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LONDON JOINS IN TRIBUTE TO HEROES FROM BELGIUM AND FRANCE.

HOME FOR CHRISTMAS

Reception Similar to That Accorded Foch, Clemenceau and Orlando Over a Week Ago.

By Associated Press. LONDON, Dec. 19.—London hung out its flags and the old seaport of Dover flung its gates wide open today to greet Field Marshal Haig and the commanders of the five British armies which fought in Belgium and France...

England Actively Prepares For New Industrial Era

By Associated Press. LONDON, Dec. 19.—(British Wireless Service.)—Important industrial developments are impending in England, according to the Daily Chronicle, which says that enterprises already in hand involve an expenditure of 5,000,000 pounds...

French Have No Ambition To Add Syrian Territory

By Associated Press. NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Asserting that "France has no ambition whatever in connection with territory in Syria," the French official bureau of information declared in a statement issued today...

Explosion of a German Mine Is Fatal To Fifteen

By Associated Press. PARIS, Dec. 19.—(Havas.)—A German mine which had been planted on a bridge at Gulse has exploded killing fifteen persons and injuring twenty five, according to a Gulse dispatch to the Matin...

WRITEUP OF CITY IN KANSAS CITY STAR. A column story concerning the Wichita Falls oil fields, and a quarter of a page ad, both written by A. G. Peget, the Chamber of Commerce new publicity man, will appear in the Kansas City Star on Sunday, Dec. 22.

MEXICAN IS KILLED FOLLOWING A RAID. By Associated Press. MEXICO, Dec. 19.—A Mexican identified as a soldier of the Eighty Third Mexican Cavalry, was shot and killed at Hacienda, Texas, at 2 o'clock this morning by a patrol of the Eighth United States Cavalry...

CHRISTMAS TURKEYS. What is Christmas without turkey and cranberries? We have a limited number of extra nice young turkeys. Nothing delivered unless paid for at the pen. Come early and get first choice. F. B. Massey, 403 Lee street, Phone 397. 189-41c

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MEMORIAL SCULPTURE. THAT LAST GIFT.—If you were going to make a last gift to a dear one, it would be the best that money could buy, wouldn't it? That Cemetery Memorial is your last one, why not buy the best? What difference does a few dollars make in the price if you can rely on it being the best? Investigate before you buy. WICHITA MARBLE & GRANITE WORKS. Phone 440, 406 7th St. A. G. Deatherage, Prop.

Do you suffer with headaches? If so, have you ever had your eyes examined by a competent Optometrist? It is a certain fact that most headaches are caused from eye strain or the cramped conditions of the "Rectus Muscles," the muscles that control the movements of the eyes... M. L. CLOPTON IN CHARGE Art Jewelry Co's Optical Parlor Kahn Building

DISCREDIT REPORT BOLSHEVISTS HAVE 3,000,000 ARMY

By Associated Press. LONDON, Dec. 19.—(British Wireless Service.)—Reports that the Russian bolshévists have raised an army of 3,000,000 men are discredited by special correspondence to the Daily Chronicle. It is said that the most reliable information puts the number of bolshévist troops at about 180,000 scattered over most of the former Russian empire...

RELIGIOUS ORNAMENTS RETURNED TO BISHOP

By Associated Press. PARIS, Dec. 19.—(Havas.)—Bishop Maxime de Bernis has received from Cardinal Hartmann, Archbishop of Cologne, twenty cases containing religious ornaments which were taken from the diocese of Rheims by German soldiers. They will be sent to France.

PHELAN IS CHAIRMAN TO SUCCEED GLASS

By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Representative Phelan of Massachusetts, Democrat, has been elected chairman of the House banking and currency committee by the House, succeeding Carter Glass of Virginia, who resigned to become secretary of the treasury.

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Denatured Alcohol, per gal. \$1.50
\$5.00 Gillette Safety Razors, our price \$4.75
Woodbury's Soap, 25c size, our price 20c
Resinol Soap, 35c size, our price 25c
Cuticure Soap, 35c size, our price 25c
Hinds Honey and Almond Cream, 60c size 50c
Oriental Cream, \$1.50 size, our price \$1.35
Colgate Tooth Paste, 25c size, our price 20c
Colgate Tooth Paste, medium size, our price 10c
Pebeco Tooth Paste, 60c size, our price 45c
Pepsodent Tooth Paste, 60c size, our price 45c
Wine of Cardui, \$1.00 size, our price 85c
Mentholatum, 25c size, our price 20c
Mentholatum, 50c size, our price 40c
Mentholatum, \$1.00 size, our price 80c
O' Cedar Oil, 25c size, our price 20c
O' Cedar Oil, 50c size, our price 40c
O' Cedar Oil, \$1.00 size, our price 80c
O' Cedar Oil, \$1.50 size, our price \$1.20
O' Cedar Oil, \$2.50 size, our price \$2.10
O' Cedar Mops, \$1.00 size, our price 80c
O' Cedar Mops, 75c size, our price 58c
Horlicks Malted Milk, 50c size, our price 45c
Horlicks Malted Milk, Hospital size, \$3.75, \$3.40
California Syrup Figs, 60c size, our price 50c
Maudeen Hair Tonic, \$1.00 size, our price 85c
Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, 50c size, our price 45c
Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, \$1.00 size, price 90c
Dodson Liver Tone, 60c size, our price 50c
Bromo Quinine Tablets, 30c, our price 25c
Nujol American Mineral Oil, 75c size, price 65c
Sal Hepatica, 30c, our price 25c
Sal Hepatica, 60c, our price 50c
Sal Hepatica, \$1.20 size, our price \$1.00
Pinex Cough Syrup, 60c size, our price 50c
Hygeia Nursing Bottle, with nipple complete, 30c
Dr. Robertson's Famous Grippe Capsules, 50c
Swamp Root, \$1.15 size, our price \$1.00
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\$3.00 Dolls on sale Friday morning \$1.95 A Pretty Practical Blouse for Her Christmas Gift —There are a certain few things that will always bring delight to the feminine heart, and ranking high among them is a pretty Blouse. They are in fact the ever-welcome gift, and no truly feminine woman ever has an oversupply. In the way of Blouses for gift giving we've made the most elaborate preparations this year, selecting our models with a careful regard for Serviceability as well as stylefulness. It doesn't matter what price Blouse you might want to buy, you'll find it here in our abundant stock, and at a price no doubt much less than you would expect to pay. —Controlling as we do the lines of famous makes, you will not find the same styles in any other store, and can consequently be assured of Style exclusiveness. New Wirthmor Waists Tomorrow —More of these good-looking, well-made, service-giving Wirthmor Waists will go on sale tomorrow, clever new Styles recently conceived and just received. To have held down the price on these splendid Waists as long as the maker did was one of the most remarkable achievements in the annals of modern merchandising. They have long represented values worth fully 50% more than the modest price at which they were sold. With materials costing twice and in many instances three times what they formerly did this is readily understandable. On and after December 15th, the price of Wirthmor Waists here and everywhere will be \$1.50, a price necessary to maintain the high Wirthmor quality standard. Campbell Anderson Co. WICHITA FALLS STYLE & QUALITY STORE

CAR OF LUMBER IS SHIPPED YESTERDAY FOR BURKBURNETT

WILL BE USED IN MAKING OCCUPIED TENTS MORE COMFORTABLE.

PLANNING CAMP SITE

Meeting of Burk Burnett Citizens is Held Wednesday To Discuss Situation.

A carload of lumber containing about 30,000 feet of siding flooring was shipped from Moore & Kitchell's local lumber yards to Burk Burnett Wednesday night...

Manifest Interest In Early Return Of 36th Division

The Chamber of Commerce is receiving replies to the circular letters sent out a short time ago regarding the return of the 36th Division...

HAVE YOU A B-A-D C-O-L-D?

Relieve It With Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. Are you going to let it stick and become a chronic condition?



SOCIETY

A hard, harsh world? Aye; so it seems—a hard, harsh world that truly satisfies. Of husks, of naught that truly satisfies...

MANY OF STUDENTS HOME FOR HOLIDAYS

The larger part of Wichita Falls' college students are at home for the holidays. Students from T. C. U., in Fort Worth, arrived the first of the week...

MRS. SIMON HOSTESS TO NEW IDEA CLUB

The New Idea Club met at the home of Mrs. T. E. Dobson, with Mrs. J. J. Simon as hostess on Wednesday afternoon...

SOCIAL BREVITIES.

B. O. Badgley, recently discharged from the army at Camp McArthur, arrived here today to join his wife who is the guest of her mother...

AMUSEMENT

VAUDEVILLE TONIGHT AT WICHITA THEATER

Pantages five-act bill of "Ocean to Ocean Vaudeville" opens at the Wichita Theater tonight for the regular three days run.

MASON AND TRUAX DOWN THE KAISER

"Good-bye Bill," starring Shirley Mason and Ernest Truax to be seen at the Empress today...

BRYANT WASHBURN STARS IN NEW COMEDY-DRAMA

"The Ghost of the Rancho" starring Bryant Washburn and showing at the Empress today is a light comedy with a bit of melodrama scattered here and there...

TRASH BARREL FIRE CALLS OUT DEPARTMENT

The fire department this morning, on making a run to the Henderson building, corner of Seventh and Scott...

SERGEANT M'COLLUM TO SPEND HOLIDAYS HERE

Sergeant John McCall McCollum, who was with an air service squadron overseas, and who arrived in New York on December 11...



TODAY May Marsh in "Hidden Fires" The beautiful story of a girl that lives a lie to save a life—in which wrong becomes a joyous right.

TOMORROW Stupendous special production from the Novel by Thomas Dixon.

THE ONE WOMAN See the story of FREE LOVE, practically applied, smashed to smithereens—makes you laugh and cry, thrill and shudder...

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Wichita Theatre

TODAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY Saturday Matinee.

Pantages Ocean to Ocean Vaudeville

FASHIONS DE VOGUE Designing the latest Parisian Gowns upon living models using cloth direct from the bolt with the aid of a few pins.

JACK AND MARIE GREY Novelty Finger Dancers

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BLACKFACE EDDIE ROSS and His African Harp

FOUR DANUBES Novelty Casting Act.

THE USUAL EXCELLENT PICTURES PRICES: 25-30-75 Cents. RESERVED SEATS ON SALE AT PALACE DRUG STORE. PHONE 340.

CADETS DAVIS AND CULLUM RETURN FROM BERKLEY

Cadets C. O. Davis and Frank Cullum have returned from Berkley, Calif., where they were in the School of Aeronautics...

CHRISTMAS TURKEYS.

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20 Per Cent Payment on Fourth Liberty Loan Bonds is due on Dec. 19. See Carter McGregor First National Bank

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The Sandman Story For To-Night

PUSS AND THE DANCING MICE.

One night in the barn in the winter time the mice who lived there under the floor gave a dance. Of course they did not invite any one outside their own set, and that did not of course include Tom Puss.

But somehow the first thing the dancing mice knew there was Tom Puss on the sill of the barn window outside looking in at them.

"Let me come in," he said, "I should love to dance."

"We will let you come in if you will wear shoes and gloves," said one mouse. "Our dance is a very high-toned affair and all outside guests must wear gloves and shoes."

All the mice laughed at this, and then they went on with their dance, but the next thing they knew Puss tapped on the window again, and there he was all dressed up in gloves and shoes.

"Now let me in; you promised you would," said Puss who was sure one of them was inside he would get a good partner.

The mice felt sure Puss could not have them dressed as he was, so they told him to run around the door and they would lift the latch, which they did. Puss had never before seen so many mice together, and he felt as if he must spring at one that very minute, but then he remembered his gloves and shoes and knew he could not hold one if he jumped upon it.

First they danced a quadrille, and then when the prompter said "Swing your partner," Puss grabbed the fattest mouse he saw and began to swing, but he hugged the poor mouse so tight that Miss Mouse squeaked with fright, for Puss had his mouth very near Miss Mouse's head.

The dancing stopped at once, and when the other mice saw Puss still held his partner in his arms they began to nip his legs, and he felt as if it was no use; Puss had to let Miss Mouse go, and then the trouble for Puss began; the mice all ran for their holes, and Puss after them, but his boots hindered his quick, nimble steps, and over he went on the floor.

"Now give him a little of his own medicine," said the biggest and oldest



of the mice. "He can't hurt us with his gloves and boots on. Now all at him."

Puss thought his last moment had come, as the mice ran over him and nipped his ears and nose with their sharp teeth.

Before they left Puss the mice took an old bag and put it over his head. "You need a bonnet as well as gloves and shoes," said the mice, "and the next time you come to our dance be sure you bring your supper with you for we know you must be hungry," and off they went, leaving poor Puss sitting on the barn floor with the meal bag over his head.

Puss thrashed about and by and by off came the gloves, then he took off the hat and looked around, but the mice were gone and though he sat in the barn all night watching he did not see even the nose of a mouse.

Every day and every night Puss watched in the barn, but never again did the mice give a dance, and Puss began to wonder if he did not dream about the dance for he looked every where for the gloves and shoes, the next day, and nowhere could he find them.

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Tomorrow's story—"How the Toys Were Bathed."

Real Estate Transfers.
 W. P. McDonald to Mack Thomas part of lots 2 and 8, block 125, Wichita Falls, \$650.00.
 Edison Jalonic to W. P. Mayo lot 24, Canfield subdivision, block 265, \$900.
 W. E. Timblin to Mrs. Cora Reese, lot 3, block 109, Electric, \$675.
 R. E. Huff et al to J. C. Jopling lots 17 and 18, block 19, Southland addition, \$1600.
 C. W. Dean to W. S. Curlee lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, block 75, Floral Heights, \$2000.
 J. H. Beach to J. B. Marlow, lot 8, block 21, Jalonic addition, \$900.

Cell P. Fowler to J. E. Childers, lot 4, block 227, Wichita Falls, \$1400.
 C. L. Green to M. E. Stevens, lot 8, block 41, Floral Heights, \$500.
 The real estate firm of Knight, Crawford & Ince have by mutual agreement dissolved. Mr. Ince retiring from the firm. Knight & Crawford will continue the business under the name of Knight & Crawford. They will be glad to serve all their old friends and new ones as well in their line.
 188-3tc
 Vancleave leases, south of road, blocks 102 and 103, Room 408 K. & K. Bldg. Phone 71 and Phone 29. 182-4tc

It is announced that President Wilson will eat Christmas dinner on German territory. Doubtless the French who have the President in charge will see that he gets to German territory through Hun devastated French land.

General Foch, who led the physical forces that brought the war to an end in victory, and President Wilson who was the leader of the moral and spiritual forces without which the physical victory could not have been attained, met in conference the other day. There came face to face two of the great men in the world's history.

Each succeeding day is bringing a better sense of the opportunities and problems facing our country and our community as the result of peace following the world war. Many problems will come before the new congress for solution. The people of this congressional district are looking to their new congressman, Lucian W. Parrish, with confidence that he will measure up his duties.

The Times has never supported the political aspirations of former Governor Colquitt but it is quite ready to support his plan to build a railroad from Newcastle to a connection with the Texas Central. Such a road, if operated by the Katy, or, if operating the Wichita Southern would give Wichita Falls direct railway connections with the new oil fields and would assure the position of Wichita Falls as the oil center of the North and Central Texas. Mr. Colquitt will find hearty support for his project in Wichita Falls.

Hearst's defense against the evidence adduced at the Senate inquiry tending to show his efforts in behalf of Germany before the United States entered the war and his efforts to embarrass our government have been answered by Mr. Hearst in a letter to the editor of one of his papers in which he wastes a good many words telling how the Democratic party maintained and increased its vote in the recent congressional and state elections in the centers where Hearst's papers were published. Mr. Hearst's letter looks like an effort to confuse the public. Hearst continually appeals to the dissatisfied elements of the country. He is un-American and bolshevist. But he can't get away from the stigma and taint that has come through his pro-German attitude before the declaration of war by the United States. Hearst had nothing to do with the local successes of the democrats in the centers where his papers are published. Hearstism is abhorrent to the thoughts of all loyal democrats.

PUBLIC OPINION

Undesired Advertising.
 I have noticed in two recent issues of the Dallas Morning News the statement that several counties in Texas have failed to send in their election returns to Austin and prominent among them I regret to see the name of the county of Wichita.

Now I well remember The Wichita Times, the Chamber of Commerce and a large number of public spirited citizens of the city of Wichita Falls put forth a strenuous effort to get out a good vote at the November election, but it seems that their labors were in vain if the county officers whose duty it is to make these returns to the state government at Austin ignore their statutory duty in the premises and fail to send in the vote we really cast.

It does not speak well for a county like Wichita to be thus advertised as delinquent in this matter and I, as a humble citizen of the county, insist that this duty should be promptly performed and the name of Wichita removed from the list of delinquents at once.

—Voter.

Notice is hereby given that the stockholders of the First National Bank will hold their annual meeting on Tuesday, January 14, 1919. The meeting is called for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of any other business that may properly come before it.—L. R. BUCHANAN, Cashier, Wichita Falls, Texas, December 14, 1918. 187-4tc

Deposits of more than \$1,250,000.00, indicate the confidence which Wichita Falls people have in the National Bank of Commerce. Your account—small or large—will be welcomed. 188-4tc

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FEDERAL PRICE INTERPRETING COMMITTEE'S WEEKLY REPORT

PERSONNEL OF COMMITTEE.
 FRED M. GATES, Chairman.
 MRS. P. C. BARRON, Secretary. MISS KATE HAYNES.
 G. C. McDONALD, Packing House and Dairy Products. J. L. LEA, JR., Mill Products.
 GEO. D. KEITH, Produce. O. W. SMITH, Cash and Carry.
 MR. BLACKARD, Service Stores. MISS MINNIE GAFFNEY, Consumer.
 Meeting time: 2:00 p. m. Tuesdays at City Hall.

Price to Retailer	Commodity	Price to Consumer
9.93 in sacks	Sugar, Maximum	11.43
11.39 basis	Flour, 48 lb. sacks	3.23
	Flour, 24 lb. sacks	1.65
	Flour, 12 lb. sacks	.83
	Flour, in less than mill packages	1 1/2 lb. profit
11.00	Rye Flour, basis 48	3.15
1.12	Corn Meal 25 pound a/s, lb.	.05 1/2 - .07
.48	Corn Meal 10 pound a/s, sack	.60 - .65
2.10	Salmon, pink, tall cans, can	22 1/2 to 25
2.85-2.90	Salmon, red, tall cans, can	30 - 35
3.65-3.75	Salmon, fcy., tall cans, can	38 - 45
.66 1/2 - .83 1/2	Milk, baby evap., can	.07 - .08 1/2
1.54-1.90 doz	Milk, tall evap., can	15 - 16 1/2
.08 1/2 - .10	Beans, cal. sun. white	14.00-16 1/2
.08 1/2 - .09	Beans, pink	10 1/2 - 13
.14 - .15	Beans, Lima	10 1/2 - 12
.16-11	Beans, Teparay	17 - 20
	PACKING HOUSE PRODUCTS	12 1/2 - 13 1/2
38 to 40 1/2	Hams, fcy. whole 8-14	.44 to 47 1/2
37 to 38	Hams, standard whole lb.	43 to 45
45 to 47 1/2	Bacon, breakfast standard	51 - 54 1/2
.51 1/2 to .53	Bacon, breakfast fcy. 6-8	56 1/2 - 60
.52 1/2 - .55 1/2	Bacon, breakfast fcy. 4-6	56 1/2 - 62 1/2
	PERISHABLES	
24-14	Lard, Substitutes, bulk	.29 1/2 of 50 1/2
	(In 50 lb. lots retailer's cost 23c to be sold on basis from 2c to 5c lb. profit when lard substitutes are sold in commercial pkgs., retailer is allowed 16-20% profit.)	
34	Onions	.39 - 40
61 to 65	Putter, creamery 1 lb. prints 6c per lb. margin	.66 to 73
.39 to 45	Cheese, Daisy American	46 to 53
.03 1/2	Cheese cut to order, five cents over	4 1/2 to 5
2.50-2.75	Potatoes, pk. basis lb.	.03 1/2 - .04
	(Potatoes are sold 1/2c per lb. higher in less than pk. quantities)	

Desire Names of Families In Need Of Christmas Aid

Families wishing to receive Christmas dinners through the Salvation Army this year are requested to turn in names and addresses immediately and Wichita's knowledge of families in need of assistance are urged to turn this information over to the army of officials as soon as possible, in order to facilitate the work of the organization. Committees from the churches have been appointed to secure information as to needy families but the cooperation of the entire city is needed if the great task before the army is to be accomplished in the short time left.

Disorganized conditions have left everything to be done in a very short time, but Captain Malott, in charge of the work, is reporting satisfactory progress along all lines and with the help of the people of the city, is expecting to make this year's Christmas the usual success.

All information should be given of families at the citadel, 810 Seventh, immediately.

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 Set up Store Shelving
 First Class Lumber
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Sound Box: This assists in reproducing the gold tone, and sends forth notes clear, distinct, accurate and beautiful.

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At the Panama-Pacific Exposition the only jury which heard and tested all of the phonographs recommended that the Sonora be given a marking for tone quality higher than that given to any other phonograph or talking machine.

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B. F. JOHNSON TO SPEAK AT CLEBURNE BANQUET
 B. F. Johnson this morning accepted an invitation by wire to address the Cleburne Chamber of Commerce at their annual banquet and business meeting, which will be held Friday night. Mr. Johnson will attend a meeting of business men and Chamber of Commerce representatives of West Texas in Fort Worth on Saturday.

Do not tempt thieves by keeping your valuables in the home or office. Place them in a safe deposit box in the vault of the National Bank of Commerce. Rentals \$3.00 a year. 188-4tc

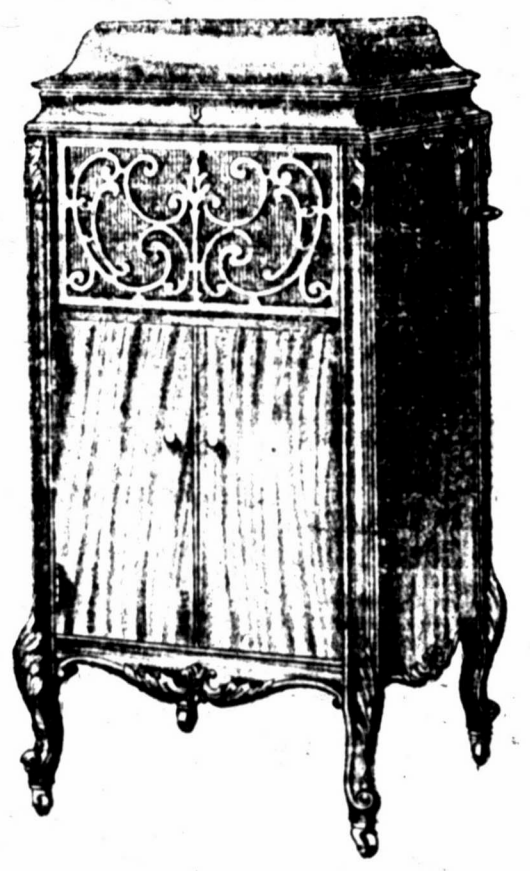
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DON'T FORGET YOUR EYES on Christmas. They are your most faithful friends. Give them the aid they need in the shape of properly selected glasses. Drop in today and have us examine your eyes to determine the exact lenses your eyes need. Select the kind of mounting you prefer and your eyes' Christmas present will be ready to use Christmas morning.

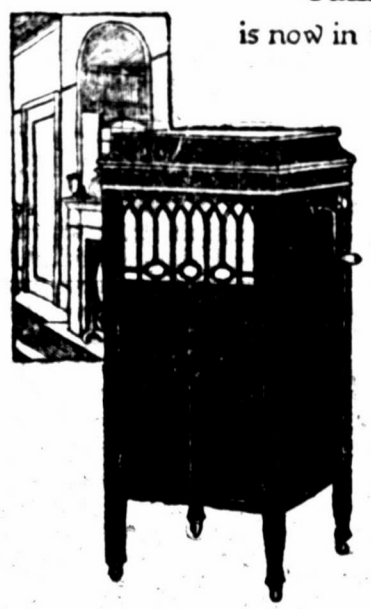
FOR SALE
 60 head of extra fat Giant Bronze Turkeys, priced reasonable.
 See W. K. Bandy, Charlie, Texas. You may phone at my expense. Or Wilfong & Woods will take your order at 710 Ohio street. Phone 10.

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The World Moves On

Printers thought the typesetting machine was not practical—
 The horse breeder said the automobile would never be in general use—
 The wire manufacturer said "wireless" was a dream—
 Even congressmen said "heavier-than-air" flying machines were impossible—
 The last to be disturbed by the wheels of progress is the single-record phonograph manufacturer, who says the playing of all records on one machine "cannot be done."



"Cannot Be Done" is now in the scrap heap, for—
The Brunswick does it!
 It attracts the eye. It pleases the ear. It plays all records at their best.
It is All Phonographs in One
 Hear the Brunswick First—Decide for Yourself.

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The Brunswick

ROTARY CLUB IN FAVOR OF Y.M.C.A.

(Continued from page 1.)

building and the equipment, but also a similar amount for the endowment fund of the local association, so that there would never be any question of the Association lacking support in Wichita Falls, regardless of the changing in population, or any other circumstances that might arise. He stated as his opinion that postponement of the raising of the money for several weeks, possibly into the early spring, would be wisest, as he believed that at that time business men who at present were waiting the outcome of the taxation problems, and the disposition of the war debt, would know then their position, and would be able to gauge their gifts, and would probably be in a position to make larger contributions. "I believe," said Mr. Keil, that within 90 days it will be quite as easy to raise \$300,000 for this purpose, as it would be to raise \$100,000 at present.

B. F. Johnson, as secretary of the memorial committee of the Club, stated that Mr. Keil's opinion in the matter was identical with the disposition of the committee, and asked that the club pass a motion to defer action until the early spring, the motion being passed. On suggestion of E. Huff, speaking on time being wasted in securing a lot for the building, in view of the great demand for Wichita Falls property, C. W. Beavers made the motion that the committee be retained, and empowered to take options on desirable property to be in readiness when the time came to build. L. A. Coulter, speaking for both the motions were passed, stated that this was the view that he held of the matter, and that after a canvass of the business men with members of the local committee, he was assured that the building would be built, and would be an establishment in keeping with the enterprise of Wichita Falls in every way.

Hert Bean stated that he believed the best time to do anything was "now," and that he was not in favor of any delay, whatever, in putting up the Y. M. C. A. building. He declared that Wichita Falls had provided for everything else in its growth as a city except the welfare of its boys and young men and that he was loath to see any delay in action which was to be taken for the good of the coming generation.

There were three others who voted with Mr. Bean against the proposition to defer action for several weeks. The representative business men of Wichita Falls were present at the Rotary Club luncheon today, as the club guests, especially to hear Mr. Coulter and assist in the decision on the Y. M. C. A. memorial, these men being asked to express their opinion and vote in the matter. There were also a number of other guests, and the club welcomed another soldier member who has completed his service and returned to civilian life, this being J. W. White.

The club in a unanimous motion seconded a petition, which was presented by J. C. Hunt, for the return of Ensign H. Robb, former officer in charge of the Salvation Army work in this city, who is now in the Salvation Army but at Camp Logan, Houston. This petition, which is to be signed also by other officers, will be sent to the division Salvation Army commander. The petition asked for the return of Ensign Robb if at all possible.

Captain Ray Malott, who is temporary officer in command of the local work, following the death of Captain Elkins, was present at the club meeting, and was given the promise of the club's support, both in donations towards the Christmas dinner for the poor of the city, and in the treatment of the children, and in assisting him in delivering the eatables on Christmas eve. Six cars for use during the afternoon and evening of December 24, were volunteered at the luncheon.

The club enjoyed as a special entertainment feature music by the Call Field orchestra, with vocal music by Cadet Burke. A voice of thanks was given Lieutenant Hastings and his musicians, and Cadet Burke from their enjoyable program, and the ladies of the Civic League were given a vote of thanks, also for their part in making the Christmas luncheon a success, by preparing and serving the repast, which consisted of turkey and all the fixins.

The El Paso Rotary Club had sent a copy of a song, "El Paso Is Calling You" with the request that a member of the club sing the song. The choruses had been printed on cards and placed at each place and following Rotarian Bradley's rendition of the song, all present were invited to join in on the chorus. W. S. Culler announced a near tragedy as the result of this singing, saying that W. M. Priddy had lost his voice while singing, "El Paso" and that consequently he was forced to make Mr. Priddy's announcement concerning the Rotary's Red Cross Christmas subscriptions. Souvenir folders have been printed, containing the menu, the Rotary motto, and a Christmas greeting from the Bailey Printing Company, were the gift of Rotarian Bailey.

CONTINUED IMPROVEMENT IN INFLUENZA SITUATION
Continued improvement in the influenza situation in Wichita Falls was reported by physicians today. Several deaths were reported in the counties and in neighboring communities, but only one fatality is reported here, and in that case the patient was brought in from Burkburnett only a short time before death.

BREVITIES
Rev. P. G. Cross went to Dallas this afternoon where he was called to conduct the funeral of his sister-in-law, Mrs. J. W. Jones. Mr. Jones is connected with the H. H. Hays company at Dallas. Rev. Cross is expected home Friday.

A jury was empaneled in the county court this afternoon for a luncheon hearing for Mrs. Maggie Senter of Wichita Falls.

Moderate priced violins, bows and cases, selected for quality. Also Reinhardt Violins. Address, Templeton Violin School, 1197 Broad street, Phone 1292.

NOTICE.
Depositors in our Christmas Savings Club are requested to present their pass-books at our office promptly for banking—National Bank of Commerce. 158-4c

New 6.5-8.20 and 24 pound casing at list in car load lots for B. Oklahoma and Eugene W. E. Rogers (Leaving House, Tulsa, Okla. 189-4tp)

List your property with Nat. L. Ingo. Phone 2615. 187-3tc

GRAND JURY HAS TAKEN A RECESS; 8 INDICTMENTS

The grand jury in the 20th district court recessed this morning after returning four indictments late yesterday and four indictments this morning. The recess will be until Friday when there will be another short session after which it is expected another recess will be taken until the second Monday in January.

Among the indictments returned were two for assault to murder and one for simple assault. The following indictments were returned against defendants who are now in jail:

Ben Bradshaw, theft of auto tires belonging to McFall and Orth.
Nugent Grimes, theft of auto belonging to F. M. Willis.
A. B. Latham, theft of soldier belonging to F. A. Ray.
Dewey Lowery and William Farmer, theft of diamond ring belonging to Marietta Forester.

MORTUARY

Mrs. Viola Gibbins.
Mrs. Viola Gibbins, age fifty-three, died Wednesday evening about eight o'clock in her home in Petrolia. Death was caused by pneumonia which followed influenza. Mrs. Gibbins had a daughter, and G. B. Tyrus, a brother, both of Petrolia, survive. The body will be sent to Vernon by the Hill Undertaking company.

W. H. Overton.
W. H. Overton, sixteen year old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Overton, died about four o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the home on the Rambling lease. Death following pneumonia which had developed from influenza. The boy and his father were both employed on the lease. They have been in the county about two years. The body will be sent to Cameron, Texas, under the direction of the Hill Undertaking company.

Mrs. R. H. Spivy.
After a brief illness with influenza which rapidly developed into pneumonia, Mrs. R. H. Spivy, of Burkburnett, died Wednesday in the Wichita General hospital. Mrs. Spivy was brought to the hospital about twenty-four hours before her death. She was twenty-five years old. Besides her husband, three children survive. Mr. Spivy is a farmer near Burkburnett. The body was sent to Robin, Texas, by the Hill Undertaking company.

U. Z. Cox.
After almost two months illness with typhoid fever, U. Z. Cox died about nine o'clock Wednesday night at the General hospital. He was taken to the hospital about a week ago. Mr. Cox has lived in Wichita Falls for a number of years. He was formerly employed by the Farmers' Cotton Oil company. He leaves a wife and six children. One son is in France. Luther Cox arrived from Camp Travis just thirty minutes after his father's death last night. The funeral arrangements have not been determined.

Mrs. Albert Evans.
Mrs. Albert Evans died Wednesday night at her home between Iowa Park and Burkburnett after an illness with influenza which developed into pneumonia. No funeral arrangements have been announced.

Mrs. Fred Schmoker.
Funeral services for Mrs. Fred Schmoker, who died from pneumonia about noon on Monday in her home at Burkburnett were held from the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Myers, 1819 Tenth, at three o'clock this afternoon. Rev. W. H. McKinzie, formerly of Burkburnett, now of Fort Worth, conducted the services.

Mrs. Schmoker has been a resident of Burkburnett for about ten years. She was married at that place about one year ago. Mr. Schmoker is a farmer and has wide oil interests.

Mr. and Mrs. Myers, one of the most prominent families of Burkburnett moved to Wichita Falls about one year ago.

Besides her husband, both parents, five sisters and one brother survive. They are Mrs. Jack Taylor of Wichita Falls, Mrs. Harmon Brannon of Burkburnett, Misses Ruth and Ethel Myers, of this city, Mrs. T. G. Willis of Burkburnett, and Grover Myers, now in France. Mr. and Mrs. Schmoker and Mr. and Mrs. Criss Schmoker of Vernon, and C. Schmoker of Gordon City, Mo., Mr. Schmoker's father, are here for the funeral.

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First Class Lumber
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TOTAL OF 2,600 MEMBERSHIPS IN RED CROSS DRIVE

THIS NUMBER WAS REPORTED BY CHAIRMAN CLINE THIS MORNING.

FAR BELOW LAST YEAR

Campaign Has Been Delayed By the Unfavorable Condition of the Weather.

Up to Thursday morning 2,600 Christmas memberships had been secured in Wichita Falls, W. D. Cline, the county campaign manager, announced this morning. This is in comparison with around 7,000 members up to the same period of time last year. No report has come from Burkburnett, Electric or Iowa Park. Mr. Cline stated, and weather conditions all over the county are such as to prevent an extended drive, so the campaign may be delayed somewhat. He is in comparison with Miss Pauline Ribolt and her committee of Wichita Falls girls and soldiers from Call Field were at work today, despite the threatening weather. The soldiers were doing especially fine work, there being twenty-four detailed for this duty, and the young men were on the street corners or in the stores, banks and hotels with the young ladies throughout the day.

M. H. Howe and Nat Chenault were signing members as they came to them in the City National Bank building, while Fred T. Cooper and N. O. Monroe performed the same services in the First National Bank building. Mr. Cline reported, the scouts of Troop 3 as having done special work, with good results. The industrial men's committee report the following places: 100 per cent in the Christmas Roll Call. The Lone Star Tool Company, Wichita Falls Sash and Door Factory, the Wichita Falls Foundry, the Wooten Grocery and the Farmers Cotton Oil Company.

Livestock

Fort Worth Livestock.
Dec. 19.—Cattle: receipts 3,700; steady. Hogs: \$22.00-23.00; steady. Sheep: \$12.00-13.00; steady. Horses: \$50.00-60.00; steady. Calves: \$5.00-7.00; steady. Pigs: \$12.00-13.00; steady. Mixed: \$12.00-13.00; steady. Common: \$10.00-11.00; steady. Pigs: \$8.00-9.00; steady. Sheep: \$12.00-13.00; steady. Hogs: \$12.00-13.00; steady. Horses: \$50.00-60.00; steady. Calves: \$5.00-7.00; steady. Pigs: \$12.00-13.00; steady. Mixed: \$12.00-13.00; steady. Common: \$10.00-11.00; steady. Pigs: \$8.00-9.00; steady.

Kansas City Livestock.
KANSAS CITY, MO., Dec. 19.—Hogs: receipts 16,000; steady. Bulk \$12.00-13.00; heavy \$16.00-17.00; night \$17.00-18.00; pigs \$12.00-14.00. Cattle: receipts 4,000; no southern strong. Prime fed steers \$18.00-20.00; dressed beef steers \$12.00-13.00; southern steers \$6.00-7.00; hogs \$8.00-9.00; calves \$7.00-8.00. Sheep: receipts 2,000; weak. Lambs \$12.00-14.00; yearlings \$10.00-11.00; wethers \$9.00-10.00; ewes \$8.00-9.00; stockers \$6.00-7.00.

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The advance extended to 28.00 for January and 26.52 for March during the early afternoon, or about 40 or 45 points net higher on continued buying. The market held within five or six points of the level at 2 and 2 o'clock.

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reflected the action of corn. After opening a shade to 1/2c lower with January \$1.14 to \$1.14 1/2, the market continued to descend.

Subsequently the readiness with which offerings were absorbed and the smallness of arrivals resulted in a recovery, but the advances were not well maintained. Prices closed unsettled, January \$1.36 1/2, to \$1.36 3/4, and May \$1.34 1/2, to \$1.35 with the market as a whole 3/4c off to 1 1/2c up compared with yesterday's closing.

Throughout the day no important rally took place.

Provisions like grain lacked support. Marketing of hogs has been so heavy that buyers were cautious.

OPEN HIGH LOW CLOSE
CORN—
Dec. 1.29 1.43 1.39 1.41 1/4
Jan. 1.36 1.37 1.35 1.36 1/2
Feb. 1.41 1.35 1.33 1.34 1/2
March 1.34 1.35 1.33 1.34 1/2
May 1.35 1.35 1.34 1.34 1/2
OATS—
Dec. 21 21 20 20 1/2
Jan. 21 21 20 20 1/2
Feb. 20 20 19 19 1/2
March 21 21 20 20 1/2
May 21 21 20 20 1/2
PORK—
Jan. 47 47 46 46 1/2
May 42 42 41 41 1/2
LARD—
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RIBS—
Jan. 23 23 22 22 1/2
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Kansas City Cash Grain.
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 19.—Cash wheat irregular; No. 1 hard \$2.24; No. 2 hard \$2.22; No. 1 mixed \$2.22; No. 2 mixed \$2.20; No. 3 mixed \$2.18; No. 4 mixed \$2.16; No. 5 mixed \$2.14; No. 6 mixed \$2.12; No. 7 mixed \$2.10; No. 8 mixed \$2.08; No. 9 mixed \$2.06; No. 10 mixed \$2.04; No. 11 mixed \$2.02; No. 12 mixed \$2.00; No. 13 mixed \$1.98; No. 14 mixed \$1.96; No. 15 mixed \$1.94; No. 16 mixed \$1.92; No. 17 mixed \$1.90; No. 18 mixed \$1.88; No. 19 mixed \$1.86; No. 20 mixed \$1.84; No. 21 mixed \$1.82; No. 22 mixed \$1.80; No. 23 mixed \$1.78; No. 24 mixed \$1.76; No. 25 mixed \$1.74; No. 26 mixed \$1.72; No. 27 mixed \$1.70; No. 28 mixed \$1.68; No. 29 mixed \$1.66; No. 30 mixed \$1.64; No. 31 mixed \$1.62; No. 32 mixed \$1.60; No. 33 mixed \$1.58; No. 34 mixed \$1.56; No. 35 mixed \$1.54; No. 36 mixed \$1.52; No. 37 mixed \$1.50; No. 38 mixed \$1.48; No. 39 mixed \$1.46; No. 40 mixed \$1.44; No. 41 mixed \$1.42; No. 42 mixed \$1.40; No. 43 mixed \$1.38; No. 44 mixed \$1.36; No. 45 mixed \$1.34; No. 46 mixed \$1.32; No. 47 mixed \$1.30; No. 48 mixed \$1.28; No. 49 mixed \$1.26; No. 50 mixed \$1.24; No. 51 mixed \$1.22; No. 52 mixed \$1.20; No. 53 mixed \$1.18; No. 54 mixed \$1.16; No. 55 mixed \$1.14; No. 56 mixed \$1.12; No. 57 mixed \$1.10; No. 58 mixed \$1.08; No. 59 mixed \$1.06; No. 60 mixed \$1.04; No. 61 mixed \$1.02; No. 62 mixed \$1.00; No. 63 mixed \$0.98; No. 64 mixed \$0.96; No. 65 mixed \$0.94; No. 66 mixed \$0.92; No. 67 mixed \$0.90; No. 68 mixed \$0.88; No. 69 mixed \$0.86; No. 70 mixed \$0.84; No. 71 mixed \$0.82; No. 72 mixed \$0.80; No. 73 mixed \$0.78; No. 74 mixed \$0.76; No. 75 mixed \$0.74; No. 76 mixed \$0.72; No. 77 mixed \$0.70; No. 78 mixed \$0.68; No. 79 mixed \$0.66; No. 80 mixed \$0.64; No. 81 mixed \$0.62; No. 82 mixed \$0.60; No. 83 mixed \$0.58; No. 84 mixed \$0.56; No. 85 mixed \$0.54; No. 86 mixed \$0.52; No. 87 mixed \$0.50; No. 88 mixed \$0.48; No. 89 mixed \$0.46; No. 90 mixed \$0.44; No. 91 mixed \$0.42; No. 92 mixed \$0.40; No. 93 mixed \$0.38; No. 94 mixed \$0.36; No. 95 mixed \$0.34; No. 96 mixed \$0.32; No. 97 mixed \$0.30; No. 98 mixed \$0.28; No. 99 mixed \$0.26; No. 100 mixed \$0.24.

Chicago Produce.
CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Butter, unchanged. Eggs: higher; receipts 325 cases; firsts \$24.94; ordinary firsts \$23.61; at mark cases included \$23.61. Potatoes: unchanged; receipts 25 cars. Poultry: alive; higher; fowls 20 1/2; 20; springs 21; turkeys 21.

New York Stocks
By Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Advances of 1 to 3 points in sidings, oils and tobacco and reversals of 1 to 2 points in local transactions and specialties afforded an indication of the irregular tone of the stock market at the opening of today's session. Some of the popular equipments buoyed from fractions to a point but rails held within contracted limits, although Baltimore and Ohio rose almost a point, despite the cut in the semi-annual dividend to 2 per cent. Liberty fourth 4 1/2's fell to the new low record of 95.25.

Investment rails, including Atchafalaya and Chicago and Northwestern, eased about a point; shipments, oil, copper and tobacco reacted 1 to 2 points and steel became irregular. The entire list broke sharply in the very active trading of the last hour, leading rails following the lower trend of industrials, equipments and materials. The closing was weak.

Final prices on Liberty bonds today were: 2 1/2's 98 1/2; first convertibles 4 1/2's 97 1/2; second 4 1/2's 97; first convertibles 4 1/2's 97 1/2; second 4 1/2's 97; first convertibles 4 1/2's 97 1/2; second 4 1/2's 97; first convertibles 4 1/2's 97 1/2; second 4 1/2's 97.

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\$22.50, \$25.00, \$27.50, \$30.00, \$32.50, \$35.00, \$37.50 \$40.00, \$45.00

Why pay more? Sacrificing about 75 all wool hand tailored suits for a quick clean-up.

This is a snap, don't wait, stop work if you have to and come early tomorrow. All wool hand tailored suits, medium and heavy weights, light and dark patterns, \$25.00 to \$35.00 values, closing out the entire lot for only

\$15.00, \$18.00, \$20.00

RIGGS

816 Indiana

Christmas Sale of Furs, Waists, Bath Robes, Sweaters, Kimonas, Petticoats, Coats, Dresses, Suits. 4 BIG COAT SPECIALS. COATS \$14.75 up to \$25.00 to clean up. COATS \$19.75 up to \$35.00 to clean up. COATS \$29.75 up to \$45.00 to clean up. COATS \$39.75 up to \$60.00 to clean up. The Upstairs GARMENT SHOP. We give dependable service. Style without Extravagance. Over Woolworth's. 29 beautiful Velvet Dresses up to \$50.00 at \$27.75.

OIL DEVELOPMENT

BOOG WELL IN AND REPORTED TO BE MAKING 700

The BOOG well on the south half of block 33, Burk Burnett township, came in Wednesday, Peyton Gwynn, the president of the company reports this morning. The well is making 700 barrels on the swab. Tom Corridon of Iowa Park is secretary of the company.

FREDERICK, OKLA., IS PLANNING A REFINERY

Business men at Frederick, Oklahoma, are planning to secure the establishment of an oil refinery there. E. M. Pike is taking a lead in the matter.

Oil and Gas Leases

M. D. Walker to G. C. Wood, undivided seven-fifteenths interest in oil and gas rights, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, block 17, Burk Burnett, \$1 and other considerations.

Dr. R. L. Hargrave to Mack Thomas undivided one-twelfth interest 2 acre tract at Burk Burnett \$2,000.00.

S. I. Munger et al to T. L. Pierce, 63.75 acres, block 31, J. A. Kemp's subdivision Wichita Valley Land \$100.00, four months drilling clause, \$5.00 per acre rental clause, one-eighth royalty.

E. E. Elson to R. T. Harris, 80 acres of block 88, Red River Valley lands, one dollar and other considerations.

J. G. Steele to R. A. Rodgers et al, 407 acres B. B. Survey, abstract No. 467.

J. O. Roberts et al to A. H. Wood, fin. part of block 54, Red River Valley lands, \$16,250.

Sam Sparks et al to W. D. Hunter et al, rights in 500 acres on Waters of Red River 12 miles northwest of Wichita Falls, \$10 and other considerations.

Mrs. Mary E. Nutt to W. C. Brown, lot 8, block 207, Wichita Falls, \$2,000.

Notice To Oil Operators. We have one of the best drilling propositions in the Burk Burnett field, which consists of 2 1/2 acres near a 1500 barrel well. We want some one to drill this on a fifty-fifty basis, bringing must start at once to protect our lease. If you mean business and can start actual drilling by January 9th, see us at once.

HARRISON & LEACH, No. 9 Hines Building, Phone 248, 189-11p.

No amount is too small to be added to your savings. Save your dimes and deposit your dollars with the National Bank of Commerce. Four per cent compound interest paid. 188-41c.

Marriage License. A marriage license was issued yesterday to Earl W. Martin and Miss Eva L. Thompson.

OIL STOCK QUOTATIONS.

(Wichita Falls Oil & Stock Exchange)

Ask	Bid
Apex	100
Amalgamated	125
Black Diamond	150
Brown	200
Burkbridge	225
Block 6	177.50
Big Three	325
Big Pool	375
Block 20	155
Hishop - Evans	200
Big Flow	90
Big Jumbo	100
Bank	162.50
Brudage-Hancock	140
Boardman	125
Burkwell	150
Burnette Pet.	115
Burk - Vernon	200
Burk - Mann	150
Cald	95
Couch - Winfrey	167.50
Conservative	375
Canada	210
Chenault	120
Columbia	150
Crest Line	400
Dart	145
Fisher - Parker	180
Finch	200
Ford - McConkey	125
Four Brothers	115
Hammond - Art	200
Green River	200
Hummer	85
Ginslie	300
Gobblers	220
Hearne	125
Great Dome	140
Kap	150
Kirby	140
Kelly	140
Lucky Seven	95
Mann - Nabors	105
Mann Oil Co.	100
Mann - Power	80
Morris	140
McPhail	125
Mann - Isling	100
Mann - Hood	95
Middle Buster	120
Metz	160
Over Top	150
O'Boy	250
Electra Burk	100
Sentinel	135
Perry-Browning	230
Peerless	170
Sunshine Slope	140
Russell Mann-Frank	110
Russell - Sanderson	175
S. & S.	70
Sunshine State	145
School House	200
Sunbeam	200
Scruggs - Ardis	200
Smith	200
Staley - Mashburn	200
Staley - Taylor	150
Security	100
Thrift	155
Townline	120
Vernon	85
Vindicator	500
Valley View	140
Victory Petroleum	200
Wade	150
Wichita Petroleum	125
Wizard	75
Wozona	265
West Pool	105
Liberty Oil	150
Indicates sales made	115

FIRST LETTER TO COME BY AIRPLANE DELIVERED TODAY

Lieutenant Winkworth, a flying officer of Call Field, delivered the first letter sent by airplane to Wichita Falls this morning, handing the letter which was addressed to the citizens of Wichita Falls to Captain R. S. Rooney, adjutant of Call Field, at the Rotary Luncheon this morning. The letter was written by T. P. Martin Jr., president of the Stockyards National Bank of Oklahoma City, and carried greetings to the citizens of Wichita Falls through this unusual medium, by airplane route, wishing them a merry Christmas, a speedy return of all Wichita Falls boys from abroad, and a happy and prosperous New Year.

MASSIVE BUFFALO HEAD ON DISPLAY

A buffalo head of massive proportions and a wonderful type of head is on display in the west window at the Perkins Bros. company store in Denton, Texas. The head projects 38 inches from the wall and measures 53 1/2 inches from the back of the neck to the mouth, 30 1/2 inches from the top of horns to nose, 14 inches across front of skull, 11 1/2 inches across eyes; face 24 inches long, horns 16 inches long and 10 inches at base; neck 4 feet around at the smallest point and 70 inches at largest point. The head is heavily furred, the hair in mane being 11 inches long. This head is from a buffalo which weighed 1,585 pounds and was killed last December, after all efforts to keep this big fellow in captivity had failed, as he kept the cowboys on the Texas ranch busy corralling him—Denton Herald.

This rare and valuable relic is for sale. It will make an exceptional Christmas present, or an attractive addition for club, association, den, office or home. Priced right for quick sale. Write, wire or phone L. C. Grier, Circulation Manager The Denton Herald, Denton, Texas. 189-11c.

A savings account with the National Bank of Commerce furnishes you with the practical means by which the regular depositing of even a small amount can be made to develop into a substantial surplus as time advances. 188-41c.

The money you save regularly and deposit with the National Bank of Commerce will prove the foundation of independence and freedom from worry in the years to come. 188-41c.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

ON THE PAVEMENT—5-room strictly modern house, with nice electric fixtures, within five blocks of the business district, \$4750. If you want a good close in home this is your chance to buy one worth the money. N. O. Monroe, phone 2454. 188-11c.

\$6500 BUYS a 5-room strictly modern home on Tenth street, gas grate and nice electric fixtures, has also good garage. N. O. Monroe, Phone 2454. 188-11c.

\$6250 BUYS a 5-room strictly modern home, with nice gas grate, nice electric fixtures and all wood work finished off in old ivory. This place is a south front, is situated on the pavement an dust at the top of the hill. N. O. Monroe, phone 2454. 188-11c.

IMMEDIATE possession of a south front modern 5-room house, with garage and driveway, situated on the pavement, \$4250. This place is located just off 11th and is a good buy at this money. N. O. Monroe, Phone 2454.

GAS fitting and repair plumbing done on short notice. All work guaranteed. Phone 2286. 189-61p.

AN EAST front with five extra large rooms and in good condition throughout, \$4250. This place is located just off 11th and is a good buy at this money. N. O. Monroe. Phone 2454.

LOST—Bunch of keys, one P. O. key and W. F. & N. W. R. R. tool check. Return to City Clerk for reward. 189-31p.

FOR SALE—Ford coupe with \$150.00 extras, 1917 model, A-1 condition. One passenger Ford, first class condition, worth the money. Can be seen at 501 Scott Ave. 189-31p.

WILL BUY limited number of Liberty bonds, any issue. Dr. R. E. Huff Jr., 410 First Nat'l Bank Bldg, telephone 1707. 189-31c.

WANTED—First class stockholders to sell A-1 oil stock in a producing oil company. Liberal commission. Cyco Oil Co. room No. 1, Jones-Kennedy Bldg. Phone 2497. 18914c.

75 FOOT east front corner, with six extra large rooms; has two gas grates and is in every respect a very desirable home, \$6,000. If you want a real home let us show you this place. N. O. Monroe. Phone 2454. 188-11c.

FOR SALE—Acreage near deep well in Shackelford county, Call Wilcox, Hotel Hearn. 189-31c.

FOR LEASE—Acreage in southeast Haskell county, for drilling contract. Call Wilcox, Hotel Hearn. 189-31c.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

OIL LEASE—40 acres of the Donahoe farm, southeast of Burk, shallow production on east side, deep test nearby. Will make a very attractive proposition to party wanting in proven shallow field and prospects good for deep oil. For particulars write or phone E. E. Fuller, care Westland Hotel. 189-61p.

OIL LEASE—50 acres out of the Rexford farm, south of Burk Burnett, near deep test. A special bargain if sold before Jan. 1, 1919. For particulars write or see E. E. Fuller, care Westland Hotel. 189-61p.

WANTED—Furnished housekeeping rooms, man and wife only. Phone room 138, Hotel Hearn. 189-31p.

WANTED—Office girl for clerical work, one who can use typewriter and take dictation. Permanent position; salary \$15.00 per week. Address D. P. C. P. O. Box 1036. 189-31c.

WANTED—An experienced chamber maid at The Avondale Rooms, 714 1/2 Ninth street. 189-31p.

LOST—Gentleman's gold watch, hunting case; initial "S. E. Elgin. Finder return to R. E. Thornburgh, reward, 611 Ohio. Phone 2860. 189-31p.

Experienced Texas Lawyer

Just discharged from army desires connection with reputable law firm in Wichita Falls. Address X. Y. Z. Care Times.

Must Be Sold By January 1st.

All Show Cases, Store Shelving, Ready-to-Wear Cabinets, Mirrors, Tables, Counters, Etc., at a big bargain. JONES-KENNEDY CO.



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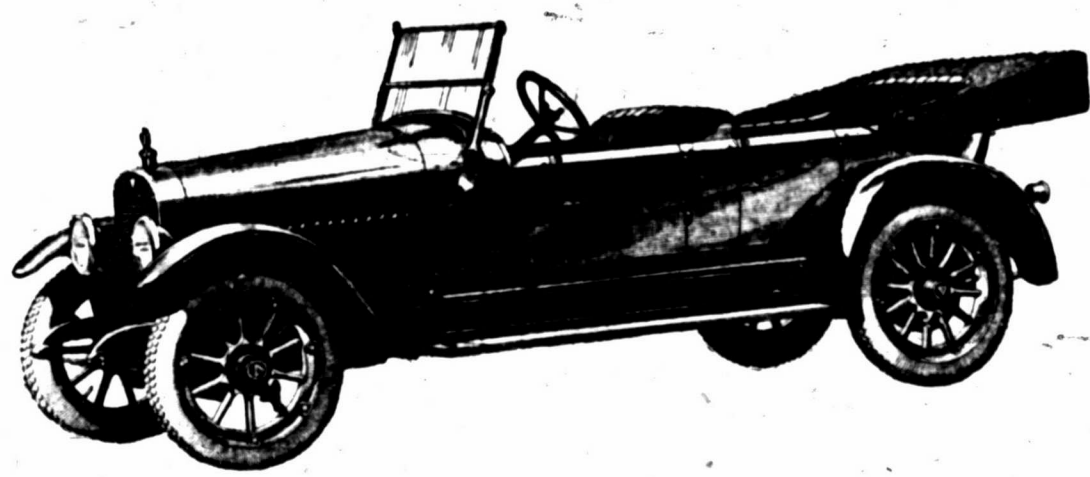
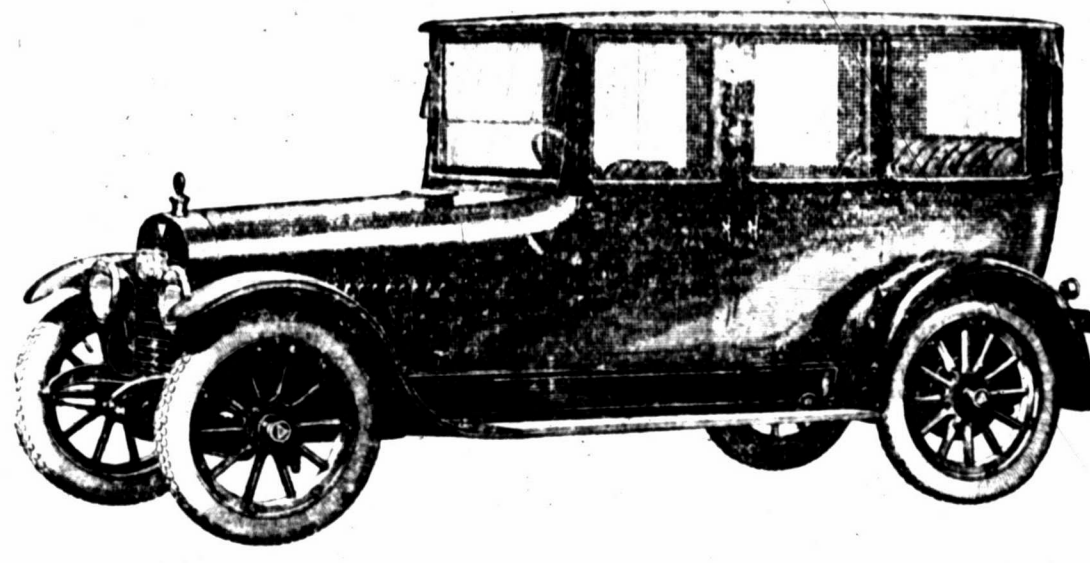
New and Second Hand Wheels for Sale. D. W. JAMES, 809 9th St. Phone 1942.

ATTENTION STOCK SALESMEN

We have the best proposition in the Burk Burnett field to offer stock salesmen. See us quick. Harrison-Everton Music Co.

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To Conservative Investors
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Wichita Falls, Texas
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Can you imagine a more pleasant surprise on Christmas Eve than to lead the family to the front window, draw aside the curtain and let them behold a beautiful, new shiny Hudson Super Six

Perhaps you are one of those who hadn't considered giving an automobile for Christmas. The fact that it is an everyday necessity puts motor cars out of the mind of many when Christmas comes. But it remains, nevertheless, that there is no finer gift than a good automobile—nothing that will give the entire family more comfort and pleasure during the entire year, not to mention the absolute need for one in business life.

It is just one week before Christmas.

We have a few of those new attractive Hudsons on our sales floor. Better telephone today that you will be in to look them over.

Lloyd Weaver Automobile Sales Company

7th and Scott

Phone 740

CASUALTIES

SECTION ONE.
The following casualties are reported by the Commanding General of the American Expeditionary Forces: Killed in action, 85; died of wounds, 56; died of accident and other causes, 15; died of airplane accidents, 1; died of disease, 28; wounded severely, 571; wounded, degree undetermined, 108; wounded slightly, 1,371; missing in action, 281. Total, 3,228.

SOUTHERNERS.
Killed in Action.
Corpl. Paul Lutzman, Thompson, Texas.
Pvt. Melvin E. Snoddy, Fort Bolivar, Tex.
Died of Accident and Other Causes.
Pvt. Barney E. Fryer, Hattiesville, Texas.
Died of Disease.
Privates—
Blanch Woods, Victoria, Texas.
Blanche Denton, Davis, Okla.
Willie Brown, Thornton, Texas.
Albert Fuller, Boerston, Texas.
Amour Mitchell, Shawnee, Okla.
T. Rosencroft, Branham, Texas.
Monty C. Fries, Orr, Okla.
Joseph A. Hill, Berriman, Texas.
Nash B. Nation, Able, Texas.
Bert Nix, Stephenville, Texas.
Neddy E. Powell, Wayne, Okla.
Lewis L. Carter, Lott, Texas.
John Davis, San Antonio, Texas.
Oscar H. Eggen, Galveston, Texas.
Wounded Severely.
Lieut. Roy C. Newton, San Antonio, Texas.
Sgt. Arthur P. Neely, Fort Worth, Texas.
Privates—
Alonzo W. Williams, Valliant, Okla.
Grover W. Willis, Stratford, Okla.
Robert Woodruff, Alton, Texas.
Amour Mitchell, Fort Worth, Texas.
Leo E. Collins, Hugo, Okla.
George C. Bruton, Seckow, Texas.
Roy P. Evans, Conway, Texas.
Pedro Garcia, Brownsville, Texas.
Albert Jesse, Vinita, Okla.
William Neal, Marshall, Texas.
Burgis E. Phillips, Mansfield, Texas.
Leo C. Phillips, Harris, Okla.
James H. Wynn, Louisiana, Texas.
Jacqueline G. Seaton, Waco, Texas.
Charles C. Bremer, Dracmright, Okla.
John E. Sanders, Abilene, Texas.
James T. Simpson, Morris, Okla.
Charles A. Miller, Milliet, Texas.
Edgar A. Walk, Cyril, Okla.
Otto C. Wegner, Houston, Texas.
Virgil Bailey, Vinita, Okla.
JOS. RAZIEN, Wichita Falls, Texas.
Rudolph Hirt, San Antonio, Texas.
Ira G. Pritchard, Bluejacket, Okla.
Britain B. Plesco, Conway, Texas.
Jay N. Faus, Brownwood, Texas.
Jesse E. Funt, Muskogee, Okla.
Marlin Hardin, Munday, Texas.
Howard Levanter, Frankston, Texas.
Wounded, Degree Undetermined.
Lieut. Y. L. Culp, Gainesville, Texas.
Sgt. Rex Blodson, Guthrie, Okla.
Privates—
O. DeMont Patterson, Lawton, Okla.
Carl Smith, Adzemp, Okla.
Robert B. Cole, Zephyr, Texas.
Fred John Deibert, Canfield, Okla.
Willie D. Lion, Clawson, Texas.
Manuel Olivarez Jr., Harlington, Texas.
Milton E. Reamer, Oklahoma, Texas.
Thomas R. Slater, Brent, Okla.
Roscoe A. Dobb, Colorado City, Texas.
George Eads, Housley, Okla.
Charles E. Jackson, Chanton, Okla.
Clarence D. Kennedy, Morris, Okla.
Virgil Jackson, Elgin, Okla.
Henry H. Wells, Alcock, Texas.
Oscar S. Jackson, Kempner, Texas.
Alton Hicks, Paula Valley, Okla.
Geo. B. Littlefield, Owens, Texas.
Charley Nichols, Gertie, Okla.
Madison M. DeWitt, Leonard, Texas.
Jarrett Cathey, Belton, Texas.
Alfred M. Coate, Kingston, Okla.
Buddie Cain, Tulsa, Okla.
Jesse J. Fletcher, Jonesboro, Texas.
Ira E. Lenders, Pryor, Okla.
George W. Gray, Jacksonville, Texas.
Walter V. Haddock, Fort Worth, Texas.
Eric Sponreth, Comstock, Texas.
Privates—
Capt. J. E. Montgomery, Houston, Texas.
Capt. Chas. Theo. Trickey, Sanger, Texas.
Lieut. Mark L. Hill, Dawson, Texas.
Sgt. C. W. Porterfield, New Wilson, Okla.
Lieut. Tom Williams, Hillshire, Texas.
Corpl. H. M. Fowler, Nevada, Texas.
Privates—
Melbore J. Kennedy, Cash, Texas.
Angel A. Pauldas, Dallas, Texas.
James H. Ward, Cleveland, Okla.
Wayne F. Echols, Post, Texas.
Evert Long, Stillwater, Okla.
Dewey Wm. Maghe, Collinsville, Okla.
Clinton E. Wolston, Dickinson, Texas.
Paul I. Nelson, Redwater, Texas.
Placido Perez, Fort Lavalas, Texas.
Alton Earl Ray, Cordell, Okla.
Yaldo Gomez, Medina, Texas.
Joseph A. Griffith, Austin, Texas.
George E. Calder, Texas.
Everett E. Denny, Colgate, Okla.
Sterling C. Cross, Lometa, Texas.
Glimmer Graves, Houston, Texas.
Wiley B. Custer, Mineral, Texas.
Thomas France, Williams, Okla.

SECTION TWO.
The following casualties are reported by the Commanding General of the American Expeditionary Forces: Killed in action, 79; died of wounds, 28; died of accident and other causes, 5; died of airplane accident, 1; died of disease, 74; wounded severely, 1,033; wounded, degree undetermined, 108; wounded slightly, 969; missing in action, 228. Total, 2,609.

SOUTHERNERS.
Killed in Action.
Corpl. Geo. W. Harrison, Gage, Okla.
Corpl. Alex. Jamison, Terrill, Texas.
Mech. Chas. B. Wilson, Dallas, Texas.
Pvt. Wm. A. Norman, Forestburg, Texas.
Died of Wounds.
Sgt. Rafael Paineiro, Delingo, Texas.
Died of Disease.
Pvt. H. J. Achterberg, San Antonio, Texas.
Corpl. R. C. Holland, Temple, Texas.
Corpl. Frank J. Marsh, Sealy, Texas.
Cook Jim J. Dockery, Keene, Texas.
Privates—
Vergel E. Philips, Briggs, Texas.
Robert E. Perez, Carson, Okla.
Emory Hobbs, Foster, Okla.
Wounded Severely.
Lieut. Guy T. Robinson, Palestine, Texas.
Sgt. N. Sullivan, Lufkin, Texas.
Sgt. Wm. Martin Ford, Eldorado, Texas.
Corpl. R. J. Andrews, Thorp Springs, Tex.
Corpl. Ernest Huggs, Sayre, Okla.
Mech. Robt. R. Johnson, Frank, Texas.
Mech. Frank Smith, Guthrie, Okla.
Wagoner Jas. H. Stone, Tulsa, Okla.
Privates—
Will A. Gee, Sherman, Texas.
Maxie Wilson, Mulles, Texas.
James C. Brewer, Lockport, Texas.
Charles B. Hill, Kennedale, Texas.
Charles T. Porter, Calera, Okla.
Warren H. Burns, Elgin, Okla.
Thomas G. Eden, Pecos Cap, Okla.
William B. Elliott, Elgin, Okla.
Fred M. Lawton, Fortie, Okla.
Ernest Mullon, Camden, Texas.
Harry Richards, Pawnee, Okla.
Otto G. Holl, Neoma, Texas.
Adolph Jackson, Valley View, Texas.
Robert B. Ligon, Ada, Okla.
Robt. E. Klason, Granbury, Texas.
Bert Kent, Rising Star, Texas.
Jesse Newton, Latham, Okla.
Nick Bailey, Summerville, Texas.
Alexander W. Klattenhoff, Hutto, Tex.
Frank Walters, Eufaula, Okla.
Bryan P. Stinson, Winkler, Texas.
John H. Kunkel, Paige, Texas.
Roy B. Talley, Royse City, Texas.
Privates—
Seed A. Baker, Bache, Okla.
George F. Bond, Palmer, Texas.
David E. Deakin, Sanger, Texas.
Benj. F. Harrison, Athens, Texas.
Harvey L. Lord, Seiling, Okla.
Deaver Nichols, Dewaco, Okla.
William T. Pritchard, Millsap, Texas.
Joe G. Scheidt, Shawnee, Okla.
Dillard F. Stapp, Mountain Home, Texas.
Luther E. Meeler, Pritchett, Texas.
Frank T. Meyer, Oklahoma City, Okla.
Moses T. Miller, Mott, Okla.
Eunus B. Neely, Stoneburg, Texas.
Orlino W. Quick, Greenville, Texas.
Jeff Hines, Groesbeck, Texas.
Earl L. Lester, Tar River, Okla.
Howard F. Mann, Tyrone, Okla.

Wounded, Degree Undetermined.
Lieut. Albert E. Ferguson, El Paso, Tex.
Corpl. Geo. V. Ehler, Bliss, Okla.
Privates—
Eugene Wren, Fort Worth, Texas.
Sam H. Comegys, Royse City, Texas.

PAID FOOD EMPLOYEES TO BE DISCHARGED.
By Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Paid employees of all state, county and local food administrators will be discharged Jan. 1 and all activities requiring paid staffs including the work of the sugar equalization board will be discontinued on that date, it was announced today by the food administration. Voluntary workers and the various food administrators will remain until the national food administration is dissolved as a governmental agency by President Wilson.
The work at the food administration offices here is gradually being brought to an end.
Any Knight of Pythias who is sick, whether he holds membership here or elsewhere, will receive proper courtesy by phoning 135.
Dr. R. E. Huff Jr., Dentist, Graduate Northwestern University, Chicago, 410 First National Bank Bldg., 177-7c

Oil Leases For Sale
We have several good leases across the river east of Burk Burnett. Many plans are under way for the development of this field. Now is the time to get in there before the big advance in value. See us for leases near the Watkins and Zink wells. Offsets today to both of these wells. Also two good leases west of Charlie at \$12.50 per acre.
No padding of prices. Buy a lease through us and you get it at owners price.
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Notice To Oil Men
Monday morning, Dec. 16, we will be installed in our new quarters and ready for business at 719 1/2 Ohio Ave., where we will have more than double the space formerly occupied and will be able to give you better service. If we have not done any work for you, give us a trial.
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Architects and Engineers R. T. FORSYTH, Mgr.
Telephone 1802

60 Acres on \$60,000 Capital
Located short distance northwest from Humble, Marine, Ray-Chenault and Pink Hammond wells, in Block 84, on same identical structure, but just a little higher.
BIGGEST ACREAGE ON SMALLEST CAPITAL.
Limited number of shares \$100.00 par.
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Iowa Park Leases
Twenty, thirty, forty or fifty acre tracts, with production on two sides. Pipe line already in. New wells on adjoining land now drilling. We own this lease and can make price below anything around it.
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For City Loans, Farm or Ranch Loans—
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When It Is 75 Degrees Below
and you are in bed trying to keep from freezing to death you will remember reading once upon a time to play Safety First and Buy Your Coal Early. Remember that when the thermometer goes down the price of Coal goes up.
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BEST BUY
In Iowa Park, near Zink well; 1 year to drill; \$100.00 per acre. 75 acres a little way east of Zink well, same formation, same chance to go toll—oil men paid \$250.00 per acre for same kind of land—almost joins this, with 30 days time to drill—will divide.
W. L. ARNOLD, Iowa Park, Texas
I Want 5, 10 or 20 Acres at Burk Burnett to Drill On a 50-50 Basis.
If I happen to be out when you call leave written description of property or leave word so I can call on you.
GEORGE ALBERTSON
308 Joline Hotel

DRY CAMPS KEEP SOLDIERS IN TRIM SAYS GEN. WOOD

By Associated Press.
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 19.—The Eighty-Ninth Division, representing many mid-western states in the expeditionary forces, was the first American unit to take over a sector without British or French supervision, Major General Leonard Wood, commander at Camp Funston, Kans., who prepared the men for military service, said in an address here last night.
"At last reports," General Wood said, "the Eighty-Ninth had captured 4,000 Boche prisoners without the loss of a man. A document captured by this division testifies as to its efficiency. It was an order from the commander of the Germans facing the Eighty-Ninth and said a new American division was before them, fresh in service, but 'unusually efficient.'"
"So far as the army is concerned," General Wood continued, "the nation has been dry. We could not have accomplished thirty per cent of the work we did if it had not been. Our men in the camps always were fit and ready for work, due solely to the fact that the camps were dry."
He concluded with a plea for universal military service.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Times Publishing Company, will be held at the Times building on Tuesday, January 7, 1919, at 4 p. m. for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the ensuing year, and such other business as the stockholders may desire to discuss.—RITA HOWARD, Secretary.
187-7c
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Sixteen Firms Are Found Guilty Of Profiteering

By Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Conviction of sixteen firms in four states in a single day on charges of profiteering was announced today by the food administration as evidence that violation of its regulations is being dealt with severely in the various states by representatives of the enforcement division. The penalties for the violations which occurred in the states of Texas, Oklahoma, New York and Arkansas, consisted of suspension of business and the compelling of contributions to the Red Cross and other relief agencies.

Disolution Notice.
By mutual agreement the real estate firm of Knight, Crawford & Inge, has dissolved. Mr. Inge will continue in the real estate business and would be pleased to have his old and new customers call him at phone 2615. 187-37c

Notice!

All parties owning an interest in Pink Hammond well No. 2 will please leave their certificate of interest at Wichita State Bank that it may be properly entered on my books preparatory to paying a dividend.
L. P. HAMMOND

Home Owner's Notice
We will sell your home and build you a beautiful new one.
Talk it over with us.
FRANKFURT & MILBURY CO.
613 7th Street
20 Years Experience
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Real Estate **PHONE 14**

Vancleave Farm Leases For Sale!
I offer 40 acres, divided into five and ten acre tracts, in blocks 102 and 103 of the Van Cleave lands, south of the road. These tracts are close to the Helen-Elizabeth and Horn Oil Co. wells, and offer the best oil prospects in the entire Burkburnett field.
For prices and terms call local phone 71 or long distance 20, or see
W. M. PRIDDY
Room 408 Kemp and Kell Building



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AMERICAN WOMEN LIGHTEN CARES OF SOLDIERS IN OVERSEAS SERVICE

By Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—How American women in France helped to lighten the cares of American soldiers, feeding them with sweets, cooking for them, darning their socks, scrubbing floors, was told today by Mr. Vincent Astor. After eighteen months' service in Ganteen and various work while her husband was serving with the overseas naval forces, Mrs. Astor has just returned from Bordeaux where she was in charge of a division of Y. M. C. A. women. Mrs. Henry Russell, formerly Ethel Borden Harriman, who was married in France.

"American women have filled such an enormous place in the war that it would be difficult to imagine now what would have been done without their help," she said. "The thousands of women who got to the other side gave themselves up completely to working for the soldiers, both the sick and the well and they never spared themselves in any way. They worked all the day and often during long hours in the evening, sometimes with a hundred partners."

"In the cantinment at Bordeaux, where I was stationed, there were eight American women and we never asked the French maids to do anything that we would not do ourselves; and not only did we do all the manual work at first but later, when it was necessary we would take a hand at a broom or at frying eggs or washing dishes. One time Mrs. Russell and I unloaded and stored a truck load of sugar into the basement."

"The soldiers over there showed the most complete gratitude and courtesy to every American woman so that it made it intensely pleasant to be doing things for them. Every few nights we gave a dance. We would send out a call for American women and all those who volunteered were brought in by army machines. There were usually about twenty and they would have to divide their time between several hundred men. Once we had eight women and 2,000 soldiers."

"To even things up I borrowed a 'bosun's' whistle and gave a signal every two minutes to change partners. The result was that every couple would have possibly twenty men following after them waiting for the next dance. No distinction was made between officers and men at such dances but at the ones given out at the camp part of the evening was devoted to the officers and part to the men."

"In the cafeterias we began by serving about fifty men a day and soon it was thousands. They all wanted eggs and doughnuts and ice cream. We had one person frying eggs all the time and one making ice cream."

"We had a canteen which was strictly a tobacco and candy place where the men bought at cost; and three nights a week we gave picture shows and entertainments. There would often be as many as five or six thousand men trying to get into the entertainment hall."

"When the convoys of wounded first commenced arriving at Bordeaux, the stretchers bearing the wounded would be put out on the station plat-

form and we would go among them distributing coffee and cigarettes. Later this work was taken over by the Red Cross.

Mrs. Henry Russell and I were near St. Mihiel when the Americans made their drive last September and we appeared so hard that they sent us up to the front for emergency work. We went past the captured German lines up to within two miles of the actual fighting and helped distribute candy and cigarettes to the fifth and eighth marines when they were relieved. They came out of the battle looking happy and with no more looks of wear and tear than if they had been in a football game."

New York Has a "Block Party" in Red Cross Drive

By Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Fifth avenue last night was the scene of the greatest "block party" in the history. It was held in honor of the American Red Cross as the climax of a "Christmas roll call."

The party began with a parade led by Henry P. Davidson, chairman of the war work council of the Red Cross. Sons and daughters of a score of nations all in native costume were in line.

As the first delegation of Red Cross nurses swung up the avenue past Thirteenth street, a soldier boy with crutches to hold him on his remaining leg, forced his way to front of the crowd on the curb.

"Three cheers for the greatest women in the world," he cried at the top of his voice. Then, to a man at his side, "Say, buddy, you don't appreciate them. They're the angels of the battlefield, boy—you can't beat them."

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Texas Company Has Increased Capital To \$85,000,000

Special to The Times.
HOUSTON, TEXAS, Dec. 19.—At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Texas Company, held at its offices in this city, it was voted to increase the capital stock from \$69,375,000 to \$85,000,000. For subscription by the employees of the company \$1,750,000 of the increase was served. The balance will be taken up by the present stockholders at par on the basis of 50 per cent of the individual holdings.

Officers of the company who were asked the purpose of the increase replied the action was taken to permit additional activities contemplated by the company. Available stock for subscription by employees has been planned for some time, it was said.

The list of newly elected directors and officers is identical with that formerly existing. The election of officers immediately followed that of the directors. The following directors were elected by the stockholders: Arnold Schaefer, L. H. Pappam, T. J. Donoghue, C. P. Dodge, R. C. Holmes, R. C. Larkin, G. L. Noble, J. J. Mitchell, A. B. Hebburn, J. N. Hill, A. L. Beatty, W. A. Thompson Jr. and H. E. Brooks.

At the first meeting of the newly elected directors, the following officers were elected: E. C. Larkin, president; T. J. Donoghue, first vice president; R. C. Holmes, vice president; G. L. Noble, vice president; W. A. Thompson Jr., vice president; J. H. Miglietta, vice president; Ernest Carroll, assistant to first vice president; Amos L. Beatty, general counsel; C. P. Dodge, secretary; A. C. Miglietta, assistant secretary and treasurer; W. Bruce, assistant secretary and treasurer; S. J. Payne, assistant secretary; W. G. McConkey, assistant secretary; J. M. Donoghue, assistant treasurer; G. W. Foster, assistant treasurer, and Ira McFarland, comptroller.

SOLDIERS ABROAD ARE SAVING WITH MONEY RECEIVED

Associated Press Mail Correspondent.
PARIS, Nov. 28.—Not many fortunes in American small change are being spent by General Pershing's fighting men for they are not at all like the old style private in the days when an army pay was \$15 a month. This person, it will be recalled, lost his entire month's emoluments in fifteen minutes experimenting with crops, whereupon he shrugged his shoulders, commenting philosophically, "Oh, well, easy come, easy go."

The new type of Yankee enlisted man has it that he is a saving young man and he sends a good share of his earnings home to help out his wife or any other partial dependents that he may leave. In fact, he sends back as much money as he spends on himself, if figures from Y. M. C. A. finance's reports may be taken as a criterion. And they ought to be considered a fair indication of the way the pay goes.

In the first place the private makes an allotment of half his base pay by government order if he has anyone at home that needs it. And if he hasn't the government takes it and saves it for him. With very few exceptions,

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he also is the holder of a government insurance policy, which takes another bite out of his earnings. By the time his allotment and his insurance payments have been deducted, there isn't a great deal left. Yet from this little, he manages to save what he can. Aggregate amounts to a vast sum.

In four of the five huts from which figures are available in one Y. M. C. A. division, the soldiers sent more money home than they spent on themselves in buying canteen supplies during the month.

In the other hut, the amount of merchandise sales was only a small percentage greater than the home remittances handled by the Red Triangle. Taking the five huts as a whole the difference in favor of the remittances was over 125,000 francs for the month. One of the huts, the one whose business in all departments was the biggest of the five, sent to America almost three times as much money

as it received for sales. All of which shows that the Yankee soldier is as generous and thrifty as he is brave and capable.

Here are the figures in total: Merchandise sales 254,202 francs, remittances, \$77,488 francs.

In the entire division the business office handled 1,068,249 francs of which \$62,878 francs represented canteen sales and \$55,570 francs remittances to the United States, or approximately half and half.

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BUT YOU WILL HAVE TO HURRY, if you get in on the acreage which we have subdivided in five acre blocks close to the Humble well now drilling on Red River about one mile Southeast of the Helen-Elizabeth well.

In the mad rush and stirring events of the past four months many of our citizens neglected the golden opportunity to get in on the ground floor in the oil business. Many hesitated thinking that the big pool might not extend outside of the city limits of Burkburnett. Others who had more nerve purchased more drilling sites and more acreage far beyond the confines of that little city. How wisely they acted the recent developments in all directions have shown.

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A good many more people believe like we do that this land is in the big pool and as evidence of the fact are purchasing this acreage and consequently we only have a few more blocks left. The price on the remaining blocks runs from \$500 to \$1200 per acre.

We again say, if you want to get in on any of this cheap acreage YOU WILL HAVE TO HURRY, for it will all soon be gone.

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A BIG DANCE—Will be given Friday night, Dec. 20th, in I. O. O. F. hall on 7th street, right across from the bank. Any one for cause; the floor manager will see that you dance; best of order guaranteed; dancing begins at 8:30 p. m.—J. M. STANLEY.

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LEFT OVERCOAT in stranger's car, after riding into town with the party. Coat can be seen broken down on Boy's Club, 1237 1/2. FOUND—Small black purse Tuesday, containing money. Owner can be seen by identifying same to Rev. Keane, Cal Field. LOST—Scotch collie dog, yellow and white, with ring around neck. Reward, Phone 317. STOLEN—1918 model Ford, new, Sunday evening, from Kemp Kort, new, No. 224432. Has no license number. \$25.00 reward offered. If parties who took this car return same to owner no questions will be asked.—T. B. Meders, 612 Ohio. Phone 2500. LOST—Bay horse two hind feet white to ankles, blind in left eye, smooth mouth. Notify E. B. McKee, Jolly, Texas.

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WE BUY all kinds second hand clothing, shoes and hats. Answer by mail, phone 2063. W. Levine, 626 Indiana, city. WANTED—Wheat pasture for from 50 to 150 head cattle on southside Wichita county or north side Archer county. Neville & Brightwell, Henrietta. WANTED—To trade new furniture and stoves for old. McLaughlin Furniture Co., 515 7th St. All piano work done. Tuning \$3.50. Phone 510. 176-tfc PATTON Furniture Co. wants your second hand furniture and stoves. 710 7th. Phone 1660. IF YOU have second hand furniture to sell call Patton Furniture Co., 710 7th. Phone 1660. WANTED—Everybody to bring their shoes repairing to the Right Way Shoe Shop; and have their shoes repaired the right way, at the right price and by the right workmen. Men's half shoes, \$1.09; ladies' half shoes, 85c; children's half shoes, 45c up. J. A. Goff, Prop. 614 Indiana. Phone 2189-26tp. WANTED—To buy all kinds of second hand furniture and stoves. High cash prices paid. McLaughlin Furniture Co. Phone 510, 615 7th street. WANTED—Used household goods. It will pay you to see us before you sell. We need the goods. Gas Stove & Furniture Co., 515 Ohio Ave. 185-tfp. WANTED—Clean cotton rags. Times press room, downstairs. WANTED—Second hand gas cookers and heaters. Second hand flat gas roller top office desks. Winners Furniture Co., 323 Ohio. WANTED—To buy 5 to 10 acres close in as possible suitable for chickens, with shade on it; must be a bargain. State location, description, price, in first letter. H. C. Hancock, 723 Probandt street, San Antonio, Texas. 188-4tp. WANTED—Some one to board and care for 4-year-old boy. Address Nettie Hughes, Gen. Del. 188-3tp. WANTED—At once 4, 5 or 6 room house within 5 or 6 blocks of town. A. D. Jameson, 1003 Travis. 188-3tp.

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TWO WEEKS FOR JURY CIVIL CASES IN 30TH COURT

CASES HAVE BEEN ASSIGNED FOR TRIAL BY JUDGE BONNER.

PROGRAM IS OUTLINED

Order is Entered in Statement Issued by the Court Wednesday.

In order to facilitate matters and to adjust the docket to meet necessary changes in arrangement of cases, Judge Wm. N. Bonner of the Thirtieth District Court, has reassigned a number of civil cases for the December term, the trial of which will begin January 6. These changes, together with instructions to those interested, are explained in the following statement issued by the court:

"Forty-two cases appear upon the Jury Civil Docket of the 30th District Court, for trial at this, the December term.

"In a number of cases a jury was demanded at call, on appearance day, but no fee paid. Such cases will not now appear upon the jury docket at this term. In several cases jury fees have been paid where no demand was made in open court appearance day. It has been necessary therefore, to rearrange the assignment given several cases, and to give the Jury Civil Docket, the following assignment:

Assignments for Trial, Jury Civil Cases, Monday, Jan. 6.

No. 6324. Ruby Pearl Brown vs. J. L. Powell Jr.
No. 6340. Dan Dillon vs. R. R. Greenlee et al.
No. 6345. J. H. Sanderson & Little vs. M. M. Murray et al.
No. 6354. R. L. Robertson, trustee, vs. A. J. Vancleave.
No. 6366. T. W. Rogers vs. J. C. Brown.
No. 6387. R. W. Reynolds vs. R. L. Davis et al.
No. 6374. F. M. Nott vs. Mary Cavendar et al.
No. 6398. H. A. Erwin vs. C. P. Logan et al.
Friday, Jan. 10.
No. 6399. Mrs. E. B. Elmer vs. Abner Davis.
No. 6408. F. H. Crist vs. H. A. Weir et al.
No. 6406. E. L. Lancaster vs. W. L. Mann et al.
No. 6415. J. H. Howell vs. T. Bedford.
Monday, Jan. 13.
A. B. Libcomb vs. W. D. Cline.
H. C. Poe et al vs. Sam Sparks.
T. H. Harrison vs. Lesh Drilling Co.
Floyd Ard et al vs. Parsons et al.

CASES For TOILET TRAVEL RENCH

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G. R. Hodge vs. S. M. Goss et al. Wednesday, Jan. 15.
C. B. Montgomery vs. W. Quisenberry. Mills vs. W. F. Electric Co. H. E. McConnell vs. Sunshine State Refinery & Oil Co.
J. G. Parsons vs. J. W. Kukul et al. Friday.
J. E. Spencer et al vs. E. S. Cayce et al.
W. K. Clark vs. Staley & Willis. Fred Carter vs. W. S. Langford. E. W. Nicholson vs. North Texas Tractor Co.
Hayworth vs. Chenault & Wheat Auto Co.
Jury Civil Cases Not Yet Assigned For Trial.
Abe Cross vs. Wm G. McAdoo. Canfield vs. Doak.
Kent vs. Holmes.
City National Bank et al vs. Robertson et al.
C. C. Peters vs. Wiley Wyatt.
J. L. Mears vs. Wichita Valley Refinery Co. et al.
L. P. Douglass vs. Oktaha Oil Co. Bayles vs. J. A. Kemp et al.
Lunn vs. MacKechney et al.
Linn vs. Tractor Co.
Smith Myers Oil Co. vs. John Peoples et al.
D. T. Cross vs. Sheldon et al.
Scales vs. Western Union Telegraph Co.
Humphrey vs. Wyoming Dakota Oil Co.
Childress vs. Mann.
Frank Bewyer vs. Ironland Oil & Gas Development Co.
"Preference has been given injunction cases where requested and thought proper by the court. Sixteen cases remain unassigned as yet, and this number includes several of the largest and most important of the cases before the court.
"All non-jury cases should be presented for trial before the sixth of January, so that we will not be interrupted with the jury docket when it is reached on that date.
"As yet I have only been able to give the two weeks above to the trial of Civil Jury cases. The criminal docket, to which preference is given by statute, will be taken up Monday, January 20, and may possibly last throughout the remainder of the term. There are several old criminal cases to be tried, and ample evidence to justify the belief that the grand jury now in session, will by that time have returned a large number of new indictments. If possible, however,

one additional week, or more, will be given to the trial of jury civil cases in the 30th court, at the present term.
"In all cases where agreements are reached between the parties to dismiss, settle, continue or transfer, the clerk should be notified by all counsel at once, or proper written agreement filed. The clerk will in turn advise the court, who will assign other cases, when deemed proper, to the place so vacated.
"For these two weeks, beginning the 6th and 13th of January, the following order will be observed:
"Court will convene on Mondays at 10 a. m.
"On all other days at 8:30 a. m., adjourning at 5:30 each day, with one hour and 15 minutes for noon recess.
"All exceptions, demurrers and pleas in bar should be presented and the court's ruling obtained before January 6. All applications to continue, must be prepared in advance, and presented promptly when the case is called for trial.
"The clerk advises that this term finds us with the largest Jury Civil Docket, ever had by any court, in this county, at any time.
"I have deemed it proper therefore, to enter these orders, for observance, to the end that the large volume of business before the court may properly be disposed of."

NEW YORK WATCHING WHITE SAVE TRAFFIC
By Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—With the receipt of information from the department of justice that thirteen "white slavers" had left Philadelphia for New York because of the home coming of American troops through this port, District Attorney Edward Swann announced that "New York is going to be made safe for returning soldiers and sailors, and that he had assigned an assistant to fight against any establishing of vice conditions here.
"Members of the old vice trust which was exposed several years ago are trying to revive traffic in immorality," the prosecutor added. "I have information that they are about to bring women here from all parts of the country. We have the names of some of these men and they are being watched."

SOLDIERS AT COBLENZ EXPECT RELIEF SOON
By Associated Press.
WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY OF Occupation, Tuesday, Dec. 17.—Virtually all the units of the American forces assigned to occupation of the bridgehead at Coblenz had reached their destinations at an early hour today.
The troops in the entire area are now making themselves comfortable, not expecting a relief before Christmas, at the earliest. The soldiers occupying the bridgehead express the belief that they will be among the first divisions to be sent home, other units in support taking their places.

YEOMEN ENJOY A NOVEL BOX SUPPER
Tuesday evening the Yeomen eating the sand around Christmas. This benefit of the organization's flower fund. A new twist was given the time honored entertainment in the suction of the box makers themselves, wrapped in sheets, as "ghost packages," later to be identified by numbered tags. There were numerous games and the evening was an unusually delightful occasion.

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LOCAL MEN WILL ATTEND MEETING AT FORT WORTH

J. A. Kemp, B. F. Johnson, C. F. Rogers and E. Stanley Field will represent Wichita Falls in the conference of representatives of West Texas cities and towns which has been called to meet Saturday, December 21, in Fort Worth. The call has been sent out by the Chamber of Commerce of Fort Worth, Wichita Falls, Brownwood and Ranger, and the meeting is for the purpose of organizing for the fullest possible development of the material resources of West Texas.

The call which has been sent out follows:
To the Business Men of West Texas: We hereby call a meeting of the West Texas business interests, at Fort Worth in the Chamber of Commerce Auditorium, next Saturday morning, December 21st, at 10:00 a. m., for the purpose of formulating organized plans for the development of the mineral, manufacturing, agricultural, livestock, mercantile and other material resources of West Texas. It is proposed to secure these results by acquainting the world with the marvelous possibilities and wonderful opportunities of West Texas and to bring about a better mutual understanding of all interests by forming an organization for the promotion of the general welfare of West Texas. We want to make West Texas one big family, each member striving to aid the other to achieve.
The paramount and immediate work of the proposed organization without doubt will be to encourage the development of the petroleum industry of West Texas.
We believe the time is ripe for the concerted action of the people of West Texas. The prosperity of one section of this division of the State is vitally dependent upon the prosperity of the other. We should compact our interests along all lines and now is the time to get together.
Will your city be represented? Because of the lack of time you had probably better wire reply to the Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce.
Yours very truly,
Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce, Brownwood Chamber of Commerce, Wichita Falls Chamber of Commerce, Ranger Chamber of Commerce.

Lodge Directory

Local 681, International Brotherhood of Electrical Wiremen. Meets Tuesday nights at Labor Temple.

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Wichita Falls Chapter No. 252, R. A. M. stated convocations second Friday nights in each month.
M. M. COOKE, E. P.
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Wichita Falls Commandery No. 45, Regular convocations fourth Friday night in each month.
N. M. CLIFFORD, R. C.
J. W. WALKUP, Rec.

Wichita Falls Lodge Chapter No. 257 Meets first and third Tuesday nights of each month.
Mrs. Jennie Carithers, W. M.
Mrs. Nannie M. Jenne, Secretary

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