that about twenty-five years ago many lots had been sold for the purpose of raising money for the cemetery. Many owners had deeds for such lots that had never been put on record and there would be considerable difficulty in getting the records straightened out, said Dr. Reed, said the park board wanted to devise some system that would prevent a recurrence of this situation.

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WARD SYSTEM FOR ALARMS ADOPTED BY CITY COUNCIL

Number of Blasts of Fire Whistle Will Announce Approximate Location of the Fire.

The city council last night at the suggestion of J. C. Ward, president of the fire department, adopted a ward system for the sounding of fire alarms. The adoption of this system was made possible through a device invented by Grover Habern, in charge of the Floral Heights fire station. Mr. Habern has contrived an electrical sounder which will simultaneously sound an alarm at the city hall station, the Floral Heights station, the water station and at the Fort Worth and Denver Round House where the fire whistle is blown. Twenty-nine seconds later it will sound an alarm giving the ward number of the fire. The device has already been connected up with the points named and has been used in practice until the firemen are perfectly familiar with its workings.

For the purposes of giving the general public information concerning the location of fires the city has been divided into six wards. The number of blasts from the fire whistle will give the number of the ward in which the fire is located. Citizens who want to know the general location of fires should cut out the following list of wards and refer to it when the whistle is blown.

The numbers and boundaries of the wards follow:

Ward Number 1—All property in fire limits, which takes in almost all of the business district.

Ward Number 2—From Fort Worth and Denver railroad west on 10th St. to Burnett, thence all south of 10th St. and east of Burnett to Fort Worth and Denver railroad.

Ward Number 3—From Lamar west on 10th St. to Burnett, thence north on Burnett to the Wichita River, and thence east to railroad, thence south to 6th St., thence west to Lamar, thence south on Lamar to 10th St.

Ward Number 4—All west of Burnett St. to city limits.

Ward Number 5—All east of the Fort Worth and Denver railroad.

Ward Number 6—All north of the Wichita River.

WOULD MAKE COLORADO RIVER NAVIGABLE.

By Associated Press. Austin, Tex., Nov. 19.—That the Colorado River Improvement Association is in earnest in its project to make that stream navigable is evidenced by the determination to maintain an organization in Washington, during the coming session of Congress or until a suitable appropriation is made for the work necessary to make the river navigable. W. A. Holman, a prominent attorney of Bay City has been retained for this work.

IS SEWER RENTAL TAX LIEN? CITY COUNCIL BELIEVES SO

Hoide That Back Payments Must Be Made—Misunderstanding now Seems to Exist.

Is sewer rental a tax lien on real estate in Wichita Falls? Members of the council told J. J. Simon it was. Mr. Simon said he had a different understanding about the matter. Mr. Simon appeared before the council last night to ask that it instruct City Tax Collector Harry Robertson to accept the tender of money for sewer rent he had made. Mr. Simon said he had bought a piece of property several months ago and had offered to pay the sewer rental for the remainder of the year. Mr. Robertson had refused to accept the money he said, unless the delinquent rentals amounting to about a year were paid.

Members of the council expressed the opinion that they had no option in the matter; that sewer rentals formed a lien on the property. Mr. Simon indicated that he did not intend to pay the back rentals and that he would take legal steps to prevent the sewer from being disconnected at the house where the rental was in controversy.

Muffs For German Soldiers Needed To Withstand Winter

By Associated Press. Berlin, Nov. 19.—Fur muffs for soldiers are the latest recommendation of the versatile General Von Buelow.

The recommendation is made in reply to an inquiry which the Tageblatt addressed to all the German army commanders, asking for suggestions as to the most appropriate Christmas gifts for soldiers at the front. Von Buelow replied that muffs would be very useful on the eastern fronts, to be used by men on duty in the trenches. Old and worn out muffs, he adds, would be just as useful as brand new ones. "There must be a cord attached," he explains, "so that we can hang the muffs round our necks."

Mackensen, from Serbia, asks for cocoa, chocolate, fat and butter. Gallwitz replies: "Only we don't want any wool; we are richly provided with that."

PEANUT OIL IS PRODUCT OF PLANT AT COMANCHE

Comanche, Texas, Nov. 19.—The cotton oil plant at this place has started the manufacture of peanut oil, using the same equipment and machinery as for cotton seed oil. The first car of the new product, which is valuable for cooking and other purposes, will be shipped out this week.

At The Theaters

The Lydia Margaret. A Metro feature "The Shooting of Dangerous Dan McGrew" is the picture showing here today. Edmund Broese is featured in this five act picture of the great snow world. The poem from which this play is taken is well known. The story goes of a bunch of miners in the Malamut Saloon and characters first introduced are Dangerous Dan McGrew and his "light o' love, the lady that's known as Lou." A stranger stumbles from out the night and after buying drinks for the house sits down at the old piano. "Then he clutched the keys with his talon hands—my God, but that man could play. Were you ever out in the great alone when the moon was awful clear and the icy mountains hemmed you in with a silence you could almost hear—then you've a hunch what the music meant, hunger and night and the stars." The story that, the music of the stranger told is unfolded on the screen and the "lady that's known as Lou" plays a prominent part. Advance notices from cities where the picture has been shown herald it as unusual.

The Gem.

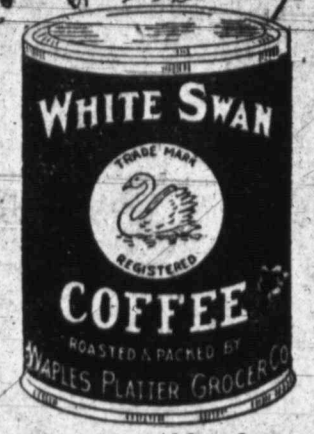
Four single reel pictures are on today's program, including a Lubin drama, "Tony and Marie." Tony comes to America, leaving his wife in Italy until he has made a home for her. He works as a laborer and saves every cent possible. Tony shares a tenement room with an organ grinder, a monkey and Rosso, another laborer. A letter from Marie tells of a baby born to them and Tony has almost enough saved to ferry her and the baby home. One night in the dark, Rosso attempts to rob the sleeping organ grinder. The monkey chatters and awakens his master who fights Rosso. Tony awakes and interferes. He gets the money and a knife from Rosso, who escapes, but the organ grinder has been stabbed and thinks Tony did it. Dying he tells the police and Tony is jailed. Tony had written Marie to come to America. She arrives and finds Tony after a long search, but is helpless. She and the baby live on Tony's saving for awhile. She nurses a sick man in the next room, who turns out to be Rosso. Before dying, he confesses and Tony is freed.

The Majestic.

"The Girl He Didn't Forget" is a Biograph drama. "When Husbands Go to War" a Muna comedy and a two part Vitagraph with Dorothy Kelly, Jay Dwiggins, Louise Beaudet and William Dunn make up today's program. The title of the last named picture is "The Missing Stock Broker" Miss Kelly as the stock broker's daughter and Mr. Dunn as a young reporter who finds missing stock broker do good work. The reporter proves to the managing editor that he has arrived and in the end gets the girl.



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The Empress. One of the most extraordinary film offerings of the season is the latest Edison feature, "The Magic Skin" booked by the Kleine Edison Feature Service as the chief attraction at the Empress Theatre today. Lovers of Balzac will exult in the announcement that this mystic masterpiece has been filmed. The Diabolical dances and midnight revenges, the artist's bargain with Mephistopheles and dramatic episodes which lend themselves well to the peculiar possibilities of the motion picture camera. The vague and shadowy but none the less plainly discernible figure of Satan, is a much more convincing bit of work on the screen than it could well be anywhere else.

E-Q-U-I-T-A-B-L-E

To the Voters of Wichita County!

In connection with the proposed bond issue for a new court house, for which an election will be held Saturday, the 20th, it is very gratifying to the friends of the movement to have the support and endorsement of the laboring people of Wichita County, as exemplified in the action of the Trades and Labor Council, at the regular meeting of that organization, held on last Monday night. At this meeting, which was largely attended, the following communication was read and endorsed without opposition:

Wichita Falls, Texas, Nov. 10, 1915.
 Mr. F. H. Harris,
 President Trades and Labor Council,
 Wichita Falls, Texas.

Dear sir:
 Realizing your active interest in organized labor and your standing as a member of the central body of this city, we solicit and urge your support of the proposed bond issue for a new court house, for which an election is to be held on November 20th.

We take it that you appreciate the benefit that such a building activity at this time will be to the laboring people and while you may not personally profit as a result of the improvement, members of other crafts will share in the benefits, and your interest in their welfare will, no doubt, lead you to favor the proposition.

The necessity for a better building is generally recognized and it is pleasing to note that a very great majority of the larger property own-

ers of the county are supporting the measure.

We understand that leading members of your central organization have heretofore advanced this proposition as a much needed improvement, and we should be very glad, if consistent with your law, to have you give the matter your general endorsement at your next meeting.

Trusting to have your support, and thanking you in advance, I am,

Yours very truly,
EDGAR SCURRY,
 Chairman Court House
 Campaign Committee.

We appreciate very much this action on the part of organized labor, which has come to be recognized as an important factor in the development of our city and county, and we trust to have a full vote from among its ranks on Saturday in behalf of this movement, which is of so much importance at this time. Organized labor can wield a great influence for good in connection with every movement of general interest and it is indeed encouraging, and a subject for congratulation, that it entertains that spirit of co-operation for the general good of this enterprising people in this instance.

This action should arouse a greater degree of enthusiasm among those who may be more directly interested, but who have not as yet taken any active part in this movement. Let us encourage this manifest spirit of co-operation by doing our duty in the premises, and with such action

there need be no fear of the result of this election.

Let every one go to the polls Saturday and cast a ballot in favor of this provision for supplying an improvement so much needed at this time. Such action will reflect credit upon the county and its citizenship, whereas the defeat of the bond issue will be a step backward and our people have never been known to go backward. As we have ever done heretofore, let us do now—push forward—and vote solidly for progress and the bonds. Remember how badly we need a new court house and at what a small cost to each of us it may be had.

All admit the need for a new building. Every citizen and tax payer realizes even our present courts and justice cannot be comfortably accommodated.

The records are unsafe as it is and this important matter alone should be a sufficient argument in favor of the proposed improvement.

Then why delay a matter of so much importance and that has already been the subject of unnecessary delay?

Let us demonstrate a loyalty to our county, its courts and public institution by voting solidly for this measure, and we urge every friend of the proposition to put his shoulder to the wheel Saturday and not only vote, but work for success in this election.

EDGAR SCURRY, Chairman.

HILLSTROM GOES TO DEATH FIGHTING; EXECUTION IS HELD

CONDEMNED MAN STRUGGLES WITH GUARDS WHEN TIME COMES—SHOOTING IS MEANS OF INFLECTING PENALTY

PROTESTS HE IS GUILTY

Efforts of Swedish Consul, I. W. W., American Federation of Labor and Others to Save Him All Prove Unavailing at Last

By Associated Press. Salt Lake City, Nov. 19.—Joseph Hillstrom, condemned murderer, whose case attracted attention over the country and prompted the intervention of President Wilson, the Swedish minister of the United States and the American Federation of Labor, was put to death by a firing squad in the state prison at 7:42 o'clock today. His death was instantaneous.

Struggle With Officers. When the officers came to get Hillstrom he broke down and started to struggle with them, but when he saw the sheriff he became quiet and walked to the death chair. Asked if he had anything to say:

"Gentlemen: I die with a clear conscience. I never did anything wrong in my life. I die fighting, not like a coward. Well, I'm going. Good bye." When the officers started to give the command to fire, Hillstrom yelled, "fire." The squad fired and the bullets pierced his heart.

Although self possessed when he faced the squad he had a severe nervous collapse just previously. He tied the door of his cell with strips torn from his blanket and fought the guards fiercely with the handle of a broom he had snatched from an attendant in the corridor. This outburst was unexpected. He retired calmly last night and remained apparently asleep until early this morning. At four he arose and began to shake the cell door, shrieking as if in a nightmare.

Quieted by the Sheriff. All the prison officers rushed to him. The prison physician endeavored with slight success to quiet the man. When the guard arrived to take him to the chair, Hillstrom fought the sergeant with the broom handle which he had broken in two, leaving a sharp point on one piece. One of the officers received slight wounds. Hillstrom fought silently until Sheriff Corless for whom he had recently manifested a high regard, arrived and appealed to him.

"Yes, this is all nonsense," said Corless, "what do you mean? You promised to die like a man." Hillstrom hesitated a moment and then yielded.

"Well, I'm through," he said, "but you can't blame a man for fighting for his life."

Give Command Himself. He was blindfolded and led to the place of execution, supported by two guards. He talked incessantly in the few moments left between the time of his arrival and the firing of the death volley. He asked whether any of his friends were in the firing squad and kept saying he was innocent. His voice was clear, but low. He was quickly adjusted to the death chair, and the attendants drew aside.

Hillstrom's final word "fire—let her go" were uttered a moment before the rifles cracked. Hillstrom wore his prison suit, a dark suit had been returned for him, but the officers feared delay might cause another outbreak from him and did not wait to remove the clothing he wore. His breakfast which was placed before him about 6:45 o'clock remained untasted.

Joseph Hillstrom was convicted of the murder of John G. Morrison, a grocer at Salt Lake City, and his son, Arling, 17 years old, at Morrison's store in the southern portion of the city about 9 o'clock on the evening of January 10, 1914.

The shooting was witnessed by Merrill Morrison, another son, 14 years old. According to this boy's story, which was corroborated on many points by other evidence, two masked men entered the store with drawn pistols and saying "We've got you now," opened fire on Morrison, who fell mortally wounded with a bullet through his chest. Arling Morrison ran to an ice box in the store, seized a .38-caliber revolver and fired. Before the boy could shoot again, he fell pierced by three bullets and died almost instantly. The men then ran from the store, one of them exclaiming that he was shot, and were observed to run southward from the store. The surviving son bent over his father, who became unconscious after having inquired where his assailants were, and died soon afterward.

Wounded in Fight. Hillstrom also known as Joe Hill, was arrested three days after the shooting on information given by a doctor near Murray, Utah, two and a half miles south of the scene of the crime. His recovery from his wound was rapid and complete. He has always maintained his innocence, but has never told where he was the night of the murder or who shot him. He created a kerfuffle at his trial by dramatically discharging his attorneys in open court, later giving as his reason their failure

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TAXPAYERS WILL VOTE TOMORROW ON COURT HOUSE BONDS

COMMITTEE IS ANXIOUS THAT ALL FRIENDS OF ISSUE SHALL REGISTER THEIR APPROVAL AT UOLLS AND INSURE MAJORITY.

LITTLE OPPOSITION EVIDENT

Certain, However, That Many Negative Votes Will Be Cast In Out-of-Town Boxes—Only Tax-Payers Can Vote in Election Tomorrow.

Tax-paying voters of Wichita county will decide tomorrow whether \$225,000 in bonds shall be issued for the erection of a new court house. The polls will open at eight o'clock and will close at seven. All poll tax receipt holders who are taxpayers are eligible to vote.

Most of the opposition to the bonds is in the precincts outside of Wichita Falls. Varying reports of the extent of the opposition have been received, and while it is known that a large percentage of the voters in the country realize the urgent need for a new court house and will support the bonds, it is in the smaller precincts that the most votes against the bond issue will be cast.

With a substantial affirmative vote in Wichita Falls, where the opposition to the bond issue is negligible, there is little doubt of the outcome, but those who have been working for the bonds are anxious that everyone favoring them should go to the polls and cast his ballot, so as to obtain a majority that will leave no doubt as to the sentiment in Wichita county as a whole. It is pointed out that Wichita county now has a smaller bonded indebtedness than almost any progressive county in Texas, in proportion to her tax valuations, and that aside from this feature of the question—the need for a new building, commensurate with the importance of the county, is thought too urgent to permit further delay.

Wichita Falls will have an election of her own while the court house bonds are being voted upon, the proposition of permitting the Wichita Falls Electric Company to take over the properties of the Citizens' Company being submitted to voters in this city. While there is some opposition, it is believed this proposition will prevail.

DALLAS DETECTIVES AND ROBBER IN PISTOL FIGHT

Two Officers Wounded When They Attempt to Make Arrest in Rooming House

By Associated Press. Dallas, Texas, Nov. 19.—Two city detectives were in a hospital with wounds and two border suspects are in jail following a pistol battle between police and one of the robbers in a downtown rooming house early today. In the absence of complications the wounded officers should recover.

The wounded detectives are George Elmick, shot through the hip, and Frank Smith, shot three times, once through the arm and twice through the right side. The alleged robber who did the shooting gave his name to the police as "Red" Kelly of Oklahoma City. His supposed confederate gave the name of Dave Widener.

The pistol fight took place after Widener had been arrested and had directed the police to the hidden place of Kelly. Widener, according to the police, confessed to two hold-ups last night, one at a drug store in East Dallas and another at an oil station in Oak Cliff. In his statement he involved Kelly. Widener was arrested on the street following the Oak Cliff holdup on a description given to the police.

When the squad of police reached the rooming house where Kelly was in hiding, Elmick was bent forward to enter the room where Kelly was. When the detective opened the door Kelly sent a bullet through his right hip, bringing him down. Detective Smith leaped over the fallen man and his revolver failed to fire and Smith became the helpless target of the highwayman. His wounds, however, are said not to be serious.

Other police quickly filled the room and overpowered Kelly without having to shoot him.

BOMBARDMENT OF VIENNA BY AUSTRIAN AEROPLANES

Aerial Squadron Attacks Military Establishments in Italian City Thursday

By Associated Press. Vienna, Nov. 19.—Venice has again been bombarded by Austrian aeroplanes. Official announcement was made here today that an aerial squadron attacked military establishments of that city yesterday afternoon.

New Year Will Come Before Canal Will Be Open Again For Traffic



PANAMA CANAL CHANNEL BLOCKED BY SLIDE

The picture printed herewith is the latest photograph of the big slide in the Galiard cut (formerly known as the Culebra cut) of the Panama canal to reach the United States. The letter accompanying the picture said that as there are now upward of 10,000,000 cubic yards of material gradually moving into the canal faster than the great dredges can remove it, it is the opinion that the canal channel will not be open for traffic again before Jan. 1.

CHINA MAY JOIN ENTENTE POWERS

PARIS BLACKLISTS SUPPOSED BUYER OF MRS. GALT'S GOWNS

AGENT IS GERMAN AND DRESS-MAKERS REFUSE TO FURNISH HIM WITH CLOTHES FOR WILSON'S BRIDE-PROSPECTIVE

MODISTES WOULD MAKE GIFT

Anxious to Present Gowns to Mrs. Galt if German Buyer is Not in Transaction—He Threatens Diplomatic Action.

By Associated Press. Paris, Nov. 19.—The Paris Dress-makers' Syndicate has blacklisted two American customers of German origin, one of them a man named Kurmann, reputed to have been commissioned to buy gowns for Mrs. Norman Galt, who is to become the bride of President Wilson, according to the newspaper L'Ouvriere. The newspaper says Kurmann has threatened to raise a diplomatic question because of the refusal to accept orders from him.

It is declared, however, that each house from which he wished gowns has offered to supply them with its compliments to Mrs. Galt without having them pass through the hands of an intermediary. Paul Piquet, president of the Dress-makers' Syndicate, is absent from Paris. His confidential secretary, however, confirmed a statement that Kurmann has threatened to raise a diplomatic question over the refusal to fill his order for Mrs. Galt.

"You may declare that no members of our syndicate will deliver gowns to Kurmann or through Kurmann or any other German house," said the secretary, "at the same time each or every member of the syndicate would be proud to be honored with a commission to make a gown for Mrs. Galt and would be most happy if permitted to present it with its compliments."

A Paris dispatch early this month said Charles Kurmann of New York was there to select gowns for the wedding of President Wilson and Mrs. Galt. He was quoted as saying that while "it would be indiscreet to talk about clothes ordered by the Wilson family before obtaining permission from the White House" he felt that Washington can look forward to a brilliant social season after the wedding.

TEXAS TO FRONT IN THE GRAPE FRUIT PRODUCTION.

By Associated Press. Austin, Tex., Nov. 19.—That Texas soon will lead Florida in the production of grape fruit is the opinion of Ed. L. Ayres, chief inspector of nurseries of the state department of agriculture who has just returned from an inspection tour of the citrus fruit zone of the state. He says that Texas already produces better grade of grape fruit and is two weeks ahead of the Florida crop.

POWERS BRINGING PRESSURE TO BEAR UPON PEKING NOW

MILITARY PARTICIPATION IN PRESENT WAR, HOWEVER, WOULD NOT BE EXPECTED—DIPLOMATS BUSY

JAPAN NOT BEING CONSULTED

Her Attitude not Known—Step is Planned to Insure Preservation of Peace in Far East—Washington Hears of Plans

By Associated Press. Washington, Nov. 19.—Great Britain, France and Russia have united in an effort to add China to the triple entente in order to prevent possible friction in the future between Japan and China and to preserve the peace of the far east. If China agrees to the plan, military participation in the present war is not expected.

Negotiations thus far are in a conversational stage at each end, with no indications as to China's attitude. Although the United States is kept informed, its diplomatic representatives at Peking and European capitals are refraining from participation.

This sensational turn in far eastern affairs on the eve of the proposed change by China from a republic to a monarchy has been the subject of confidential exchanges by the allied powers during the past week, but became known here only today. Japan so far as known, has not been consulted in the conversations thus far having been confined to the European powers and the Peking government. If Japan knows of the plan unofficially, there is nothing here to indicate what her position will be.

BRITISH ADVANCE ON BAGDAD CHECKED BY INDIAN MUTINY

Troops Refuse to March on City in Which Are Sacred Relics of Their Religion

By Associated Press. Berlin, Nov. 19.—The British advance against Bagdad has been checked south of Kut by Mesopotamia by a mutiny of Indian troops who refused to march farther against Bagdad because of the presence in that city of objects sacred to their religion, according to a Constantinople dispatch to the Overseas News Agency.

The British executed every tenth Indian soldier of several battalions, the dispatch says, but the Indians openly refused to march.

The general situation in Mesopotamia is decidedly less advantageous to the British than recently, as their advance against Bagdad has been stopped 100 miles southeast of that city.

FATE OF MONASTIR NOT YET DECIDED, CAPTURE IS LIKELY

BELIEVED IN LONDON THAT ITALY WILL ACTIVELY PARTICIPATE IN BALKAN FIGHTING—5,000 SERBS CAPTURED

PART OF SERBIA MAY BE SAVED

Chance That Defenders Will Be Able to Retain Small Strip as Beligians Did—New German Attack on Riga is Failure

By Associated Press. London, Nov. 19.—The fate of Monastir is not yet known definitely, but there is little hope in England that it will escape the Bulgarians. There is a possibility, however, that the invaders will not dare to make such an extension of their line with the French apparently established solidly on their flank.

Left in the dark as to the actual progress of the Anglo-French campaign in the near east, the British public can only hope the entente allies will soon have strong forces there that will enable the Serbians to make a successful stand and reserve a small portion of their country as the Belgians did along the Yser. Some substance is given this hope by unofficial news that the Anglo-French force is now assuming formidable proportions as well by news that Italy is on the verge of actual participation in the Balkan campaign.

The retreat of the Serbians toward the Albanian border is causing increased uneasiness at Athens, but the developments there are interpreted as being not unfavorable to the entente powers.

The British war council has returned from Paris without giving any intimation of the outcome of its deliberations with the French committee, but the public is confident closer unity will prevail hereafter in the operations of the allied armies and fleets.

Little news comes from the eastern front, in addition to the report that a German attack south of Riga has been repulsed and that Austro-German attempts to cross the Styrian river in Galicia have been resumed. The capture of 5,000 Serbians was announced by the German war office today.

CONFERENCE IN DALLAS ON GRADE CROSSING PROBLEM.

Dallas, Tex., Nov. 19.—Mayor Lindsey today will hold a conference with John Finley Wallace, the engineer engaged by the city to work out a solution of the grade crossing problem. A discussion of the subject will be held by the Mayor, the city commissioners and Mr. Wallace. Mr. Wallace is said to have prepared already a draft of his plan.

AERO SQUADRON FLIES FROM FORT SILL IN 38 MINUTES

Six Machines Make Quick Trip And Alight South Of City Without Mishap

TO GO DIRECT FROM HERE TO FORT WORTH

Motorcycles And Trucks Expected To Arrive This Afternoon—Large Crowd Witnesses Landing

Flying from Fort Sill, Okla., the six aeroplanes comprising the Fire Aero Squadron of the United States army arrived here at 9:26 this morning completing the first leg of their flight to San Antonio. The flight was made in 38 minutes, the first aeroplane having left Fort Sill at 8:48. This would make the speed of the aviators at the rate of about 87 miles an hour.

Approaching the city at a height of 3,500 to 4,500 feet the aeroplanes circled widely to the south and west flying upon the landing grounds in the Huff pasture south of town from the southeast. The big biplanes soared down upon the field gracefully one after another and within five minutes after Lieutenant J. E. Carberry's aeroplane, the first to reach the grounds, had landed all six were on the ground and had been wheeled into a row, and the aviators were covering their engines with canvas.

Ideal weather prevailed for the flight, the machines got off at Fort Sill in perfect order and the flight was made without an unfavorable incident. Lieutenant Carberry who piloted the squadron after leaving the aviation field at Fort Sill mounted to a height of about 4,500 feet with a map and compass before him headed straight for Wichita Falls. He had only fairly started before he was able to discern the bend in Red river and when he reached the river he could see the outline of the city. Ten or twelve miles out he picked up the signals that had been set on the landing field by Master Electrician Idzorek. Lieutenant Carberry's aeroplane is a little faster than the other machines and Lieutenant Bowen following him lost sight of him but had no trouble in finding the town and locating the landing grounds. Following Lieutenant Bowen came Lieutenants T. D. Milling, I. A. Rader and C. G. Chapman. Captain Foulois who was the last to start at Fort Sill, was the last to land.

25-YEAR SENTENCE FOR STERLING WHITE

SLAYER OF MISS BEULAH LEE IS CONVICTED BY JURY AT HENRIETTA

TRAGEDY THREE YEARS AGO

Young Woman Killed on November 16, 1912—Insanity Plea is Advanced by Defense

Special to The Times. Henrietta, Texas, Nov. 19.—A verdict of guilty, affixing a sentence of 25 years in the penitentiary, was returned in the 30th district court at 9:20 this morning by the jury in the case of Sterling White, charged with murder in connection with the death of Miss Beulah Lee near Byers on November 16, 1912, now almost exactly three years ago. The jury retired at 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

White received the verdict with apparent unconcern. On the first trial of this case he was given a 50 year sentence, but the case was reversed. The defense was insanity and at both trials the evidence dealt largely with the young man's mental condition.

Miss Lee was killed at a party at a house near Byers. She and White had previously been engaged, but had broken off. The two met at the party and after a few words had been exchanged, White drew a pistol and fired, inflicting wounds from which the young woman died almost instantly. White fled from the house and a few minutes later a shot was heard from the direction in which he had gone. He was found with wounds that it was thought would certainly prove fatal but he recovered.

The jury stood eleven to one for conviction on the first ballot, reaching an agreement early this morning. White was defended by Arnold Taylor and Arnold and by Wantland and Parrish. District Attorney Lewis Humphrey was disqualified as prosecutor, and the state was represented by County Judge W. T. Allen and H. F. Walden of Bowie.

It is understood that a motion for a new trial will be filed within a short time and that if it is denied the case will be again taken to the higher courts. White belongs to a prominent family residing in the northern part of the county and Miss Lee's family is also well known and highly regarded. The case has attracted widespread interest.

Motor Trucks En Route. The only bad bit of the flight was that the Red River caused the difficulty in the pasture running into it. This made choppy going for several miles but the distance was covered without difficulty. The aeroplanes following Lieut. Carberry did not meet as high as his machine, most of the others flying at a height of about 3,500 feet.

The six motor trucks and motorcycles accompanying the squadron did not leave Fort Sill until after the last aeroplane had started. The distance by wagon road from Fort Sill is between 75 and 80 miles and the trucks were not expected to arrive until late this afternoon. Eight of the trucks carry provisions and equipment weighing between 2,000 and 6,000 pounds which with the weight of the trucks bring the total load well above 10,000 pounds. There are several miles of sandy road in the Red River bottom and some difficulty was expected in getting through but Captain Foulois had felt no fear but that all of the equipment would be here this afternoon.

Won't Stop at Bowie. Captain Foulois announced upon the arrival of the squadron that no stops would be made at Bowie and Decatur as had been planned previously but that the distance from Wichita Falls to Fort Worth would be covered in one flight. If the weather is not unfavorable the squadron will start again here between 8 and 9 o'clock tomorrow morning and should be landed in Fort Worth within an hour and a half. Master Electrician Idzorek and Sergeant Westmark left in the army automobile shortly after the arrival of the squadron for Fort Worth to select and mark the landing site there.

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At The Churches

The Church of the Nazarene. There will be services as follows on Sunday: Sabbath school at 9:45 a. m., S. L. Williams, superintendent. Preaching at 11 a. m., and 7:45 p. m. Prayer meeting every Thursday night. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to worship with us. Church located at the nuts and hocoalte sauce and cake. JAS. N. COOPER, Pastor.

Church of Christ. Bible school at 9:30 a. m. Classes for all grades. Preaching at 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. We are going to have a real prayer meeting next Wednesday night. Sermon on Sunday and Sunday night as follows: "How the preacher and church

Are Related" and "Things we Don't Need to Know." The results of our recent meeting were five added, the church strengthened and others taught. We invite the public to our services. C. A. BUCHANAN, Minister.

First Presbyterian Church. The pastor will be in his pulpit both morning and evening. The theme for the morning hour is: "The Christian's Joy." In this sermon the speaker seeks to show the blessings that rightfully belong to the saved. The fourth and last of the sermons to men will be preached in the evening. The theme "Influence." The attendance at the prayer meeting last Wednesday was very gratifying. We had the largest crowd of the present administration save one. The severe weather did not dampen the enthusiasm of those who are at-

tending this service. The annual Thanksgiving service for the churches of the city will be held in this church. The hour agreed upon at the Minister's Association was 10 o'clock a. m. A splendid musical program is being prepared. Mr. Walters will preach the sermon. The Sunday school will receive gifts for Files Valley Orphan's home Sunday at 9:30.

Church of the Good Shepherd. Holy Communion at 7:30. Sunday school at 8:30. Morning prayer at 11. Subject of the sermon, "Church Advertising." Evening prayer at 7:30. Sermon subject, "The Rich Young Ruler." We cordially invite you to the service of this church. The rector's class on "Church Doctrine" meets at 9:30. You are invited to join in the discussions. The Sunday school is small but good and under splendid teachers. The music by the choir is excellent. Join with us in Sunday's services. FRED T. DATSON, Pastor.

Central Presbyterian Church. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Morning service at 11 a. m. Preaching by Rev. J. L. Bowling, Dallas. Evening services at 7:30 p. m. Preaching by Rev. Bowling. Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock conference with all the officers of the church with our home missions superintendent, Rev. Bowling. We invite you to all the above services. FRED L. McFADDEN, Pastor.

First M. E. Church, South. Sunday is to be our red letter day. We want 1,000 in Sunday school and record breaking crowds at services. Sunday morning the pastor will preach to the old folks and we want every member of the church present. The morning subject will be "Fading as the Feast." League service at 6:30 p. m. We want 250 on hand. Special music and an interesting service at night. We invite all Methodists who haven't united with us to join at one of these services Sunday. A. L. ANDREWS, Pastor.

Lutheran Trinity Church. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Morning worship and preaching at 10:30 a. m. The confirmation class will meet Wednesday afternoon at one o'clock. We will have Thanksgiving services on Thursday at 10 a. m. Everybody is cordially invited to attend our services. F. A. BRACHER, Pastor.

Lutheran Church (Mo. Synod). Sunday school (German and English classes) at 9 a. m. Bible class will take place after morning service. German morning worship will begin at 10 o'clock and not at 10:30 as other Sundays as the pastor will

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Special to The Times. Hallettsville, Texas, Nov. 19.—Because, it is alleged, she married again without first obtaining a divorce from her husband, Ernest Newman, Mrs. Emma Newman has been indicted on a charge of bigamy. She and Newman separated sometime ago.

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Fort Worth Livestock. Fort Worth, Texas, Nov. 19.—Cattle receipts 2000, steady; beefs \$5.50 to \$7. Hog receipts 1200, five cents higher. Bulk of sales \$6.10 to \$6.25. Sheep receipts 100, steady. Lambs \$7 to \$8.

NEGROES LOSE \$68,000,000 CASE AGAINST GOVERNMENT. Washington, Nov. 19.—The district supreme court today dismissed an action brought by L. M. Johnson of Louisiana and other negroes against the government to recover more than \$68,000,000 which they claim was due to their ancestors as slaves for involuntary servitude in connection with the federal government's handling of cotton during the Civil War. The action was brought against Secretary McAdoo.

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BEAR'S DAY IN GRAIN MARKET

Prices Go Down on Account of Italian Shipping Situation—Early Months in Corn Higher

By Associated Press. New York, Nov. 19.—The cotton market opened steady at an advance of 7 to 8 points today in response to relatively firm cables and unfavorable weather in the eastern belt. January contracts sold up to 11.82 while March advanced to 12.10 with the general list showing net gains of from eight to eleven points during the early trading. The market met considerable realizing at this level, however, and prices reacted three or four points from the best before the end of the first hour. General business was probably restricted to some extent by a delayed wire service owing to the eastern belt storm.

Table with columns for New York Cotton (Open, High, Low, Close) and New Orleans Cotton (Open, High, Low, Close) for Dec, Jan, Feb, Mar, May, July.

Table for Spot Cotton with columns for Dallas, Houston, Galveston, New Orleans, Liverpool, and London.

Table for Chicago Grain with columns for Wheat, Corn, Oats, and Rye for Dec, Jan, Feb, Mar, May, July.

Chicago Grain. Chicago, Nov. 19.—Wheat prices today took a downward turn influenced by reports that the activity of hostile submarines was chiefly responsible for Italian vessels cancelling tris from the United States to Europe. Higher quotations at Liverpool had little effect here. The unsettled weather received also but little attention. Opening prices which ranged from a sharp 10 to 15% advance were followed by a setback all around to well below yesterday's close. Adverse weather gave firmness to nearby options in corn. The deferred deliveries however, sympathized with the weakness of wheat. After opening unchanged to 1/2 cent higher the market scored moderate gains for December, but May tends to sag. Oats were in better demand than for some time. Several leading firms took a conspicuous part in the buying. Provisions were higher.

Table for Chicago Provisions with columns for Wheat, Corn, Oats, Pork, Lard, and Sugar for Dec, Jan, Feb, Mar, May, July.

Table for New York Cottonseed Oil with columns for Month, Open, High, Low, Close for Nov, Dec, Jan, Feb, Mar, May, July.

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AERO SQUADRON FLIES FROM FORT SILL IN 38 MINUTES

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BANQUET STARTS AT SIX O'CLOCK.
The banquet for the officers and men of the First Aero Squadron at the Metropolitan Club tonight by the Chamber of Commerce will start at six o'clock. Plates will be laid for twenty-five.

attend the fistic exhibition at the Business Men's Smoker.

The operator at the Fort Sill telephone exchange had promised to telephone here as soon as the aeroplanes left Fort Sill so that the fire alarm could be sounded. The message failed to get through and the first knowledge that they had left came when the first machine was sighted approaching the city. Several hundred persons were on the grounds within a few minutes and thousands visited the field during the day. The officers very patiently related the experiences of their flight and explained the mechanism of the aeroplanes which are Curtiss bi-planes equipped with military tractors of from 90 to 110 horse power, capable of giving a speed of ninety miles an hour. Captain Foulis regarded the flight as very satisfactory.

Captain Foulis Pleased.
"Anything is satisfactory when we get up and cover the distance and land safely," he said. "None of our squadron flew out of direct course and we had no difficulty in locating the landing field. The flight to Fort Worth will take us over ground of a different character and will give us still more valuable experience."

The six aeroplanes here today with the two now on the Mexican border of the First Aero Squadron comprise the entire field aviation service of the United States Army.

"The enemy would probably get all of us in the first day's fighting," one of the lieutenants told a questioner today. The man announced that he was convinced that the country ought to be better prepared for defense.

The aeroplanes here are of a type used only for reconnaissance work. They are not equipped for bomb dropping or for carrying guns. There is not a single aeroplane in the army service that is equipped for bomb dropping or gun firing. It was stated.

No Exhibition Flights.
No exhibition flights will be made by the squadron here and the plan of Captain Foulis is to get up and away tomorrow morning without any preliminaries.

The First Aero Squadron has been at Fort Sill since last April. Several months ago two of the aeroplanes were sent to the Mexican border for patrol duty. The other six machines of the squadron are now en route to San Antonio, where they will likely have permanent quarters. This is the first flight ever attempted by army aeroplanes as a squadron and the flight is attracting nationwide interest.

HILLSTROM IS EXECUTED BY FIRING SQUAD IN UTAH

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ure to "our young Morrison to pieces on cross examination" referring to the boy who witnessed the shooting.

He was sentenced to be shot October 1 and was reprieved by Governor Spay September 30 at the request of President Wilson, who acted on a request of the Swedish minister.

Hillstrom was a member of the Industrial Workers of the World, the members of which have been active in demanding his pardon or retrial. Resolutions to that effect have been passed all over the United States and in several foreign countries. Many of them showed ignorance of the crime charged against Hillstrom and indicated a belief that he was accused of some political offense.

The governor's office has received thousands of communications on the subject. As the day set for his execution approached the number of communications sometimes reached 400 a day. Many of these contained threats of death to the governor and members of his family, who were placed under guard. Other threats were to destroy buildings and other property and many believe a recent attempt to burn a leading hotel was the work of Hillstrom sympathizers. Elaborate police precautions have existed here for weeks past as a result of the threats.

Many persons familiar with the case believe the murders were for revenge, as no attempt at robbery was made when Morrison was killed. Morrison had been a police officer and was known as a man of great resolution and courage, which he had demonstrated on two former occasions in encounters with robbers.

GERMAN AIRMEN DROP BOMBS UPON UNEVILLE

By Associated Press.
Paris, Nov. 19.—There has been spirited fighting in Alsace, accompanied by the throwing of hand grenades, according to the announcement given out this afternoon by the French war office. Eight German aviators flying over Luneville were pursued by French airmen. Five of them were driven away but the others succeeded in throwing down several shells. Three persons were injured.

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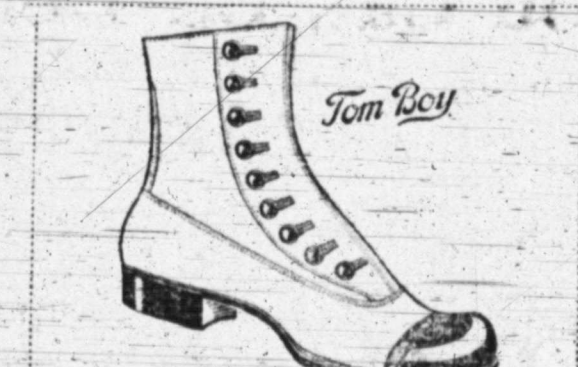
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ITALIAN REPORT INSISTS LIFEBOATS WERE SHELLED

Says Captain Was Attempting to Raise Flag When Torpedo Struck Steamer

By Associated Press.

Naples, Nov. 19.—The official report of the investigation into the sinking of the steamer Ancona by a submarine off the Tunis coast, it was announced here, was sent last night to Thomas Nelson Page, the United States ambassador, at Rome. The investigation reached the conclusion that the submarine fired a shell against the wireless apparatus on the Ancona without any warning.

The captain immediately brought the vessel to a halt, the submarine having hoisted the Austrian flag, the investigators found the Ancona was about to hoist the Italian flag, but the flag reached only half way up the mast when the submarine launched a torpedo which struck the steamer amidship. The captain of the

Ancona, the official account says, ordered the life boats lowered, but while that was being done the submarine continued firing against the steamer's boats.

Some of the boats were pierced by shots, obliging the survivors to use their clothes to stop up the holes. In the meantime, it is alleged, those on board the submarine looted at their victims.

REPORTS OF UPRISINGS IN INDIA REACH WASHINGTON

Twenty-five Executed and Twenty-Seven Others Give Life Sentences for Sedition

Washington, Nov. 19.—Mail advices reaching Washington from India told of the execution of twenty-five others to sentence of life by a governmental commission at Lahore, and described activities against the British government among certain elements in the Indian

population more extensive than has been officially admitted.

According to the reports the Lahore affair was only one of several others that, recently, have been brought to an issue in India with similar results, all the prosecutions being based upon charges of anarchy, mutiny and insubordination. The native press condemns the activities of the disaffected elements in the population, which in some quarters are ascribed to German machinations.

The general tendency, however, is to credit the mutiny's agitation to the work of a band of conspirators alleged to have been located on the Pacific slope of America for several years and actively engaged in a secret propaganda.

The most disquieting feature of the situation, according to the reports, is the uncertainty of the extent to which the native troops, have been tampered with.

In the Punjab and in Bengal between the middle of June and the middle of September seventeen Indian cavalrymen were sentenced to death for mutiny, making bombs and cutting telegraph wires and seventy-one others were convicted of similar offenses.

AMARILLO FOOTBALL TEAM HAS ISSUED CHALLENGE

Special to The Times.

Amarillo, Tex., Nov. 19.—The undefeated football team of the Amarillo high school considers itself still a claimant for state championship honors and has issued a challenge to the teams of the Sherman, Dallas, Oak Cliff and Greenville high schools to meet it and try conclusions for the North Texas title, the holder of which will meet the South Texas champion for state honors. As yet Amarillo has met none of the teams in the running for the championship.

WHITE AUTO FACTORY NOW IN MORGAN'S CONTROL

Cleveland, Nov. 19.—Bankers here admit that control of the White Company of this city, one of the largest manufacturers of automobiles and motor trucks in the world, virtually had passed into the hands of J. P. Morgan & Company of New York, fiscal agents for the entente allies. A new corporation with \$100,000,000 capital, it was said, would absorb the White Company. Since the outbreak of the war the company's profits are said to have been between \$7,000,000 and \$10,000,000.

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The court house bond election which occurs tomorrow, is perhaps the most important election to be held in this county for years, and for that reason every taxpayer should go to the polls and cast his vote. Most every one will admit that a new court house is needed. The only question upon which there is a difference is the amount of bonds that should be voted. Some contend that \$150,000 would have been ample; others say that is not enough, and still others, who believe that from \$50,000 to \$100,000 would put up an addition to the old court house that would have answered every purpose. At the outset, or when it became apparent that a new court house was necessary, the Times thought bonds to the amount of \$150,000 would have put up a building that would have answered every purpose, and a building that all taxpayers would have

been proud of. But the majority of the commissioners court, who no doubt had made a closer study of the needs of the county, thought not less than \$225,000 worth of court house bonds should be voted, and the Times accepted their judgment in the matter, and has given its endorsement and support of their views. If bonds are defeated (which is hardly possible in the event those who favor them will vote on tomorrow) it may be years before another election for that purpose is ordered. It therefore is a matter of more than passing importance that every taxpayer should vote, and in the event they do, the Times feels confident that before another year passes Wichita county will have a new court house.

The Merchants and Planters National Bank of Sherman, as strong a banking institution as there is in the state, it is said has announced that hereafter it will charge only eight per cent interest on loans. High interest rates have been a great drawback to the development of Texas. It is comparatively an easy matter for men of big affairs to get all the money they need to run their business with at a rate of interest not more than 8 per cent, but the poor man pays just any rate that is asked or demanded. The result is that the poor man who pays high rates of interest never has a chance to accumulate anything above a bare living. Right now there is some talk of abolishing the office of comptroller of the currency for the reason; it is alleged that official has saw propped up to reprimand certain banks for charging high rates of interest on loans. Our own idea is that even more power should be extended that official.

Brand Whitlock is now being boom-

ed for the vice presidency by the Democrats, but if President Wilson is to be nominated, and that seems to be conceded, why not give the nomination for the vice presidency to Tom Marshall? So far as this paper is able to judge he has made just about as good a vice president as any who have ever held that office, and to turn him down for some other fellow would not be doing him right, nor would it have a tendency to strengthen the ticket. Indiana is a close state, and the Democrats need Indiana's electoral vote. Vice President Tom Marshall is popular with the people of his state and if he is placed on the ticket

it will increase the chance of the Democrats carrying Indiana. If Marshall is turned down, it might be that it will cause the Democrats to lose power. Brand Whitlock is all right, but he is a young man, and can well afford to serve his country for a while in his present capacity. Let the ticket be Wilson and Marshall. The Democrats can hardly hope to improve on it.

Hon. Robert Lee Warren of Kaufman county announces that he will not run against Governor Ferguson. The Reporter believes that Mr. Warren has made a wise decision. We said the same thing when Judge Ramsey made the race against ex-Governor Colquitt. Judge Ramsey, in our opinion, would now be Governor of Texas if he had waited to run another two years, but he let his friends over-persuade him. Unless conditions change, and change fast, Governor Ferguson will be re-elected and we cannot see any sense in people who might some day have a chance to be governor getting in the race just to be beat.—Abilene Reporter.

But just because Judge Ramsey and Blacksmith Bob Williams and perhaps a few others failed to win, really is no reason why a governor who is a candidate for a second term can't be defeated, and if there is some fellow of equal ability and who wants to take his chance on defeating Governor Ferguson for a second term he should not be denied that privilege. If the people all over the state look upon Governor Ferguson and his administration as do the people of his home county, it would appear that there is considerable encouragement for some gubernatorial aspirant, and so far as this newspaper is concerned it is perfectly willing to give its consent to any man who has the ability to make Texas a good governor to throw his hat in the ring, regardless of whether he is a pro or an anti.

NO NATION IS FIT TO DOMINATE.

The Advance: Whichever side wins in the great war now raging, America has something to apprehend, something to guard. The first things that may happen may not be that the war should continue some months longer. It has happened that wars have stopped too soon. There are those who believe that the Russo-Japanese war stopped sooner than it ought; that if it had continued a few weeks longer Japan would have been far less self-confident and Russia would have started a backfire at home, and so a firmer foundation would have been laid for an abiding peace.

Nor is a victory by Germany the worst thing that can happen. If the allies were to win and their winning meant a great increase of Russian aggressiveness on the one side and of Japanese self-assertiveness upon the

other, America might live to be very sorry that Germany had not won. Nor is the defeat of Germany the worst thing that could happen. We can imagine very undesirable results as the possible fruit of Germany's unqualified victory.

The worst thing that could happen would be that either side should conquer, and itself and the world be conquered by the militaristic spirit. Lloyd George has said that Great Britain is fighting two enemies, Germany and rum, and that rum is the greater evil. Great Britain is fighting three great enemies, the two that he has mentioned and the spirit which in Germany manifests itself as militarism and in England displays itself as navalism, and is one and the same thing in the end. It would be a sad day for Great Britain if she should conquer Germany and herself be conquered by Prussianism and jingoism.

This thought is finely presented by a writer in the Toronto Globe: "There must be no world-mastership in any Nation," he says. "Not German, not Russian, not oriental, not American, and, please God, not British! No nation is good enough to stereotype the National aspirations of humanity. No

race is pure enough to make its life-blood the motive power of all the world. No people are so near perfection that their culture is fit to dominate civilization. When any Nation sets itself to mold all peoples after its own type, the great Lord God does as he has done many times in history: He smashes the pattern and begins again. Partnership, not antagonism! Co-operation, not conflict! Law, not force! Justice, not power! Equality for all, because mastership for none! Nothing less is worth while. Nothing else matters."

"BOMB DRILLS" ARE NOW HELD IN GERMAN SCHOOLS

By Associated Press. Amsterdam, Nov. 19.—Bomb drill TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

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consisting of exercises of an elementary sort designed to instruct children how to act in the event of a raid by hostile aeroplanes, has been adopted in all the public schools of Baden, Alsace and Rhineland Prussia.

Travelers from Germany state that in both Baden and Alsace a number of children were recently severely injured in the scramble to leave the school buildings during the recent raids.

GERMANS SINK TWO BRITISH GUNBOATS

By Associated Press. Berlin, Nov. 19.—Two British gunboats have been sunk in the Mediterranean coast by a German submarine. Official announcement to this effect was made by the admiralty today.

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An enchanting 5-act feature play here today.. 10c-15c.

To My Friends and Fellow-Citizens

During the four years that the Citizens Light and Power Company has operated we have made no money, and we are now in a position where we must have immediate financial relief. We have an opportunity to sell our physical property to the Wichita Falls Electric Co., and all other stockholders join me in asking your permission at the polls on Saturday, the 20th, to do so. Respectfully,

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Local News Brevities

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Just received a shipment of Whittman package candy. Cream Bakery and Confectionery. 62 3tc

Mrs. B. T. Burgess who is at the Wichita General Hospital with typhoid fever is reported getting along nicely.

The Wichita Hardware has purchased the Willie & Pannell tin shop on 6th street and have removed same to their store at 804-806 Ohio avenue. Mr. Pannell will be in the employ of the Wichita Hardware Co., where he will be pleased to meet his old friends and customers. 61-3tc

Stated Meeting of Wichita Falls Lodge Friday November 19th. All Master Masons are requested to be present as important matters are to come before the lodge, relative to the new building. P. B. COX, W. M. J. W. WALKUP, Secretary. 61-3tc

Charles Templeton, teacher of violin, 1107 Broad—opposite High School. 59-6tp

The city council last night approved the name Lamar park, suggested by the park board for the city park at the corner of Thirteenth and Lamar streets. The name was adopted by a formal resolution.

L. S. Robbins, resident piano tuner, fourth year with Harrison-Everton Music Company. Phone chimes. Call phone 958. 58-6tp

Cleo Madison, famous for her work in "The Trey o' Hearts," in "A Mother's Atonement." Majestic today. 11

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See motor races in the Mid Over Motor, at the Gem tomorrow. 1tc

The Times was in error yesterday in saying that the assault of Jesse Williams upon his wife took place at a rooming house conducted by Mrs. Legois. The trouble took place on the street near Mrs. Legois house. Mr. and Mrs. Williams do not have rooms in Mrs. Legois house.

G. L. DeBussart, competent type writer repair man, all makes of machines. Call Phone 958. 58-6tp

No time for the funeral of F. W. Tibbetts who died Thursday morning had been set this afternoon. The arrival of relatives from California will be awaited before the funeral is held.

I have a meat market at 1908 1/2 8th street, at the Big 8 Grocery old stand. Your patronage solicited. 62-3tp. M. E. DWIGHT, Prop.

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Real Estate Transfers.

T. D. Wiley to R. J. Wiley, lot 6, blk. 139, Wichita Falls, \$500; W. H. Pearden to C. M. Bishop, land on Beaver Creek, \$3,000, and assumption of notes; Lloyd Weaver to E. H. Metcalf, lot 1, block 3, Lakewood Place, \$250. J. L. Cavender to J. R. Moss, lot 10, block 9, Burkburnett, \$200.

Sunday is red letter day at the M. E. Church, South, 1000 are expected at Sunday school and you are cordially invited. 63 2tc

A marriage license was issued to

day to Kinch Wolfe and Miss Myrtle Evans. Both are residents of the Scotland community.

The Gem will show an extra program tomorrow, including Blind Over Motor. 1tc

Suits have been filed in the district court as follows: P. C. Turner vs. R. D. Thorburn, dissolution of partnership and receiver; Fort Worth & Denver vs. C. H. Jones, debt.

Notice to Hunters. This is to notify the public all lands owned, leased and controlled by me in Archer county are posted. Hunting, cutting wood and posts on this land is strictly forbidden and all my employees are instructed to enforce this order. L. F. WILSON.

BLISS IS PROMOTED TO MAJOR GENERAL TODAY

By Associated Press. Washington, Nov. 19.—Brigadier General Bliss became a major general today upon the retirement of Major General William H. Carter. Col. John F. Morrison, now in China, will be promoted to become a brigadier general. Gen. Bliss will continue as assistant chief of staff with the probability of succeeding Major General Scott as chief of staff upon the latter's retirement in 1917.

BOND ELECTION SATURDAY.

The election on the proposed bond issue for a new court house for Wichita County will be held next Saturday, November 20th. Every person who is otherwise a voter and pays a property tax in any amount, it does not matter how small, is entitled to a vote on this proposition.

Any laboring man who expects to be busy on that day and will call phone No. 542, I will keep a clerk to answer and take his name, location and hour which will best suit him to come to the polls, and we will send an automobile for him. Don't hesitate to call on us, as we want you to vote, and friends here volunteered the use of their cars for this purpose. EDGAR GERRY, Chairman. (Advertisement)

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Personals

Harry Knight is here from Stamford.

F. M. Gray of Houston, well known in all circles, is here.

W. H. Chilson and wife of Henrietta are visitors here today.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Abellin of Colorado, are stopping at the Westland.

Fritz Swift who has off interests in this section arrived from Dallas this afternoon to spend several days here.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Woods and little daughter were expected to return today from Dallas and Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Cahill left today for Smithville to which place Mr. Cahill has been transferred as superintendent of the Katy.

Dr. W. H. Felder left today for a two weeks' deer hunting trip on the Llano river in Southwest Texas. He will be joined on the trip by Edson Jalonic.

Mrs. T. H. Peery and daughter, Miss Ellouise will leave Saturday for Weatherford, where Miss Peery will enter Fairmont Seminary. The younger high school set will regret the departure of Miss Peery.

Attorney W. N. Banner left today for Fort Worth and Waco. At Fort Worth he will argue a case in the court of civil appeals. He will be joined by Marvin Smith and together they will go to Waco to attend the Cotton Palace.

John T. Roberts of Peaceful Valley, Colo., is here. Mr. Roberts has taken employment for the winter in the Northwestern auditor's office. Mrs. Roberts and her mother are still at Peaceful Valley but may come to spend the winter here later.

Frank Blyer, representing Miller & Draper, who are putting on the Elks minstrel here, arrived last night and it was announced this afternoon the first rehearsal would be held at the Elks hall at 7 o'clock. Elks are requested to be in attendance on time.

C. C. Jones of Amarillo, who is interested with his son here in the Jones-Kennedy store, was called to Denison this afternoon by a message announcing the death of his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Vaughn T. Jones of Amarillo. Mrs. Jones was visiting at Denison when she was stricken. She will be buried at Decatur.

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PULMOTOR USED TO SAVE LIFE OF CAESARIAN BABY

For more than twenty minutes E. G. Hill's pulmotor was used at the Amazon & Hargrave Hospital yesterday on a baby-born through a Caesarian operation before signs of life became apparent. Then quickly signs of life were noted and in a few moments the child was breathing and crying after the manner of babies born in the regular manner. The operation which is one of the most difficult known to surgery was performed on a woman who lives near Burk Burnett. Both mother and child were living with good prospects for surviving today.

PUBLIC SERVANTS DINNER
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Waco, Tex., Nov. 19.—The Young Men's Business League tonight will give its "Public Servants' Dinner." Many prominent men in state and national affairs will be present. The dinner will cost \$2.50 a plate and will be enhanced by a program not unlike that of the Gridiron Club at Washington.

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