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GERMAN SUBMARINES SINK SHIPS OFF AMERICAN COAST

German Rush Halted; Allies Gain Ground

FRENCH ARE STANDING FIRMLY

MEET GERMAN BLOW AND GAIN GROUND IN DASHING COUNTER ATTACK.

BRITISH ATTACK

Germans Forced to Give Ground And Hundreds of Prisoners to the Enemy.

The Associated Press war summary today says:

The German rush towards Paris between the rivers Marne and Ourcq, was halted last night, according to today's official statement from Paris. French troops stood their ground firmly at the point of greatest impact, near the Marne, and in dashing counter attacks drove back the enemy in other sections of the battlefield to the northwest.

The main force of the German blow was directed along the road that runs from Chateau Thierry to Paris. The French met it astride that road, to the southeast of Bourges within less than two miles of the river and broke the assault by their fire.

Heavy fighting continued all night along the front northwest to the Ourcq, a distance of twelve miles, the British driving home numerous counter attacks with the result that the Germans were forced to give ground at several points. Prisoners by the hundred were taken by the French, who likewise cut the Germans up severely during the various engagements.

Made No Progress.

Apparently the Germans made no further progress during the night in other sectors, either on the other side of Chateau Thierry along the Marne and to the northeast or in Soissons and Noyon regions to the north, as the French are reported holding their positions everywhere.

With the exception of a gain of some ground by the British on the northern side of the Flanders salient there have been no events of moment recorded on the other parts of the front.

Heavy fighting continued all day Sunday east of Villers-Cotterets and the forest of the same name east of the town. Late Saturday the French had captured some gains in this region. Under the heavy pressure the French were compelled to give up Faveroles, about three miles southeast of Villers-Cotterets.

Assuming the initiative west of Neufchateau, the French recaptured the village southwest of Faveroles, and still farther westward the battle of Chateau Thierry were reported, Paris reports.

On the eastern wing the Germans who crossed the German Rhims road and took the Ville-En-Tardenois have been driven from Champlai. Around Rhims, the situation is unchanged, the Germans probably hoping that their advance from Ville-En-Tardenois will outflank the troops in the Rheims sector.

Seven days the Germans have driven a dangerous salient in the Allied line and have met with some success in attempting to link the new salient with the one driven toward Amiens in March. In addition to their other captures, the Germans took a huge amount of Franco-American stores at Fere-En-Tardenois, the booty including 500,000 artillery shells, much material and 1,000 vehicles.

Little Activity Elsewhere.

There has been little activity elsewhere on the western front, including the American sectors. British airmen continue their bombing raids and have accounted for 25 more German airplanes. The total sector in a combat between four American airplanes and six German machines, one enemy biplane was shot down and one American machine was sent down in flames.

German airmen again have dropped bombs on hospitals behind the British lines. The raid lasted two hours. One hospital was demolished and a large number of patients and workers were killed or wounded.

A counter revolutionary plot which involves a large part of Russia has been discovered in Moscow and Petrograd. A state of siege has been declared in Moscow and many arrests have been made by the bolshevik government. Some important rail lines and junctions have been captured by numerous Czech-Slovak troops while in the south the Kuban and Don Cossack districts are being harassed by counter-revolution organizations.

PRUSSIAN GUARDS SUFFER TERRIBLE CASUALTIES

By Associated Press

WITH THE FRENCH ARMY IN France, June 3.—Owing to the terrible casualties inflicted upon it the Prussian guards division has been withdrawn by the high command from the battlefields. The Germans' losses are becoming heavier daily.

The Germans at the beginning of the offensive followed out a system of filtering through the allied lines. Bodies of picked troops found their way through thinly held parts of the way through thin held parts of the line and the Prussian guards division was the feature of the offensive is now giving way in most places to attacks in massed formation. The enemy has

found it impossible to carry out the first maneuver since the Allied troops have received reinforcements.

The Allied troops feel that the enemy has reached the virtual end of his rush. Ground is now given up only when the Allied Commanders consider it useless to hold it and when combats occur they are fought on a much more equal basis than heretofore. The troops have never lost confidence even in the most serious moments of their retirement, in their ability to prevent a breach in the lines and now with the British and French reinforcements arriving rapidly the morale of the Allied armies is higher than ever before.

NO ARMY MEN LOST WHEN TRANSPORT LINCOLN SUNK

By Associated Press

WASHINGTON, June 3.—All those who were passengers and the returning army officers and men on the transport President Lincoln were saved after she had been torpedoed last week. This continues the loss of life to the crew of the ship.

None of the survivors was seriously injured. The transport was attacked at 9:53 a. m. May 31. Three torpedoes were discharged, sinking the ship in 18 minutes. The submarine was not sighted until after the torpedoes were shot.

American destroyers returning to port with survivors sighted a submarine at noon on Saturday and attacked it. The dispatch to the navy department did not report the result.

"The small loss of life on the President Lincoln was due to the thorough discipline of the ship's company and excellent seamanship of the excellent commanders and officers of the vessel, particularly the commander of the transport," Vice Admiral Sims says in his report.

SECRET TREATY BETWEEN FINLAND AND GERMANY EXISTS

By Associated Press

LONDON, June 3.—A secret convention exists between Germany and Finland, which is kept secret from the Finnish diet, by which the Finnish government undertakes to establish friendly relations with a German dynasty and to place the Finnish army under German leadership, according to a dispatch to the Times from Stockholm quoting the Socialist newspaper Politiken, which has sources of information among the independent socialists in Germany.

Finland, it is added, agrees also not to cede the Aland Islands to Sweden and to allow Germany to use the islands for a naval base. Germany further will be permitted to use Finland as a passage way through to the Arctic Ocean. Finland agrees to take efficient measures to combat anarchy.

Germany will have the right to maintain a military force in Finland until all the conditions are carried out.

BRITISH TAKE GROUND ALSO SOME PRISONERS

By Associated Press

WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN France, June 3.—In their local operations last night on the northern side of the Flanders salient, the British wrested two fortified farms in the neighborhood of Vieux Berquin from the Germans after a brief engagement. About 150 prisoners were taken, including three officers.

A little further to the north in the region of Merris the British carried out a second local attack and here also improved their lines. Just west of Merris storming troops forced back the Germans from a desirable stretch of high ground and occupied the enemy's trenches. The British casualties were slight. The British during the night carried out several successful raids and also repulsed an enemy raiding party south of Villers-Bretonneux. The German artillery bombed the section south of Scarpe with a heavy fire and also turned their guns on Villers-Bretonneux.

ALLIED DEFENSE MANEUVER NOW BEING PREDICTED

By Associated Press

PARIS, June 3.—An Allied defense maneuver is predicted by Le Matin and the Petit Parisien. They expressed the conviction that Generals Foch and Petain who proved themselves good offensive men in subordinate commands, will display the same qualities in the supreme command of the Allied and the French armies.

All the newspapers, according to a Havas Agency review, believe that equilibrium seems to have been re-established on all points of the front and the fluctuations are growing in extent.

The German assaults are still furious and violent, while the French resistance is firm and energetic with numerous strong counter attacks. Sunday the French held the enemy in check and even forced him to withdraw from some points.

ARTILLERY CAPTAIN FOUND DEAD SUNDAY

By Associated Press

SAN ANTONIO, TEX., June 3.—Captain George Leroy Austin, 343 Field Artillery, was found dead in his quarters at Camp Travis Sunday afternoon. There was a bullet hole through the head and an army revolver near by.

He was a graduate of the Leon Springs Training School of November, 1917. His father, R. H. Austin, Oakdale, La. Captain Austin formerly was a lumber man of Louisiana.

LIEUTENANT COLONEL RECEIVES PROMOTION

By Associated Press

PORT WORTH, TEX., June 3.—Lieutenant Colonel E. J. Williams, chief of staff of the thirty-sixth division, has been made a colonel, according to a dispatch from Washington this morning. Major Hanson, division quartermaster, has been made a lieutenant colonel.

FEDERAL CHILD LABOR LAW HELD UNCONSTITUTIONAL

By Associated Press

WASHINGTON, June 3.—The federal child labor law of 1916 forbidding interstate shipment of products of child labor was today declared unconstitutional and invalid by the supreme court.

Injunctions restraining the government from putting the statute into effect and restraining a Charlotte, N. C., cotton mill from discharging children employed were sustained by the court.

HARLEY GOES TO CONFER WITH THE WAR DEPARTMENT

By Associated Press

AUSTIN, TEXAS, June 3.—Adjutant General Harley will leave for Washington Wednesday to confer with the War Department with reference to organization of the infantry brigade of the Texas National Guard. The two brigades of cavalry already practically have been recruited.

It is regarded as probable that a regiment of the new infantry brigade will be organized in Wichita Falls. A number of prominent Wichita Falls men are seeking commissions in the new brigade. It is said that a colonel and a lieutenant colonel are likely to be appointed from this city.

MANY VESSELS SUNK OFF NEW JERSEY COAST SUNDAY

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, June 3.—Germany has carried her Submarine War to this side of the ocean and in the last 24 hours a number of vessels have been sunk. Some reports say the number of victims already is as many as fifteen. The presence of the U-boats has been reported in American waters for several days past, the first definite news that they were operating off this coast, came today when the crew of one victim, the Schooner Edward H. Cole, landed here. Their vessel was sunk Sunday off the New Jersey shore.

It is known that at least two U-boats are engaged in the campaign which is assumed to be aimed chiefly at the American transportation service. A report that besides the attacks on shipping off the New Jersey coast a submarine was operating off Nantucket Coast. Presumably the Germans are employing the new cruiser type of U-boats with a long steaming radius for these operations.

Passenger Steamer and 5 Schooners Sunk

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, June 3.—The campaign of German submarines on the American Atlantic coast, according to reports received here up to a late hour today has netted them at least one American passenger steamer and five American schooners.

These are the losses definitely known. Reports of other attacks, including those on two American tankships and another passenger steamer came seeping in throughout the afternoon and shipping men fear that the toll losses through this German surprise attack will be added to.

The ships definitely reported as attacked were: Steamer Carolina from Porto Rico, 220 passengers; Schooner Edward H. Cole; Jacob S. Haskell; Isabella B. Willey, Hattie Dunn and Samuel W. Hathaway.

The coastwise steamer City of Columbus Savannah for Boston with passengers was added late today as another probable victim of the German sea raiders.

The attack on the Carolina became known this afternoon when word was received here that an S. O. S. call for help had come from her last night. Her wireless message picked up by naval vessels, stated that a submarine was shelling the vessel and that the passengers had taken to the boats. Help was immediately sent and it is hoped that all hands will be reported safe.

Of the crews of the schooners, only eight of the Edward H. Cole are known to be safe.

News of the fate of those on other schooners is anxiously awaited. Naval vessels it is known have not only gone to the rescue but are scouring the seas for the enemy. Coast guards at all stations have been notified to watch for ship wrecked men.

AMERICA PREPARED TO MEET U-BOAT ATTACKS WITH EFFECTIVE WEAPONS

WASHINGTON, June 3.—Germany by striking with her submarines at the very doors of America has admitted to the world that the American army will turn the tide against her on the battle fields of France.

Information of submarines operating on the American coast brought to the Navy department today by Associated Press dispatches was followed by official reports. Naval officials declared that American Anti-Submarine forces in home waters were apt to meet the attack. All along the coast naval flying boats, submarine chasers and numberless other naval craft immediately got into action. All officials declared that the Navy Department was fully equipped to meet the thrust at the very fountain head of the flow of American troops to Europe and that all its agencies were being brought into full force to find the submarines and destroy them.

This challenge to the fighting forces of the United States would be met, officials said, with the same measures which have driven the submarines to cover in the war zone and the steady flow of American transports to France will be guarded with the same effective program which has carried them through the infested waters of the British Isles and France with a remarkably low loss of life.

A submarine blockade in the principle transport lanes and about the principle embarkation ports for the American army has long been counted upon by American naval officers as one of the Germans' last cards and preparations have been made to meet it.

BULLETINS

BOSTON, June 3.—Among the many reports here today was one that a German submarine after sinking four vessels off the New Jersey coast was captured and was being taken into New York. Local navy officials denied any definite knowledge of the matter.

By Associated Press
WASHINGTON, June 31.—Atlantic coast naval stations were directed by the navy department today to send vessels to the assistance of the steamer Carolina in response to S. O. S. calls saying she was being attacked by submarines. The S. O. S. calls were received at the Arlington naval wireless station here.

By Associated Press
NORFOLK, VA., June 3.—The port of Norfolk-Newport News was closed (Continued on page five)

The port of New York was closed to out-going shipping as soon as news of the presence of hostile craft outside was confirmed. Similar action has been taken at other Atlantic ports.

Meanwhile advices from Washington, after officially confirming the loss of the three schooners, declared that measures were already in operation that will be effective against the menace.

One of the ships sunk was the Edward H. Cole, a sailing vessel.

It was asserted in shipping circles that it was possible that as many as six additional vessels were destroyed not including those known to have been sunk.

Rumors of the presence of German submarines off the American coast have been current for the past two weeks, the reports telling of one or more having been sighted in southern waters.

The attack upon American shipping almost at the very entrance of New York harbor is taken to mean that Germany has at last inaugurated a submarine campaign to break up transport of troops to France.

Information received at the maritime exchange here indicated as many as fifteen vessels have been sunk.

Although there have been frequent rumors of submarines having crossed the Atlantic since America entered the war none has actually before attacked American shipping on this side of the Atlantic. In October 1916 the German submarine U-53 after visiting Newport, R. I. lay in wait for British shipping off Nantucket Lightship and got six victims. Within the last week a South American ship arriving here brought reports of the presence of two German submarines in the vicinity of Bermuda. The reports that fifteen vessels had been sunk seems to indicate the presence of a number of submarines and that the enemy has inaugurated an attack in force.

The crew of the Edward H. Cole has been landed here. The Edward H. Cole was an American schooner of 1,791 tons gross owned in Boston. She was built at Rockland, Me., in 1904.

According to the survivors, the Edward H. Cole was sunk 75 miles off the highlands of New Jersey yesterday afternoon.

Two submarines attacked the Edward H. Cole, according to the commander of the vessel, Captain Newcomb. They appeared simultaneously, one on each side of the vessel and signalled the captain to heave to. The commander of one of the submarines then boarded the schooner in a small boat and gave the crew ten minutes to leave the ship.

The crew took to their boats immediately and the German sailors then planted bombs in the vessel and blew her up. Just before the explosion occurred an American steamship appeared in the offing and the U-boat immediately gave chase.

The last Captain Newcomb saw of the steamer she was making off at full speed.

CAROLINA SENDS OUT S.O.S. CALLS 2 U-BOATS REPORTED OPERATING

By Associated Press

NEW YORK, June 3.—A wireless S. O. S. call from the New York Porto Rico Line passenger Steamship Carolina saying she was being attacked by a submarine was received here today.

Her wireless call for help was received at 7 o'clock last night. Shipping authorities estimated that when attacked she was about in the same position as the schooner Edward H. Cole when the vessel was destroyed by a submarine.

The Carolina was commanded by T. R. D. Barber. The Carolina with 220 passengers aboard and 120 in her crew, was bound for an Atlantic port at which she is this afternoon 12 hours overdue.

The fate of the Carolina is not known. No further wireless calls were received after the call for help. A United States guard ship was one of vessels which got the call. The Carolina 3,125 tons has been long in the New York-Porto Rico trade. She was built at Newport-News, Va., in 1896.

The S. O. S. picked up by the navy wireless from the Carolina said the steamer was being shelled by the submarine and that the passengers had taken to the boats.

By Associated Press

WASHINGTON, June 3.—A navy statement announcing the sinkings says:

"The navy department has been informed that three American schooners have been sunk off the coast by enemy submarines.

"The steamship Bristol, arriving at New York this morning reported that the four masted schooner Edward H. Cole was sunk by submarines at 6:30 p. m. Sunday fifty miles southeast of Barnaget, N. J., and that the Bristol rescued the crew and brought them to port.

"It also rescued the crew of another sailing vessel which was sunk. The Bristol reported that she encountered a submarine 18 miles off Barnaget at 4:20 p. m. Sunday and that two submarines were operating in that locality.

"The steamship Grecian reported that the schooner Jacob S. Haskell was sunk by gunfire by a German submarine in the same general vicinity at noon Sunday. The crew was rescued.

"It was also reported that the Isabella D. Willey was shelled by submarines. Captain Newcomb of the Cole stated that his vessel was attacked by a German submarine which boarded him, took away his papers and placed bombs on board. The captain and crew took to the boats. Captain Newcomb stated that the submarine which attacked him was about 200 feet long and carried by large guns, one forward and one aft and a smaller gun amidships."

HIGHER RATES FOR NEWSPAPERS WILL SAVE THEM

PUBLISHERS URGED TO OBSERVE MOST RIGID ECONOMIES BY HOUGHTALING.

LITTLE ROCK, ARK., June 3.—The annual convention of the Newspaper Editor's Association met here today.

Higher advertising rates for smaller papers and the most rigid economy in newspaper on the part of all the publishers should go a long way toward alleviating the precarious situation in which the newspaper industry finds itself, President H. C. Houghtaling of Mableton, Minn., declared in his address to the convention today.

Mr. Houghtaling said conditions as they affect the rural publisher and inland daily were especially serious and predicted that many smaller publications must suspend unless they can command increased income to meet the mounting cost of production.

As to economy in print paper he said: "Every publisher in America should go the limit the rural publisher and inland daily in trying to save paper. The city dailies should be appealed to and asked to cut down their Sunday editions in the interest of paper economy. The general public will never believe print paper is very expensive when they can get a whole armful for a nickel as they do in the Sunday paper. As an indication of what conservation can accomplish, I wish to cite and commend the action of the Pittsburgh dailies, which by economies last year saved twenty per cent of their consumption or 10,000 tons."

The labor scarcity is another problem which the publishers of the country find growing more formidable. Mr. Houghtaling declared, and to meet it he advocated the establishment of manual training schools where newspaper mechanics may be trained. Unless school boards can be induced to add such courses the publishers may find it necessary to establish training schools of their own, he predicted.

Turning to government advertising, the president said: "I cannot pass by the attitude of the government as to the space of newspaper publishers. It has been unjust and unfair and I might add unpatriotic in considering such space valuable only so long as it could be secured without cost to the government. Newspaper space is the publishers' stock in trade and a commodity as much as tea and sugar and the grower has not been called upon to turn over such commodities without remuneration."

In opening his address President Houghtaling voiced a call to service, declaring that it is the imperative duty of the press of America "to stand steady and not rock the boat."

"I realize fully," he said, "that there are many of the rights of the press being imposed upon, but such grievances can wait until after the war, until after victory has been secured. We must show to the world one profession and one business that will seek personal advantage and interest for the benefit of humanity."

DRIVE TO ENLIST GRADUATE NURSES IS BEGUN TODAY

Special to the Times.

WASHINGTON, June 3.—Dr. W. C. Braisted, surgeon general of the U. S. Navy has sent the following communication to the American Red Cross at the beginning of its drive to enroll nurses for military and public service: "Never before in history has there been such a great opportunity for the nursing profession to come forward. A large number of nurses will be required, not only immediately but for some time after the war has ended to nurse back to health and usefulness the maimed and injured who have suffered because of the enormous struggle now being waged in Europe. The nursing profession of the country is called upon to do the same way as the medical profession to render the utmost service of which it is capable and a trained personnel is necessary to the success of the drive."

Needed for Navy. "It is not only the duty but it is mandatory that every trained nurse who is capable of serving should come forward at this time and take up that part of the burden which is hers. Several thousand nurses are needed to wait upon the personnel of the navy at very large naval hospitals in this country as well as at several naval base hospitals in European waters. Unless wounded and sick naval men receive adequate medical and nursing attention control of the seas must suffer."

Therefore we urge all women nurses of training and experience who are physically and professionally capable of rendering service to come forward and enroll for duty. Officers of the navy are authorized by law to accept the civil assistance of the American Red Cross which has so capably fulfilled its humanitarian purpose and the preliminary enrollment of nurses has been turned over to that great organization."

During the ten days' drive which begins today every effort will be made to induce every graduate nurse who is eligible for war service to enroll. Married nurses will be urged to return to practice or at least to give a few hours a day to hospital or visiting service or to work in dispensaries, diet kitchens or public health activities.

Graduates of high schools and colleges will be encouraged to become students in military or civilian hospitals in order to free as many nurses as possible for army or navy service. The general public is also urged to start a "Save a Nurse" campaign which will discourage the employment of individual nurses except in very serious cases. Sick and injured in the cities will be requested to rely more on hospitals and on visiting nurses so that one nurse may divide her time among several who need professional care.

DIVIDENDS FROM SURPLUS NOT TAXABLE. **WASHINGTON, June 3.**—The supreme court in an opinion today held that dividends paid to stockholders of corporations out of surplus accumulated prior to the income tax law of 1913, are not income and are therefore not taxable under the act.

ONLY 7 DRUNKS IN CITY COURT DURING MONTH

Special to the Times.

There were only seven drunks haled before the city tribunal of justice during the month of May, the first whiskeyless month for Wichita Falls, and the amount of fines assessed and collected would have been practically nothing were it not for the speeders and the vagrants, against whom the law has been especially aroused by the orders to put men to work or in the army.

Fines assessed during May totaled \$494, of which \$300 were paid in cash and \$194 laid out in jail. The rest were suspended on condition that the offenders join the army, go to work or leave town. Thirteen speeders and six drunks paid fines.

The other drunk was a man who was leaving for training camp and had managed to get hold of some liquor for a final celebration.

This compares with \$671.50 in fines assessed during April which was half dry, \$451.50 being paid in cash, \$19.50 laid out in jail and \$225.50 worked out on the streets.

Both months represent a very considerable decrease in fines and arrests as well, over March, which was wet throughout the month, \$1403 in fines assessed was divided in \$308 paid, \$67 laid out in jail, \$715.50 worked out on the streets, \$329 in suspensions and \$227 released for various reasons. There were 95 fines paid by drunks during March. The police also report a falling off in complaints of affray, vagrancy, disturbance of the peace and kindred offenses to which whiskey has heretofore been a contributory element.

The scarcity of whiskey and consequently of drunks in police court has led to raising of the fine, and now a common drunk brings from \$10 to \$20 and extraordinary cases correspondingly higher. This combined with the high price of "bootleg" whiskey makes a drunk rather expensive if the offender happens to be caught.

Tom Stack's Baby Killed When His Auto Overtakes

Special to the Times.

C. B. Montgomery received a telegram this morning from Tom Stack, formerly proprietor of the Indiana bar, who has been on a protecting tour in New Mexico and Colorado, saying that his automobile had overturned and killed his baby. The telegram was sent from Alamosa, Colorado. It said: "Car overturned and killed baby. We are bringing remains to Wichita. Should reach there Tuesday night. I may need your help Wednesday morning."

The child was about twelve months old.

Notice. My dental offices will be open as usual on Saturdays through the summer.—Dr. Nelson. 16-3tc

WICHITA SELECT MEN ASSIGNED TO 35TH COMPANY

Special to the Times.

More than one hundred men from Wichita Falls who arrived at Camp Travis on May 26, have been assigned to the 35th company, 165th D. B., and are quickly getting into "fighting trim," according to communications from the publicity division at the camp. The commander of the 165th has spoken of the men as the finest lot of recruits ever handled in his company.

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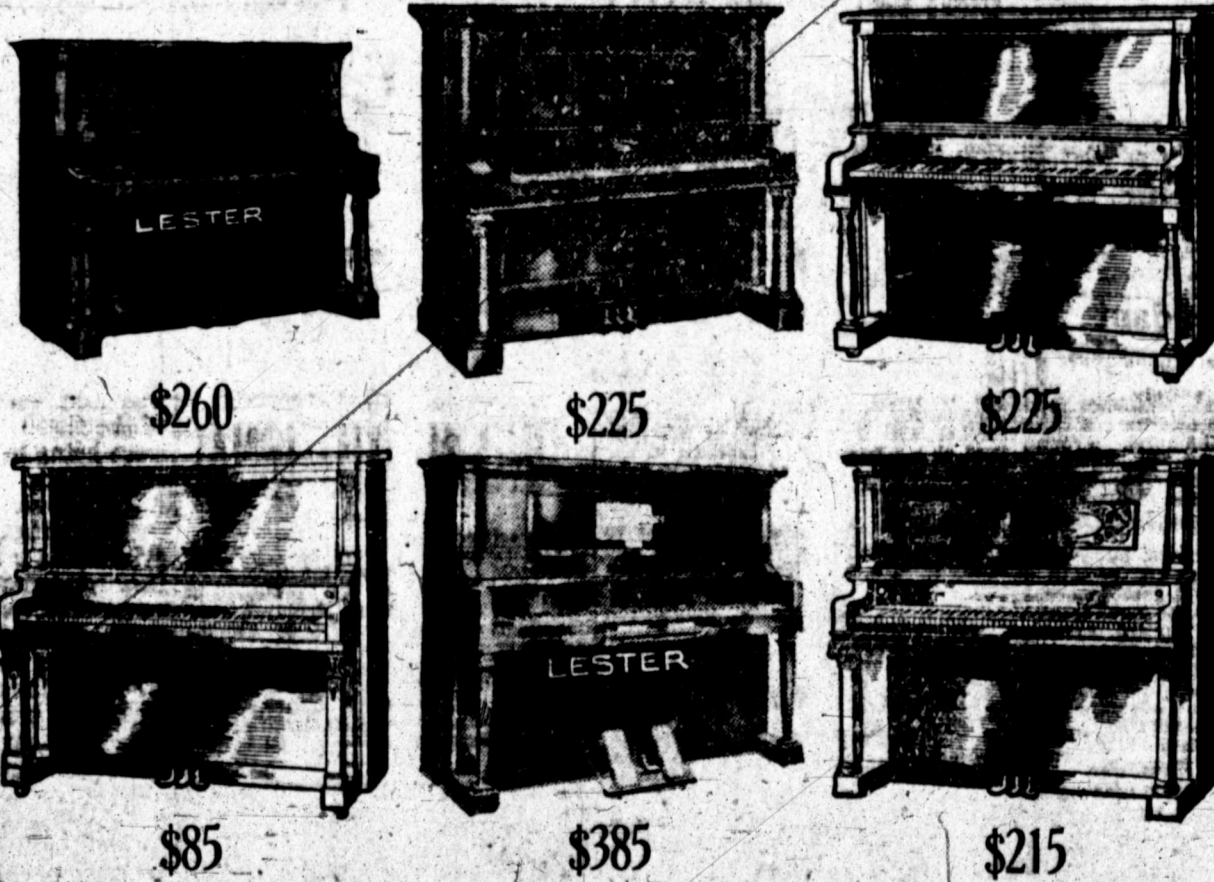
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CALL FOR NURSES AS WAR SERVICE IS ISSUED HERE

GENERAL HOSPITAL WILL TRAIN GIRLS TO REPLACE OTHERS.

As a part of the movement to supply more nurses for the army, through Red Cross registration week, June 3-10, Miss Lois Gates, superintendent of the Wichita General Hospital, has called for a number of girls from Wichita Falls and surrounding towns to enter training at the local hospital...

At present there are only eight student nurses at the Wichita General Hospital, and the demand for trained graduate nurses is greater than the local supply can fill, Miss Gates states.

Five local nurses have volunteered for service, four of them already having been called, and while the Wichita County Graduate Nurses Association is anxious to perform its patriotic duty and would be glad if it could contribute a large number of nurses to the army, yet it is the feeling that the people at home should have their health safeguarded and as there are not nearly enough nurses in the county at present it will be impossible for many more of the nurses to go without leaving a serious gap in the local ranks.

The regular hospital course for a graduate nurse's diploma requires three years of training, but after a few months' training the nurse becomes a valuable asset and it will not require long for a girl whose heart is in the work to become very efficient in the work to become very efficient in the present crisis.

Any information desired by girls desiring to take up nursing will be supplied at the Wichita General Hospital where is immediate need for at least five more students, and more can be served for. This week is Red Cross registration week for nurses, and the request is made that girls register between the dates of June 3 and 10, not only for service with the Red Cross in the army, but to begin their preliminary training.

Miss Rae Finley is the latest Wichita Falls graduate nurse to sign up for service with the army, and she is now awaiting orders. There are two from the local association in Base Hospital No. 1 at Fort Sam Houston, Mrs. Bentley formerly Miss Beatrice Chambers, and Miss Marie Gallagher; Miss Elmore resident at the post hospital, Fort Snelling, Minnesota, and Miss Anna Heidebach, who has been called but who has not yet reported her assignment.

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RECIPES.

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MISS BROTHERS' PIANO STUDENTS IN RECITAL

The piano students of Miss Lois Brothers were presented in recital at the home of Miss Brothers on Saturday afternoon. A number of friends and visitors enjoyed an excellent program, which included the following numbers:

- Duet, "The Grand March" (Streabog)—Lydia Kryzan, and Mary Elizabeth Donnell. Solo, "Favorite Waltz" (Biedermaan)—John Craig. Solo, "Step by Step" (Streabog)—Lula Grace Williams. Duet, "Military March" (Schuman)—Lydia Kryzan and Miss Lois Brothers.

A delightful social hour was enjoyed after the program with an ice course served late in the afternoon.

CADETS HOSTS AT DANCE AT LA PAVILION

The cadets at Call Field were hosts to a number of their friends in a delightful dance at the lake on Saturday evening. Katz orchestra furnished the music which kept the dancers on the floor until a late hour.

STUDENTS HOME FOR SUMMER VACATION

A number of Wichita Falls young people have returned to the city for the vacation months following the completion of this term work at several institutions of higher learning. Still others are expected to arrive later in the week. Among those already in the city are Miss Louise Montgomery, Adelle Addicks, Leila Belle Anderson and Sybil Keil, all from Ward Belmont, at Nashville, Tenn. Miss Montgomery being one of this year's graduating class. Miss Louise Freize, who has also been attending Ward Belmont, joined her mother in Kansas City at the end of the term and will return later in the summer. The C. I. A. students from Denton, part of whom will not arrive until later in the week include Misses Agnes and Louise Leichman, Lula Woods, Madeline Mackechny, Emma Carter, Marion Maer, Elizabeth Patterson and Mattie Ruth Corlett. Miss Lucille Tancroad has returned from Texas Womans College at Fort Worth where she received her B. A. degree last week, and Miss Ruby Moore is at home after spending the winter at Christian College, Columbia, Missouri. John Mackechny is at home after being graduated from Kemper

and C. J. Shumake, Frank Woods and E. D. Willis have returned from their school at Dallas, the first named having finished the course offered there.

SOCIETY PERSONALS.

Misses Agnes and Louise Leichman have returned from Denton where they have been attending school at C. I. A. and are entertaining a number of house guests, Misses Ruth and Ruby Gooch of Navasota, Texas, Mary and Julia Ogburn of Lindale, Willouise Lowe of Dallas, and Mary Halverson of Eurburnett. The hostesses are entertaining in honor of their guests at the lake this evening.

Mrs. J. T. Montgomery, Mrs. M. M. B. Darnell and Miss Louise Montgomery returned Sunday morning from Nashville, Tenn., where Miss Montgomery was graduated from Ward Belmont last week.

Lieutenants James Montgomery and James Adams flew over from Camp Barron, Fort Worth, on Saturday to spend the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Montgomery.

TEXAS AND PACIFIC PASSENGER DERAILED

DALLAS, TEX., June 3.—The Texas and Pacific Sunshine Special which left here at 4:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon was derailed near Hope, Arkansas, today, killing two trainmen, according to reports received at the local railroad office today.

RED CROSS PIG BRINGS \$97.94 AT AUCTION SATURDAY

Seventy-seven dollars and ninety-four cents was turned into the Junior Red Cross treasury as the result of the auction of the Red Cross hog, given by J. T. Baggett and family. R. E. Shepherd acted as auctioneer, the sale taking place at the corner of the First National Bank Saturday night. J. L. Art was the highest bidder, and immediately gave it back to the Red Cross. It will be sold again at a second auction which Mrs. C. R. Harstock, Junior chairman, is planning for the near future.

PRIMARIES BEING HELD IN IOWA TODAY

DES MOINES, IOWA, June 3.—Interest in today's primary in Iowa is confined principally to republican congressional contests and to that party's nominations for secretary of state, treasurer, superintendent of public instruction, and railroad commissioner.

William S. Kenyon, Fort Dodge, republican incumbent, and Charles R. Keys, Des Moines, democrat, are opposed for their party nominations to the United States senatorship, and the gubernatorial field presents only Governor W. L. Harding, republican, and Claude R. Porter, Centerville, democrat.

Saul's Removal Sale. MOVING TO THE CORNER SOON AS COMPLETED. 44c Tennis Slippers. 59c Men's Union Suits. Men's Kool Kloth Suits \$6.88. Men's \$2.00 and \$3.00 Straw Hats \$1.00. Men's Genuine Panama Hats \$2.49. A few Georgette Blouses left \$2.98. Saul's OUT OF THE HIGH RENT DISTRICT 617 1/2 INDIANA AVE.

Pretty White Summery Hats. Are being shown in Hemps, Milans, Tuscoms and Swiss Milans, all pretty white hats for mid-summer, trimmed in flowers and feathers. All wanted shapes and sizes—See display in side window tonight—\$5.75 to \$22.50. P.B.M.C. Buy a Thrift Stamp with every quarter you get.

Special Showing of Midsummer Millinery. Charming White Hats trimmed in flowers, novelty feathers, ornaments and ribbons—some combined with delicate colors or faced with pale tints—but many of them pure white from crown to brim. Sell at prices ranging \$7.50 to \$20.00. Sale of Silk Dresses. These new and dainty summer Silk Dresses are all of this season's styles. We have about 50 of these dresses that we put on Sale—every woman will need several of these dresses for her summer trip to the coast or mountains—these dresses are regularly priced at \$25.00 and \$30.00. At this Special Sale Price of \$18.50 and \$16.50—Sizes 16 to 44. All Tailored Suits at Half Price. Now is your grand opportunity to purchase your traveling suit at just 1/2 price—just think what a saving from \$10.00 to \$30.00 saved on each suit. Beautiful Blouses at \$5.95. These Blouses are all new, just received in Georgette, some embroidered, others beaded. Colonna TOGGERY SHOP.

Perkins-Timberlake Co. ASSOCIATED STORES. Choose from these Winsome Fabrics. No one need be an artist or designer to have the most attractive summer frocks. There's inspiration for many in the beautiful summer weaves we're now showing. Make them up simply—add dainty collar and cuffs, and top each off with a drooping brimmed hat of the same material. Can you imagine anything more delightful or less expensive. Printed Tissues, large Plaids, 32 inches, fast colors, Yellow, Rose, Pink, Lavender, Tan and other lovely colors, yard 50c. 32 inch Voile in white with mercerized plaids of Rose, Grey, Pink, Blue and Green, yd. \$1.00. Voiles 36 inches wide, woven plaids of Black, Green, Blue and Tan an excellent value, yard 75c. 36 inch Voile, pretty patterns, Copenhagen with stripe of Old Rose, yard \$1.00. White Georgette Voile, Mercerized finish, yard 50c. Beach Cloth in 36 inch width; colors of Green, Brown, Light Blue, Lavender and Pink, yard 39c. FANCY SILK—An unusual assortment—beautiful stripes and plaids, harmonious colorings, yard \$2.00, \$2.25, \$2.50 and \$3.00. Perkins-Timberlake Co. TELEPHONE 168 Perkins-Timberlake Co.

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LEI POTATOES FIGHT They Save Wheat. When you eat potatoes don't eat Bread. Includes an illustration of a potato and a loaf of bread.

Evidences multiply of the extension of German political and economic control throughout Russia, Rumania, Bulgaria, Finland and into Asia. Everywhere Germany is taking over supplies and assuming almost complete control of commerce and industry.

This is interesting insofar as it reveals Germany's plans after the war and as it shows what the smaller nations may expect after the war under German domination, if Germany should be victorious over the Western Allies, but it is a matter that ought not to concern the Allies at this time.

Our whole concern at this time should be the military defeat of Germany. Unless this is accomplished any plans for an economic boycott or any other measure after the war will be hopeless and idle, for if Germany wins she will impose her will upon the world.

If the Allies win, they can dictate terms to Germany that will effectively check her aspirations for the economic domination of the world except upon fair and equal terms.

This critical hour is not a time for idle talk and any thing that does not have for its aim the military defeat of Germany is useless at this time.

American Depots Not Captured Says Pershing

WASHINGTON, June 3.—General Pershing in a continuation of yesterday's communique denies the German official statement that Franco-American depots at Fere-en-Tardenois have been captured. No American depots were located there he declares.

REVENUE AGENTS REPORT FRAUDULENT PRACTICES

WASHINGTON, June 3.—Criminal and other returns of a number of corporations and big business concerns has been reported by revenue agents and grand jury investigations are under way in New England, New York and several Western communities.

PICTURE SHOWS FORM TO LAW

WASHINGTON, June 3.—Under an agreement between the department of justice and the defendants the supreme court today dismissed appeals from federal court decrees enjoining the so-called moving picture trust from conspiring to monopolize interstate trade in films and cameras. The organization, it is understood will reorganize in conformance with the court orders.

AVIATION STUDENT KILLED AT FORT WORTH

FORT WORTH, TEX., June 3.—Harry J. Webster, student flyer from Grand Rapids, Mich., was buried to death in mid-air this morning as his plane caught fire after a collision.

The other plane was piloted by Robert Cox of Terre Haute, Ind. Cox was not injured much. The two machines crashed together several times about 200 feet in the air. At the time, the cadets were flying two miles from the airframes.

35,000 TEXTILE MILL WORKERS GO OUT ON A STRIKE

NEW BEDFORD, MASS., June 3.—The textile mills of this city employing 35,000 operatives, were shut down today in consequence of a general strike called by the members of the Council last night. One third of the operations have been engaged on government contracts.

500,000 SHOPMEN SEE MORE PAY THAN AWARDED

WASHINGTON, June 3.—Representatives of 500,000 shop employees of the different railroads, asked the railroad administration not to put into effect the new wage scale without upward revision for their crafts, saying great dissatisfaction would be created, and intimating that it might be impossible to avoid many strikes.

Appearing before the board of railroad wages and working conditions at its first hearing, spokesmen for the six shop trades, declared they had found it difficult to work out a wage scale on the basis of the director general's order and that extreme dissatisfaction existed among all men who had read it. They urged speedy action to revise the scale in order to prevent employees from going to ship yards within the next week or two.

AUSTRIAN PARTY DECIDES AGAINST STRIKES NOW

AMSTERDAM, June 3.—The Austrian social democrats, according to the Socialists Arbeiter Zeitung of Vienna, have decided that the time is inopportune for strikes and at a conference decided to urge the workers against strikes and an over-rating of their strength. The conference warned against rash acts which would lead to disaster and "deprive labor of power in the future."

LOCAL BREVITIES

Five negroes who participated in a Sunday afternoon disturbance in the negro section were among the defendants in city police court this morning. Two were fined \$5 for affray, another fined \$25 for "rudely displaying a pistol" and a fourth fined \$1 for disturbing the peace. The fifth is being held for the exemption board's investigation. One vag was given a \$10 fine.

The city equalization board is sitting today to hear complaints of property owners whose city valuations have been increased for the coming year.

Jim Warren went on trial this afternoon in county court on charges of carrying a deadly weapon.

Deeds Filed for Record. W. L. Beatty and wife to M. D. Walker, lots 1 and 2, block 27, Floral Heights addition to the city of Wichita Falls.

Marriage Licenses. Will Austin and Clara Mae McClure, Electra. E. Cuellar and Cruz Lopez.

The condition of C. E. Anderson, who lost three fingers and one foot as the result of an accident that occurred in the Burk Burnett shallow fields on Friday, is reported unchanged. Mr. Anderson came to Wichita Falls from Austin.

WHISKEY SEIZED IN RAID HERE SUNDAY Between three and four hundred gallons of whiskey was seized Sunday afternoon by city, county and federal officers, at a residence on Indiana avenue. No arrests have been made as yet but a federal investigation will be held, it is announced.

WHO CAN ATTEND ROAD MEETING AT MIAMI? All good roads enthusiasts who intend to make the trip to Miami with Wichita Falls Boosters to attend the meeting of the Ozark Trails Highway association are asked to notify N. O. Monroe, chairman of the delegation, at least later than Tuesday evening. The party will leave Wichita Falls at five o'clock Wednesday morning for Miami.

Why not eat some Corn Grits

and we still have some Life O'wheat that we believe would taste good to you.

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CASUALTIES

By Associated Press WASHINGTON, June 3.—The army casualty list today contained thirty-six names, divided as follows: Killed in action 4. Died of wounds 3. Died of disease 2. Wounded in action 3. Wounded severely 16. Wounded slightly 1.

Killed in Action. Lieutenant Harry F. W. Johnson, South Bethlehem, Pa.; Sergeant Edward N. Ripley, Malden, Mass.; Privates Raymond J. Burns, Cambridge, Mass.; Benjamin F. Lair, New York City.

Died of Wounds. Privates Eugene Hudson, Perry, Okla.; Arthur McCullough, Anamosa, Iowa; Elbert Stone, Ida Grove, Iowa.

Privates Albert A. Pratt, Santa Barbara, Calif.; Robert Sprinker, Coffeyville, Kans.

Died of Disease. Privates Edward Anderson, Deep River, Conn.; Walter M. Bailey, Wilkingsburg, Pa.; Cornelius Frommeyer, Pittsburgh, Pa.; John Kastner, Chicago, Ill.; Henry Kruger, Spokane, Wash.; Leslie Robert Lee, Chicago; Robert G. Martin, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Wounded Degrees Undetermined. Lieutenant George McCabe, Vicksburg, Miss.; Privates Grace B. Beemer, Vincennes, Ind.; Wasly Nuedekov, Hartford, Conn.

Wounded Severely. Lieutenant William Heppburn, Windsor, Conn.; Corporals Francis D. Bodewig, Cedar Rapids, Neb.; August F. Miller, Seymour, Conn.; Charlie T. Morrow, Douglas, Ala.; Cook Charles Court, New Haven, Conn.; Privates Oscar J. Carter, Arton, Ala.; John P. Claverie, San Diego, Calif.; Hubert S. Coom, Briggsville, Wis.; George E. Hart, Wallingford, Pa.; John H. McDonald, Wellington, Mass.; Sam Mowinski, Michigan City, Ind.; Oliver North, Indianapolis, Ind.; Clarence Pinson, Zepulon, Ky.; William B. Ramsey, Dunbar, Wis.; Harry S. Staley, Grayville, Ill.; Anton Trojanski, Dwyerville, Tex.

Slightly Wounded. Private Frank Kurzynski, Ropon, Wis. Killed in action, previously reported wounded: Private Teodor Beniewicz, Webster, Mass.

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but the Allies still retain the southern portion. The French counter attacked along the whole front between the Ourcq and the Marne and made progress at several points.

The statement follows: "Our troops obtained their counter attacks during the night along the whole front between the Ourcq and the Marne and gained ground at several places. A violent German attack delivered on both sides of the road between Haute Thiery and Paris was broken up by the French fire southeast of Bourches. Everywhere the French maintained their positions.

The losses suffered by the enemy in these actions were heavy. The French took hundreds of prisoners.

GERMAN CONTROL IS PUSHING INTO ASIA LONDON, June 3.—The Germans steadily are pushing the tentacles of their economic control far into Central Asia where they are buying up available crops including cotton, says the Daily Chronicle. The foundation of these developments is in the German control of Rumania and the Ukraine.

"Control of the Rumanian and Ukrainian harvests would provide Germany, not only in this, but in any future war with a complete solution of her food problem," the Chronicle adds. "She would also, thanks to her unlimited access to Central Asia, have little further trouble with any but tropical raw materials.

"Her eastern policy can only be undone adequately by the Allies after they achieve victory, but more attempts ought to be made now to frustrate present developments."

FEDERAL COURTS HAVE NO JURISDICTION WASHINGTON, June 3.—Federal courts have no jurisdiction over the selective draft boards, the supreme court in effect decided today in denying mandamus proceedings to have an order of a local board in Milwaukee, Wis., reviewed.

Conditions Are Improving Over Bank District

DALLAS, June 3.—Improved conditions during the last month were reported from practically all of the agricultural sections of the eleventh federal reserve district, according to the monthly summary of conditions issued by the Federal Reserve bank of Dallas today. There also were improved reports from the cattle country, where conditions have been bad for months, and an unusually heavy retail trade especially in summer merchandise.

The large over subscription to the Red Cross campaign, the report stated, testified to the patriotism of the people of the district. Manufacturing enterprises report that previous capacities are being maintained and factories are restricted only through the inability to secure sufficient labor. Wholesale trade was satisfactory considering uncertain conditions prevailing. Business in seasonal lines such as farm implements, seeds and harvesting supplies

Woman Lonesome For Baby Took Another's Child

CHICAGO, June 3.—Baby Jennie Slobbin, three years old who disappeared from her home last Wednesday, is back today and Mrs. Irene Bordell, 19 years old, who told the police she stole the child because she was lonesome for a baby to replace her own that died six months ago, is in jail. Mrs. Bordell, who lives with her husband, a machinist, was arrested yesterday while she was on the way to return the child to her parents.

ANNOUNCES CHANGE OF DATE FOR RECITAL

Mrs. Kathleen Stonschiper announced to Friday afternoon at 7:30, announced to be given by her piano students at the Harrison-Everson Hall on Tuesday afternoon. She has been changed to Friday afternoon at four o'clock at the same place. All friends and patrons are cordially invited to attend the program.

FIFTH VICTIM GASOLINE EXPLOSION IS DEAD

OKMULGEE, OKLA., June 3.—Eazel Smiley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Smiley, the fifth victim of the gasoline explosion here yesterday, died late last night.

Ten Per Cent Saved

If your gas bill is paid promptly you get a discount of 10 per cent so it is to your interest to pay up early and get the premium. Bills paid after the 10th will not be discounted.

When mailing check, detach stub and send with your check.

If you have not already done so, you should arrange for your meter promptly.

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How many times in your shopping have you passed up a so called bargain and paid a little more to be sure of real quality, saying to yourself as you did so "I am sure it is worth the difference."

Ice is merchandise, and like all goods there are various kinds of ice. Some is of the best quality and some is what the manufacturers call "seconds."

Most of the bargains in ice, as well as in other things you buy, are "seconds." They look all right and the price is temptingly low, but the Quality is missing.

Bargain ice, if you will observe it carefully, is not PURE ice. It is not made of distilled water.

It has soft, white mushy places in it. Due to the fact that it has been improperly frozen. It is like a silver nickle with soft lead places in it. It is not genuine ice all the way through. Those mushy places denote the presence of a harmful, unhealthy foreign substance.

It doesn't last as long as pure ice, naturally, for it is not frozen hard and solid. It doesn't generate as much chill and it melts quickly.

Bargain ice is the most expensive ice you can use.

It is worth the difference to use quality ice. Ice that is properly frozen and free from impurities.

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AMERICA PREPARED TO MEET U-BOATS

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front on this side of the Atlantic has not been overlooked and it is said there are adequate forces in home waters to meet them.

The torpedoing of ships off Barnegat followed by the reports of more destructions off Nantucket Shoals, nearly 200 miles to the east was taken as indicative that the hostile submarines were operating in number and that the plan of the German admiralty was to concentrate the U-boats in a practical blockade of the principal ports of embarkation being used for American transports.

Recent reports of German submarines on this side of the Atlantic have been closely examined by the navy department during the last week. Reports of one German submarine near the Virginia capes were current in Hampton Roads Saturday night. It was said navy flying boats, submarine chasers and other anti-submarine craft in that district immediately went to sea in search of the raiders.

The master of a British vessel arriving at Norfolk on May 27 reported having fired some shots at a submarine about 150 miles off Cape Henry. Other incoming ships at all ports for the last few days also have brought reports of sighting submarines.

"He stated that he saw distinctly one other submarine besides the one which attacked him, the other submarine being in the near vicinity submerged with her periscope showing."

If the German admiralty expects the American ports unprotected because a great force of American destroyers has been concentrated in the war zone around the British Isles, it will be mistaken, naval officers say. While the anti-submarine craft in the war zone in the war are in large numbers the protection of the steamer lane.

German Agents Busy. It is believed that the widespread rumors of German submarines near the American coast, prevalent for three weeks, were the work of German sympathizers or spies who had advance notice of the raid and spread the reports to demoralize shipping and possibly to retard transport service.

There are indications that the navy department has been watching closely reports of the appearance of enemy U-boats in unexpected places. It is apparent that the possibility of the arrival of the craft off American ports was foreseen. It was apparent however, that the information now available was not sufficient to show whether a U-boat base had been established on this side or that cruisers of perhaps 2,000 tons displacements were being used.

Some officers believe that a base has been established possibly on a desolate island to the south or in a hidden bay. Others are convinced that the submarines are working out of German bases.

Theories Upheld. Those officials and others who have been maintaining that bases had been established in the Mexican gulf or in the West Indies declared today's raid fully demonstrated their theory. This theory was that the submarines that participated in yesterday's attack were on their way to the base in the south, having for their immediate objective the long lines of oil tankers carrying fuel oil to the Allied navies from the Tampico district of Mexico and taking the opportunity to raid shipping while on their way.

These officers noted that the submarines carefully preserved their depthes for larger and more important quarry and destroyers. They also noted that the submarines were not firing on American ships by bombs or with shell fire. Those who held this theory, said they expected that the submarines had reached the southern coast, blending their fuel tanks with the clouds and again turn northward and after having made another raid return again for fuel. How long this can be kept up, they said, depends entirely on the effectiveness of the search which American anti-submarine craft conduct.

Cruiser Theory. The transport President Lincoln was torpedoed so far as sea that the incident suggested the presence of cruiser submarines in which case efforts to check the movement of American troops at the source on this side seem to be expected.

The navy department has heard rumors for months of great new German U-boats, so large that they could operate efficiently even across the Atlantic and without refueling places on this side but no definite confirmation has ever been received.

Extensive provisions against possible submarine operations on this side have characterized the navy's war efforts from the start. The 110 foot submarine chasers were really built for the protection of shipping on the American coast. Sent abroad as an experiment when the German U-boat strategy confined operations to the North Sea and the British and French fleets they proved so useful that the type is being copied here for the French government.

While many chasers and converted yachts taken over by the navy are at work overseas the bulk of the vessels of the anti-submarine service probably are still in American waters and a very great number are available for use along the coast. In addition many other types of ships are engaged in coast patrol. Other types of larger warships also are in home waters.

Confidence, Felt. Navy officials said along have expressed confidence that they would be able to cope with such German U-boats as might reach the Atlantic coast. Many navy officers have considered it highly improbable that Germany

could put more than a few raiders into such service. To maintain a definite patrol off the whole American coast would require an impossible number of submarines in constant operation, they say no matter how big they might be.

Long ago the navy established patrol districts along the coast for the semi-rigid type of dirigible balloon known as "blimps" which have been successful along the English coast line. The first of these was produced in record time by American manufacturers and the navy's needs can be met with little delay. In addition the navy has had constantly priority in the use of Liberty motors and has produced the shipped abroad a considerable number of high powered, heavily armed flying boats used chiefly for submarine hunting. A large number of these aircraft of the latest design are available now as additional coastal protection.

SYMPATHY FOR CAUSE OF ALLIES GROWS IN RUSSIA

MOSCOW, June 3.—The movement in Russia in favor of the cause of the Allies is increasing and has been strengthened by President Wilson's recent declaration of sympathy for Russia says a Petrograd dispatch to the Daily Express. The Russian democracy also is enthusiastic over recent steps taken by the British government to show its friendship.

The Novopodmoski in a long article, defends the policy of the Allies and expresses gratitude for President Wilson's friendly utterances.

BOLSHEVIK MINISTER DENOUNCES KRESNOFF

MOSCOW, Wednesday, May 29.—The Chinese government has informed Foreign Minister Tchitcherin that it regrets it is unable to admit Russian consuls in China because the soviet government has not been recognized by China. The Chinese legation here has been instructed not to discuss diplomatic relations with the Russian soviet but to confine itself to business affairs.

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Notice to Knights and Ladies of Security. The big drive is still on. We have 30 days to complete our campaign for 1000 members in Wichita Council No. 2351, Knights and Ladies of Security.

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today to all outgoing vessels. Rumors were current that a U-boat was sighted off the cape today.

By Associated Press PHILADELPHIA, June 3.—Orders were issued here at 10 a. m. today to prevent any vessels from leaving the port of Philadelphia. The restriction is effective until further notice.

Orders issued by the navy department to close the port here to all sailings after being in effect several hours were cancelled this afternoon.

By Associated Press NEW YORK, June 3.—A wireless message saying the American schooner Ella M. Willey had been "sunk by gunfire" off Block Island was picked up by an American steamship which arrived here today from Porto Rico.

By Associated Press CHATHAM, MASS., June 3.—A report is current on the cape that the ship has been torpedoed off Nantucket Shoals. No official confirmation of the report is obtainable.

Narragansett Bay was closed to outgoing vessels today. The report of the commandant of the naval station at Newport.

PORT OF BOSTON ORDERED CLOSED AT NOON TODAY

By Associated Press BOSTON, June 3.—The port of Boston was closed at noon today. Narragansett Bay had been closed earlier, and every precaution against the appearance of German U-boats on the New England coast was taken.

It was stated at the office of the commandant of the first naval district today that there was no truth in a report that a vessel had been sunk by submarines off Nantucket Shoals. The office investigated thoroughly the report that a transport had been torpedoed.

PORT OF HAVANA CLOSED BY AUTHORITIES

By Associated Press HAVANA, June 3.—Passengers on an incoming ship from Cuba today said that the Cuban government presumably in fear of submarines had kept the port Havana closed to all outgoing vessels from May 25 to May 25.

NEW YORK, June 3.—Two more American vessels, the Hattie and the Samuel W. Hathaway, have been sunk by German submarines.

Details of the additional sinkings had not been received early this afternoon but the report was that they had fallen virtually to the same enemy working off the New England coast.

By Associated Press NEW YORK, June 3.—A rumor has reached the office of the third naval district here that a sailing was being off the coast has been captured by a United States warship. It is said that the U-boat is being towed to the port. There is no confirmation of the rumor as yet.

By Associated Press ATLANTIC PORT, June 3.—A British steamship which came into port at full speed today reported having picked up wireless appeals for help from two American tank steamers which were being attacked off the New Jersey coast. Both tankers reported they were sinking.

By Associated Press BOSTON, June 3.—Naval authorities announced at 3 o'clock this afternoon that no American vessels had been sunk off the New England coast.

By Associated Press NEW YORK, June 3.—The A. M. Bell Steamship Company, agents here for the schooner Jacob M. Haskell, one of the victims of submarines, fear the crew of eleven has been lost. The schooner was bound from New York to Portland, Me., and was probably in the vicinity of the Edward H. Cole officials say. Nothing has been heard from the crew.

PERSONALS

Miss Kate Eubank left this morning for Denton, Texas, where she will enter C. L. A. for the summer term. At the end of the term she will enter Texas Woman's College at Fort Worth in order to be with her mother who will make her home in Fort Worth after spending the summer in Electric.

R. M. Vaughan, secretary of the Wichita Falls Mutual Aid organization, announces that calls forty-three, forty-four and forty-five have been issued this month. 18-31C

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Market Report

Cotton Market

By Associated Press NEW YORK, June 3.—The cotton market was nervous and unsettled this morning. The opening was irregular. July being 3 points higher while late months showed declines of 1 to 21 points owing to the fine weather in the south, favorable private condition figures, reports of further restrictions on Lancashire mills and unsatisfactory labor conditions in New England. July was influenced by the relative firmness of near months in Liverpool and there was some Liverpool buying of that delivery against sales of new crops. After selling at 24.84 early, however, July broke to 24.48 on one point net lower, while October sold off to 23.03 or 15 points under Saturday's close. Two private crop reports were published, one placing the condition at 81 and the other at 81.2 with the latter showing an increase of 4.2 per cent in acreage.

Fluctuations were extremely nervous and irregular but the volume of business was comparatively small and the markets showed a tendency to steady until late in the morning when reports of submarines operating off the Atlantic coast caused renewed feverishness. July broke from 24.90, the high point of the morning, to 24.51, or within two points Saturday's market while October sold off to 23.00, or 20 points net lower.

Liverpool Cotton. LIVERPOOL, June 3.—Cotton spot in fair demand; prices firm. Good middling 21; fair middling 21.50; good ordinary 20.01; ordinary 19.49. Sales 2,000 including 1700 American. Receipts 16,000 including 11,800 American. Futures closed irregular. New contracts June 21.66; July 20.66; August 19.65; September 18.87; October 18.42. Old contracts fixed prices July 20.49; June July 20.41.

Kansas City Cash Grain. KANSAS CITY, June 3.—Corn No. 2 mixed \$1.50@1.52. New white 1.50 @ 1.52. No. 2 white mixed 71. No. 2 mixed 70.4.

\$400,000 In War Stamps Yet To Be Sold In County

Sale of Thrift and War Savings Stamps through the Wichita Falls postoffice during May amounted to \$11,973.20, this representing sales in Wichita Falls, Iowa Park and Burkburnett, the two latter third class postoffices which are supplied by the local office. The Electra postoffice sales report has not yet been received here, but has E. Shepherd, the county campaign manager, received reports from the branch and sales stations of the stamps sold outside the postoffice. He estimates the total for May at about \$25,000.

There remains about \$400,000 worth of stamps to be sold before Wichita Falls makes up its quota, approximately \$72,000 being sold already. Mr. Shepherd states, "A forceful drive to get signed up pledges for the remainder of the year from citizens of Wichita county, insuring that the full amount of stamps be taken, is planned."

The carpenters, who are giving their labor as a patriotic offering, were not able to begin their work on the War Savings Bank today as scheduled. The bank will be built as soon as is convenient, however. Mr. Shepherd states, and there some definite program of campaign will be mapped out.

CIVIC LEAGUE TO DISCUSS NEW POLITICAL DUTIES

Political matters concerning the first voting day of the women of Wichita Falls will be discussed at the regular monthly meeting of the Civic League to be held Tuesday, June 4, at the Chamber of Commerce at four o'clock.

Corn Market

By Associated Press CHICAGO, June 3.—Excellent crop prospects had a bearish effect today on the corn market. Illinois crops in prospect were said to be ten days ahead of the average at this time of the year. Enlarged receipts and favorable weather tended also to weaken prices. Opening figures which ranged from 1/4 decline to 1/2 cent advance with June 1.31 and July 1.33 1/4 to 1.33 1/2 were followed by a material setback all around.

Oats sympathized with the bearish action of corn. Trade was largely local. After opening 1/4 to 1/2 1/4 lower with July 65 1/4 to 65 1/2, the market underwent a moderate additional sag. Provisions rose as a result of the bullish aspect of the monthly figures on warehouse stocks. A bulge in hog market was also a strengthening factor.

Sinking of vessels off the Atlantic coast led subsequently to a sharp break in prices. A rush of selling carried the market the lowest level yet this season. The close was nervous, 1/4 to 1/2 down with June 1.28 1/2 and July 1.31 1/4 to 1.31 1/2.

Chicago Produce. CHICAGO, June 3.—Butter steady, creamery 34@41. Eggs higher; receipts 16,240 cases; firsts 29@30 1/2; ordinary firsts 26 @ 29; at market cases included 29@30. Potatoes lower; receipts 40 cars; Wisconsin, Michigan and Minnesota 9@10; do sacks 11@11.50. Poultry, alive, higher; fowls 27 1/2.

New York Stocks. NEW YORK, June 3.—The many substantial advances registered at the opening of today's stock market were accepted as an expression of confidence in latest war developments. Gains among steels and related industries ranged from 1 to 2 points, while Baldwin Locomotive led the equipment market rising 3/4 points in the first few minutes. Marines were extremely erratic, the preferred advancing almost 2 points then reacting three points. Union Pacific and Reading were among the firm and strong rails. Sumatra Tobacco, Mexican Petroleum and Ohio Gas featured the specialties at material gains. Liberty Bonds were heavy.

Shippings were especially heavy and rails also yielded five. Balles of the last hour carried some industrials and specialties back to the high levels of the morning. The closing was strong. Liberty 3 1/2's sold at 93.70 to 93.82; first four at 93.50 to 93.70; second 4's at 93.30 to 94.94 and 4 1/2's at 93.84 to 96.40.

Livestock. FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK. FORT WORTH, TEX., June 3.—Cattle receipts 6,000; steady. Beaves \$8.00@16.00; stockers \$7.00@10.50; heifers \$7.00@14.00; cows \$5.75@10.00; bulls \$7.00@9.25; calves \$7.50 @13.00. Hogs receipts 2,000; 10 to 15 high.

er. Heavy \$16.00@16.70; light \$16.50 @16.70; medium \$18.25@16.50; mixed \$15.75@16.25; common \$15.00@15.75; pigs \$9.00@15.75. Sheep receipts 3,000; steady. Lambs \$15.00@17.00; yearlings \$14.00@15.00; wethers \$13.50@15.00; ewes \$11.00@12.50; culls \$6.50@8.00; goats \$6.00@8.00. Chicago Livestock. CHICAGO, June 3.—Hogs receipts 18,000 mostly 20 to 25 cents higher. Heavy \$14.00@16.00; light \$16.00@16.50; heavy packing \$16.00@16.35; rough heavy \$15.50@15.85; bulk \$16.50 @16.70; pigs \$16.25@17.00. Cattle receipts 15,000; beef steers steady to strong on good cattle of any weight, others steady. Sheep receipts 13,000; weak. Western lambs early sales steady, bidding 10 to 25 lower. Kansas City Livestock. KANSAS CITY, June 3.—Hogs receipts 9,000; strong to 10 higher. Bulk \$16.30@16.45; heavy \$16.35@16.50; light \$16.25@16.45; pigs \$15.50@16.50. Cattle receipts 11,000; strong to 19 higher. Prime fed steers \$16.75@17.25; dressed beef steers \$13.00@17.50; southern steers \$9.00@15.75; cows \$7.50@13.00; heifers \$9.00@13.00.

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BROWN MEETINGS COME TO CLOSE SUNDAY NIGHT

OVER 500 RESPONDED TO INVITATIONS DURING FOUR WEEKS MEETING HELD.

After having been in progress for the past four weeks, the Brown revival meetings came to a close Sunday night when Evangelist John Brown preached his final sermon on the subject of "Sowing and Reaping." Three services were held Sunday morning, afternoon and night, and at the night service there were 30 who responded to the closing invitation. All together about 500 cards have been signed in response to the various invitations of the evangelist, but the number of actual accessions to the various churches of the city will not be determined for some days, as the pastors will be given the cards signed for the respective churches.

Liberal Offering Made.
At the morning service a free will offering amounting to more than \$31.00 was taken for the evangelistic party. Mr. Brown and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Snider were in charge of this offering, which was quickly raised.

A special mid week meeting at all of the churches was announced for Wednesday, June 5. Evangelist Brown asking that all church members attend the prayer meeting service and continue the revival spirit, though the services were over.

The tabernacle at the corner of Lamar and Eighth, where the meetings have been held, will be torn down, being erected by the Presbyterian and Methodist (South) churches, who were holding the joint revival. It is the purpose of the Chattanooga committee to rent the seats and raise a tent over the lot to hold the Chattanooga program next week commencing June 14. The evangelistic party left Wichita Falls early this morning. Mr. Brown went to his home in Siloam Springs, Ark., for a short visit, and the Stovers will have a short stay in Missouri before beginning their next series of meetings, which will be held in Oklahoma. It is understood.

RAMSEY GOES TO THE AMARILLO NEWS

S. M. Ramsey, news editor of The Times since early last fall, left this morning for Amarillo where he has accepted a position as managing editor of the Amarillo News. His family accompanied him. Ramsey made friends of all his fellow workers on The Times and all others with whom he came in contact, whose good wishes go with him to his new position. Mr. Ramsey is not a new man with the Amarillo News, having been with that paper before coming to The Times. It is significant of his ability as a newspaper man that he was to return. It may be added that The Times did not want to see him leave its employ.

Dentists Will Close On Saturdays.
We, the ethical Dentists of Wichita Falls, will close our offices on Saturdays at 1 o'clock, beginning June 1st, and continuing until Oct. 1st, 1918.

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KURKLEFUR BILL STRONG AS HORSE RADISH FOR U. S.

SELECTED MAN AT CAMP TRAVIS SAYS HAS YET TO FIND DISSATISFIED MAN.

"I have yet to see the first man dissatisfied with his present duties," writes Privates L. F. Swanson, formerly of Wichita Falls, now in Camp Travis, in regard to the life in camp. His communication says: "Some people would naturally have to talk if they had to talk of their best friends. Such people I often met before entering the service. I sometimes was made to think I would meet boys in camp mourning for the privileges of civilian life. I have yet to meet the first man who seems dissatisfied with his present duties." "I was told how my hands would itch to strike my commander, though I have wondered why the strikes were not coming the other way, judging from the way some boys sleep when attention is commanded.

"We are learning to put some pep into drill now. We need no command for pep now. We always find something different to eat every time we go to the table and it's a safe bet it's clean. I am sure there are some good housekeepers among the readers of the paper, but if they will take a peep at our mess hall they will understand what sanitary means. Mr. Fly goes to town for lunch. When he wishes to honor our mess hall with a visit, he is given a chance to start his motor, then swatted on the wing. His bones are never smashed on our tables.

"One of our requirements is to economize by saving food. Just yesterday one of the boys asked for a bun. Now, the man across the table had over-estimated his appetite by half a bun. This half was saved and needed to complete his neighbor's square. He offered the half of bun and course was accepted. In this way a bun was saved. By this method is to scrub along the walks and later whitewashed. A bunch of crapshooters are rewarded by one week R. P. I. e. kitchen police. Their duty is to scrub table tops, mop floors, swat flies and do anything the cook may demand.

"We are kept busy at all times. The intermissions between drills are filled in with manuring, shaving or bath. Now if you don't think we are treated white, pay us a visit. It will convince you and you can tell your friends that Kurklefur Bill, of 35th Co., 165 D. B., is as strong as a horse radish for Uncle Sam.

BOLSHEVİK OFFICIAL HANGED BY COSSACKS
By Associated Press
LONDON, June 2.—The president of the Bolshevik commissioners in the Don Cossack territory has been hanged by anti-soviet Cossacks, according to a Reuters dispatch from Moscow. He was chief of the Cossack movement against General Kaledine.

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YOUNG MEN OF 21 MUST REGISTER NEXT WEDNESDAY

REGISTRATION WILL TAKE PLACE AT FOUR POINTS IN WICHITA COUNTY.

Wednesday, June 5, is the day set for registration of young men who have reached their 21st birthday since June 5, 1917, and the local exemption board desires to impress upon all young men in this class the necessity of their registering on this day. Four registration places will be open in the county. Young men of Wichita Falls and community will register in the office of the local board, fifth floor of the Kemp and Kell Building, with Clint Wood and Dr. Bass, members of the board, in charge. George Thornburn, the other member of the board, will go to Electra to be in charge of registration at that place, and Tom Corridon will conduct the registration at Iowa Park. Officials of the First National Bank in Burk Burnett will be in charge of the registration for Burk Burnett and community.

All young men eligible for registration should present themselves at the places designated as early as possible on Wednesday morning. The offices will be open from 7 a. m. to 9 p. m. Those who are to be away from home on that date should make arrangements for registration as was done last year on the occasion of the first registration, for this is just as serious a business as the first registration. The provost marshal, General Crowder, announces: "Any one failing to register will be liable of prosecution. As to the numbers that will be given on the registration or the order of the eligibility for immediate call no information has yet been received by the local board. Full information is expected soon however, and as soon as received it will be given full publicity.

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VERNON MAN WILL ENTER RACE FOR STATE LEGISLATURE

J. D. Parnell, for the past several years secretary of the Young Men's Business League at Vernon, has been given a leave of absence to make the race for representative from the 101st district in the State Legislature. A formal announcement of Mr. Parnell's candidacy will be forthcoming within a few days.

Mr. Parnell, it is said, has the solid backing of the business men of Vernon, and they are asking the support of the people of Wichita Falls. Mr. Parnell is one of the most active and most successful commercial secretaries in Texas and the remarkable spirit of co-operation and the community achievements at Vernon are due in no small measure to him. His candidacy will be received with favor here.

STATE COMMITTEE TO MEET IN WACO

WACO, TEX., June 2.—V. L. Shurtliff, chairman of the State Democratic Executive Committee, has issued a call for a meeting of the committee to be held in Waco, June 10. It is stated that the committee will arrange for the printing of tickets and will select a place for the next meeting of the democratic state convention. Reports that an effort will be made at this meeting to keep the name of J. E. Ferguson off the ticket have not been verified. The call merely states that the meeting is for the purpose of "performing the duties described by the law."

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At the Theatres

BIG VITAGRAPH SERIAL BEGINS AT GEM TODAY

A remarkable illustration of the recklessness in the matter of expense and personal risk, which motion picture makers today display is provided in "Vengeance and the Woman," a fifteen episode serial which will start at the Gem theatre on today.

Manager Pola, of the Gem, has received some statistics from the Great Vitagraph Company, producers of "Vengeance and the Woman," which are startling when compared to legitimate stage products. For instance: The play is in fifteen acts of thirty minutes each, which no stage producer ever attempted.

In the progress of the story more than 1,000 persons are employed—something unheard of on the legitimate stage, because no stage would hold that many people.

The great outdoor mountain play, "The Desert," as nature made it, is the scene of action. The stage would have to rely on canvas and paint for the effect.

A mountain is blown to bits by dynamite. Three charges reduce the monster to dust and debris. Obviously impossible on a stage.

The production cost hundreds of thousands of dollars—an amount almost equal to the cost of fifty plays offered on the legitimate stage in a season.

It is estimated that the serial during a period of fifteen weeks, will be instrumental in netting the government, through the war admission tax, more than \$1,000,000. A "legitimate" play to do this would have to show to 100 million persons at \$1 each.

To Whom It May Concern:—Those who owe me either notes or account, are notified that they have been turned over to L. P. Webb to whom payment should be made. Mr. Webb is authorized to receipt for same. Dr. E. L. Miller. 17-31c

NOTICE—The Missouri Iron and Steel Company formerly managed by Mr. Sam Hilt who has been called to the colors, will, in the future, have its office at 504 12th St. and will be managed by George W. Ray, who will be glad to meet all old customers of the above concern. Phone No. 1874.

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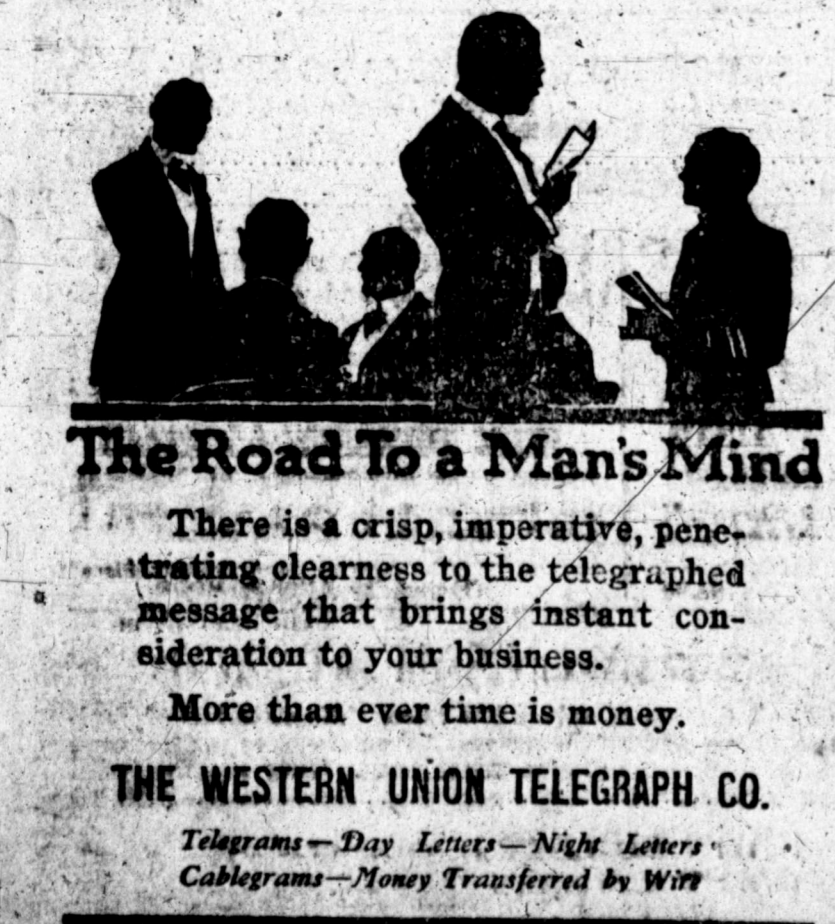
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NICE ROOMS at the Americana Hotel. 8-4tc

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WANTED—2 elevator boys, white at Westland Hotel. 18-3tc

HELP WANTED—Female

WANTED—Competent experienced help. Apply Post's Laundry. 301-1tc

WANTED—Woman for housework and cooking. 1409 10th St. Phone 150. 16-1tc

WANTED—Young woman to care for baby. 812 Lamar. Phone 606. 14-1tc

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WANTED—Good white woman for general housekeeping. 213 Bluff. Phone 2135. 16-6tc

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BUNGALOW, nice five room modern sleeping porch, close to school and car line on 14th street; this place will sell this week because it is priced right, terms. Roy R. Nanny. Phone 635. 17-3tp

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A REAL BARGAIN in a two story brick home on 100 foot corner lot at a price that will astonish the most exacting buyer. Phone 477. Knight & Crawford. 17-3tc

BUNGALOW, practically new, nice sleeping porch, close to Austin school, will trade in on desirable lot in Floral Heights and take difference back against property. Roy R. Nanny. Phone 635 or 2117. 17-3tp

\$3700.00 BUYS a good five room modern house on 10th st. This place is situated in the 1900 block and is a good buy at this price. Five room modern house on a corner lot on 8th st. \$2300.00. N. O. Monroe. Phone 2454. 17-3tp

MAY BE your place will just suit our buyer, list it with us and let's see. Phone 477. 17-3tc

CLOSE IN HOME consisting of five rooms, modern as well as a modern plan with a new composition roof, newly papered and painted throughout and a very desirable home in every respect, is situated on 12th st. Any one desirous of a nice home close in should investigate this place. N. O. Monroe. Phone 2454. 17-3tp

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LEGAL NOTICES

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Wichita County, Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to summon P. D. Fulgham and the unknown heirs of P. D. Fulgham and J. D. Fulgham and the unknown heirs of J. D. Fulgham and the unknown heirs of Harvey Cox, by making publication of this citation once each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, to appear at the next regular term of the 30th District Court of Wichita County, to be holden at the Court House thereof in Wichita Falls, on the 17th day of June A. D. 1918, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 10th day of May A. D. 1918 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 8277, wherein J. A. Kemp and Geo. Kell are plaintiffs, and P. D. Fulgham and the unknown heirs of P. D. Fulgham and the unknown heirs of J. D. Fulgham and the unknown heirs of Harvey Cox are defendants, and said petition alleging that the residence of the defendant is unknown; that on or about the 1st day of January, 1918, plaintiffs were lawfully seized and possession of the following described land and premises, situated as follows, to-wit: 9 1/2 acres of land out of the Harvey Cox survey situated on the line of Archer and Wichita Counties Texas; Part lying in each County, and described by metes and bounds, as follows: Beginning at the N. E. corner of the Harvey Cox Survey; Thence South with the East boundary line of said survey 63 36-100 varas; Thence West 850 varas; Thence North 63 36-100 varas; Thence 850 varas to the place of beginning.

Second Tract: Survey No. one, of the Day Land & Cattle Co. Survey, Certificate No. 27-50 and beginning at a stake the Northwest corner of the Green Reynolds Survey; Thence West 850 varas to the Northwest corner of the John A. Scott Survey No. Six; Thence South 1108 varas; Thence East 850 varas; Thence North 1108 varas to the place of beginning.

IF YOU wish to sell this place, call Knight & Crawford. 17-3tc

HIGH CLASS brick home for sale on Denver avenue, worth the money. Patton & Gullhorn. Phone 2375. 312-1tc

ONE OF THE nicest five room bungalow on 11th st. is all finished in old Ivory, all the rooms are extra large rooms and is one of the most ideal plans of a five room home there in the city. Also has garage and driveway. This place was built for a home and has been occupied by the owner since it was built and must be seen to be appreciated by any one. For particulars call N. O. Monroe. Phone 2454. 17-3tp

A REAL HOME on 10th st. It is a two-story and the price is right. See us early if you can about this place. Knight & Crawford. 17-3tc

NEW, STRICTLY modern five room home with servant's house, garage and driveway, \$4750.00. This place is on the pavement and is a very desirable home. An east front modern five room bungalow, just off 10th in Floral Heights \$3500.00. Six large rooms on a corner lot with all wood work and paper in good condition, nice gas grate and double garage \$3780.00. N. O. Monroe. Phone 2454. 17-3tp

planning. That on the day and date last above named the plaintiffs were holding and claiming said land and premises in fee simple. And the defendants unlawfully entered thereon and ejected plaintiffs therefrom and unlawfully withheld the possession of same to the plaintiffs' damage in the sum of \$5,000.00. The plaintiffs hold title to said land by regular chain of title from the State of Texas, and the defendants' claim to said land is unknown to plaintiffs. Plaintiffs sue for title and possession of said land and for cancellation and annulment of all claims asserted there to by defendants. Herein Fall Not. but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same. GIVEN UNDER MY HAND and the Seal of said Court, at office in Wichita Falls, Texas, this 10th day of May A. D. 1918. A. F. KERR, Clerk. (Seal) District Court Wichita County, Texas

Scottish Rite Masons Of Burk Burnett Have Organized Club

Special to The Times. BURKBURNETT, TEX., June 3.—The Scottish Rite Masons of this community met at the Masonic hall here Friday night and organized a Scottish Rite Club. There were more than twenty Scottish Rite Masons present and an organization formed with the following officers: D. H. Cart, president; J. A. Stangley, vice president; S. L. McDowell, secretary-treasurer, and W. H. McKenzie, almoner. It is the expectation of the club to enroll the Masons in this community who have taken the constitutory work, and the club will secure a hall and have a reading room and other features for the entertainment and enjoyment of its members. Regular meetings will likely be held monthly. This town and community has some thirty or forty Masons of this Rite, which is said to be an unusually large number for a town its size and it is felt that the organization of the club mentioned above will be a means of stimulating interest generally. The Blue Lodge in its annual election last Saturday night elected the following officers for the ensuing year: W. H. McKenzie, W. M. E. W. J. Bishop, Sec'y; W. L. Morris, Treas.; S. P. Hawkins, Chaplain; L. W. Proctor, Tyler; H. H. Fisher, D. and M. Staley and S. L. McDowell Stewards.

Lodge Directory

- The Brotherhood of American Yeomen meets every second and fourth Tuesday nights of each month at new Odd Fellows hall, 708 1/2 Seventh—E. L. Richardson, Cor.
- Knights of Pythias Lodge Meets Friday night. Initiation in the Rank of Page. Dr. J. W. DuVal, C. S. H. P. HODGE, K. R. B.
- Wichita Falls Lodge No. 638 A. F. & A. M. Stated meets first and third Friday nights in each month. W. W. WALKUP, Sec.
- Work in Second Degree Wednesday evening at 7:30 p. m. Work in Third Degree Thursday evening at 7:30 p. m.
- Wichita Falls Chapter No. 801 R. A. M. stated convocations second Friday night in each month. W. J. HAMMACK, E. P. J. W. WALKUP, Sec.
- Wichita Falls Commandery No. 69 Regular convocations fourth Friday night in each month. N. M. CLIFFORD, E. G. J. W. WALKUP, Sec.
- Wichita Falls Lodge S. P. O. E. ELKS. Meets first and third Monday nights of each week at Elks' Hall. J. WILKIE TALBERT.
- KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS. Wichita Falls Council No. 1471, Knights of Columbus, meets every second and fourth Tuesday at 8 o'clock, Harrison-Everton Hall, visiting Knights welcomed.
- MODERN ORDER PRAETORIANS. Council No. 359 meets second and fourth Thursday nights in lodge room above Overland Sales room, Eighth and Scott. F. E. JOHNSON, Recorder.

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- J. H. OGER Attorneys-at-Law Room 311 K & K Building, Phone 2302
- T. F. HUNTER Attorney-at-Law Suite 204-206 First Nat'l. Bank Building Phone 481
- RALPH F. MATS Office: Room 216 First National Building Phone 719
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- For County Commissioner, Precinct 11: M. K. SMERTY
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125 OFFICERS IN CAMP AT LAKE UNTIL WEDNESDAY

Officers, commissioned and non-commissioned, of the First Squadron, Texas Cavalry, about 125 in number, were "brought camp" at Lake Wichita Sunday night and awoke at reveille this morning to begin a three days' concentrated course. Major E. W. Napier, commander of the squadron, is in command of the camp and the drill and paper work instruction is being given by a number of officers of the squadron who have had previous experience.

Officers from Childress, Memphis, Henrietta, Graham and Seymour are in attendance. These include men from four cavalry troops and a machine gun company, which make up the squadron.

Hearing Lecture. The program of instruction accounts for practically every waking hour between reveille Monday, June 3, and taps Wednesday, June 5. The time not taken up with drill will be devoted to hearing lectures on army paper work. There will be no time for study with instruction books, but the lectures have been arranged so as to give the necessary points within the shortest time possible.

Major Napier announces that any young men in Wichita Falls interested may attend this training camp and that those conducting the school hope for a large number outside the officers already announced. However, it will be necessary for such persons to make arrangements for their meals and sleeping accommodations outside the camp, as it has been possible to provide for the officers only. The benefits of the course are open to any one who chooses to take advantage of them.

CHINA AND JAPAN TREATY CONCERNS GERMAN MENACE

JAPANESE TROOPS TO BE WITHDRAWN AT TERMINATION OF WAR.

By Associated Press. PEKIN, Thursday, May 30.—The Japanese foreign office announces that the recent convention between China and Japan is limited to joint military operations in defense against the German menace in Siberia. Notes exchanged between the two countries on March 25 were made public today by the foreign office. The first, from China to Japan, says:

"The means and condition of the cooperation of the army and navy of China and Japan are compatible with a common military defense against an enemy, for the realization of which plans may be decided upon by mutual agreement of both countries. They will be arranged by the military-naval authorities of both countries who from time to time will consult with each other freely and carefully upon all questions of mutual interest and upon approval of the government. They will be carried into action according to the demands of the circumstances."

On the same date, however, the Japanese foreign minister, replied: "I propose on behalf of my government that the period in which the notes will remain in force be determined by competent military and naval authorities of the two powers. At the same time the imperial government is happy to declare that Japanese troops within Chinese territory for the purpose of such defensive movements will be withdrawn completely upon the termination of the war."

GRAIN INSPECTORS' LICENSES SUSPENDED

By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, June 3.—Temporary suspension of licenses of two grain inspectors, one at Kansas City, Kansas, the other at Omaha, charged with misgrading grain shipped in interstate commerce, was announced today by Secretary of Agriculture. These other inspectors at Kansas City, Kansas, are under similar charges.

FLEET CORPORATION MOVING TO PHILADELPHIA

By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, June 3.—Four more departments of the emergency fleet corporation were moved from Washington to Philadelphia today and it was predicted that the enormous task of moving the office equipment of the corporation as well as the personal effects of more than 1,500 employees would be completed by Thursday. Army motor trucks are being used.

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"PLEDGE THE PRESIDENT" WAR STAMPS SLOGAN

DALLAS, June 3.—"Pledge the president," will be the slogan under which the Treasury Department and the National War Savings Committee will operate the June drive in Texas for the pledging of \$91,000,000 in war savings stamps.

Stressing the importance that the government attaches to war savings stamps a personal letter has been written by F. A. Vanderlip, national chairman, to every county chairman in the state. Vanderlip urges the paramount importance of making Texas' quota during the time limit set for the drive.

GERMANS BUILDING RAILWAYS IN FINLAND

By Associated Press. MOSCOW, Wednesday, May 29.—The Germans are building two temporary railroads in northern Finland. One line runs eastward toward Kem in the Mourmansk Railway in Russia and the other northeastward from a rail-end in Finland toward Petoonga bay which is included in the strip of the Mourmansk region which Russia is preparing to cede to Finland. Construction work is easy as there are many lakes which can be utilized.

TEN REPORTED KILLED IN BOILER EXPLOSION

By Associated Press. SAULT STE. MARIE, MICH., June 3.—Authorities here today were trying to obtain definite information concerning a boiler explosion in the plant of the Bartlett Lumber Company at Sheldrake, in an isolated part of Chippewa county. One report received late yesterday said the explosion which occurred Sunday morning cost the lives of ten men and caused injury to a number of others.

DE JAEGER WORKS PARTLY DESTROYED IN AIR RAID

By Associated Press. AMSTERDAM, June 3.—During the British aerial attacks on Zebrugge on May 30 the De Jaeger works, employed in repairing guns and sorting ammunition were partly destroyed. Many soldiers and a few civilians have been killed in the frequent Allied air raids which have greatly delayed the work of repairing the Zebrugge sluices.

BRITISH RAID KARLSRUHE: NUMBER PERSONS KILLED

By Associated Press. AMSTERDAM, June 3.—Four persons were killed, six seriously wounded and many slightly injured when ten British machines attacked the open town of Karlsruhe at 3 o'clock Saturday morning, according to the Weser Zeitung. Two of the British airmen were shot down. It is declared.

The British war office statement on aerial operations issued Saturday night reported a raid upon the station and workshops at Karlsruhe. The statement said that one of the machines engaged in the raid had failed to return.

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Seat Sale Opens 194th's Red Cross Vaudeville Show

Sale of seats for the 194th Squadron, Call Field, Red Cross Benefit vaudeville, which will be staged at the Wichita Theatre Thursday evening, June 6, began this morning at the Rexall Drug Store and notice is given that those intending to see the show had better get in line right away. The attendance at the previous show was limited only by the capacity of the house, and is announced on the best authority that this coming show is going to surpass the previous show 15 country blocks, so prompt action before the ticket window is urged.

A rehearsal was held Sunday afternoon by the artists who are to take part and everything is reported ready. The special costuming and scenery has already begun to arrive from the exclusive shops in New York, catering to the theatrical world, and the actors have been busy with preparation for several weeks.

List of Teachers In City Schools Nearly Completed

Completion of the list of teachers for the coming term is expected some time this week, the school board's committee on teachers, being busy with applications and recommendations. There will be more than a dozen new teachers to be elected, according to Supt. Lee Clark.

Salaries of a number of the teachers for the coming term, though no general increase has been adopted. The regular increase in the grades in keeping with the work of the teachers has been allowed, Mr. Clark announces, and there has been some increases made in salaries of teachers in the seventh grade, which the school board hopes to develop into a junior high school.

One of the high school English instructors, Miss Mamie Walker, has been offered a position in the English department at the College of Industrial Arts at Denton. Miss Walker was expected to teach in the local high school again the coming term, but the C. I. A. offer, which was unqualified, was accepted.

Mrs. Maurice Hovbert has returned from Alexandria, La., where she has been visiting her husband who is connected with the 29th Bakery Company, stationed at Camp Beauregard.

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93rd Squadron Team Is Active For Red Cross

The Hundred and Ninety Eighth Squadron baseball team has turned itself into an organization to work for the Red Cross, according to the squadron commander, Lieutenant J. B. Barksdale, and has already, since May 16, raised \$888 which has gone into the Red Cross fund.

Sergeant Major Shay, a member of the team started the work at Ringgold when he auctioned off some chickens, pigs and other live stock on May 18, his efforts resulting in \$302 being added to the Ringgold Red Cross treasury. On May 25 the whole team went to Ringgold and the exhibition game resulted in \$64 going to the Red Cross treasury.

On Decoration Day the team played at Quannah and gate receipts amounted to \$480 after the team's actual expenses were deducted and Sunday they played at Terrel, Okla., and netted \$52. The team will play next Saturday at Chillicothe.

Sergeant Bill, the captain of the team and announces that it is as yet undefeated and is ready to meet any team, anywhere at any time, the only stipulation being that the Red Cross of the place where the exhibition game is held receive the proceeds. As previous games have all been played away from Wichita Falls the local treasury has not received any of the donations but a plan is being arranged for a game locally for the benefit of the Wichita Falls branch.

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