

NEW MOBILIZATION OF TROOPS IS NOW IN PROGRESS

45,000 MEN ESTIMATED AVAILABLE

PRACTICALLY ALL TROOPS IN UNITED STATES NOW ENGAGED IN MEXICAN OR BORDER SERVICE AS RESULT

UPRISING RUMOR

Today Reported To Have Been Set For General Outbreak—Other Disquieting Reports Received By Washington Officials

By Associated Press. Washington, May 10.—Virtually the last American troops in the United States were being mobilized today for Mexican border service. With the National Guard of three states they were under order to haste to reinforce General Funston's army.

The proposed military agreement between the Carranza and American governments remained unsigned. Still another conference between Generals Obregon and Scott was to be held today.

If the situation warrants national guards of other states will be called out for border patrol duty, officials declared. Secretary Baker stated, however, that no further mobilization orders are contemplated immediately.

Unofficial reports were received that Mexicans along the border had planned an uprising for today. From Mazatlan on the west coast of Mexico came word that the consul there had been warned by anonymous letters that the consulate would be blown up.

In addition to the 4,000 United States soldiers and an equal number of militiamen from Texas, New Mexico and Arizona ordered to the border yesterday, Secretary Baker announced about 1,000 soldiers comprising eleven companies of United States coast artillery stationed at Gulf and Atlantic seaboard points had been ordered to San Antonio to serve as infantry with the border patrol.

The secretary also said five batteries of the Fifth Field Artillery had been ordered from Fort Sill, Oklahoma. Three additional batteries of the third field artillery were held in readiness at Tobyhanna, Pennsylvania.

Unofficial estimates placed the number of troops now on Mexico duty or mobilized at 45,000.

COLUMBUS' FEARS PROVE GROUNDFLESS

Aviator Reconnoiters and Finds No Carranza Troops Approaching As Reported.

By Associated Press. Columbus, N. M., May 10.—Fears begotten in a rumor ridden night were allayed here today by a reconnaissance flight made by Captain B. F. Dodd of the army aero corps.

During the night stories were current in the streets and on the military reservation that 3,500 Carranza soldiers were marching on Columbus and that General Pershing's rear guard had been attacked.

Machine guns were mounted in some parts of the camp and soldiers kept close to their barracks.

To investigate Captain Dodd flew over territory 75 miles to the south and west of Columbus. He reported that all was quiet along the American line.

CONGRESSMAN STEPHENS' MEASURE TO BECOME LAW

Special to The Times. Washington, May 10.—The bill of Congressman Stephens of Texas, providing pensions for Texas rangers, passed the Senate today without important amendment. It had already passed the House.

PROPOSAL FOR JOINT PATROL IS NOT ANSWERED

OUTLOOK AT EL PASO IS CONSIDERED MORE FAVORABLE—FUNSTON TO REMAIN INSTEAD OF RETURNING

TROOPS ARE MOVED

Pershing Ordered To Institute Greater Concentration in Vicinity of Colonia Dublan—Conference Scheduled For Today

By Associated Press. El Paso, Tex., May 10.—No answer had been received early today from Washington to General Scott's message reporting General Obregon's proposal for a joint patrol of the international boundary. General Scott said today's conference, scheduled for this morning, was to be held regardless of whether a reply was received to the proposal of the Mexican minister of war.

General Pershing has been ordered to begin a greater concentration of his troops. Those detachments still operating as far south as San Antonio it was reported, will be withdrawn to Colonia Dublan.

General Funston said he had no idea when he would return to his headquarters at San Antonio. This was taken to indicate that today's conference may not be the last.

From Juarez came reports that General Obregon and his advisers were optimistic regarding the outcome of the conference.

It is not expected that A. J. McQuatters, the mining man, who withdrew from last night's meeting because of Mexican protests will take further part in the discussion.

General Funston said the militia ordered to the border will be divided among towns, bridges and easily accessible points with close communication relieving the cavalry now doing patrol duty in the isolated sections of the border.

American military men today said they could not accept the fact that a Carranza commission was found on one of their men killed at Glenn Springs as proving the raiders were Carranzistas. They explained that Carranza's Mexicans carried Carranza commissions obtained before the split between the first chief and Villa.

FORTY UNIVERSITY STUDENTS ENLIST

Many Others Expected to Join Border Force—To Be Given Credit For Work.

By Associated Press. Austin, Tex., May 10.—Up to eight o'clock this morning forty students of the University of Texas had enlisted for service in the Texas National Guard and the University authorities said that many more were endeavoring to enlist. Under faculty orders, the students going into the Mexican service will be given credit for the work already done in the University this year.

FEW TROOPS LEFT AT EASTERN POSTS

Scarcity of Officers For Civilian Training Camp Likely—Nearly All Go South

By Associated Press. New York, May 10.—The order of the war department sending additional troops to the Mexican border including the Third and Thirtieth infantry regiments virtually strips the department of the East of all its infantry. There remain only three squadrons of the Second Cavalry at Forts Ethan Allen and Meyer and a battalion of field artillery.

The departure of the Third and Thirtieth leaves hardly enough regular officers in the department of the East to act as instructors for the military training camp at Plattsburgh this summer.

BANKERS ASK DELAY IN ENFORCING OF CLEARING RULE

By Associated Press. Briarcliff Manor, N. Y., May 10.—The executive council of the American Bankers Association in convention here, voted today to send a committee to Washington to discuss with the federal reserve board the advisability of postponing until a later date than June 15 the recent order directing national banks to clear through their respective district federal reserve banks.

This action was taken following receipt of protests from many banks, especially small ones, which claimed that the order would result in a reduction of their revenues.

NATIONAL GUARD STARTS TONIGHT TO SAN ANTONIO

ALL COMPANIES ARE EXPECTED TO ARRIVE AT POST THURSDAY BEFORE NOON AND WILL SOON BE ON THE R WAY

VIEWS OF GOVERNOR

Ferguson in Signed Statement Declares He Believes Intervention is Only Permanent Means of Settling Mexican Trouble

By Associated Press. Austin, Tex., May 10.—Adjutant General Hutchings announced today that all Texas companies of the National Guard have orders to report to Fort Sam Houston during daylight and preferably in the forenoon Thursday. This means that Texas troop movements will be on tonight. Every company is expected to be in San Antonio tomorrow. The two Austin companies leave in the morning.

Governor Favors Intervention. In a signed statement given out last night Governor Ferguson declared himself strongly in favor of intervention in Mexico.

"Since we have started," he said just as well finish the job," the governor said, this being his comment on the action of President Wilson in calling out the National Guard.

Governor Ferguson as is generally known, has been one of the supporters of the "watchful waiting" policy. He changed today.

"I have come reluctantly to the conclusion that it is now the solemn duty of the United States to enter Mexico and assume control of that unfortunate country and give to the Mexican people that stability of government which they are now unable and helpless to establish," said Governor Ferguson. This should be accomplished, even if it takes fifty years to do it, is the opinion expressed by the Texas executive. The governor's statement follows:

"Since we have started, we had just as well finish the job. A temporary protection of the border will accomplish nothing. It is our duty to finish one hand's work before the other takes its place tomorrow. If a ruler is put in power today, he is betrayed tomorrow. Loyalty to any leader is lacking and patriotism is unknown. Ignorance and arrogance are the only things that are left. The ruthless spilling of American blood on American soil now gives us justification and it is now our duty to do whatever is necessary to permanently prevent a recurrence of further outrages against our people.

"Millions of starving people in Mexico cry for food and protection from the assassin's hand. As one who has hoped against hope that a ruler might arise to restore peace in Mexico; as one who has viewed the Mexican people for a lifetime and as one who has studied their ways and customs; as one without bias or prejudice; as one who has indorsed and now indorses the policy of the present administration; as one who has measured his word and is now mindful of the position here announced and its consequences, I have come reluctantly to the conclusion that it is now the solemn duty of the United States to enter Mexico and assume control of that unfortunate country and give to the Mexican people that stability of government which they are now unable and helpless to establish—whether it takes ten or fifty years to do it. To do less, will be to shirk our responsibility to our national honor and our duty to the Mexican people.

"JAMES E. FERGUSON, Gov."

BORDER "BAD MAN" SLAIN BY SOLDIER

Cavalryman Wins Duel With Mexican Who is Alleged to Have Been Informer

By Associated Press. Marathon, Texas, May 10.—Demetrio de la Garza, once known as the "bad man of the Big Bend country" met his death in a long range rifle duel with an American trooper on Monday in the hills near Boquillas. The cavalryman also killed the Mexican's companion. Garza kept a small trading store on the American side of the Rio Grande but ranchers have long ago known him as a smuggler.

News of his death was brought here today by A. W. Cudson, a contractor. Garza resented the presence of the American soldiers as a border patrol and is said to have given advance information to the Villista bandits before their raid.

The informer observed the American cavalrymen on patrol duty near Boquillas Monday and the two Mexicans opened fire. The cavalryman returned the fire and killed the two Mexicans.

COAST ARTILLERY ALSO CALLED FOR DUTY ON BORDER

COMPANIES FROM GULF AND ATLANTIC POINTS ORDERED TO SAN ANTONIO AND WILL ASSIST IN GUARDING BOUNDARY

5000 MEN MOBILIZE

That Number Now Being Concentrated at San Antonio—Artillery From Fort Sill Has Been Called and Will Go to El Paso

By Associated Press. San Antonio, Tex., May 10.—A board of army officers began work today laying out camp sites for the militia and regular troops that will begin arriving here within the next few days subject to the orders of General Funston. The total number of men mobilized at this point for service along the border and in Mexico will be in excess of 5,000 men.

The troops ordered to San Antonio include all the organized militia of the State of Texas, eleven companies of coast artillery from Gulf and Atlantic seaboard points and the second battalion of the Third Field Artillery from Tobyhanna, Pa. In addition, General Funston has ordered five companies of field artillery from Fort Sill, Okla. It was announced at headquarters that the artillery would probably be sent direct to El Paso from Fort Sill to join the one battery of the same regiment now on duty there.

According to headquarters information the coast artillery companies will be held at Fort Sam Houston after their arrival for distribution along the border as the situation may demand. It was indicated by officials that the militia could be given border stations before the coast artillery is sent out.

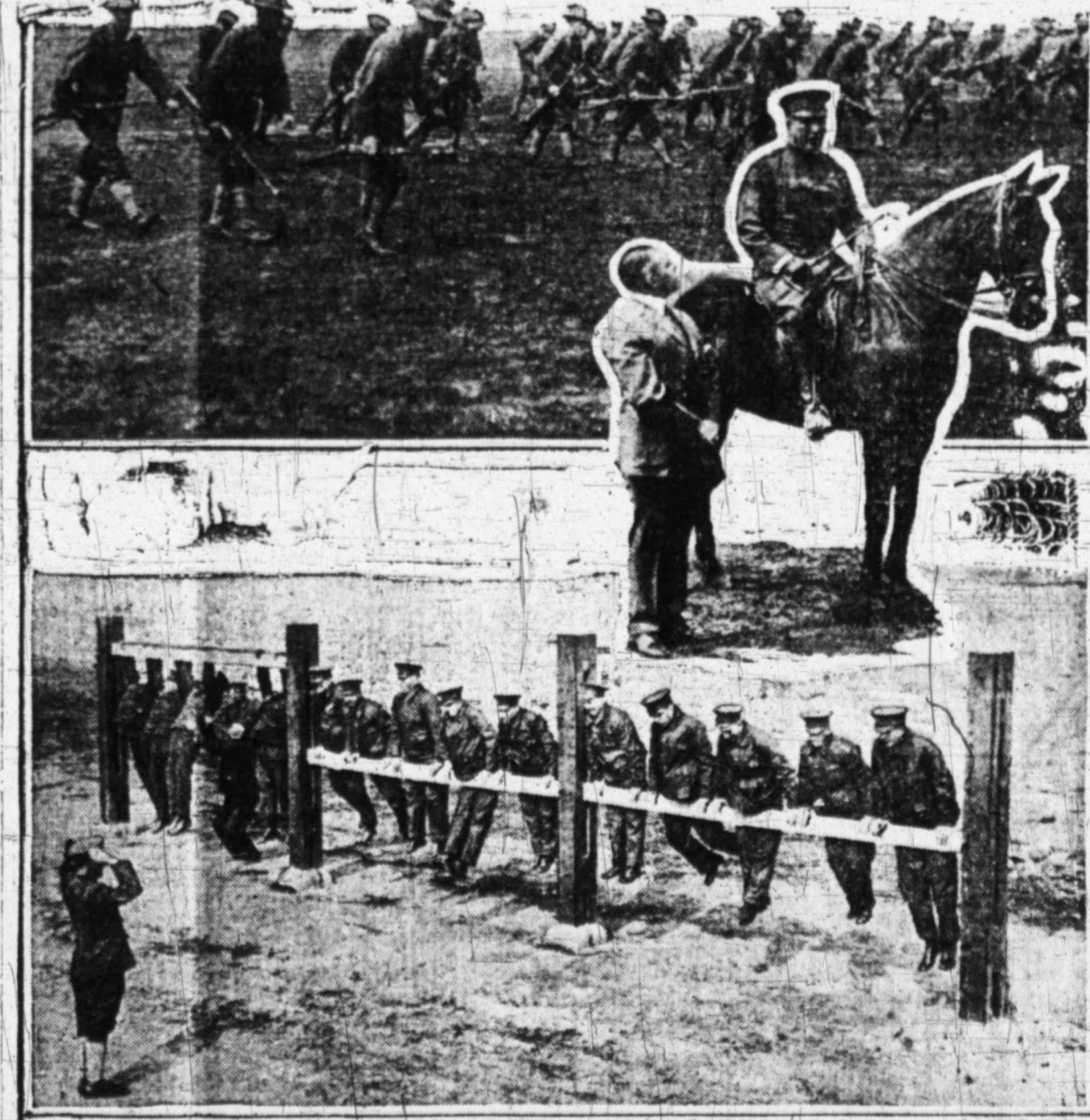
TRAINING SCHOOL PUPIL IS KILLED BY FALL

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ARMY POST ACTIVITY IS SEEN IN DRILLING AND TRAINING OF RECRUITS



DRILLING ARMY RECRUITS - MAJOR GENERAL WOOD

The decision of President Wilson to keep American troops in Mexico until the object of the punitive expedition is effected brought about increased activity in the drilling and training of recruits at the army posts. The pictures show the exercising of some of the men on Governors Island, in New York harbor, the headquarters of the department of the East and one of the largest and most important of the army posts. The commander of the department is Major General Leonard Wood, former chief of staff, seen here on horseback.

CONVENTION OF W. C. T. U. OPENS TUESDAY NIGHT

DELEGATES FORMALLY WELCOMED—MRS. CURTIS, STATE PRESIDENT MAKES HER REPORT AT FIRST BUSINESS MEETING

AUTO RIDE PLANNED

Visitors To Be Taken Over City Today. Anti-Saloon Speaker Heard at Morning Session—Many Matters Receive Attention

Members of the Texas Woman's Christian Temperance Union, 150 strong, convened Monday night in the First Presbyterian Church for their thirty-fourth annual convention which will be in progress daily until Friday night. Many speakers of prominence are scheduled for addresses on questions of the day and indications point to a successful convention.

Most of the delegates arrived Monday on the noon trains and a few came in today. The train committee, headed by Mrs. J. W. Akis, met the delegates at the station and after decorating each one with the white badge, conducted them to their temporary homes.

Representative citizens of Wichita Falls welcomed the delegates. The feature of the session this morning was an address of greeting to the delegates by W. J. Herwig, of Dallas, in behalf of the Anti-Saloon League, of which he is assistant superintendent. Mr. Herwig substituted for Dr. A. J. Barton, superintendent of the League, who could not attend.

The afternoon session was featured by an address from Mrs. Cora B. Mearns of Colina, Ok. "The Scientific View of the World's Reform." The presidents of the sixteen districts discussed plans for the coming year's work. The session was followed by an automobile tour over the city under the auspices of the Chamber of Commerce.

Tonight will be president's and railroad men's session. Mrs. Naomie Webb Curtis, president of the State Union will deliver her annual address. It is understood on good authority that she intends to announce she will not be a candidate for re-election. Dr. A. L. Andrews, pastor of the Methodist Church, South, will address the railroad men.

Senator John G. Whalley was to have addressed the morning session in "Women's Political Status and Rights in Government" but was unable to attend. He was formerly one of the most prominent anti-prohibitionists in Texas.

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LATEST NOTE TO GERMANY WINS FRENCH PRAISE

PAPERS DECLARE WILSON HAS CLEARLY DEFEATED EMPEROR IN DIPLOMACY AND DESCRIBES DOCUMENT AS MASTERPIECE

PEACE TALK IGNORED

Says If Emperor Sought to Catch President in Trap He Was Shored in His Own Toils—Mentions Lack of Compensation

By Associated Press. Paris, May 10.—Great prominence is given in Paris newspapers this morning to the latest American note to Germany replying to the German communication respecting submarine warfare. The American note is called a masterpiece of diplomacy. The alain says:

"It must be clear to all neutrals that Germany has suffered an unprecedented diplomatic defeat. It will be interesting to see how the German government explains to the public that it has consented radically to modify submarine warfare without obtaining the slightest compensation in exchange."

An important point to be noted in regard to the American reply, according to the Petit Parisien is that it ignores the ultimatum in the German note to the chancellery's declarations in the Reichstag in regard to peace negotiations. This paper says:

"If Emperor William desired to catch President Wilson in the trap, the emperor is caught in his own toils. He has met his master."

LESS ACTIVITY AT VERDUN REPORTED

Artillery Fire is Diminishing, Paris Reports—German Attack is Checked

By Associated Press. London, May 10.—Paris reports diminishing activity at the Verdun region following the desperate fighting of the last few days. On both sides of the Meuse the artillery fire was slackened, that east of the river being described as intermittent.

A German attack on the French lines near Moulain-Sous-Touvent was completely checked.

BERLIN ADMITS SUSSEX SINKING, NEW NOTE SENT

GERMANY ACKNOWLEDGES THAT CHANNEL STEAMER WAS TORPEDOED ON SUPPOSITION THAT IT WAS WARSHIP

INQUIRY IS FINISHED

New Note on Subject Declaring That No Doubt Now Exists as to Case is Handed to Ambassador Gerard By Foreign Office Today

By Associated Press. London, May 10.—A new note on the Sussex case has been handed Ambassador Gerard by the Berlin foreign office. The note is now on the way to Washington.

According to advices from Amsterdam today, admission is made by Berlin, following the investigation into the Sussex incident that it can not be doubted that a German submarine torpedoed the Sussex on the supposition that the vessel was a warship.

RAILROAD LABOR MEASURE IS FAVORABLY REPORTED

By Associated Press. Washington, May 10.—The Cullup bill to regulate the hours of labor of railroad men was favorably reported to the House today by the Interstate Commerce Commission. It prohibits railroads from keeping any employe on duty longer than sixteen consecutive hours.

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BESIEGED TROOPS FED BY AEROPLANES

Total of 18,000 pounds of Provisions Dropped in Kut-el-Amara in 18 Days.

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GERMANS CLAIM MORE PROGRESS NEAR HILL 304

By Associated Press. Berlin, May 10.—The Germans have made further progress on Hill 304 on the Verdun front, and have given back French detachments southwest of the hill, the war office announced today.

MISS CLEVELAND WILL TEACH BLIND

Daughter of Former President is Studying Preparatory to Service in France

By Associated Press. Philadelphia, May 10.—Miss Esther Cleveland, daughter of the late president, is studying a system of alphabetical instruction, at the Pennsylvania Institute for the instruction of the blind to prepare herself to teach soldiers who have lost their eyesight in the European war. She plans to sail for France and work in the American hospital at Neuilly. Miss Cleveland already has qualified as an expert nurse.

PUBLIC HEARINGS ON BRANDEIS AGAIN

Senate Judiciary Committee to Probe Nominee's Connection With Tobacco Merger.

By Associated Press. Washington, May 10.—Reopening of the public hearings on the nomination of Louis D. Brandeis to the supreme court was ordered today by the Senate judiciary committee to investigate Mr. Brandeis' connection with a proposed merger several years ago of the United Cigar Stores Company and the Riker-Hegeman Chain of drug stores. Louis K. Liggett of Boston and George W. Anderson, United States attorney at San Francisco, have been summoned to appear in that connection today.



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The parade will start at 7 o'clock from the high school and proceed to the school to the business district, traversing the main thoroughfares and will then proceed to the Bellevue Park where the coronation of the queen will be followed by a review of the cadets...

BAPTIST PASTOR'S ASSISTANT HERE

Rev. M. C. Eidson Arrives Today To Assume His Duties with Local Congregation

Rev. M. C. Eidson of San Antonio recently elected assistant pastor of the First Baptist Church, arrived in Wichita Falls this afternoon...

KATY'S BALL PARK READY FOR GAMES

Denison to Be Here Saturday—New Grandstand and Fence Constructed.

The old ball park at the foot of Seventh street, the scene in years gone by of so many notable diamond encounters, is soon to be a resurrected reality again.

The first game will be played here next Saturday, when the Katy team from Denison will be here.

The grandstand will have a seating capacity of about 400, and the field will be amply large.

ELECTRA MAN IS SHOT AT VERNON

J. E. GARROLL WOUNDED IN ENCOUNTER WITH SON-IN-LAW TUESDAY.

DEATH MAY RESULT

Shooting Understood to Be Outcome of Previous Trouble Between Two Men.

Special to The Times. Vernon, Tex., May 10.—J. E. Carroll of Electra was shot and probably fatally wounded Tuesday evening at 4:30 o'clock in the front of the new Star Cafe on West Texas street.

Carrollhouse is the son-in-law of Carroll and it is understood that there had been trouble between them for some time.

According to a statement made by the daughter of Carroll who was present when the shooting occurred she last left her home at Electra after hearing of her leaving took a car and drove through to Vernon and upon entering the Star Cafe of which Culberhouse is proprietor demanded that he tell him of the whereabouts of the girl.

LIQUOR PRESIDENT CRITICISES BRYAN

Says He and Anti-Saloon League Workers Have Hypnotized American People

By Associated Press. Louisville, Ky., May 9.—The Anti Saloon League was attacked and "former Secretary White Bryan was criticized today by Samuel Woolner, of Peoria, Ill., president of the National Association of Wholesale Liquor Dealers of America, in an address before the twenty-first annual convention of the association.

"The Anti-Saloon League is opposed to both regulation and compensation as either would put them out of business. They oppose regulation on the ground that it would neither tend to eradicate or minimize drunkenness or any of the evils they combat."

"As a refutation of this statement I want to offer in evidence a statement by Lord D'Abernon, chairman of the Central Board of Control of the Liquor Traffic of England. He says: 'My belief is that under an intelligent system of regulation three-fourths of the drunkenness which prevailed would have been eliminated.'"

"It might be made almost impossible to obtain more than was good for him and the country whose drunkard could be largely eliminated. He checked in time on curative lines. Very little is done for the drunkard today—I think he has a real grievance. These are results which might flow from the suppression of unnecessary houses of ill fame and the prohibition of liquor needs no artificial pushing to command a steady sale and a lucrative trade."

"Now, here you have the testimony of a man who is in a position to speak authoritatively, who is chairman of the board of a country whose drink bill is 181,000,000 pounds annually, or \$950,000,000 who says regulation and limitation, not elimination, will cure all the necessary reforms of an enlightened, intelligent and progressive people."

"In 1914, when the French Government prohibited the manufacture of absinthe, provision was made for compensation, and on February 19, 1915 in the midst of a great war, the Chamber of Deputies passed a measure appropriating 14,500,000 francs as indemnity to the absinthe-distillers and dealers."

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"The whole system of sumptuary legislation is based upon the wrong principle. In foreign countries and in our own country, until comparatively recent times, all were taught the proper use and the grave dangers attending the abuse of alcoholic liquors. The present method of restricting personal judgment has never strengthened the national character, and has added nothing to our national virtue physical and moral welfare, or fecundity. In Germany, where moderate drinking is regarded, drunkenness is practically unknown."

"If the use of alcoholic beverages is so detrimental, how does Mr. Bryan explain the two most backward nations in the world, Turkey and China, whose abstemious, while the most progressive nations, those of Western Europe and America, are all users of alcohol."

TEXAS OPTOMETRICAL ASSOCIATION'S CONVENES

By Associated Press. Dallas, Tex., May 10.—The fourth annual convention of the Texas Optometrical Association opened here today and will continue through Thursday. Today's program included entertainments, consideration of applications for membership and delivery of the annual address by President H. C. Brees of San Antonio.

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START TESTIMONY IN WILSON TRIAL

First Witness, a Thirteen Year Old Boy, Put on By Late This Afternoon

Special to The Times. Henrietta, Tex., May 10.—Taking of testimony in the case of Jay Wilson, seventeen year old boy charged with murder in connection with the killing of Prof. J. W. Wright at Newport began this afternoon in the 33rd district court, following the completion of the jury. The first witness was Lloyd Chennace, a thirteen year old boy who was an eye witness to the tragedy.

The jury is composed of R. A. Berry, Kirk Inman, Tom Harrison, J. L. Thurman, J. S. Singleton, W. B. Preddy, A. J. Land, A. R. Calloway, E. W. Riding, W. M. Wiseman, H. G. Watson and C. M. Parker. The defendant, entered a plea of not guilty. More than 100 witnesses have been summoned by the state and the defense. District Attorney Leslie Humphries is being assisted by Wantland and Parrish of Henrietta in the prosecution and Wilson is represented by Judge R. E. Taylor of Henrietta and Findlay W. Weldon of Bowie.

Chennace was the first witness put on by the state. He was a pupil in the Newport school when Wilson shot Wright. The witness stated that it was during examination time that the trouble occurred.

"Mr. Wright was standing in the front of the room," Chennace said, "and told Wilson he had handed in a paper not in his hand writing. He talked to him some about this and then said he was going to tell his father. Jay said, 'Tell him, I don't guess anybody'll care.' Then Wright said, 'Don't get too smart' and started towards him."

The boy went on to relate how when the teacher had gone several steps towards the defendant Wilson got out of his seat and pulled out a pistol. "Don't come any further" Wilson is quoted as saying.

Chennace testified that Wilson snapped the pistol several times but it failed to go off. Then Wright reached the boy and made a grab at him or the weapon. Chennace didn't know which. An explosion followed and the teacher was shot. The witness could not say whether Wilson snatched the pistol or whether it went off in the scuffle accidentally. This was given on direct examination.

TWO IMPORTANT TARIFFS ARE NOW IN EFFECT

By Associated Press. Austin, Tex., May 10.—Two new tariffs of considerable importance became effective today, upon effecting the Texas railroad commission being a direct result of the advanced freight hearings held in Austin last winter. One of these tariffs applies to the rates on cottonseed and its products, and eliminates entirely all provisions for Galveston differentials as well as differentials to other Texas ports, substituting straight mileage rates therefore. The effect, it is said, will be to increase rates on seed, cake and meal from five to eight cents per hundred pounds, while the rate will remain at five cents on hulls. The other new tariff applies on grain and grain products, but makes only a slight increase in rates. It also extends the transit privileges.

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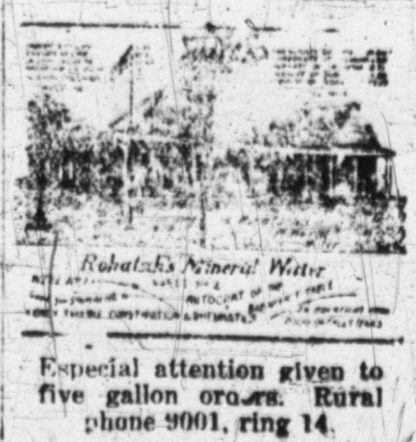
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Furniture and fixtures		18,000.00
Real estate		11,952.55
Bills exchange	\$ 9,534.70	
Cash in bank	137,121.02	
Cash with U. S. treasurer	10,000.00	
Sight exchange	564,945.19	721,600.91
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$2,305,748.47</b>
Liabilities.		
Capital stock		\$ 200,000.00
Surplus and profits	\$ 173,701.29	
Reserved for taxes and interest	5,000.00	178,701.29
Circulation		200,000.00
Individual deposits	1,539,859.14	
Bank deposits	181,149.80	
Dividends unpaid	3,038.33	
<b>Total deposits</b>		<b>\$1,727,047.27</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$2,305,748.47</b>

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One road dreams close to the river's gray, And its grasses catch at my feet, But the end is not too far away, And its simple joys are sweet.  
And merry rustles her misty gown Quite close to me as I tramp, And I anchor safe in a little town Where the smell of the sea is damp.  
But the other road leads up and away And my truant feet must start To tramp its length for many a day, At the bid of a gypsy heart.  
—By Jane McLean.

### MRS. BENNETT HOSTESS TO MONROE CIRCLE

Mrs. W. P. Bennett entertained this week's session of the Monroe Sewing Circle, the meeting being held Tuesday instead of Wednesday as the regular day. There were several guests present in addition to the large number of members and all enjoyed the diversions arranged by the hostess. In a guessing contest Mrs. Menzies was fortunate, winning a prize a pair of handsome drawn work pillow cases. Then all were called on to "speak a piece" preferably their first recitation. The prize in this contest, a dainty pin, was given to Mrs. Morgan, one of the members who is leaving town shortly. Music by Miss Annie Dell Bradshaw was a pleasing feature of the entertainment and delicious refreshments were served. The club members present were: Mesdames Williams, Bennett, Bradshaw, Broday, Chaunoy, Davenport, Taylor, Paulks, Ezzler, Johnson, Menzies, Mesdames Thornburg, Zachary, Bertram, Martin, Hodgson and Mann. Misses Mann-Broday, Annie Dell Bradshaw and Lucille and Wanda Bennett.

### L. H. LAWLER'S BIRTHDAY IS OBSERVED WITH DINNER

The 44th birthday of L. H. Lawler was observed today with a family dinner party at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Lawler, 307 Barrett. The families of L. H. Lawler and W. L. Lawler were present and the occasion was a most pleasant one.

### ART LITERATURE CLUB SOCIAL SESSION TUESDAY

The Art Literature Club were invited to meet in social session Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. J. M. Blankenship, the affair being in honor of her friend and house guest, Mrs. Louis Tandy of Fort Worth. The club has never enjoyed a more thoroughly delightful meeting than this held at the summer home of the Blankenships at Lake Wichita. Old fashioned games of dominoes and checkers were played and 42 was also engaged in. An automobile contest was also held, the first prize an automobile that runs with out gas going to Mrs. G. W. Filgo with the booty, a red stick of candy went to Mrs. Robertson. Refreshing punch was dispensed throughout the afternoon and ice cream and cake served at the close of the games and contests. Just before the merry party dispersed pictures were taken which will serve as pleasant souvenirs of the happy occasion. The guests and members enjoying Mr. Blankenship's hospitality for her charming guest were: Mesdames Popenohl, Nicholson, Ward, Filgo, Scruggs, Pridden, Roundtree, F. A. Filgo, Pessley, Robertson, Kerr, Wacker, DeBerry, McElroy, Misses Davis, Phillips, Stokes and Moore.

### MRS. THORBURN HOSTESS TO BRIDGE LUNCHEON CLUB

The Bridge Luncheon Club was entertained in regular session Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. Robert Thorburn. A two course luncheon, daintily arranged and served preceded the usual game of bridge, enjoyed by three tables of players. Mrs. Morris Wilfrey and Miss Cobb were substitutes, the club members present being: Mes-

## SAVES DAUGHTER

### Advice of Mother no Doubt Prevents Daughter's Untimely End.

Ready, Ky.—"I was not able to do anything for nearly six months," writes Mrs. Laura Bratcher, of this place, "and was down in bed for three months. I cannot tell you how I suffered with my head, and with nervousness and womanly troubles. Our family doctor told my husband he could not do me any good, and he had to give it up. We had another doctor, but he did not help me. At last, my mother advised me to take Cardui, the woman's tonic. I thought it was no use for I was nearly dead and nothing seemed to do me any good. But I took eleven bottles, and now I am able to do all of my work and my own washing. I think Cardui is the best medicine in the world. My weight has increased, and I look the picture of health. If you suffer from any of the ailments peculiar to women, get a bottle of Cardui today. Delay is dangerous. We know it will help you, for it has helped so many thousands of other weak women in the past 50 years. At all druggists.

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### Calling Out of National Guard May Reduce Attendance But Over 2000 Expected.

Groceries, meat and other supplies for the 2,000 or more members of the uniform rank encampment of the Woodmen of the World, are being contracted for today by R. H. McDill, state manager for the order, and further plans for the big event will be made tonight when the local camp and representatives of other camps in this county will hold a meeting.

## ANOTHER WICHITA GIRL STILL IN MOVIE CONTEST

There is still another Wichita Falls girl that may soon become a movie star of the first magnitude, the announcement having been given out by the Photoplay Magazine that Miss Florence Simmons, 1008 Texas has also been one of the fortunate 100 to remain in for the final elimination. The announcement was made yesterday that Mrs. Mona Gardner of this city was one of the 100 from among whom the 11 successful contestants will be selected. This contest which has been conducted by the Photoplay Magazine and the World and Equitable has been known as "The Beauty and Brains Contest" and the young ladies who were chosen for their mental accomplishments as well as looks. The announcement of the 11 winners in this contest will be made the first of June.

## CLOSER RELATIONS WITH GREECE URGED

### Many Commercial Opportunities Exist in That Country That Are Neglected.

By Associated Press. Athens (By mail)—Count Mercati, the king's grand master of ceremonies, who is a young man widely traveled in Europe and America, is now serving as a leader of a movement for the strengthening of commercial relations between the United States and Greece.

"The principal impediment to closer commercial relations between the two countries," says Count Mercati, "is the fact that many Americans have no clear conception of the worth of Greece. The worst of it is that what the Americans don't know about modern Greece they don't know. Take the Greek marble, for instance. A great deal of Greek marble is used in the United States, but it is generally bought, not in Greece but in England, and a middle man's profit is paid on the transaction. Another thing is emery stone. I believe that there are two places in the world where natural emery stone can be obtained—Ephesus in Asia Minor, and the island of Naxos in Greece. Naturally, since the block and of the east of Asia Minor, Naxos is the only place where the natural stone can be had. And the price has gone up in consequence from \$26 to \$30 for large stones. That is the price in Greece. What it is in the United States, I do not know, but considering that the emery stone, like the marble is marketed in America through England, it is probably considerably more.

## FAMILY CARES

### This Information May Be of Value to Many a Mother in Wichita Falls

When there is added to the many cares inseparable from the rearing of children, that affliction of weak organs, the mother's lot is far from a happy one. This condition has often been corrected by the use of Doan's Kidney Pills. When relief comes the mother's burden will be lighter and her home happier. Mrs. J. K. Bissett, 24 Lee street, Wichita Falls says: "A younger member of my family had a bad case of kidney complaint. She seemed to lose strength rapidly and was full and irritable. There was no control over the kidney secretions. Some one advised me to give her Doan's Kidney Pills and after taking the second box, she was better. Her health picked up and she became much stronger. The action of her kidneys also became regular. Price five at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy but get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Bissett recommends. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Adv."

## TURN TABLE BUILT IN LOCAL GARAGE

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Texas baggage agents are meeting at Waco. None of the Waco papers have yet reported they are having a smash ing time.

Germany is now prepared to admit that the steamer, Sussex, was sunk by a German submarine, according to dispatches from Amsterdam. The German view probably is that the incident was just one of those little mistakes that are so likely to happen where American lives are involved.

Archer county Democrats endorsed Judge R. E. Huff and Hon. P. B. Cox of this city for delegates from the 13th congressional district to the Democratic National convention. Baylor county Democrats endorsed Judge Huff. Both of these endorsements, it is understood, came without solicitation. The courtesy is appreciated not only by those honored but by the Democrats of Wichita county generally.

The Times joins with all the good people of Wichita Falls in welcoming the good women of the W. C. T. U. to our city and hopes that their meeting here will be a pleasant and a profitable one and will mark another mile post on their march to victory against the enemies of the home. These women bring hearts consecrated to an exalted purpose and all who believe in temperance and purity must wish that their efforts bring success, and must honor their devotion.

Paris, Texas, which was swept by a disastrous conflagration a few weeks ago, has suffered another serious fire loss. Monday night the Transcontinental commiss and over 2,000 bales of lint were burned, causing a loss of more than \$150,000. After the great fire, the blaze Monday night is probably considered by the people of Paris as an insignificant affair.

The suggestion made by W. J. Howard, Sr., that Wichita Falls observe the anniversary of the town lot sale which marked the formal appearance of Wichita Falls on the map is one that ought to be taken up. This anniversary falls at a time of the year when the work of summer is over and the people generally are relaxed and are ready for entertainment. There are many old timers scattered over country whose hearts still yearn toward Wichita Falls. Many of these are awaiting such an occasion as this anniversary celebration will might be to return to Wichita Falls for a visit and to mingle with old friends. Their doing so would be no less a joy to them than to the rest of us. A whole lot of other folks who never lived here would like to join in the celebration. The event can be made an enjoyable success if some of our enterprising citizens will get in behind the movement. It won't need much pushing, after it once gets started, but some body of citizens must be named to direct it.

THE MEXICAN SITUATION. Governor Ferguson has given up hope that a stable government can be established in Mexico without intervention by the United States. Many others who have been hopeful that order could be restored in that strife ridden land have given up hope in despair as one after another of the aspiring leaders have either proven their unworthiness or have been betrayed

by the people whom they have tried to serve. President Wilson has held hope longer than many. It is evident that he too is losing hope, and that the hour is rapidly approaching when intervention must come unless the Mexican leaders are able to restore order. Recent reports indicate that Carranza troops are deserting in bodies and are being recruited by the Villistas beyond the reach of the American forces. Carranza forces are losing strength; Villista forces are gaining. The result is almost certain to be a clash with the American forces in Mexico soon. No sooner will one of the Villista leaders arise to a position of power than some other will arise against him and the whole thing will be started over again. Governor Ferguson has stated the situation as viewed by a great many observers. He said: "Since we have started, we had just as well finish the job. A temporary protection of the border will accomplish nothing. If we catch and punish one bandit here another takes the place tomorrow. If a ruler is put in power today, he is betrayed tomorrow. Loyalty to any leader is lacking and patriotism is unknown. Ignorance and arrogance rule over intelligence and judgment. The ruthless killing of American blood on American soil now gives us justification and it is now our duty to do whatever is necessary to permanently prevent a recurrence of further outrages against our people. "Millions of starving people in Mexico cry for food and protection from the assassin's hand. An one who has hoped against hope that a ruler might arise to restore peace in Mexico; as one who has viewed the Mexican people for a lifetime and as one who has studied their ways and customs; as one without bias or prejudice; as one who has indorsed and now indorses the policy of the present administration as one who has measured his word and is now mindful of the position here announced and its consequences, I have come reluctantly to the conclusion that it is now the solemn duty of the United States to enter Mexico and assume control of that unfortunate country and give the Mexican people that stability of government which they are now unable and help less to establish—whether it takes ten or fifty years to do it. To do less will be to shirk our responsibility to our national honor and our duty to the Mexican people."

FURTHER DEPREDATIONS ON THE BORDER. The latest raids into American territory ought to contain an important lesson for Washington. It ought to convince the administration that it yet fails to understand the nature of the Mexican problem. Doubtless it was believed that the movement into Mexico from Columbus would put an end to such outrages as occurred there, but no such view was held in the border country. These raids are going to continue until the government maintains such a force on the border as will prevent such incursions and until the outlaws are given an understanding that the United States will itself assume the task of punishing those who invade its territory or inflict injury upon American citizens. Conditions along the border have been bad for four years. They will be even worse for twenty-five years to come if the present policy be followed. If our government is to haggle with the de facto government and squirm when it threatens, there will never be peace and order along the boundary and the outlaws on the other side will be restrained from committing outrages. There are two things necessary to restore normal conditions along the boundary. The first is to put a force of sufficient strength to patrol it, and the commanders should be instructed to cross the line whenever necessary and visit summary vengeance upon bandits who violate American territory. And Carranza should be immediately notified that such negotiations as have been carried on for months past are going to cease until Northern Mexico is cleared of these desperadoes. Not only that, he should be given to understand that unless full and hearty co-operation be given by the de facto government that intervention for the complete solution of the Mexican problem will be inevitable. It is the truth to say that our own government is to blame for the cheap regard in which the United States is held by the semi-barbarous peons of Mexico. It has created the impression that the United States is afraid of them. At this time they have no intention to let us alone. Sooner or later, they will extend the scope of their operations, creating difficulty not

\$80,000 BRIDGE BOND ELECTION ORDERED TODAY

ATTORNEY GENERAL RULES FAVORABLY AND COMMISSIONERS TAKE ACTION FIXING JUNE 20 AS DATE FOR VOTE

NONE VOTE AGAINST

Division Develops as to date if Bonds Carry, Three New Bridges Will Be Constructed Across the Wichita River

The county commissioners this afternoon ordered an election June 20 for \$80,000 bridge bonds, following the presentation of the petitions for such an election. The order was entered after a message had been received from the attorney general, stating that bonds for all three of the proposed bridges could be voted upon jointly. The \$80,000 will be spent, if the bond issue is successful, on a bridge across the Wichita river on the Electric-Dundee road; another bridge across the river on the Iowa Park Allendale road about eight miles above Wichita Falls and the third bridge at the foot of Burnett street in this city.

The vote was unanimous as to the election itself, though there was a division as to the date. Commissioners Barwise and McCleskey voted for Saturday, June 24 and Commissioners Smith and Jackson favored Tuesday, June 20. County Judge Harris voted for June 20. If the bonds carry there will be three new bridges across the river, making a total of five in the county, counting the present structure as one bridge. The Burnett street bridge would replace a structure erected several years ago by a realty company, and which was destroyed during the floods of last June. The bridge south of Electric is about two miles from the western boundary of the county.

After the passage of the order the commissioners adjourned to May 17 when they will receive the tax rolls and will also open bids for the new court house.

only for us, but for the de facto government as well. The congress is probably too blind to see the extent of the problem on the border, but there ought to be a patrol of not fewer than 100,000 men and a mobile force of equal number capable of sweeping Mexico from the Rio Grande to Mexico City, if that be necessary to bring the Mexican outlaws and the Mexican factions to their senses.

The present policy is not averting intervention, it is not protective of American territory or citizens, it is not even helpful to Mexico. On the contrary, it is gradually but certainly bringing about conditions that will make intervention inevitable, and intervention will mean war.

The fruition of the mistakes which have been made may not come during this administration, but when at last it does come, the lofty ideals that have been so eloquently exploited will not suffice. We are simply preparing a map that when completed will just as certainly change the map of Mexico as that the sun shines. And the most painful of it will be that it was the blunders of the United States that laid the predicate for the result.—Houston Post.

Local News Brevities

Dr. Prothro, Dentist, Ward Building.

Dr. Schartz, Osteopath, E. & K. Bldg.

I have moved my office from Moore-Bateman building to suite 314 First National Bank Bldg. Dr. E. M. Hughes. 95 26c

Suits were filed in the 78th district court today as follows: H. L. Sturm et al vs. A. G. Verner, breach of contract and debt; Charlotte Kreiger vs. Wichita Falls Traction Co., \$15,000 damages for personal injury.

Five-passenger Ford car, 1916 model, No. 142, motor No. 875986, run about 1000 miles; side braces; small dent on back of tonneau. \$50 reward for recovery of car. J. J. Simou, Room 3, Ward Bldg. Phone 472. 300-1fc

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I. S. Robbins, piano tuner. Phone 314. 208-6tp

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Funeral arrangements for Mrs. B. P. Stenge who died Tuesday morning.

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36-inch Rice Cloth, all colors, stripes and checks, special per yard 19c; Madras and Percale Shirting, 36 inches wide, in all colors of stripes and checks, per yard 15c to 35c; Union Linene in awning stripes of blue and rose, and white, just the thing for sport coats and skirts, 36 inches wide, price per yard 35c; 36-inch Linen in natural color, white and blue and green. You will want this for skirts, per yard only 75c; A splendid line of tub silks for shirt waists and skirts, in all the new shades and color.

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had been with Billy Kersands' minstrels, as a tenor soloist. He was 45 years old. He was one of the best known negroes in the city and enjoyed the confidence of all who knew him. His widow survives.

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single fatality to a passenger in a train accident. These roads operate over 161,000 miles.

MORE TAILORS GO ON STRIKE IN CHICAGO

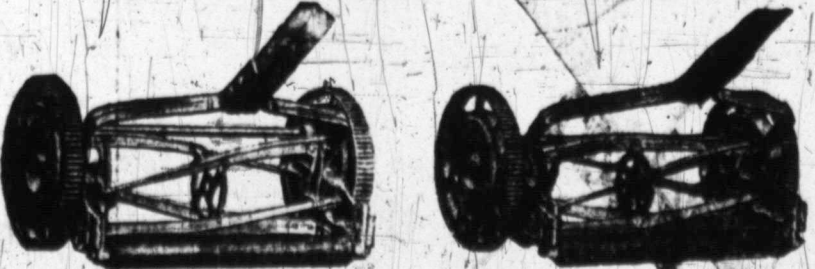
By Associated Press. Chicago, May 10.—One thousand tailors employed by B. Kuppenheimer & Company were called out today to join the 600 cutters who walked out yesterday. Union leaders say it is the plan to call out 2,000 workers daily, in the present strike.

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### CONVENTION OF W. C. T. U. OPENS TUESDAY NIGHT

(Continued from page one)

Reports for the fiscal year ending Day 1, 1916 were read during the morning session. President Curtis' report showed that she had been unusually active, having delivered 125 addresses in the cause of temperance in Texas to approximately 300,000 persons. She organized five unions and secured 425 pledge members. In addition to this she attended one na-

tional W. C. T. U. convention, one international lyceum convention, one state suffrage convention, one southern sociological congress, one county and one city campaign and delivered 95 chautauqua lectures. She also sent out 10,500 letters in behalf of the prohibition cause.

Mrs. Claudia Hightower of Fort Worth, corresponding secretary, read a report of the condition of the 95 state unions. With but few exceptions all are thriving and enjoying rapid growth. A gain of 140 members was reported during the year.

Mrs. Charles E. Webb of Houston recording secretary, read the minutes of the executive and official boards. On account of the absence of Mrs. B. A. Whitley of Austin, treasurer, her report was read by Mrs. John S. Turner of Dallas.

The morning session opened with consecration services conducted by Mrs. Etta Gray Fields of Houston and the convention was called to order by the president. Mr. Herwig then began his address.

Mr. Herwig spoke of the work of the Anti-Saloon League and praised the efficient and loyal cooperation which has been given by the W. C. T. U. His talk dealt with the work the League has done in connection with an exposition of the methods of the breweries during prohibition campaigns. The "Brewery Special Edition" a big 64 page edition of the Home and State which is soon to be published will contain the testimony and documents filed in the recent Sulphur Springs trial and some exceedingly lively exposures will be made. This special edition was the subject of much interested discussion and following Mr. Herwig's talk the unions represented pledged themselves to take 1150 copies of this edition to distribute among the voters of their towns.

The Cleburne and Amarillo unions pledged themselves to distribute 220 brewery specials each. Canadian and Fort Worth promised to take 100 and the following unions pledged the distribution of 50 copies each: Wichita Falls, Ennis, Vernon, Parliett, Graham, Austin, Abilene, McAulley, Houston Heights, Stratford and Oak Cliff.

An interesting and enthusiastic report of the work done at Beaumont was heard in connection with receiving these pledges. The Beaumont union has been sending 200 copies of Home and State to voters in Jefferson county for more than eighteen months, they have recently ordered the sending of 1,000 copies of the paper until August, 1917 and have arranged to send 2,000 copies of the brewery special for distribution.

As the clock hands pointed the hour of twelve the entire assemblage rose for a short prayer, the daily prayer of the White Ribboners over the world at the noon hour. This consecration service was led by Mrs. J. V. Brewer of Fort Worth, the state vice president.

Following the five minutes prayer Mrs. J. V. Brewer, for four months the editor of the Texas White Ribbon, the official organ of the W. C. T. U., made a report of the condition of the publication. The White Ribbon must be in on the 20th of the month.

The subject of the W. C. T. U. literature was brought to the convention by Mrs. Claudia Hightower of Fort Worth, the state corresponding secretary. On her advice the motion was carried to retain the year books published last year for use during the coming year, provision for the printing of the president's address to be made by the issuance of a pamphlet to contain also the reports of the state officers.

The convention sent a telegram of greetings to the State Medical Association in session at Galveston, asking that they help them spread the gospel of science against alcohol. A letter of condolence was sent to Mrs. W. P. Lane, in recognition of the services of her husband, the late state comptroller and a message of remembrance to Mrs. B. A. Whitley of Austin, state treasurer, unable to attend on account of the illness of her mother. A letter was authorized to the Paris union from the state union, offering sympathy to the lately stricken city and a message was sent to the former state president, Mrs. Helmut N. Stoddard in her California home.

Opening Session Last Night. The opening session was designated as "welcome night" and a number of local temperance advocates took the pulpit to welcome the delegates and visitors to the city.

Mrs. Nannie Webb Curtis of Waco, president of the State Union, presided over the meeting and introduced the speakers. Mrs. Curtis told the delegates that brewery stock in 1920 will not be worth as much as Villa currency in Mexico. This brought forth a storm of applause. The speaker lauded the press of the country for its cooperation in stamping out the liquor traffic.

"The newspapers are the most valuable agency in the world for moulding public sentiment," she said, "and without their aid the prohibition battle would be much more difficult."

Judge John C. Kay, the first speaker of the evening welcomed the delegates in behalf of the city, taking the place of Mayor Britain, who was unable to attend the meeting. Judge Kay said:

"I regard the W. C. T. U. as a body more deserving of love and confidence than any other purely humanitarian organization on earth. I am glad to welcome you to our city, and the self respecting citizenship of Wichita Falls will forever regard your visit as a benediction and an honor to the memory of our people."

"Education on social reform and reformation is a task requiring a long period of time, but the W. C. T. U. of this nation has the tenacity to continue fighting until every drop of liquor is banished from the country and the world at large," Judge Kay told his audience that Lake Wichita is located seven miles from the city, but said it will be moved closer to town when water becomes more popular as a beverage.

The next speaker, Rev. N. F. Grafton, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, welcomed the visitors in behalf of local houses of worship.

Rev. N. F. Grafton Speaks. "Wichita Falls is a city of churches as well as other things," the pastor said, "and we welcome you, first, because the W. C. T. U. stands for and promulgates the same issues as the church advocates. The W. C. T. U. emphasizes one important phase of church activity and that is temperance. We welcome you secondly because you are helping the churches to develop an atmosphere which makes for civic righteousness and reform. During the seven months I have been in Wichita Falls I have taken an active interest in the work at hand and I take pleasure in welcoming any individual or organization that comes here to improve conditions."

Welcoming the delegates in behalf of the aid societies and missions, Mrs. P. P. Langford asserted that every woman should have room for thought on temperance.

"At no time has temperance played so prominent a part in missionary work as today," she said. "This is a day of cooperation and weapon of the churches are eager to assist the W. C. T. U. in their great work." Representative Edgar P. Haney, speaking for the press, asserted that the progress against the liquor traffic is simply an indication that we are on a straight road to civilization. "I'm sure those of you who come here and see our saloons sympathize with us."

Mrs. Turner Responds. Mrs. John S. Turner of Dallas, president of the Fifth District of the Union, responded to the welcome addresses.

"We are glad to come to Wichita Falls," said Mrs. Turner, "and we have had a most cordial reception. There has never been a time in the history of our organization when the police force has had to be increased by our presence, and I hope our visit to your city will make your streets a little safer for your children to walk upon." Dr. A. J. Barton, state superintendent of the Texas Anti-Saloon League, was to have addressed the meeting on "How Texas is Going Dry," but he was unable to come to the convention. He probably will arrange to be here later on in the week. A number of local persons who were on the program for addresses were unable to attend the meeting, but the ardor of those who did attend was not dampened by the absence of the speakers.

### NO AMERICANS ON STEAMER CYMRIC

Practically All on Board Vessel British Subjects—No Warning was Given

By Associated Press. London, May 10.—All except three members of the crew of the White Star liner Cymric, torpedoed off the Irish coast were British subjects, it is announced today, the exceptions being one Russian and two Belgians. The definite announcement comes from American Consul Frost at Queenstown that there were no Americans on board. He also reports that no warning was given and that the wake of the torpedo was seen. Brazil will demand indemnity from Germany for sinking by a submarine of the Brazilian steamer Rio Branco according to a Rio Janeiro dispatch.

### TORPEDO STRUCK VESSEL IN THE ENGINE ROOM

By Associated Press. Bantry, Ireland, May 10.—Details of the sinking of the White Star liner Cymric were given today by members of the crew who were landed here. They say that the torpedo which destroyed the ship hit the engine room and extinguished the lights throughout the vessel. Four men were killed by the explosion and the chief steward was drowned.

### CONGRESS URGED TO ENACT PROHIBITION FOR HAWAII

By Associated Press. Saratoga Springs, N. Y., May 10.—A resolution was adopted today by the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church requesting Congress to enact a law prohibiting the sale and manufacture of spirituous liquors in the Hawaiian islands.

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AT THE THEATRES

The Majestic. The Majestic offers the seven reel Sellig Reel Seal play "The Rosary" today only as one of the big features of the year. A more artistic and dramatic photoplay could hardly be imagined than this production by the Sellig Reel Seal Company. It is based upon the famous drama by Edward E. Rose and tells the story of the many trying events which fill the life of Father Kelly. From childhood he was told that his calling was the church and his heart directed him that way, but in early manhood when a young girl came into his life he wavered for a short time from his determination. He won the battle which raged in his heart, however, and devoted himself to the church. Later in life a boy—the son of the woman he loved—came to him and Father Kelly cared for the boy as though he were his own. The boy grew to manhood and married. His wife's sister was ruined by a worthless fellow and in protecting the girl's name the wife aroused the husband's suspicion. A separation followed and Father Kelly, heart broken over the tragedy did all he could to bring them together. In the end he was successful and happiness came into their lives again.

The Empress. John Barrymore, who has more than equaled on the screen the reputation which he won on the stage, is a comedian, is the star of the Famous Players Paramount production, "Nearly a King" showing today at the Empress. In this story, which combines a great deal more of the swift action of a romantic melodrama with the lightness of a screamingly funny comedy than does the average humorous production, Barrymore plays two distinctly different roles, the one a young Balkan prince and the other an irresponsible, adventurous American who gets into more than his share of trouble.

Great as Barrymore has shown his gift of humor to be in his previous screen appearances such as the "Incorrigible Duke," "The Dictator" and others, his playing of two roles in "Nearly a King" naturally gives him a better opportunity to do his best comic work. Like the imitator in vaudeville, Barrymore is seen giving an imitation of himself as the prince for the identities of the American and the prince become confused in the minds of the conspirator who are attempting to force matrimony down the throat of the hapless prince and complications develop with lightning rapidity. "Nearly a King" typifies speed action and side splitting mirth from beginning to end, with a totally unexpected twist at the finish that will catch every audience. The support of Barrymore there appear Katharine Harris, Russell Bassett, Fred McQuirk, June Dale and others of equal renown.

"THE COMEDY OF ERRORS" AT WICHITA THEATER MAY 18

This spring all English speaking nations are celebrating in play and pageant the tercentenary of the world's greatest poet, Shakespeare. In all this universal tribute there is not a little gratification to local Shakespearean students and admirers to learn that they are not to be woefully without participation for on Thursday night, May 18, the well known "Best of Great Shakespearean Players" will present one of the authors' most interesting works namely "The Comedy of Errors." A notice says:

As is the custom with these favorite players the performance will be given on a well known stage, surrounded with the most alluring natural accessories imaginable—accessories which even Shakespeare himself, producer and dramatist that he was—did not seem to utilize for his theatre. Yet who knows?

Upon the occasion of this visit a matter of considerable interest will be the appearance of Miss Elsie Herndon Kearns in the role of Adriana. It is said that this young actress has that rare combination of accomplishment and necessary for the interpretation of this beloved character.

Mr. George Sonny's who has played the important Juvenal roles for Mr. Groat for several seasons past, and who meantime attracted most favorable notice with the "William Tell" and "The Merry Wives of Windsor," will play Antipholus of Syracuse.

Other prominent members of the company this year are: George Hare, Doris Smith, Cameron Mathews, Lila Dell Frost, Jessamine Newcomb, William Adams, Richard Lane, Victor Beercoff and Harry Jayner.

No program could easily offer greater entertainment than that merry uproarious farce "The Comedy of Errors."

The Gem. Today's attraction at the Gem is three reels Universal feature, "Pool's Gold." Myrtle Gonzales and Richard Stanton are co-stars in this strong drama which portrays the folly of a man and the constancy of a loving wife. Dick Webster, is confidential secretary to J. J. Whittier, a capitalist. Dick and his wife, Molly find it hard to live on the small salary he is receiving. Bruce Higgins is a clerk in Mr. Whittier's employ, and one day, noting Webster's brooding tones, he cheer him up. Webster tells him of his troubles and Higgins invites him to meet some friends. He makes the acquaintance of Doris Vane, a "social vamp" and she attracts him by her charms. Doris and Higgins are partners in a scheme to make money easy and Webster agrees to furnish them with the means. He does this and Doris places the information in the hands of Higgins. The trio make quite a large sum of money. According to the agreement Webster receives one-half of the money. He takes it home with childish pleasure, but when his wife learns how he got the money and realizes that it was dishonestly, she will have nothing to do with it, and pleads with him to return it to his employer. This he refuses to do and a quarrel ensues. Webster returns to the office over the alert for new tips, but this

Country's Condition Declared to Be Better Now Than Ever Before

Following is the summary of business conditions for May, issued by the National Bank of Commerce: Merchandise exports from the United States during February amounted to \$409,836,000, the highest point ever reached in the history of the country and exceeding imports by \$215,900,000. It is only necessary to record this fact to show that there is not the slightest indication of any diminution in the extraordinary tide of business activity which has spread over the country and is bringing in new money and new credits in such volume that no foreign relations are concerned there still continue to be threatening clouds on the horizon, but the country has by now become so used to this condition of affairs that it is not attempting to meet trouble half way. It is sufficient that each day's problems shall be met as they arise, for with the disturbed conditions that exist it is quite impossible to forecast what may happen from one week to another.

Manufacturing Output

An analysis of the latest census returns indicates that the value of the total output of manufactured goods in the United States for the year 1914 aggregated about Twenty-four Billion Dollars in 1900. These returns represent nearly 30 cities and towns in various parts of the country and show an increase of about 17 per cent as compared with the production of the same cities for the census year 1910 when the gross output was \$20,572,000,000. It is claimed, and undoubtedly with good reason, that this manufacturing output is greater now than that of any other country in the world. No other manufacturing country takes perfect census returns, but there can be no question that the present manufacturing output of the United States is head and shoulders above that of any other country.

Life Insurance Prospering

The life insurance companies of America were never doing so much business as at present and it is expected that 1916 will be the greatest year in the history of the business. Not only are the various everyday forms of life insurance increasing in popularity, but

NO WICHITA YOUTHS IN NATIONAL GUARD

None From This City Called To Border—Panhandle Companies Going

No Wichita Falls youths, so far as can be learned, will go to the border to protect Texas from Mexican depredations. There has been no military company here for nearly ten years, despite efforts to organize one in recent months. Several Wichita Falls boys were members of the Gainesville company which disbanded over a year ago. H. A. Baker, commandant of the high school cadets, was formerly an officer in the guard, but is no longer connected with it.

Several things in the past few years efforts have been made to form military companies here, but they never met with any degree of success. Companies from the Panhandle, including the organizations at Amarillo, Cappel, Quanah and Vernon, will probably pass through here shortly en route to San Antonio, where the guard will mobilize for the border patrol duty. Two years ago they responded to an order for border service being called out by Governor Coleburn who did not consult the federal authorities. The present order comes from Washington.

Who Will Pay the Debt?

Certain economists have been doing a great deal of figuring regarding how the enormous debts being accumulated in Europe are to be paid off, while those not so rash content themselves with figuring how the interest is to be met. Millions have become billions with such rapidity that the mind can scarcely grasp what has been going on, and how the problem is to be solved is something that appears to baffle everyone.

What Wall Street Believes

As a forecaster of events, Wall Street has long been known as the most accurate prophet in the country. The reason for this is undoubtedly the fact that where so much money is involved, sentiment and prejudice are never allowed to interfere with the conclusions drawn from the trend of current events. At the present time the course of the market is based upon three funda-

mental beliefs which are worth recording and considering, whether or not they may be accepted as reasonable.

They are very interesting, as indicating the workings of Wall Street's mind but, of course, are not to be considered in any other light than an individual opinion subject to correction. These three fundamentals are: (1) that the Mexican trouble will not be very long or involved, (2) that the United States will not be drawn into the European War, (3) that peace will not come to Europe for a long time.

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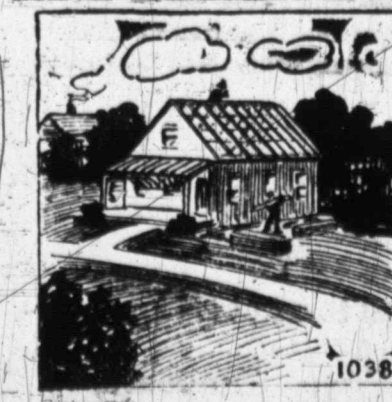
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Market Report

Chicago Grain

By Associated Press. Chicago, May 10.—Reports of dry hot weather in the southwest caused decidedly higher prices. Opening prices which ranged from 1.2 to 3.4 to 7.8 higher with May at 1.15-1.4 and July 1.16-5.8 to 1.17 were followed by substantial further advance. Corn shared in the wheat strength. The market closed strong 1.5 to 1.34 cents net higher with May at 1.16-1.2 and July at 1.17-5.8 to 3.4.

New York Cotton.

By Associated Press. New York, May 10.—The cotton market showed renewed firmness early today. July contracts touched 13.08 and October 13.26 during the first hour. The market developed increased activity and strength during the middle of the day. July contracts selling up to 13 and 13.19 and October rallied from 13.17 to 13.29. Cotton closed barely steady. May 12.83, July 12.96, October 13.15, December 13.31 January 13.37.

Fort Worth Livestock.

Fort Worth, Tex., May 10.—Cattle receipts 5000, steady. Hogs \$6.50 to \$8.25. Hog receipts 5000, steady; bulk \$9.45 to \$9.65. Sheep receipts 1000, twenty-five cents up; lambs \$9 to \$11.

IS COMPILING MORTALITY STATISTICS FOR TEXAS

By Associated Press. Austin, Tex., May 10.—Dr. W. A. "Biv" registrar of vital statistics and secretary of the state board of health is engaged in a compilation of statistics which will show the average age of mortality in Texas. This is the first effort ever made for such information in Texas. Reports are being received and compiled for every county in the state.

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SPEAKS ON REWARD OF OBSCURE DOCTOR

Dr. M. M. Carrick Delivers Address Today Before Medical Convention of State By Associated Press. Galveston, Tex., May 10.—Dr. Martin M. Carrick of Dallas, before the Texas Medical Association's annual convention here today, discussed the one of the principal non-technical addresses on the program. "The Reward of the Obscure Physician," Dr. Carrick said in part: "To benefit humanity is the constant aim and study of our profession and in meetings of this kind it is the duty of the physician and diseases of the public are the prevailing topics of discussion. Why not vary the stereotyped program with an occasional paper on the duties of the physician, or the diseases of the physician. "Reward in most cases is wealth and to be sure some physicians acquire riches. These, however, are in the minority. As business men we doctors are, generally speaking, unfortunates. A physician's earnings are seldom kept up to date or in a business-like manner. I consider seventy-five per cent good collecting. Often he never recovers the per cent collected or the total business. "Next to wealth, greatness is usually considered the logical reward of service. Some physicians become great but they are even more rare than those who become wealthy. Medical history mentions but a few great men, and it gives a wrong impression of these. Medicine never sprang up by a few leaps, it requires more than a few inventions every century to perpetuate its growth. The present status of surgery is indebted to more than a few discoveries. Due credit must be given to the obscure toilers who have utilized and disseminated the innovations of their leaders. "Without the so-called maste minds, medicine would have advanced more slowly, but similar achievements would have resulted eventually. Without their unregarded associates, our science would still be in the hands of charlatans. It is high time that, while idolizing the innovator, we should direct a straight thought toward the ordinary physician who is performing his everyday duties and meeting everyday responsibilities. "The lack of recompense for his service is by no means to be taken as an indication that the physician's labors are slight. The profession of medicine is a serious business. It is not other occupations are rest, recreation and study so imperative; and none affords so little opportunity for them. Suffering humanity permits the physician neither leisure or privacy, and his own home is his poor retreat. No matter how much the diversion may be needed the afflicted public is constantly clamoring its intercession. "Medicine has disqualified the doctor somewhat as a social being, but he is now a better judge of character. His basis for recording merit is broader and more intelligent. It is different from any other. He is the most liberal giver, in the community and physicians as a body are the world's greatest philanthropists. "Sours is the noblest calling, for it is a profession which taxes mind and body alike. No genuine physician ever rusts out. The wear and tear of his duties soon produce a marked effect, and he is usually short lived. The very nature of the work is such that in the indulgent and careless starve, the ignorant tremble and the crook is kept dodging. To the selfish, the narrow and the stubborn, the duties entailed are both obnoxious and unendurable. "The reward is the reward of the unselfish, which neither mortal nor just can corrupt, nor man steal away from him."

MANY INQUIRIES AS TO DAIRYING PLAN

Requests For Information Come From Many Points—Much Publicity is Given Inquiries from every part of the country are coming to the Chamber of Commerce regarding the "better dairying" campaign inaugurated by that organization, and requests for information as to the details of the plan, and its practicability, are received by Acting Secretary Thomas almost daily. Bankers, commercial organizations and railroads are among those who have become interested. Pictures and articles about the herd of Holsteins brought here have appeared in all the leading farm publications of the country, including "The Country Gentleman" and a vast amount of publicity has been received as a result. The move of the local organization will probably cause commercial clubs in many parts of the country to adopt similar measures to stimulate the dairying industry.

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Tuesday's Results Fort Worth 3, Galveston 1 Waco 1, Beaumont 0 Houston 4, Dallas 2 Son Antonio 8, Shreveport 4 Where They Play Today Houston at Fort Worth Galveston at Dallas Beaumont at Shreveport San Antonio at Waco. Standing of the Clubs. P. W. L. Pct Fort Worth 24 14 10 583 Shreveport 24 14 10 583 Waco 23 13 10 565 Galveston 24 12 12 500 Houston 26 13 13 500 San Antonio 25 12 13 480 Dallas 25 11 14 440 Beaumont 25 9 16 360

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Tuesday's Results Chicago 4, New York 4 Detroit 16, Philadelphia 2 St. Louis 10, Washington 5 Boston 5, Cleveland 1. Where They Play Wednesday Chicago at New York St. Louis at Washington Detroit at Philadelphia Cleveland at Boston. Standing of the Clubs. P. W. L. Pct Cleveland 23 15 8 652 Washington 20 11 9 520 New York 20 11 9 550 Boston 22 11 11 500 Detroit 22 11 11 550 Chicago 24 11 13 485 St. Louis 19 8 11 421 Philadelphia 19 7 12 368

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Tuesday's Results New York 13, Pittsburgh 5 Chicago 8, Cincinnati 5. Where They Play Wednesday New York at Pittsburgh Boston at Chicago Brooklyn at Cincinnati Philadelphia at St. Louis. Standing of the Clubs. P. W. L. Pct Brooklyn 14 10 4 714 Boston 15 10 5 667 Chicago 21 12 9 571 Philadelphia 20 11 9 550 Cincinnati 22 11 11 500 St. Louis 21 10 11 476 Pittsburgh 21 9 12 429 New York 16 3 13 188

WESTERN ASSOCIATION

Tuesday's Results Tulsa 5, Oklahoma City 3 McAlester 12, Muskogee 5 Denison 11, Sherman 1 Paris 1, Fort Smith 0. Standing of the Clubs. P. W. L. Pct Tulsa 18 14 4 775 Muskogee 19 11 8 579 McAlester 18 9 9 500 Denison 18 9 9 500 Fort Smith 19 9 10 474 Sherman 18 8 10 444 Oklahoma City 18 7 11 389 Paris 18 6 12 333

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Personals

Mrs. F. E. Sanders has returned from Waco, where she attended the state federation convention of Music Clubs. While there she was the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Charles Link.

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By Associated Press. Washington, May 10.—Henry Lane Wilson, former ambassador to Mexico brought a \$350,000 libel suit today against Norman Haggood the publisher. Mr. Wilson bases his suit on publications regarding the Mexican situation.

SAYS BRITISH BOAT DAMAGED IN FIGHT

Berlin Claims Destroyer Suffered in Naval Clash Off Belgian Coast.

By Associated Press. Berlin, May 10.—In an engagement off the Belgian coast today between German and British torpedo craft, a British destroyer was badly damaged by artillery fire, according to official announcement by the German admiral under date of May 9.

LAWTON SOLDIERS MEET WITH DELAY

Must Wait Until Sufficient Rolling Stock To Carry Them Comes From Kansas City

By Associated Press. Lawton, Okla., May 10.—Although the five batteries of the Fifth Field Artillery consisting of 829 men, ordered to the border yesterday will be ready to entrain early this afternoon, they probably will not get away from here for San Antonio until late tomorrow or Friday, according to an announcement today by Col. Granger Adams, commanding officer at Fort Hill, where the batteries are stationed. The announcement said the six trains to carry the guns, caissons, munitions, horses, pack mules and men had to be made up at Kansas City, Chicago and St. Louis and although they will be rushed to Fort Hill as quickly as possible, none of the batteries will get away before tomorrow. The companies ordered to entrain are B, C, D, E and F.

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So they lived happily, but not exactly peacefully, for like all well regulated families they had their little quarrels and at times they made the little lake violent with their battles. But now all that is changed, "Gator No. 1 is past all quarrelling and his companion is alone the pool weeping "crocodile tears" perhaps.

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