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## CLAIMS ARE RELINQUISHED BY ITALIANS

Willing for Greece to Have Dodocanese Islands Off Asia Minor

## FIUME IS A FREE CITY

Ends One of Most Acute Controversies Before the Peace Conference

By Associated Press.—Italy has relinquished her claims to the Dodocanese islands, off the Asia minor coast, in favor of Greece. This ends one of the most acute controversies before the peace conference.

PARIS, May 17.—Conferences during the past two days have not succeeded in reaching an accord as was expected. The Italians made a number of concessions, including recognition of Fiume as a free city and the giving up of considerable portions of Istria, including the important quicksilver district.

The Italians, however, are unwilling to yield Zara or Zebenico, on the Dalmatian coast. The Jugo-Slavs are not disposed to accept the Italian concessions as sufficient and there are prospects of a further extended period of negotiations.

## FOREIGNERS IN COSTA RICA ENJOY FULL GUARANTEES

By Associated Press.—SAN JOSE, COSTA RICA, Friday, May 16.—Because of rumors which have been circulated that the lives and property of foreigners in Costa Rica were in danger owing to disorders along the northern frontier, president Tinoco declared before Congress today that foreigners enjoy full guarantees.

Two more skirmishes are reported to have occurred along the Nicaraguan border and the same reliable source has been quoted by the revolutionists.

- GERMAN DELEGATE LEAVES FOR BERLIN
- PARIS, May 17.—Count von Brockdorff-Rantau, head of the peace delegation, has started for Berlin. He left Paris at 11:10 o'clock tonight for the German capital.

## OIL TANKS BURNED AT RANGER; STORM KILLS MAN NEAR DALLAS

Indian Bringing Three Hun Scalps As War Trophies

WIFE OF A FORMER HOUSTON PASTOR DEAD

## SERIOUS SITUATION AT WINNEPEG WITH BUSINESS AT A STANDSTILL

By Associated Press.—WINNEPEG, MAN., May 17.—Thirty thousand workers are idle and the city's business is at a standstill tonight as a result of the general strike of organized labor which has been in progress three days. There is no prospect of a settlement tonight and conditions are growing worse hourly. The city is without newspapers, street cars, telephone, telegraph or mail service.

## TWO OF THE GIANT AMERICAN SEAPLANES IN HALIFAX HARBOR BEFORE STARTING ON AZORES FLIGHT



THE NC-1 AND THE NC-3 AT ANCHOR IN HALIFAX HARBOR. Photos © CENTRAL NEWS PHOTO

## CHAMP CLARK HOUSE LEADER OF DEMOCRATS

Differences are Smoothed Out and Choice is Made Unanimous

## SENATORS ORGANIZED

Senator Pittman is Chosen As Candidate For President Pro Tem

By Associated Press.—WASHINGTON, May 17.—Democratic members of the new House today smoothed out the differences which had threatened to develop a fight on Champ Clark for Democratic House leader and at a party conference the former speaker was chosen for the leadership by acclamation.

Under the compromise plan, a committee will be appointed to consider the advisability of choosing a legislative steering committee.

Representative Sanders of Louisiana offered the resolution for appointment of the committee and it was carried unanimously. The Clark supporters having agreed to that program with the understanding that there would be no fight on their candidate.

Representative Saunders of Virginia was elected conference chairman and Representative Ashbrook of Ohio, secretary.

Mr. Clark also was unanimously named for the democratic candidate for (Continued on Page 6, Part 1)

## NC-4 at Horta 1 and 3 Delayed

By Associated Press.—WASHINGTON, May 17.—One of the three American seaplanes which set out last evening from Newfoundland in the attempt of a flight across the Atlantic, still was missing late tonight and another was riding out sea 200 miles from the island of Fayal, Azores, and the third was safe at Horta, Fayal, after establishing a record flight for a heavier-than-air machine.

The missing plane is the NC-3, flagship of Commander John Henry Towers, commander of the squadron, but the fact that the last report came from her at 5:15 o'clock this morning, Washington time, did not cause naval officials to entertain any apprehension for the safety of Commander Towers and his crew of four.

The last message from this ship showed her off her course and naval officials believe that it was only the mist bank which enveloped the sea around the Azores throughout the day that prevented all three of the planes from reaching port on or ahead of schedule time.

NG-1 Also Loses Way. Lieutenant Commander Bellinger's ship, the NC-1, also lost her way in the fog and was forced to descend at 11:40 a. m., Washington time.

The one plane to reach port was the NC-4, which led her sister ships specifically all the way and descended into Horta harbor at 1:30 o'clock. The performance of the plane for the flight was fifteen hours and thirteen minutes and the average speed was approximately 80 miles an hour.

The performance of the plane was all the more satisfactory to officials here because of the fact that she suffered a series of mishaps on the way. The NC-4 was damaged by a collision with the rocky shore at Ponta Delgada, by a collision with the rocky shore at Ponta Delgada, by a collision with the rocky shore at Ponta Delgada.

Most Daring Journey. To Lieutenant Commander Read, commanding the NC-4 goes the honor of the most daring journey ever attempted in an airplane of any kind. Rising from dinner last night at 10 o'clock, he set out on his voyage from Ponta Delgada, Azores, to Horta, Azores, and back to Ponta Delgada, Azores, in a single day.

Hard Luck Turns. The story of the long flight as told by the radio waves that filled the air over the North Atlantic last night is a story of hard luck. The NC-4 was nearly 30 minutes ahead of the NC-1 just before Commander Read sighted land at the Azores and the NC-1, in a vain effort to follow him, crashed into the sea.

Saved From Fog. That thirty minutes, officers believe, saved the NC-4 from the same fate as the NC-1. The fog was so thick that the NC-1 was unable to see the land and crashed into the sea.

Should wind come it would tear away the fog curtain and permit it to take the air again before the sea could rise. In any event, the sea is a real boat, seaworthy as well as airworthy. All were built to ride out storms on the surface if necessary.

The crew has ample stores of food, water and extra clothing. Probably the plane could taxi on the surface to safety as Commander Read did in the NC-1, when engine trouble drove him down north Cape Cod on the last voyage.

## GREATEST STEP TOWARD PEACE IN 1000 YEARS

Such is Declaration of Bryan in Addressing Presbyterian Assembly

## IS GIVEN AN OVATION

Educational Influence Beyond What Any Can Calculate He Declares

By Associated Press.—ST. LOUIS, May 17.—Declaring that the League of Nations is the greatest step toward peace ever taken in 1,000 years, William J. Bryan, addressing the 111th general assembly of the Presbyterian church in the United States of America, here today, said he was hopeful that we are going to see peace unbroken from now on.

Mr. Bryan, who is a commissioner to the assembly from Nebraska, was given an ovation when he appeared before the charwomen. The educational influence of the League of Nations is to furnish a substitute for war, I am hopeful of the results and as we enter upon this new period I want my church to enter upon a machinery that will make it possible to do the largest work that it is capable of doing.

A demonstration was started by the commissionery at the session today when the name of President Wilson was mentioned and a cablegram was sent felicitating the president upon his work and assuring him of "continued interest and prayer from all Presbyterians."

Resolutions presented to the convention included publications for proffer of observance of the Sabbath and strong condemnation of Sunday baseball, motion pictures and other Sunday sports and amusements. Terms upon which the Presbyterian church will participate in the inter-church world church movement include elimination of a religious test in the united campaign with other protestant churches for raising a central fund.

## YOUTHS ARRESTED AT EL PASO ARE CHARGED WITH MURDER

By Associated Press.—WACO, TEX., May 17.—Sheriff Buchanan and Detective Boyd arrived this morning over the M. K. & T. having in charge E. E. Spencer, 20; and J. D. Haje, 18, the two young men arrested in El Paso Thursday on a charge of killing Max Rubin, a merchant of Mart, Texas. Rubin was clubbed to death in his store and robbed on the night of May 1. They declare no one else had anything to do with the crime. They are in jail here.

## NEAR CRISIS IN GERMANY IS REPORTED

By Associated Press.—BERLIN, Friday, May 16. (French Wireless Service)—Persistent but contradictory reports of a government crisis are heard in Berlin. The weekly newspaper published by the Independent Socialist Breitefront says that Count von Bernstorff has been making an effort to form a new cabinet which includes Matthias Erzberger and Nooker, minister of defence. There are reports from official circles of a plan to create a cabinet of pacifists in the hope of winning for Germany the confidence of the Allies. The cabinet would include Karl Kautsky, Dr. Muehlon, Dr. Forster and Herr Hofeding. Among those mentioned as possible successors to Count Brockdorff-Rantau as foreign minister are Count Kelsner, former German minister at Warsaw, and Herr Gerlach.

## ASSIGNMENT OF PRACTICALLY THE ENTIRE THIRTY-SIXTH FOR EARLY RETURN IS ANNOUNCED

By Associated Press.—WASHINGTON, May 17.—Assignment of practically the entire Thirty-Sixth (Texas and Oklahoma National Guard) Division to early return home was announced today by the War Department.

Units of the 36th division, today's list of troops scheduled for convoy home included: Headquarters and Headquarters troops; 131, 132 and 133 Machine gun battalions; 71st and 72nd Infantry Brigade Headquarters; 141st, 142nd, 143rd and 144th Infantry; 36th Military Police; 111th Train Headquarters; 111th Sanitary Train; 111th Field Battalion Signal Corps; 111th Engineers; 111th Engineers Train; 111th Supply Corps; 111th Mobile Ordnance Repair Shop; Clothing Squad 311; Salvage Squad 312, and Sale Commissary Unit 306.

Other organizations assigned today were: Evacuation ambulance company four; evacuation hospital 15; 801 pioneer infantry; clothing and bath unit 312; 509 engineer service battalion headquarters and companies A, B, C, D; 512th engineers service battalion; sanitary squads 11, 16, 51, and 44; bakery companies 312, 343 and 345; base hospital 79; sales commissary units 3, 4, 61 and 313; butchery company 303; company M, 21st engineers; veterinary hospital 19 and 20; 14 casual company transportation corps; 227th military police company; company B 304th quartermasters corps service battalion; 529th medical detachment (company A); company C 529th engineers service battalion; motor transport corps detachment; provisional motor truck company A to H inclusive; motor transportation company 325, 370, inclusive; 370th, 372nd, 373rd and 374th.

Mrs. J. E. Harrington Saturday received a letter from her son, who is with the 11th Ammunition Train of the 36th Division, in which he stated that they would sail for home on May 28, which date is considered approximately correct, when considered in connection with the above official announcement from the war department at Washington.

Judge Hand refused to dismiss injunction in brewery case. Without giving an opinion on the constitutionality of the war time prohibition measure, the judge held that the suit was "not against the United States and may be entertained against the United States attorney because it affects the right of property and because the complainant, if his contentions be sound on the merits, has no adequate remedy at law."

Ample jurisdiction," he continued. "is shown over the acting collector of internal revenue," who, he held, was without authority to define an intoxicant.

Judge Hand traced the various proclamations of the president under authority of the food conservation act of August 18, 1917, to the proclamation of January 30, 1919, in which the president announced, he said, that the prohibition of the use of grain for the manufacture of beverages which are not intoxicating was no longer essential in order to assure an adequate and continuous supply of food, and "modified the former proclamation to the extent of permitting the use of grain in the manufacture of beverages which are not intoxicating."

## MEXICAN REBELS HOLD UP TRAIN AND KILL FORTY-TWO PEOPLE

By Associated Press.—WASHINGTON, May 17.—Rebels led by General Gabay, who was reported some time ago to have been killed, held up a train on the Alvarado line, 20 miles from Vera Cruz recently and killed 42 persons, including several women and children, and the entire military guard, according to advices reaching Washington today through official channels.

The rebels permitted an exploding train to pass unmolested, but exploded a charge of dynamite under the locomotive of the regular train.

An army paymaster on the train was taken prisoner, according to these reports, and the rebels seized a large sum of money he was carrying. The editor of El Diccionario, a newspaper, was also taken prisoner, and is being held for ransom.

## COOK COUNTY FAILS TO VOTE GOOD ROADS BONDS

GAINESVILLE, TEX., May 17.—Incomplete returns from road bond election in Cook county tonight indicate that the bonds have failed to carry by the necessary two-thirds majority.

## AROUND TWENTY THREE MILLION ON DEPOSIT IN WICHITA FALLS

Bank deposits in the five banks in the city of Wichita Falls on May 12 aggregated \$23,596,258.87, the highest ever reached in this city, but which has already been exceeded by more than a million dollars.

Figures from the banks at Burnett, Iowa Park and Electra, were not available yesterday but they are expected to increase the total for the city to considerably more than \$28,000,000.

The deposits of the Wichita Falls banks on May 12, according to reports compiled on the call of the controller of currency were as follows:

|                   |                 |
|-------------------|-----------------|
| City National     | \$ 3,145,978.02 |
| First National    | 3,105,492.14    |
| Wichita Bank      | 2,340,197.52    |
| Wichita State     | 1,859,538.32    |
| American National | 1,254,139.59    |
| Total             | \$23,596,258.87 |

### 77TH TROOPS MADE GREATEST ADVANCE AGAINST GERMANS

By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, May 17.—Official records of the war department show that the 77th division made a larger advance against the enemy than any other of the American divisions in France. The New York City national army men went forward a total of 7 1/2 kilometers. The Second (regular) Division advanced a total of 49 kilometers and the 42nd (Rainbow) Division 45 kilometers.

This announcement was made today by General March, chief of staff. Fourth in the list in the First (regular) with 51 kilometers; the 28th (Kansas, Missouri, South Dakota, Nebraska, Colorado and New Mexico and Arizona) was fifth with 48 kilometers. These five divisions with the Third (regular), which recorded an advance of 41 kilometers, carried the American line forward for more than fifty per cent of the total advance made by all the forces of the United States.

The official record of the other divisions as given by General March were:

30th, 38 kilometers; 26th, 27; 32nd, 25; 23rd, 25; 81st, 24; 37th, 30; 30th, 24; 5th, 20; 90th, 23 1/2; Fourth, 24; 78th, 21; 79th, 19 1/2; 52nd, 17; 35th, 12 1/2; 27th, 11; 25th, 10; 92nd, 8 1/2; 29th, seven; 81st, 6 1/2; and Seventh, 1.

### MILITARY MOVEMENT IN ANTICIPATION OF PEACE WITH TURKEY

By Associated Press. PARIS, May 17.—Allied naval forces were landed at Smyrna on Wednesday, it developed, in dispatches received today from the Near East where military moves are being made in anticipation of the making of peace with Turkey.

All the forts and strategic points at Smyrna were taken possession of by nightfall.

The movement was directed by the peace conference as a precautionary measure for the maintenance of order, according to the terms of the Turkish armistice. The British and French forces will be withdrawn as soon as the authority of Greece as a mandatory is established firmly.

The occupation of Smyrna is preliminary to the establishment of a mandatory throughout European and Asiatic Turkey.

French newspapers report that the United States will become the mandatory for Constantinople but the American authorities say that this has not yet been decided finally. The council of four, it is said, has agreed that Great Britain shall be the mandatory for Mesopotamia and Palestine; France for Syria and Cilicia; Italy for Adalia and the United States for Armenia.

### NO MORE OVERSEAS PATIENTS ASSIGNED TO BOWIE HOSPITAL

By Associated Press. FORT WORTH, May 17.—Orders arrived this afternoon to discontinue the Camp Bowie hospital as a base hospital. It will remain only as a camp hospital and no more overseas patients will be sent here. No patient who must remain 30 days will be allowed to enter the hospital hereafter, but will be sent to San Antonio base hospital.

### FEDERAL JUDGE OPPOSES THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS

By Associated Press. KANSAS-CITY, MO., May 17.—That the League of Nations in its present proposed form will not accomplish the prevention of war; will bring complications and disturbances destructive of permanent peace; will be a departure from time-honored and substantial American policies and traditions; will endanger national safety and is violative of the spirit and letter of the constitution of the United States, was the declaration of Judge Arba S. Van Valkenburg, of the United States district court, in an address before the Kansas City Bar Association tonight.

"I oppose this covenant in its present and proposed form," the judge said, "because it involves us in engagements dangerous to our national safety, which we can avoid, if at all, only by acts in contravention of our express agreements, exposing us to the charge of international bad faith; because it introduces the element of internationalism, breaks down the safeguards of national patriotism, and embarrasses the exercise of our sovereignty in the control of our international affairs. One of the tragic dangers of this proposed league is that it is calculated to lull us into the sense of false security; that by reliance upon the league for protection against war, we may neglect to keep ourselves in a proper defensive posture. In this more plausible guise, the League of Nations, we find the same old pacifist heresy—'peace at any price, even with dishonor and national ruin, anything whatsoever, so it be labelled peace'—a doctrine which it had been supposed the experience of this war had discredited for all time—we find this heresy, I say, creeping forth into the light again to threaten our future safety."

### KELLAR GETS VERDICT FOR FIFTY THOUSAND

By Associated Press. SAN ANTONIO, TEX., May 17.—A verdict of \$50,000 was obtained in the district court here today by W. E. Kellar against 11 citizens of Luling, Caldwell county, Texas, on the grounds of damages growing out of tarring and feathering of Kellar in May, 1918, at Luling.

Kellar sued for \$200,000. His petition for damages alleges that on May 17, 1918, a number of citizens of Luling applied a coat of tar and feathers to him, put a banner bearing the inscription, "Traitor. Others take notice," on him, marched him through the streets and ran him out of the county. It is alleged that the tar and feathers were applied because of reported abuse by Kellar of the Red Cross, the United States and the American soldiers.

### TO RAISE HALF MILLION FOR CUMBERLAND SCHOOL

By Associated Press. PAYETTEVILLE, ARK., May 17.—A campaign to raise a half million dollar fund for the erection of a Presbyterian college, the location for which has not been decided upon, was launched at the Friday night session of the 89th general assembly of the Cumberland Presbyterian church. Reports this morning indicate that the fund had gone over the \$100,000 mark.

In addition to raising the large amount for the proposed school, it was announced that \$15,000 was secured for mission work in China, and \$20,000 for general church work.

McKenzie, Tenn., was selected as the next meeting place of the assembly.

### WARNING IS ISSUED BY DEPUTY REVENUE COLLECTOR

Every man that is selling oil and gas leases is due to pay the U. S. government a broker's tax. The penalty is severe for those that are engaged in that business without first having taken out the tax and this hour last warning. I can be found at the U. S. commissioner's office in the court house for the next week to attend to all that may want to come forward and pay their tax.

Wm. C. POPE, Deputy Collector Internal Revenue.

### METEOROLOGICAL STATION AT FORT MYERS, FLA.

By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, May 17.—A special meteorological station to aid in the detection of West Indian hurricanes for the benefit of the states along the Gulf of Mexico is being established at Fort Myers, Fla., by the weather bureau and will be in operation about June 1.

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### MAJOR GENERAL LYON TO COMMAND CAMP BOWIE

By Associated Press. FORT WORTH, May 17.—Major General Leroy Lyon, who commanded a national army division in France, has been appointed commander of Camp Bowie, succeeding General Flegler, who has been transferred to the engineer's camp at Camp Humphreys, Va. General Lyon is a cavalry officer.

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# Oil News

**TEXAS CHIEF CO. IS REPORTED TO HAVE FOUND SAND**

The Texas Chief Oil Company is reported to have struck the oil sand on Saturday afternoon in its test in Block 87, about one mile due north of the Burk-Wagoner well. The depth at which the sand was found was not definitely learned, but it would be somewhere between 1600 and 1700 feet, judging from the depth at which the test was reported drilling Friday. The American Refinery test in Block 87 was drilling between 1100 and 1200 feet Saturday. This location is directly between the Texas Chief and the Burk-Wagoner well.

**THORNBERRY OIL CO. IS RIGGING UP FOR TEST**

The Thornberry Oil Company is now rigging up for its deep test on the 1000-acre lease of the company, in the northwestern part of Clay county, on the divide between the Wichita and Red Rivers. Actual drilling is to begin at once, according to the officers of the company and Messrs Ferrell and Miller, contractors now have all material on the location, which is at a point about midway between Burkburnett and Petrolia oil fields. The test is less than two miles southeast of the Price-Gamble test and four miles east of the Newman deep test on the Lovell farm. The company was organized by local business and professional men, including Judge C. B. Felder, Vaughn T. Jones and Perry Roop. The latter a large land owner in the vicinity of the company's holdings.

**BOB BREWER WELL REPORTED MAKING 1500 OR BETTER**

The second producer in Block 84, the Bob Brewer No. 1 Wagoner, was reported in Friday evening. The well was drilled in with a rotary and started flowing 1,500 barrels or better while still not entirely cleaned out. It is reported to be an offset to the Burk-Wagoner No. 2 Wagoner and the Fern Oil Company's No. 1 Wagoner.

## OIL STOCK QUOTATIONS

Central Stock Exchange.

| Ask.                 | Bid    |
|----------------------|--------|
| *British American    | 125    |
| Big Lime             | 80     |
| Benson Oldham        | 195    |
| Burk Port            | 480    |
| Burk Crest           | 110    |
| Blue Belle           | 95     |
| Burkley              | 250    |
| Chenault             | 22.50  |
| *Fern                | 150    |
| *Gold Leaf           | 375    |
| Harvester Oil        | 160    |
| Hearn                | 25     |
| Kemp-Munger-Allen    | 225    |
| *King Eight          | 600    |
| Lucky No. 2          | 175    |
| M. & P. Burk O. & G. | 950    |
| Mid Field            | 250    |
| *Poun. O. & G.       | 112.50 |
| Summit Pet.          | 400    |
| Sky Line             | 115    |
| Sure Pop             | 310    |
| *Summer Field Oil    | 170    |
| Thrill No. 4         | 900    |
| Twin Cities          | 140    |
| *Tennessee No. 1     | 405    |
| *Tennessee No. 2     | 190    |
| *Tennessee No. 3     | 120    |
| United Oil           | 700    |
| *United Southern     | 115    |
| Uncle Joe            | 150    |

People's Stock Exchange.

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|----------------------|--------|
| *Burk Bet            | 100    |
| *Burk George         | 105    |
| *Burk Sun            | 125    |
| Clay                 | 250    |
| *Burk Port           | 455    |
| *Blue Belle          | 100    |
| Burk Lucas           | 250    |
| Burdage-Hancock, 2   | 230    |
| Contractors          | 175    |
| Drillers & Producers | 100    |
| Engle                | 100    |
| Endwell              | 125    |
| Goleonda             | 600    |
| *Gold Leaf           | 330    |
| Hammond & Art        | 300    |
| Harvester            | 190    |
| Horse Shoe Bend      | 110    |
| Kemp-Munger-Allen    | 230    |
| *King Eight          | 600    |
| M. & P. Burk         | 1000   |
| *Perry Browning      | 105    |
| *Poun. No. 2         | 100    |
| *Silver Leaf         | 100    |
| *Sure Pop            | 285    |
| Sky Lips             | 130    |
| Sunshine State Ref.  | 145    |
| *Tennessee No. 1     | 400    |
| *Tennessee No. 2     | 200    |
| *Tennessee No. 3     | 115    |
| Texas Chief          | 600    |
| Thrill No. 4         | 850    |
| *United              | 525    |
| United Southern      | 107.50 |
| Western Globe        | 325    |

**REPORT GOOD SHOWING IN THE HAEMFA WELL**

A star rig for drilling in and completing the test, was being moved on the Haemfa Oil Company, No. 1 Wagoner Saturday, according to reports from the field. Officers of the company report a good showing when the sand was drilled into with the rotary, and they expect to be ready for completion and test the first of the week.

## SEVERAL RIGS AND DRILLING MACHINERY FOR ARCHER COUNTY

Several rigs and other drilling machinery are reported on the way to the Rangeburnett Oil Company's properties, on the Coleman ranch, in Archer county, north of Archer City. Machinery is also reported enroute to the Ashton Oil Company's location for the first test, in the northeast corner of the William Spavin Survey, almost due south of Archer City. Not far from Windthorst, just across the county line in Clay material is being moved on for the Pringle test, in Lot 43, Block 2, Clark and Plumb pasture. It is reported, while the next few weeks are expected to see work begun on numerous other new locations, in widely scattered parts of the county.

A late drilling report from Archer, Young a Baylor, follows:  
**Archer County.**  
 Silk, Bullington and Langford, No. 1 Seave drilling around 1575. location of Sinclair Oil Company, moving off rotary and building standard, 1200 feet.  
 Wilhelm et al. No. 1 Mangold, shut down below 300 feet.  
 Findley-Leach Oil Co., No. 9 McCall and Sanderson, shut down at 500 feet. Healy Construction Company, No. 1 McCoy, shut down at 400 feet.  
 Humble Oil and Refining Company, No. 2 Taylor, drilling below 1000 feet.  
 King et al. No. 1 Mullineaux, shut down at 350 feet.  
 Van Steed Oil Co., No. 1 Parrish, shut down at 650 feet.  
 Sparks et al. No. 1 Cowan, rig.  
 Pore and Heydrick, No. 1 Fore, rig.  
 Humble Oil and Ref. No. 1 Parker, timbers on ground.  
 Mann et al. No. 1 Hanel, location.  
**Young County.**  
 Merrill Oil and Gas Co., No. 1 Hunt, spudded in.  
 Roxant Petroleum Co., No. 1 Donnell, location.  
 Corden Oil and Gas, No. 1 Timmons, trouble with casing, around 2,000 feet.  
 The Texas Company, No. 1 M. K. Graham, drilling around 4100 feet.  
 The Texas Company, No. 1 Arnold, shut down below 4100 feet.  
 The Texas Company, No. 1 Blair, drilling below 2100 feet.  
 The Texas Company, No. 1 Norris, drilling around 400 feet.  
 Moore et al. No. 1 Keene, shut down at 600 feet.  
 Snowden Brothers, No. 1 Addie Graham, drilling around 675 feet.  
**Baylor County.**  
 Pure Oil and Gas Company, No. 1 Stevens, derrick.  
 Harry Van Ness et al. No. 1 Snyder, rig completed.  
 Dunn et al. No. 1 Webb, trouble with casing, 1350 feet.  
 Wilcox et al. No. 1 Robertson, location.  
 Kansas-Gulf Production and Refining Company, No. 1 Stearns, derrick.  
 Coffman et al. No. 1 Albright, shut down below 600 feet.

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### TWO NOTED AIRMEN IN WICHITA FALLS TO ENTER OIL INDUSTRY

LIEUT. BACKUS HAS DISTINCTION  
OF BEING ONE OF AMERICAN  
ACES.

### HAVE EXCITING EXPERIENCES

Saw Service on Many of the Important Fronts During Last Months of War.

Two former officers in the American air service, who have had two years in France, a part of it with the French army, and were members of the first class of 76 Americans graduated as flyers in France, are now in Wichita Falls, leading the oil business from the working end. One of these, David H. Backus, is an ace, having brought down eight planes—and the other, J. S. Young, has also brought down several planes, and was himself shot down twice in No Man's Land in daylight.

Lieutenant Backus has received two American citations, the Distinguished Service Cross, and the oak leaf branch of the Croix de Guerre with palm, and a second French decoration, the Fourragere, which was given the ambulance company with which he served when he first went across. His most sensational battle was staged on the Argonne front, on October 26, when he brought down four German planes in six minutes. He was by himself when this fight occurred, and had eight Boche planes as opponents.

Had French training. Both young men received their training from French instructors, and got into action very quickly after enlisting in the air service. Two months and two days after Mr. Backus' first flight as cadet, he was brevetted by the French.

Both were very fortunate in seeing service on many of the important fronts during the last six or eight months of the war, on the Montdidier, Chateau Thierry, Saint Mihiel, and Argonne fronts, and had the added good fortune of escaping any bodily injury. Mr. Backus even in his flight of October 26, in downing the four Boche planes, escaped without a single bullet through his ship. Though Mr. Young was twice shot down in No Man's Land in daylight, neither he nor his observer were injured. As is customary with men in any branch of the service, who have seen considerable action, both are extremely reticent about discussing their experiences, and dismise the majority of them with the statement that they just were more fortunate than the others, that they had good luck all the way through.

With Eddie Ripkenbacker. Both were members of the class in which Eddie Ripkenbacker, the premier ace, received his training, and flew on fronts with him. Mr. Backus was with the 49th Squadron, and Mr. Young with the 90th, when the armistice was signed. Both returned to the United States the first of the year, after an absence of two years, the first six months being spent in the French army. Mr. Backus was a student in the University of Missouri, his home being in Saint Paul, Minn., and Mr. Young a Dartmouth graduate, his home being in Montpelier, Vermont.

Like many other easterners, particularly those in the service who have sought to prolong the adventure they found in the war, both young men turned to the oil fields of the west to furnish further excitement, and are now engaged in learning the game, by starting in out in the field. Mr. Young has been a scout with the Gulf Production Company for the past two weeks, and Mr. Backus, after working in the Osage fields for two months has come on Burk Burnett and will probably be located there.

### ENCOUNTER SAND AT 780 FEET ON THE M'COY LEASE

The Healdton Construction Co., and others drilling on the McCoy lease six miles south of Wichita Falls are reported to have found a sand at 760 feet containing considerable oil. The sand was eleven feet thick.

Drilling will continue. The company has contracted to drill a 2,000-foot hole.

### BURK-MACK WELL IS REPORTED ON THE SAND

The Burk Mack Oil Company's well on lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, Wigham addition to Burk Burnett, is on the sand and are standardizing, the company reports, and expect to have this well completed in a few days.

### BREVETTES

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Johnson are in Dallas, where Mr. Johnson is in a sanitarium for treatment for rheumatism. Mr. Johnson is trainmaster for the Wichita Falls and Northwestern.

### CASES ON CALENDAR FOR TRIAL THIS WEEK

The following cases are on the calendar for trial in the 19th district court this week: Hazardwood, Stout vs. Atlas Windmill Co. Kendall vs. Atlas Windmill Co. Harvey vs. Turkey Creek Oil Co. Fine vs. Silk.

### ITALIANS COMPLAIN OF RECENT ACTIONS OF MEXICAN POLICE

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, May 17.—Action of the Mexican authorities in refusing for several days to permit Rear Admiral Count Max Lovatelli, naval attaché of the Italian embassy, to leave Mexico City for Vera Cruz and in summoning him to appear before a tribunal of investigation has been made the subject of an official report to the Italian government, according to advices received today from the Mexican capital.

Count Lovatelli went to Mexico some weeks ago to inspect the Tampico oil fields and after his arrival in Mexico City the Mexican government insisted upon conducting an investigation as to his status and business in Mexico.

Permitted to Proceed. He finally was permitted to proceed to Vera Cruz for the return to the United States after he had repeatedly refused to report to the military authorities.

According to the advices received, Count Lovatelli was met by a police official at the station when he started for Vera Cruz and told to report to the military commandant. This he refused to do and returned to the Italian legation. The Italian charge, Antonio del Conti Canton, explained to the authorities the position of Count Lovatelli and received assurances that he would be permitted to leave the next day. When he went to the station, however, he was again told that he must report to the military commandant. The count again refused to comply and returned to the legation.

Legation Guarded. Policemen were placed about the legation and for two days Count Lovatelli did not leave the building. Meanwhile the charges made formal protest in the name of the Italian government. The day after he went to the foreign office, the Mexico City newspapers, including several government organs, charged that Count Lovatelli had not announced his proposed visit to Tampico or his arrival there; that he tried to conceal his name upon his arrival in the oil fields and had gone immediately into the territory controlled by the rebel leader, Pelaez. On the day following the foreign government notified the charge that a formal investigation was to be made by the government regarding the published charges, and issued assurances for Count Lovatelli to appear before the investigation. This the count refused to do.

Camillo Cirruti, secretary to Count Lovatelli, was attacked by Mexican bandits while inspecting the Tampico oil fields and robbed of valuables and his clothing.

### ANNOUNCE THE ARRIVAL OF NINE-POUND GIRL

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Murph of 1111 Monroe street, announce the arrival on Sunday, May 11, of a nine-pound daughter at the Wichita General Hospital. Mother and baby are doing nicely.

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OF INTEREST TO SPORT FANS

PATE IS HIGH GUN AT THE GUN CLUB SHOOT ON FRIDAY

C. J. Pate again shattered the rocks in fine form at Friday afternoon's shoot of the Wichita Gun Club...

A. G. Deatherage also did good work breaking 45 out of 50. S. A. Wilfong, Will Daniels and C. B. Woods each made 44 out of 50.

Table listing scores for various shooters: C. J. Pate 49 out of 50, A. G. Deatherage 48 out of 50, S. A. Wilfong 44 out of 50, Will Daniels 44 out of 50, C. B. Woods 44 out of 50, Gallagher 44 out of 50, Gilnt Wood 40 out of 50, Rich Hamming 36 out of 50, Browner 38 out of 50, Burton Station 36 out of 50, Chas. Greenberg 36 out of 50, Jack Gotcher 11 out of 25, C. Boyer 22 out of 25, Preston Wood 12 out of 25, Loveland 13 out of 25, Kovken 9 out of 25, Newton Maer 14 out of 25.

JACKSON AND BROWN GO FIFTEEN TO A DRAW

By Associated Press. FORT WORTH, TEXAS, May 17.—Nate Jackson, of Oklahoma City, earned a draw with Flyweight Champion K. O. Brown here last night over the fifteen round course.

DEMPESEY BEGINS WORK TRAINING FOR FIGHT

TOLEDO, O., May 17.—Muffled to the ears in a heavy sweater, Jack Dempsey, challenger for the world's heavyweight championship, was early today for the first road work of his training grid for his championship battle with Jess Willard here July 4.

FRED MITCHELL ANNOUNCES COMPLETE CHANGE IN LINEUP

By Associated Press. NEW YORK, May 17.—Disatisfied with the recent playing of the Chicago National league champions, who lost four straight games to New York, Manager Fred Mitchell announced today that he would change both his lineup and batting order.

PITCHER ROBERTSON SO LD TO WASHINGTON

By Associated Press. NEW ORLEANS, May 17.—President Heinemann, of the New Orleans Southern Association club, announced tonight that Pitcher Dick Robertson had been sold to the Washington Americans.

WAIVERS ASKED ON PITCHER LOWDERMILK

By Associated Press. ST. LOUIS, May 17.—Business manager Quinn of the St. Louis Americans requested tonight that the St. Louis club be asked to waive Pitcher Grover Lowdermilk and that he would leave tonight to join the Chicago Americans.

WESTERN ASSOCIATION

At Des Moines, 7; Joplin, 4. At St. Joseph, 6; Tulsa, 0. At Omaha, 3; Oklahoma City, 1. At Sioux City, 0; Wichita, 1.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

At Kansas City, 1; Milwaukee, 6. At Minneapolis, 7; St. Paul, 6. At Toledo, 4; Louisville, 3. At Columbus, 0; Indianapolis, 6.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE

At Birmingham, 4; Chattanooga, 2. At Atlanta, 2; Nashville, 7. At Mobile, 8; Memphis, 2. At New Orleans, 6; Little Rock, 5.

DIRECTOR HINES INSPECTS TERMINALS AT GALVESTON

By Associated Press. GALVESTON, TEXAS, May 17.—Walker D. Hines, director general of railroads for the federal railroad administration, with a party of administration officials, spent two hours in Galveston this morning.

HEAVY RAIN REPORTED EAST OF HENRIETTA

Heavy rains as far west as Henrietta Friday night were reported by the Fort Worth and Denver yesterday. The rainfall was very heavy all the way from Fort Worth to Henrietta.

Baseball Results

TEXAS LEAGUE

At Houston, 2; Waco, 1. At San Antonio, 2; Dallas, 4. At Galveston, 3; Shreveport, 2. At Beaumont, 10; Fort Worth, 6.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

KEATING WINS OWN GAME WITH SINGLE IN THE TENTH

By Associated Press. BOSTON, May 17.—Keating won his own game with a single in the 10th inning today, scoring Smith from third and Boston lifted Pittsburgh 3 to 2. Score: Pittsburgh 3, Boston 2. Batters: Evans and Schmidt, Sweeney; Keating and Wilson. Two base hits, Bigbee, Herzog, Riggert. Three base hit, Stengel. Stolen bases, Bigbee, Holke. Bases on balls, off Keating 2. Struck out by Evans 4, Keating 3. Double play, Keating to Smith to Holke.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

GALLIA ALLOWS BOSTON ONLY THREE BINGLES

By Associated Press. ST. LOUIS, May 17.—Gallia allowed Boston three hits today and St. Louis won the opening game of the series, 2 to 1. Score: Boston 1, St. Louis 2. Batters: Jones, Pennock and Schang; Gallia and Mayer. Two base hits, Strunk, Sisler. Stolen bases, Hooper, Schange. Double play, McInnis, unassisted. Struck out by Jones 4.

WASHINGTON WIN STHE OPENER WITH DETROIT

By Associated Press. DETROIT, May 17.—Washington won the opening game from Detroit 3 to 2. The winning run came in the eighth inning, when Ellison failed to cover Menck's short fly back of second base, Leonard scoring. Score: Washington 3, Detroit 2. Batters: Shaw and Picinich; Boland and Ainsmith. Three base hit, Rice. Stolen base, Ellison. Double plays, Ellison to Bush to Hellman; Boland to Ellison to Hellman. Bases on balls, off Shaw 6, Boland 3. Struck out by Shaw 2, Boland 3.

NEW YORK OPENS AT CLEVELAND WITH VICTORY

By Associated Press. CLEVELAND, May 17.—New York opened its Cleveland series this afternoon with an 8 to 3 victory, knocking Morton from the box in one inning and also hitting Uhl hard in the seventh. Score: New York 8, Cleveland 3. Batters: Quig and Ruel; Morton, Uhl, Phillips and Nunamaker. Two base hits, Pratt 2, Ruel, Vick. Stolen bases, Lewis, Bodie, Ruel, Baker, Smith 2, Johnson, Wambganse 2. Double play, Peckinpaugh, Pratt. Pipp. Bases on balls off Quinn 1, Morton 2, Uhl 3. Struck out by Quinn 3, Morton 1, Uhl 4.

RESERVATIONS FOR BIG FIGHT EXCEED ALL EXPECTATIONS

TOLEDO, OHIO, May 17.—Although the heavyweight championship battle between Jess Willard and Jack Dempsey is nearly seven weeks away, Tex Rickard, promoter of the contest, announced tonight that virtually all of the \$60 tickets, the choice ringside seats, had been sold.

With a party of friends, Dempsey and Manager Jack Kearns, motored along the shores of Lake Erie and Maumee bay this afternoon in search of a training camp for the heavy-weight challenger. The spot they favored is located on Maumee bay about one mile from the arena site.

It is a former club house of fourteen rooms, containing a billiard room, a room for dancing and other attractive features. It is situated within a stone's throw of the bay and the fishing and swimming facilities proved an alluring attraction to Dempsey.

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GEORGE BURNS' DRIVE WINS FOR PHILADELPHIA

By Associated Press. CHICAGO, May 17.—George Burns' drive, which got past Leibold for a three base hit in the second inning, won for Philadelphia the first game of the series with Chicago, 1 to 0 today. Burns scored on Walkey's sacrifice hit. Score: Chicago 0, Philadelphia 1. Batters: Williams, Kerr and Schalk; Rogers and McAvay. Two base hit, Leibold. Three base hit, Burns. Stolen base, Gandil. Double plays, Schalk, Collins, Shannon. Dugan, Burns. Bases on balls, off Williams 2, off Rogers 5. Struck out by Williams 6, by Kerr 2, by Rogers 2.

HOLDS THAT NEW LAW REPEALS BY IMPLICATION

AUSTIN, May 17.—When a new law covers the whole subject matter of an old one and prescribes a different penalty the old law is repealed by implication, held the attorney general today.

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### CHAMP CLARK IS HOUSE LEADER

(Continued from Page 1, Part 1)

speaker, and in his speech of acceptance told his democratic colleagues that if they would stick together "we will be able to woe the republicans."

The 10 democratic members of the ways and means committee were re-elected by a conference and directed to make the assignments of democratic on the standing committees.

Speeches urging harmony and cooperation among the minority with praise for the administration of President Wilson were made at the conference.

A man who cannot defend the Democratic record of both the Democratic congress and Democratic administration is a stark idiot, declared former Speaker Clark. "It must be a matter of pride to every American citizen worthy of his heritage that the president of the United States, Woodrow Wilson, is universally acclaimed the foremost man of all the world. It is our duty to uphold his hands."

### OWEN OF OKLAHOMA ON STEERING COMMITTEE

WASHINGTON, May 17.—Senator Pittman, of Nevada, was chosen by democratic senators in conference today as their candidate for permanent pro tempore of the Senate. Although conceding that the republicans were in a position to organize the Senate, the democrats met to arrange a slate of officers for formal presentation.

The choice of Senator Pittman was without opposition and the conference also re-elected unanimously, Senator Martin of Virginia as floor leader. Thirty-six of the 47 democratic senators were present.

Senator Gerry, of Rhode Island, was chosen whip, succeeding former Senator Lewis of Illinois. The senators were unanimous in a decision to protest against the republican plan to divide the principal committees by giving 10 places to the republicans and seven to the democrats.

Senator Martin was authorized by the conference to appoint a steering committee of 12 members, an increase of two, to allot minority committee assignments and to handle the minor legislative policies. Ratification of the committee appointments of the conference will not be necessary.

Senator Martin late today appointed the following senators as members of the democratic steering committee: Williams, Mississippi; Reed, Missouri; North Carolina; Smith, Georgia; Walsh, Montana; Thomas, Colorado; Chamberlain, Oregon; Owen, Oklahoma; Robinson, Arkansas; Pittman, Nevada; and Underwood, Alabama.

### REPUBLICANS PROPOSE GENERAL INVESTIGATION

WASHINGTON, May 17.—Republicans members of the house upon the convening of congress proposed to institute "a general investigation of administration activities and expenditures since the beginning of the war

### as will fully inform the people and serve the public interest."

This item was added to the party's legislative program by the house Republicans tonight at a meeting apparently devoid of factional differences.

The conference also went on record as favoring early prospects of early legislation outlining a definite military policy, of measures providing for early return of American soldiers from overseas; of public oil and coal land legislation, and of measures to promote water-power development.

Revision of the immigration laws and enactment of legislation providing for deportation of undesirable aliens also was added to the party's legislative program. The conference proposed that the republican members, who will be in majority in the new house, enact legislation for the extension of foreign trade and the promotion of agriculture and manufacture.

### PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS PERFECT ORGANIZATION

AUSTIN, TEXAS, May 17.—An organization was perfected today by the state board of public accountancy recently appointed by the governor by the election of J. B. Smith, chairman, and Frank J. Huey of Houston, secretary and treasurer. The board decided to hold its first meeting during the month of August on a date and place to be announced later, at which time it will pass upon applications for certificates as certified accountants. The members of the board present, besides the chairman and secretary were T. E. Allday, Wichita Falls; Milton Morris, Austin, and D. H. Roush, Fort Worth.

### GERMAN EPISCOPATE HAS APPEALED TO THE POPE

ROME, May 17.—The entire German episcopate has addressed a petition to the pope for his good offices to mitigate the conditions of peace, which in their judgment, "it is impossible to fulfill."

Pope Benedict, with a view to cooperating in the speedy re-establishment of a lasting and humanitarian peace throughout the world, has taken steps to communicate the petition to one of the most important delegations at the peace conference with the object of having the conditions imposed on Germany so modified as to make them acceptable.

### AVIATION EXPERTS ARE TO LEAVE FOR EUROPE

WASHINGTON, May 17.—Assistant Secretary of War Benedict, Crowell and a number of military and civilian aviation experts leave for Europe this month to study possibilities of developing the science of aviation along the lines of civilian usage. Secretary Baker announced today that the party would sail from New York May 15, on the transport Mount Vernon.

### BIRMINGHAM TO SECURE BAPTIST EDUCATION BOARD

ATLANTA, GA., May 17.—The newly created education board of the Southern Baptist convention will be located in Birmingham, Ala., with the Rev. W. G. Glavin, of Louisville, Ky., as corresponding secretary and executive head.

This was recommended by a special committee whose report was unanimously adopted by the convention at today's session.

### NC-4 AT HORTA 1 AND 3 DELAYED

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first leg of the flight. But the purpose of the navy is to make trans-Atlantic flight, not to taxi part of the way, on the surface, officers said, and consequently Commander Towers was expected to wait a clearing of the fog, then to rise and push on to Ponta Delgada without stopping at Horta.

Even should the fog-bound plane be short of fuel and the searching destroyers fail to find it, officials were confident that they would make their way safely to land. As illustrating the seaworthiness of the craft, officers recalled that during the war a crew brought in an American seaplane off the coast of France after eleven days on the water in a violent storm. The men lightened the plane of all weight possible and rigged up a sail of the wings.

Naval officials here were somewhat in doubt as to whether Commander Read's plans for continuing the flight to Lisbon.

One message from the Columbia at Horta said the NC-4 would not attempt to proceed to Ponta Delgada until tomorrow. A later report from Rear Admiral Jackson at the latter place, however, said the weather was clearing shortly after noon and Commander Read may have decided to push on. A delay of five or six hours in transmission of cable messages from the Azores left the situation here in doubt.

It was generally believed that Commander Read would start for Lisbon at his earliest opportunity, if the fog keeps him tied up at Horta until tomorrow, however, it appeared doubtful that he could avoid losing a day in his schedule, which called for a start from Ponta Delgada on the 300-mile direct flight to Lisbon tomorrow. Horta to Lisbon direct would add 150 miles to the journey, making it possible that the airship would be forced to make a landing after dark, should it attempt to catch up tomorrow. There is also a possibility that Read would delay as long as possible to let his companions rejoin him. They waited for him at Tropicsey and he may feel bound to take the same course. But the prime purpose of the whole trip is to put an American seaplane across the Atlantic ocean in air. It was said here, and neither Read nor his brother officers will take any action that might by any chance imperil that enterprise. Too much effort and expense have been lavished upon this attempt, officers said, to permit questions of sentiment to endanger it.

### NC-4 MADE AN AVERAGE OF 90 MILES AN HOUR

HORTA, ISLAND OF PAYAL, May 17.—The NC-4 averaged 90 miles per hour to Horta Bay and, according to Lieutenant Commander Read, made the flight in 13 hours and 15 minutes. The three American seaplanes for a considerable time after their start from Tropicsey, flew virtually together, but finally the NC-4 drew ahead.

Commander Read looked to be in splendid condition on his arrival here.

When about 200 miles from Corvo Island, he said he met had weather and fog. This continued to the end. His plane flew at an altitude of 3,500 feet; then was compelled to come down close to the water owing to the fog. There was no mishap or untoward occurrence during the passage and the NC-4 was found to be in perfect condition.

The members of the crew had no sleep, but nourished themselves fairly well on sandwiches. The men were all fit and anxious to continue on their voyage to Europe.

During the early part of the flight the seaplanes were favored with full moonlight.

### FLIGHT DESCRIBED TO PRESS CORRESPONDENT

LONDON, May 17.—The commander of the NC-4, describing the flight to the correspondent of the Weekly Dispatch, stationed at Horta, said he flew his machine at 10,000 feet until he sighted the island of Corvo. He then descended to 200 feet, owing to the fog.

Half an hour before its arrival the NC-4 was forced by the fog to alight on the water in search of harbor. When this was located, the flight was resumed, and the airplane got along side the cruiser Columbia and reported that the NC-1 had argued on the water nearby, but expected to arrive at any moment.

The crew of the NC-4 were all well.

### SUCCESSFUL FLIGHT DUE TO PREPARATION

NEW YORK, May 17.—The successful ocean flight of the naval seaplanes, which were reported to have traversed two third of the 1,350 mile cruise to the Azores when Secretary of the Navy Daniels, returning from Europe, stepped ashore from the transport Mount Vernon today, was distributed by the secretary to precautions taken in preparation for the undertaking.

"This is no such thing as 'navy luck,'" said Mr. Daniels. "We have been working up to this flight for two years and as in other projects within its sphere of activities what the navy has done was due to a perfect system of operation."

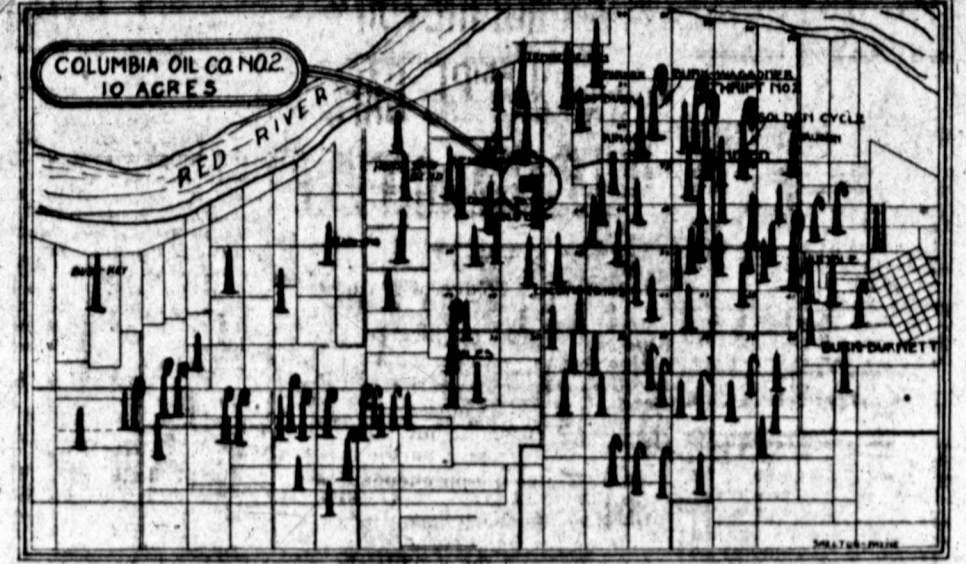
The secretary stated that he has made it known in Great Britain that the American trans-Atlantic flight was not intended as a competition with the efforts of British aviators. His effort, he said, was to contribute toward the charting of the air course from America to Europe.

### DALLAS INSURANCE MEN CONFER WITH COMMISSIONER

AUSTIN, TEX., May 17.—Officials of the Texas inspection bureau of Dallas conferred with the state fire insurance commissioner and the attorney general relative to the legal and other phases of the bureau recently organized for the purpose of preventing and decreasing fire waste in Texas. Insurance companies in Texas are the members of the bureau which plans to decrease fire hazards in the state. Those here were: A. R. Andrews, manager; Tom Monagan, president, and George Wright, attorney.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Shows of Ardmore, Okla., are here for a week's visit with Mrs. Show's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hunter, 1410 Eleventh street.

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# FIRST ANNUAL ROUND-UP IS BIG SUCCESS

Many Thrills are Furnished by Contestants During Three Days

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Wichita Falls' first annual Round-Up is over—ended in that well known blaze of glory that all story writers like to sing about. Every man, woman and youngster who witnessed any one of the six performances that began in this city last Thursday and closed Saturday night realizes today that one of the greatest all-contest exhibitions ever staged in the West was given in Wichita Falls. The entire show was run on its own merits and that not a single feature could at any time be branded as a "frame-up." It was clear, clean, hard work throughout—hard work by the Chamber of Commerce committee, hard work by Roy McKinley, "Buck" Sansom, "Bob" Tadlock and the other Fort Worth men interested, and hard work by every cowpuncher who paid his entry fee to battle for the prize money.

Excitement For All. In a big sense, it is not using a trite expression to say that the Round-Up "ended in a blaze of glory." For Saturday night's grand finale produced more thrills than any other day of the Round-Up. Leonard Stroud was thrown headlong from his horse in the goatroping contest when the animal stumbled. Shorty Keiser was pitched from Brown Marsh in the bucking contest; Charlie Blaine was carried from the arena after a wild steer had tossed him heavily into the arena wall, and Ruth Roach, after a sensational ride on the bucking horse, "Tragedy," was hurled to the ground when her hobble broke under the strain of the animal's pitching.

Sensational Features. One sensational feature followed another, and to the men and women who stand it seemed miraculous that actual fatalities did not occur. Hardly a cowpuncher taking part in the contests escaped without bruises, sprains or cuts of one kind or another. The bulldogging finals were far more sensational than on Thursday and Friday when the wet ground slowed up the speed of the horses and steers. Jim Wilkes, bulldogging from an automobile, was dragged from the wall in front of the grandstand clear to the center of the arena by a long horn, only to fight the frenzied animal to a "farewell finish" with the entire stand of spectators on foot and cheering.

Falls Under Steer. R. E. Roberts, of Chickasha, Okla., went down under a falling steer in the afternoon event, wrenched himself free and threw the animal—but the cowboy limped slowly away, proving that he had pulled the trick as much on sheer grit as on anything else. Roberts later put on an exhibition ride, hanging to a surcingle and riding a Brahm backward to the delight of the crowd.

Jack Fritz, Leonard Stroud and Bryan Roach romped away with the prize money in the bucking contests, these three punchers not only riding the horses they drove but following the rules rigidly, "scratching" the animals at every jump.

All "Dope" is Upset. All the "dope" was upset time and again throughout the course of the three days' show. Men who had been expected to "clean up" in various events were left far in the rear when the final awards were made. A striking example was the case of Allen Holder, who holds the world's record

of 7 seconds in roping and tying a wild goat. Holder couldn't rope sour apples, couldn't explain his failures and didn't even get "in the money." Perhaps in justice to him it should be said that he has only recently been discharged from the army, and has not had the time to practice that other cowboys had.

## NEGRO PROPRIETOR LAST CHANCE CAFE SHOOT AT OFFICER

A negro named Hodge, who runs the Last Chance cafe, a place on Barwise street patronized by negroes, fired on Constable J. B. Nail last night. The bullet missed its mark. Mr. Nail fired at the negro as he ran up a stairway, but also failed to hit the negro. The negro escaped by a back stairway and had not been apprehended at a late hour last night.

Complaint had been made by white residents of the neighborhood that the negro was committing a nuisance. Mr. Nail warned him to stop it. The negro declared that he would do as he pleased. Mr. Nail slapped him, whereupon the negro ran into the building, appearing at the door within a few seconds and firing upon Mr. Nail. Mr. Nail was unarmed at the moment, but securing a weapon chased the negro into the building and fired at him as he ran up a stairway.

## DETAIN NUMBER BELIEVED TO BE REVOLUTIONISTS

WASHINGTON, May 17.—Nicaraguan authorities, dispatched to the Nicaraguan legation here said, have detained a number of suspected revolutionists presumably on their way to join the Costa Rican rebels. The dispatches advised that all propaganda of a revolutionary character had been strictly prohibited throughout Nicaragua.

Minister Chamorro of Nicaragua, announced today that he had been instructed to deny in most emphatic terms the reported participation of the Government of Nicaragua in the revolution that is taking place in Costa Rica and to state that the attitude of the Government was entirely neutral.

## LEASE SNAP

40 acres at three dollars and fifty cents per acre, between 3 drilling wells in Nolan county. If either of the eight wells now drilling comes in this acreage will make a fortune.

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Wichita Falls

## DISPOSITION OF GERMAN VESSELS NOT DETERMINED

NEW YORK, May 17.—Secretary of the Navy Daniels, who has been in Europe for several weeks inspecting American naval forces and paying visits to European authorities, returned today on the transport Mount Vernon.

Secretary Daniels said it was not yet determined what would be done with the German battleships but that there was a strong feeling, particularly in England, that they should be sunk. The secretary declined to express his opinion in the matter but quoted a statement by Rear Admiral William S. Benson, chief of American naval operations in European waters, that they should be sent to the bottom as "a great moral lesson."

The advantage of such a course, it said, it was generally believed would be to make the future naval programs of nations easier to adjust. "French sentiment," Mr. Daniels said, was somewhat divided on the question, the main argument there against sinking the ships being that it would be a "waste of property." As opposed to this contention, the secretary declared that if the United States, for instance, received any of the German vessels, it would be found that we had no equipment to make ammunition and torpedoes such as would be required for them and that by the time the machinery was set up the ships would be obsolete.

Mr. Daniels said: "The uppermost thought in the mind and heart of all our soldiers across the sea is a burning desire to come home. And we are bringing them back rapidly—289,000 were brought back in April; more than that number will be transported to the United States in May and in June.

Husband—It is a strange thing, but true, that the biggest fools have the most beautiful wives. Wife—Oh, you flatterer!

## RAILROAD OFFICIALS PROMISE TO PROVIDE FOR ROCK SHIPMENTS

A conference between Fort Worth & Denver officials and the Chamber of Commerce committee appointed to locate supplies of crushed rock for extensive road and street paving proposed, was held Saturday afternoon at the Chamber of Commerce, and resulted in the promise of the railroad officials to take under advisement the request that the switch from Alford to the site of a new quarry be repaired so that the quarry might be operated. J. H. Earwise, the vice president of the road, H. A. Gauewitz, general superintendent, and J. E. Starley, general freight superintendent, were here from Fort Worth to meet the committee of which G. D. Anderson is chairman. Promise was given that a report on the road's decision concerning the switch would be made next week.

Detailed figures on the amount of crushed rock that will be needed to complete the Wichita county road system of 136 miles of paved highways, and about fifteen miles of paving of the city streets, were requested by railroad representatives. They stated that they would use their best efforts to secure the desired switch. The road is still being under government control would probably be a hampering factor. The committee was given the assurance of Mr. Barwise and his two companions that everything possible would be done to make the requested improvements.

A recent bulletin of the bureau of standards indicates that no treatment of wood after erection can be expected to be an effective fire resistant.

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## FLOTILLA OF SHIPS SOON TO SAIL ON EDUCATIONAL TRIP

NEW YORK, May 17.—A flotilla of ships of the type utilized by the United States navy in driving the U-boat from the sea is now under sailing orders at Key West. This anti-submarine flotilla will soon sail for New Orleans and from that port on a cruise up the Mississippi river and its tributaries on what promises to be the most novel educational expedition which the navy department has ever sent to interior waters.

The ships and men have seen active service. The personnel will include a navy band, a crack baseball team and sailor singers, while motion picture exhibitions of navy activities, training

and life will be shown. The flotilla will include the United States ship Isabel, a destroyer type, the American submarine K-5 three 110-foot submarine chasers and two flying boats.

The ships will go to the head of navigation, only stopping for fuel and supplies. From there the cruise will be laid out in detail.

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### COMMISSIONER FORE BUSY SATURDAY WITH TRACTOR AND DRAG

County Commissioner Fore had his tractor and big road grader busy Saturday grading the streets around the court house, after dragging the Henrietta road to the county line. Monday the tractor and drag will be run over the Lake Wichita road after which work will be started on the Henrietta road.

The Burk Burnett precinct has no tractor and Commissioner Fore has agreed to go over the road all the way to Burk Burnett and do whatever is necessary in the way of grading and dragging to put the road in as good condition as is possible until it is surfaced.

Several weeks ago Commissioner Fore of the Wichita Falls precinct and Commissioner Haines of the Electra precinct purchased tractors and heavy graders with private funds. The Iowa Park precinct and the Burk Burnett precinct are without this heavy equipment.

### AWARD PARADE PRIZE TO PIERCE ARROW CAR

The prize offered for the best decorated car in the parade of the "Klick Em Cowboy" aggregation last Thursday morning went to the Pierce Arrow with the big steer head on the radiator driven by E. M. Bayles, factory representative of the Pierce Arrow, and M. Mitchell, local dealer. The steer head on a specimen of a Brahma steer, of the South African variety loaned for the parade by E. E. Hardin. The horns measured 7 feet from tip to tip, is believed to be one of the finest specimens in existence at the present time. Outside of the steer head the car was liberally decorated with flags and banners. The local dealers for this car, which has a reputation of being strictly an uptown car, are very enthusiastic over prospects in this section.

### TWO DIVORCES GRANTED IN SEVENTY-EIGHTH COURT

Two divorces were granted by Judge Scurry in the 78th district court Saturday morning. Clara Byrd was granted a divorce from James A. Byrd and Edna Gribbs was granted a divorce from Roy Griggs. In the latter case the plaintiff was given the custody of the minor child.

### ADAMS VS. HARDY CASE TO JURY YESTERDAY

The case of Adams vs. Harding, which had been on trial for several days in the 78th district court was given to the jury late Saturday afternoon. The jury will take up consideration of the case Monday morning.

### Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank the kind friends for their kindness and sympathy during the illness and death of our darling baby Carl. Especially do we wish to thank the Yobmen ladies. Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Anderson.

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### AT THE CHURCHES

**Central Presbyterian Church.**  
(Southern)  
An invitation is extended to all members of the Southern Presbyterian Church, whether resident or visiting, to meet and worship with the Central Presbyterian church at 11th and Bluff.  
Services Sunday morning at 11 a. m. when the subject of the sermon is "The Pensive Christian." There is a time for thought and reflection; and it is virtually important. But just how far is it safely to be carried? What are the risks?  
The subject of the sermon at 8:30 p. m. is "The Balance," being a consideration of a very important set of books and accounts.  
The Prayer Meetings are to be led by the members; leader for May 21, is Mr. H. C. Anderson.  
L. J. Sherrill, Minister.

**First Presbyterian Church.**  
The pastor will speak both morning and night. Miss Veale will sing in the morning and Miss Veale and Mrs. Morris will give a duet at night. The hour for the night service is 8:30. Sunday will be Decision Day in the Sabbath School. An opportunity for church membership will be given at the close of the morning service.  
N. F. Gratton, Pastor.

**Lutheran Trinity Church.**  
Corner 14th and Bluff streets.  
Sunday, May 18. Regular Sunday School at 9:30. The morning services at 10:30 will be conducted by Mr. H. F. Bredthauer. The pastor to preach at Vernon.  
W. Utesch, Pastor.

**Epworth League.**  
First Methodist Church South. Corner Tenth and Lamar. Meets at 7:15 p. m.  
The program this evening is going to be very interesting. A live song service led by Mr. J. W. Akin Jr., always precedes the devotional and musical programs at the league. If you are a young person and want to get acquainted with the young people of the city, come to the League and we will see that you do. Here is a good program that will be given this evening beginning promptly at 7:15 p. m. Subject: "The Sky-scrapes scrape the sky."  
Opening song service led by Mr. Akin.  
Introduction of the topic—Leader.  
Duet (selected)—Mrs. Grady Fletcher and Mr. Akin.  
Face to Face with our Problems—Miss Ruth Giddings.  
Piano Solo (selected)—Mrs. Jim Hank.  
Solving the League Problems—Miss Lona Brown.  
Reading (selected)—Miss Annie Edward Barcus.  
How the Wichita League is Progressing—Miss May Lea Guthrie.  
Piano Duet—Mesdames Thorne and Wallace.  
"Tip and At 'em"—Mr. Leonard Smith.  
Special by the Male Quartette of the League.  
The Epworth League sets forth on their journey—Leader.  
Epworth League Benediction.  
Meet us at the League and have a good time both socially and spiritually. We have fourteen to go to Paris, can't you make it fifteen? On to Electra, May 31 and June 1. How about you?

**First Methodist Episcopal Church.**  
Corner Seventh and Lamar.  
8:45 a. m. Sunday School with graded departments.  
11 a. m. Morning Worship with sermon "The Reply of Jesus." Special music.  
7:30 p. m. Epworth League devotional services.  
8:30 p. m. Pathé News Pictures, lively song service, solo Mr. Taylor.

Sermon, "God in Nature and Life." Learn something new. Bring your friend to services and a fellowship you can't afford to miss.  
H. F. Draper, Pastor.

**First Baptist Church.**  
There will be neither morning nor evening preaching services owing to the absence of the pastor, who is attending the Southern Baptist Convention. Sunday school at 9:45 and the B. Y. P. U. at the usual hour.

**Floral Heights Baptist Church.**  
Corner Tenth and Kemp Bvd.  
Sunday School at 10 a. m.  
Preaching at 11 a. m.; Topic: "Mother." Mother's Day program will be carried out. Bring mother and a flower. Gustavson and Mrs. F. G. Larson will sing.  
B. Y. P. U. at 7:30 p. m.  
Volunteer prayer at 8:15 p. m.  
Preaching at 8:45; topic, "A Group of Downs and Outs."  
Monday, Ladies' Alliance at 3:30 p. m.

**Teachers and Workers' council**  
Wednesday at 8:45 p. m.  
Special note: Children's play ground will be open Monday at 5:45 p. m. with illustrated songs, stereoscopic and motion pictures. Bring the kiddies for a good time.  
R. W. McCann, Pastor.

**Church of the Good Shepherd.**  
(Episcopal)  
Tenth and Burnett.  
Holy Communion 8 a. m.  
Morning Prayer and Sermon 11 a. m.  
Evening Service 8:30 p. m.  
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.  
At the eleven o'clock service will take place the admission of the young ladies of the Girls Friendly Society into full membership. Miss Max Case Marsh, General Secretary of the Society will present the class.  
The offertory solo at this service will be sung by Mrs. S. C. Ashton.  
A cordial invitation is extended to the public to worship with us. Strangers in the city especially welcome.

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The last Utah legislature had four women members, all democrats.

### To the Auto Mechanics and Auto Dealers OF WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS

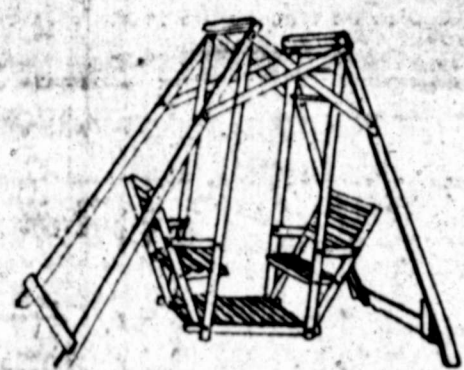
In view of the present fight that is being carried on by and between the above named gentlemen, and in view of the fact that we are not running a repair shop, and therefore, not being directly affected by the mechanic's strike, we desire to have our name left off of all circular and newspaper advertising, at least, until we are directly affected.

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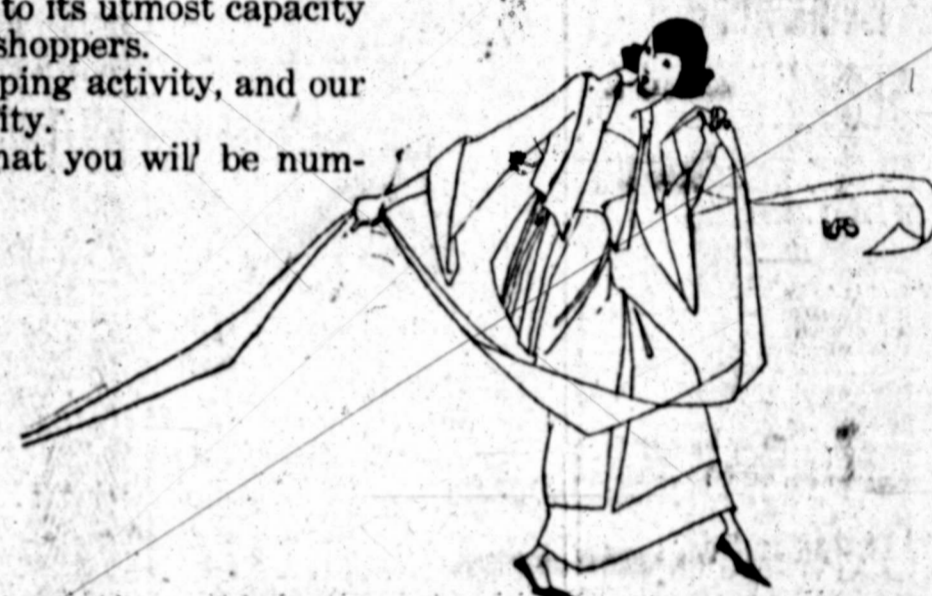
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We must make mention of these Blouses that reached our Blouse Section late in the week. The material is exquisite Organdie, collars and cuffs Linen of corresponding shade. Combined with white are colors of green, blue, rose and lavender. They're trimmed with large buttons, ruffles and pretty Val laces. Priced \$2.25, \$3.00, \$3.50



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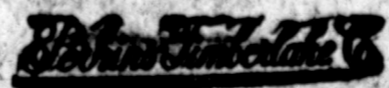
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**IN THE MEN'S WEAR SECTION**  
**Excellent Suits for Men and Young Men**

Many new models came late Saturday, and we will have them for your inspection tomorrow. Seam back models for the young fellow, also more conservative models for the older men.

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### WHEAT EXHIBITED PRACTICALLY RUINED BY THE RED RUST

Wheat which gave promise of 25 to 30 bushels yield to the acre, north of Iowa Park, last week, is now considered ruined, because of red rust, which has made its appearance since last Wednesday, according to J. E. Johnson, who was in Wichita Falls Saturday. Mr. Johnson had with him a sample of the wheat affected, showing the red rust's blighting effects. One hundred and six acres of Mr. Johnson's wheat, which had a fine stand, and looked good for a record yield, is affected in this manner, and he states that much other wheat in the neighborhood of his farm, which is seven miles north of Iowa Park, is reported affected in the same manner. The blight has not yet appeared on the late wheat, it is stated. Too much rain, the damp nights and excessive warm days are given as the contributing factors to the rust.

### SLIGHT CONTAMINATION SHOWN IN ANALYSIS

For the past week the city water has shown a slight contamination, according to a report of the city inspector, Mrs. T. E. Smock, which the water company has promised to remove by using more treatment. The move by using more treatment, the recent rains are thought to be responsible for the bad showing this week.

### WILL MAKE EFFORT TO SECURE MEETING STATE FEDERATION

An effort is to be made at the meeting of the Texas State Federation of Labor, to convene in Beaumont tomorrow, to bring the 1920 convention to Wichita Falls, according to announcement made by leading members of organized labor Saturday. The convention usually holds for a full week and is attended by from three to four hundred delegates. Other labor organizations as a rule meet in the same city as does the Federation, having their sessions prior to and after the state organization. J. A. Wray left early this morning for Beaumont to attend the convention, being preceded by Jack Prayter, representing the Trades and Labor Council and the Palmyers Union, and H. B. Hayes representing the carpenters. Mr. Wray is a delegate from the Typographical union, and will also represent the Barbers union at the convention.

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### FEDERAL GRAND JURY IS EXPECTED TO HAVE VERY BUSY SESSION

Judge James C. Wilson, United States Marshal J. A. Baggett, United States District Attorney W. M. Odell, his assistant W. B. Harrell and Lewis C. Mayard, clerk for the Northern district of Texas, are expected to arrive today for the opening of the federal court here Monday morning at nine o'clock. Jurors for both a grand jury and a petit jury have been summoned and it is probable the court will be in session for at least two weeks. There are a large number of criminal cases awaiting investigation by the grand jury. Most of these cases are violation of the liquor laws and of the white slave act. There are about 60 cases on the law docket and 35 cases on the equity docket.

### FAREWELL RECEPTION AT FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Wednesday evening, following the prayer meeting service, a farewell reception will be held at the First Christian church to honor Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bullock, who will leave soon to make their home in Arkansas, and also to honor Hugh D. Brouss who also leaves in a short time, to become a member of the faculty of the Texas Christian University in Port Worth. All members of the church and congregation and other friends of the honorees are cordially invited to attend this reception.

### K. F. KINSNER RETURNS FROM OVERSEAS SERVICE

Among the soldiers who returned from France with the Rainbow Division was K. F. Kinsner, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Kinsner of 409 Lee street, who saw much of the active service in which the noted division was engaged and who was fortunate enough to escape injury, returning home Friday looking well and as he expressed it, "feeling fine." K. F. has had an extended military career for a youth of his age having seen service on the border prior to the war with Germany. Will Key, son of Mrs. R. J. Key, returned Friday, having been in service overseas with the Rainbow Division.

### LIBRARIAN EXPRESSES APPRECIATION OF GIFTS

Miss Mary Roberts, librarian at the Kemp Library who is receiving books to be forwarded to American soldiers in Europe, has asked the Times to acknowledge for her, the generous contribution from the Rotary Club's book shower. Outside of the Rotary Club only one volume has been donated. Miss Roberts also wishes to make public acknowledgement to the Heydrick Mapping Company, of donations of valuable maps and geological data to the library.

Notice O. E. S. Wichita Falls Chapter No. 237 will meet Tuesday evening, May 20th, for the official visit of the District Deputy Grand Matron, also election of officers. All members are urged to be present. Visiting members in the city are cordially invited to attend. Mrs. Jessie Carithers, W. M., Mrs. Nannie M. Jenne, Secy. 4-1tp

### LOCAL METHODISTS TO BEGIN CAMPAIGN IN CENTENARY DRIVE

The local Methodist Church, South will today begin its part of the Centenary Campaign Drive, in which Methodists of the country will be asked to pledge one hundred and fifty million dollars to carry on reconstruction work. Special services will be held today in the First M. E. Church, South—corner of Tenth and Lamar, with an address by the pastor and special music by the choir. It is announced no public collection will be taken. Every member of the church is expected to be present.

### ANNOUNCE PROGRAM FOR BACCALAUREATE SERVICE

Sunday morning, May 25, at 11 o'clock at the First Christian church the baccalaureate service for this year's graduating class of the high school will be given. The program will be as follows: 1. Processional. 2. Chorus: "Unfold Ye Portals." Gounod—Senior Glee Club. 3. Scripture reading. 4. Prayer. 5. Violin solo, "Ave Maria," Schubert—Cecelia Adickes. Sermon, "Renaissance of Life"—Rev. H. F. Draper, A. B., S. T. B. 6. America. 7. Benediction.

### CITY NATIONAL BANK INCREASE AUTHORIZED BY THE COMPTROLLER

Authorization of the increase in capital and surplus of the City National Bank to one million dollars, as voted some time ago, has been issued by the department of the comptroller of the currency, officials of the bank have been notified. The increase will go into effect June 1. The deposits of the City National Bank on May 12, when the national call was issued, totaled \$5,195,879.02. On Friday at the close of business the deposits were a half million dollars over this figure.

Card of Thanks. We wish to extend our sincere thanks to our many friends for the kindness shown us during the sickness of our beloved wife and mother, whom the Lord has seen fit to call away. Also we thank the Royal Neighbors and the many friends for the beautiful floral offerings. It is such kindness that helps us to bear our great loss. Coll L. Snow, children and relatives.

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### NOTICE TO MEMBERS OF THE CARPENTERS UNION

Each and every member is hereby notified to be present at the Wichita Theatre Tuesday night, May 20th, to transact special business. W. A. Copeland, Recording Secretary. 1-ltc

### Notice of Dividends

At a special meeting of the Board of Directors of the Big Hit Oil Company, held at the office of the Company in Wichita Falls, at 2:00 p. m., on the 15th day of May, A. D. 1919, a dividend of 20 per cent payable to all stock holders of record at 12:00 o'clock noon, on the 20th day of May, A. D. 1919, was declared. (Signed) H. Campbell, Sec-Treas.

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### ANNUAL CANTATA OF COMBINED GLEE CLUBS ON THURSDAY NIGHT

The annual cantata of the combined glee clubs of the Wichita Falls high school will be given next Thursday night at 8:30 at the First Christian church in which "Joan of Arc" by Gaul will be presented.

Assisting the glee clubs are the soloists, Mrs. George Thorburn, soprano; J. W. Bradley, baritone, and R. E. Shepherd, tenor. Misses Kathleen Stonecipher and Anna Dell Bradshaw will be the accompanists.

Under the supervision of Miss Jessie May Agnew these annual concerts have always been a treat for the music loving public and this year's program is promised to be the best yet rendered. 4-ltc



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Men's khaki-colored shirts, with collar attached, at ..... 98c, \$1.23, \$1.49  
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Every day is pay day for the man who wears J. C. Penny Co. overalls. They are made of heavy indigo dyed Denim with black stitching. Overalls and Jumpers up to size 46, our price ..... \$1.69  
Men's express stripe Overalls, at ..... \$1.69  
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Ages 12 to 17, at ..... \$1.25

### Slip-Overs

Men's Slip-over-alls, khaki, at ..... \$3.50  
Boys' Slip-over-alls, khaki, at ..... \$1.49

### Handkerchiefs

Men's colored handkerchiefs, blue and red bandanas, 3 for ..... 25c  
Men's White Handkerchiefs, good quality cambric, a 3 for ..... 25c  
Men's white Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, extra fine cambric, 2 for ..... 25c  
Men's White Linen Handkerchiefs, full sized and hemstitched, each ..... 35c  
Men's White Handkerchiefs at 5c, 7c, 10c, 15c

### Men's Leather Gloves

Gauntlets at ..... \$1.49, \$1.98, \$2.45  
Auto Gauntlets at ..... \$1.98, \$2.45  
Wrist Gloves at ..... \$1.69, \$1.98  
Leather front "Union Special" at ..... 35c

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MUSICIANS CLUB HAS OPEN MEETING THURSDAY

For the closing program of the year the Musicians Club held an open meeting, inviting their friends to enjoy the musical hour, and a social time in the hospitable and attractive home of Mrs. A. W. Weeks.

On behalf of the Musicians Club, the president, Mrs. S. J. Ashmore, presented Miss Kathleen Stonecipher with a handsome cut glass vase, an expression of the appreciation of the club for her courtesy, her home having been opened to the club for the meetings during the past season.

MISS WILMA FILGO WEDS JAMES MARTIN WILLIAMS

In a most attractive home wedding, the marriage of Miss Wilma Filgo, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Filgo, to James Martin Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Williams, took place at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. E. O. Filgo, on Saturday night, at 8:30, the ceremony being performed by Rev. R. W. McCann of the Baptist church.

Following the wedding Mrs. E. O. Filgo had been decorated in ferns and with a six course wedding dinner. The home had been decorated in ferns and pink carnations for the ceremony, and the same floral effect was carried out in the dining room decorations. The

wedding cake centered the table, which was decorated with pink carnations, and the individual favors were golden bride's ribbons.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams left Saturday night for Galveston and other south Texas points, for a short wedding trip. They will make their home in Wichita Falls.

The bride, the only daughter of one of the older and prominent families in the city, was born in Wichita Falls and attended the local schools. She has also studied at the Rockaway school in Dallas, and the College of Industrial Arts at Dallas, and is one of the most attractive of the younger girls of the city.

The groom, the son of Mrs. H. A. Allen, made his home in Fort Worth until a few years ago. He was connected with the firm of Anderson and Patterson before the war, and since his return from the service has resumed these connections with the firm, now Patterson, Reese and Prothro. He was among the first to serve with the army when war was declared, and was with the Thirty-sixth Division until the spring of 1918, when he was transferred to the 101st Cavalary.

The prominence of both young people in their families, makes Saturday's wedding an event of much interest.

CIRCLE ONE WILL MEET WITH MRS. B. M. BULLARD

Circle No. 1 of the Home Mission Society of the M. E. Church South will meet Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. B. M. Bullard, 710 Denver, at 3 o'clock. Circle No. 2 will meet with Mrs. Jason Walker, 908 Broad, at 3 o'clock Monday.

"RUSTLING A BRIDE" AT THE EMPRESS ON MONDAY

A charming story and a highly interesting role has been provided for Lila Lee in "Rustling a Bride," her next Paramount picture which will be presented at the Empress Theatre, Monday and Tuesday.

In this production, Miss Lee plays the role of a typical Western girl who receives a letter from a cowboy, Nick McCredie, who has accidentally found her name on the fly leaf of a school book. Living alone with her grandmother and not having any youthful companions, the letter is a godsend in the eyes of the girl, whose character name is Emily.

Her grandmother dies, leaving her the farm. An elderly neighbor named Exy, with his eye on the farm, proposes marriage to the girl. She writes to Nick for his advice and he suggests that she come out and marry him. The girl is delighted, packs up and leaves for Coyote Junction.

But when Nick had first written her he had enclosed not his own picture but that of Pen Walton, one of his fellow cowboys, who is much handsomer than he. So when Nick meets her at the train he tells her Nick has sent him to meet her. This provokes interesting complications, but after a series of thrilling episodes, Emily and Nick are happily mated.

Miss Lee is admirably supported in this picture, Monte Blue being her leading man. The story was written by Edith Kennedy and the picture directed by Irvin Willat.

AMUSEMENTS

Empress Calendar. Monday and Tuesday: Lila Lee in "Rustling a Bride." Wednesday: Gladys Brookwell in "Rebellious Bride."

Maajestic Calendar. Monday: Hale Hamilton and Naomi Childers in "After His Own Heart." Tuesday: Harry Carey in "A Fight For Love."

Plaza Calendar. Monday: New Musical Comedy Company, "The Darlings of Paris." Tuesday: Alice Brady in "Woman and Wife."

"WOMAN AND WIFE" AT PLAZA AIRDOME MONDAY. "Woman and Wife," adapted from Charlotte Brontë's beloved novel, "Jane Eyre," will be shown at the Plaza Monday and Tuesday.

"JOAN OF THE WOODS" COMING NEXT FRIDAY. Charming June Elvidge, famous as a World Picture star in many parts of the world, will be seen in the stellar role of Joan, in "Joan of the Woods." This feature picture will be seen on Friday at the Plaza Airdome.

arraigned before her father for the murder of her child. Luckily she is acquitted and her husband turns up from his cruise to sea. The Judge recognizes the cross she wears about her neck and after a light interrogation from the Judge, the legal status of father and daughter are once more established.

NOTED CELEBRITY IS TO PARTICIPATE IN THE ROTARY REVUE

Captain J. Harold Willoughby, Hampton Park, R. F. C. F. O. B., hereditary commandant of the Shropshire royal coast mutton fusiliers, utility man on his royal highness' staff, and preserve commission and second son of the earl of Eastbyrd, by appointment maker of shoe laces to their majesties King George and Queen Mary, and a second cousin of Lord Willboy, the noted Irish peer, whose sister-in-law, the marchioness of Limerick, was a direct descendant of King Richard the Lion-Hearted, and a favorite in the court of dear old Ned, rest his soul, arrived in Wichita Falls yesterday.

The captain was asked how it came he could get away from his job at Mons so soon, and he explained that he had been shot in the retreat. At the close of the interview Mr. Polan remarked that it might be well to mention that the prices would be \$2.00.

"I have no desire for publicity," said Mr. Polan. "I hope you are convinced of my sincerity in this matter. If I wished to break into print, I could call attention to the fact that my premier danseuse of the Russian ballet had one of our stars lost \$500."

1000 worth of diamonds which she had bought the day before from Mr. Woolworth, and that all of our hand-painted scenery was produced at an enormous expense, because of the shortage of furniture of mercury. Mack Bennett and the Metro company are bidding high for the services of

at least three of our comedians and that in spite of the ridiculous price of \$2.00. "I have seen Skovgaard's \$12,000 violin bet and raised him \$37,000 by insuring Clint Wood's pet bird dog for \$50,000. Is not that some bull? Is not that the truth? Some bull!"

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Advertisement for Jesse Blair's Comedians Dramatic Company Big Tent, featuring a comedy drama "The Girl He Couldn't Buy" and "After His Own Heart".

Advertisement for Empress Theatre Monday Night, featuring Lila Lee in "Rustling a Bride" and "Joan of the Woods".

Advertisement for Majestic Theatre Monday, featuring Hale Hamilton and Naomi Childers in "After His Own Heart".

Advertisement for Fonville Optical Co., featuring "Sure Relief For Tired Eyes" and listing services like eye examinations and quality glasses.

Large advertisement for Pathé Phonographs, featuring the brand name in a stylized font and describing the quality and variety of their musical instruments.

Advertisement for Plaza Airdome Monday, featuring Alice Brady in "Woman and Wife" and listing showtimes and prices.

# SOCIAL ITEMS

You can't have all that smile yourself;  
 You can't have all that sunshine, dear;  
 To have more joy than's needed here is like a miser with his pelf.  
 You can't have all that song and gleam;  
 You can't have all that laughter, too;  
 You must be glad to share the dream  
 With others, as you'd have them do.

You can't have all that hope and cheer,  
 You can't have all that happy thought;  
 There must be some to share with, dear,  
 This gladness that God's love hath wrought.

For if you made it all your own,  
 And kept it hidden in self away,  
 Most of its beauty would be flown,  
 Its loveliness fade like the day.

We can't have all the things God sends,  
 No matter how they seem to be  
 Meant not for neighbors and for friends  
 But just for you and just for me,  
 I never could enjoy the flowers,  
 The bird-song and the sky's blue deeps  
 If through all dark and sunny hours  
 They were all mine and yours for keeps.

We can't have all the smiles and sun  
 That gather round us through the years,  
 Nor yet—as God's great justice runs—  
 We have all the grief and tears.

Some must be scattered in our will  
 Of faith and trust and love for those  
 Whose need than ours is greater still—  
 Not all the thorns nor all the roses.

Tuesday evening an informal dance was held at the Saint James Hotel, the young men complimenting the girls, and the affair having Mrs. J. A. Richolt and Mrs. G. D. Anderson as patronesses. Templeton's Orchestra furnished the music for a particularly enjoyable program of dances, and punch was served during intermissions. Those present include: Misses Louise Maspin, Audrey Adickes, Pauline Richolt, Agnes Reid, Mary Colquitt, Adele Adickes, Laura Hall, Margaret McMahon, Caro Belle Blair, Louise Hamlin, Louise Bullitt, Annetta Monroe, Agnes Leicham, Ruby Mae Rush, Florence Sammons and Annette Walsh, Messrs. Elbert, Graf, Dale, Avant, Salenzer, Morrow, Beechcroft, Delaney, Showers, Moore, Renfro, Mann, Myers, Brooks, B. Beechcroft, Hughes, Knight and Francis, and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Hartt.

### DAILY FASHION HINT.



Select this straight line dress with deep skirt band of real Swiss embroidery and the hand drawn bands as a possibility of the real beauty of the spring costume.

### ANNOUNCE RECITAL FOR SATURDAY NIGHT

On Saturday night, May 24, Miss Ella Day, head of the department of reading, expression and public speaking of the high school, will present a number of her pupils in closing recital. Assisting these young people will be two pianists, Misses Ailine Anderson and Georgia Maxwell, pupils of Miss Katherine Stonecipher. The expression program will feature selections from one of the favorite books of the young people, "Aunt Minerva and William Green Hill," written by Frances Floyd Calhoun.

The public is cordially invited to attend this closing recital, which will be given Saturday evening, May 24, at the high school auditorium. The program for the evening follows:

Piano, "Pictures," (Richter)—Ailine Anderson.  
 "William Green Hill, Comes to Live with Aunt Minerva," Mary Frances Collier.  
 "The Willing Worker," Jewell Hawkins.  
 "Tellers of Tales," Weldon Carter.  
 Piano, "Romans," (Rubenstein), Lucy Harrison.  
 "Changing The Ethiopian," Emma Bauknight.  
 "The Humble Petition," John Rhea Duke.  
 "Closer Than a Brother," Fran Curtis.  
 "Unconditional Surrender," Elton Felder.

Part Two.  
 "The Recompense," Dorothy Reed.  
 Piano, Tarentella (Louis A. Brooks), Ailine Anderson.  
 "How The Great Guest Came," (Edwin Markham), Mary Kay.  
 "The Governor's Last Leave," Annie Edward Barcus.  
 "The Watermelon Splosion," (Ben Kings), Harrell McConnell.  
 "Herry," John Wolf.  
 Piano, Au Matin, (Godard), Georgia Maxwell.  
 "Cigarette's Ride and Death," from "Under Two Flags," (Ouida), Margaret Fisher.

### SOCIAL AND BUSINESS MEETING CIVIC LEAGUE

Tuesday, May 13, The Civic League held a social and business session at the home of Mrs. H. L. Hunter, 1410 Eleventh street. A feature of the social half hour was the presentation of a wrist watch to Mrs. M. Gaffney, by the league. Mrs. T. B. Smock, president of the organization, made the presentation, stating that the gift was made in recognition of Mrs. Gaffney's splendid services as the buyer for the club luncheons which the league serves to the Rotary and Wichita Clubs each week. The afternoon was devoted to an informal discussion of business, and a light refreshment course was served. There were about 40 members present.

### MISS KATHERINE WEEKS PRESENTED IN RECITAL

On Saturday, May 10, little Miss Katherine Avis Weeks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Weeks, was presented in recital by Mrs. Laura Barria, her piano instructor. The little artist, having mastered nine pieces, committing them to memory, fulfilled the requirements for an individual recital. She was assisted by four students, whom she selected from the class, and those present gave the highest praise both to the young performer whose recital it was, and to Misses Ruby Avis, Dorothy Dalton,

### MISS GORMAN HOSTESS TO YOUNG WOMAN'S ALLIANCE

Miss Gorman was a pleasant hostess to the Young Woman's Alliance of the First Baptist church on Monday evening. Roses formed the house decorations and the hostess and late in the evening the hostess served a tempting refreshment course of sandwiches, iced grape juice and cake. The program consisted of the usual Scripture lesson, and the hour or so of chat. Miss Lucy Huggins read the lesson. Those present were: Misses Katherine and Ethel Bullitt, Bees Maxwell, Ruth Clayton, Lucy Huggins, Emma Smith, Mina Everett, Blanche Lawler and Mrs. J. F. Riggs, the Y. W. A. leader. The society will meet next on May 26, at the home of Miss Emma Smith.

### GUILD IS ENTERTAINED AT THE GOODALE HOME

The Guild of the Church of the Good Shepherd was entertained Monday afternoon by Mesdames R. J. Goodale and High, at the Goodale home. The usual routine of meeting was followed, and the attendance was good. A refreshment course of ice cream and cake was served late in the afternoon. The Guild will meet next Monday, May 19, with Mrs. Charles Pogenpohl.

Miss Helen McCune of Louisiana, Mo., is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. John J. Shaw, 1183 Lamar.

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These coats are the very latest in style and fabric, bought to sell at a much higher price, but they must go Monday

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### Millinery Special For Monday

The Millinery department will offer Monday 100 late model hats, embodying all the popular materials and trimmings at .....\$5.95

These hats were specially selected by our buyer while in New York. There are picturesque hats, hats gay in color and trimming, and hats with artfully posed plumes, alluring in color and design.

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NOTES—Make spending money; you can make your spending money by writing about one hour after school. We need boys 14 to 18 years old. Write to Mr. Jones and talk to Mr. Parks at 1015 office. IF WANT PORTER at 781-23 Seventh-st. 2-2120.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—Experienced maid at Avenue 42nd Street. Phone 3211. WANTED—Wanted to cook. Call 1871. WANTED—Wanted to work in undertaking shop. Phone 3211.

HELP WANTED—MALE & FEMALE

WANTED—Man or woman with experience and car. who can sell city property. Good proposition, connection with established real estate firm. Address Opportunity, P. O. Box 532. 4-31

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considered the petition of G. C. Wood and at least forty-nine (49) others, praying that an election be ordered in Wichita county, Kansas, for the purpose of letting the tax...

Market Report

Market Review

COTTON MARKET

By Associated Press. NEW YORK, May 17.—New high records were established in the cotton market today with July deliveries selling up to 28.41, or 43 points above the close of yesterday and 226 points above the low level touched on the reaction of last week.

wheat: unchanged, on best; other three to seven lower. No. 1 hard \$2.50; No. 2 \$2.50; No. 3 \$2.50. Corn: unchanged to 2c higher. No. 2 mixed \$1.75; No. 2 white \$1.76; No. 3 yellow \$1.75.

NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK, May 17.—Shipments and rails were the outstanding features of today's short but active stock market session, recording gains of one to five points and retaining much of their advance, despite week-end selling for profits.

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, May 17.—The volume of business approached and on one occasion exceeded any of the many extremely active sessions of the past four weeks comprehending many issues previously ignored.

Grains and Provisions

CHICAGO, May 17.—Notwithstanding that corn available for delivery this month has soared during the last week to the highest price of the season, the corn market as a whole has averaged lower.

LIVESTOCK

Fort Worth, Tex., May 17.—Cattle: receipts 700; unchanged. Beesves \$8.50 @ \$14.50; stockers \$8.00 @ \$12.75; cows \$4.50 @ \$11.50; heifers \$5.00 @ \$13.50; bulls \$7.00 @ \$9.00; calves \$4.50 @ \$14.00.

Kansas City Livestock

KANSAS CITY, May 17. (U. S. Bureau of Markets.)—Hogs: receipts 300; steady. Bulk \$20.20 @ \$20.80; medium \$20.25 @ \$20.75; light \$20.00 @ \$20.50; mixed \$17.75 @ \$18.75; common \$17.75 @ \$18.75; pigs \$11.50 @ \$12.50.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE

CHICAGO, May 17.—Government measures to curb large speculative operations in the corn market had a decided bearish effect today on values. In the end, the market was unsettled at 1 1/2 to 3 1/2 not decline with July \$1.85 1/2 to \$1.87 1/2.

REPORT ON CONDITION OF RESERVE BANKS

WASHINGTON, May 17.—Borrowings on security of government war obligations increase \$86,000,000 in the last week, according to the weekly statement of the federal reserve board, showing the condition of the reserve banks at the close of business last night.

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| \$80.00 values, one-third off.....  | \$53.34 | \$45.00 values, one-third off..... | \$30.00 |
| \$75.00 values, one-third off.....  | \$50.00 | \$40.00 values, one-third off..... | \$26.67 |
| \$70.00 values, one-third off.....  | \$46.67 | \$35.00 values, one-third off..... | \$23.34 |
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**LATE ARRIVALS IN BEAUTIFUL FROCKS**

Chic and delightfully fetching are the many late arrivals in frocks for midsummer wear added to our already large collection the past week. There is refinement and simplicity about these garments that appeal to one and all.

Handsome tafetas combined with Georgette, Foulards in beautiful colors, printed Georgettes in wonderful combinations, printed Voiles, Chameuse and Tricolette.

Every garment in this collection represents the newest models.

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| \$2.50 values, special..... | \$2.20 |
| \$2.25 values, special..... | \$1.95 |
| \$2.00 values, special..... | \$1.79 |
| \$1.75 values, special..... | \$1.59 |
| \$1.50 values, special..... | \$1.30 |
| \$1.25 values, special..... | 95c    |
| \$1.00 values, special..... | 79c    |
| 75c values, special.....    | 59c    |
| 50c values, special.....    | 42c    |

**GRADUATION TIME**



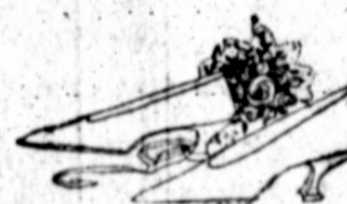
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| White Reinskin Oxfords, Louis heel.....  | \$8.00  |
| White Reinskin Oxfords, Cuban heel.....  | \$6.00  |
| White Reinskin Pumps, military heel..... | \$6.00  |
| White Reinskin Pumps, Louis heel.....    | \$7.50  |
| White Kid Oxfords, Cuban heel.....       | \$9.50  |
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One lot of gingham, best grade, 35c to 40c grade. Special for Monday 29c yard

One lot of Percales, 25c to 35c grade, Special for Monday ..... 18c yard

**MEN'S SHIRT SPECIAL**

One lot men's dress shirts, French cuff, \$2.25 and \$3.00 values. Special for Monday ..... \$1.95



**All the New Ideas in Summer Hats**

Wonderful showing of Summer Hats for Midsummer wear in the Millinery Section this week, introducing all the fashions that have made their appearance during the last few days. We invite you to come and see this interesting exhibit Monday.

Georgette Crepe Hats in white, tan, flesh and orchid. Charming Transparent Models of black and light colored Hair Braids.

Smart white Milans with crepe facings trimmed with flowers and ribbons.

Many Sport Hats in the latest colors and novelty materials.

Prices are moderate, ranging from \$7.50 to \$25.00.

### HENRY SMITH TELLS SOME OF EXPERIENCE WHILE OVERSEAS

All of the A. E. F. men will be good road boosters, especially those who drove a truck on the roads of France, says, Corp. Henry Smith, local boy with the 117th Supply Train of the Rainbow division who recently returned to this city after over 18 months service overseas as a truck driver. This country may be ahead of France and other European countries in many respects, but when it comes to roads, real thoroughfares that are built for permanence, he declares the United States is far behind. Germans roads, some of them constructed centuries ago and in daily use, he says, are kept in constant repair by Chinese laborers, who were employed in large numbers in France during the war to release able-bodied men for the army to stem the tide of invasion.

In his period of service in France, extending from the arrival of the first complete division of Americans in November, 1917, until the time the last units of the Rainbow division left Brest for home in the middle of April, Corp. Smith saw practically all of the great campaigns that brought about the close of the war. In November, 1917, the outfit he belonged to landed at Brest and immediately entered into strenuous training going to the front on the Lunenburg sector in February, 1918. Here was encountered the divisions first resistance from "Heine," and the stress was so great it was almost the first of June before they were relieved. In July came the last desperate attempt of the Hun to break through the Allied lines in the vicinity of Rheims ending in the victorious German Army turning back to Berlin amid the plaudits of an "undefeated" populace. The German people who were fed up on propaganda do not yet realize that they were not victorious.

Many interesting things happened in France to the local boys, but one incident that impressed itself on Smith's mind was on a morning when he and Johnnie Glasscock were hauling supplies after over 24 hours of nerve trying work on a shell swept road close up to the front lines without sleep. Smith was at the wheel of the big truck, a 3-ton P. A. and so dead was he for sleep that he dropped off into his slumber and the truck lumbered on down the road. Soon, however, he was rudely awakened by Glasscock who was riding on the seat with him grabbing the wheel and swerving the truck back in the road. And as he looked at the cause of his companions excitement he saw they had narrowly missed going into a shell hole about 40 feet in depth.

Smith had the privilege of seeing Paris one time in the performance of his duties as truck driver, when he stayed in that city three days.

Orders came for the return of the Rainbow division troops on the 5th of April, while they were still in Germany, Smith states. By the 11th all of the division had embarked and in 12 days more they were back in "Gods Country."

The National Bank of Commerce devotes special attention to the banking needs of oil men, and the familiarity of its officers with all phases of the oil business makes its service particularly practical and helpful. 4-11c

### WICHITA FALLS BOY WITH CONVOY SHIPS BRINGING U-BOATS

Robert Shafer, a Wichita Falls boy, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Shafer, 1701 Austin street, a chief engineer in the United States navy, was a member of the crew of the U. S. S. Bushnell, which conveyed four German U-boats to New York recently. An account of the trip is published in the Scranton, Pa., paper where young Shafer is visiting an aunt. Shafer enlisted from Wichita Falls 10 years ago. The Scranton paper says:

Robert Shafer, of Wichita Falls, Texas, a chief engineer in the United States navy, was the guest of uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Hignett, of 1001 Fairfield avenue, on Saturday.

Engineer Shafer arrived in New York on Friday with four German U-boats which were brought across the Atlantic under their own power under convoy of the Bushnell. The boats are the U-97, UB-88, UB-148 and the H-117. They are to leave tomorrow for Halifax and from there will enter the St. Lawrence river and make a trip over the Great Lakes, being used for exhibition purposes.

Engineer Shafer says that the captured German U-boats that were taken by England, France and Japan were all towed to home ports, but that the four that arrived in New York on Friday, as a result of the work and efficiency of the United States, were brought across under their own power and that the trip was made in three weeks. The Bushnell was along so as to be ready in case of trouble, but was not called upon to give any assistance.

Engineer Shafer has been in the service for ten years and during the war was on an America U-boat.

**BANK CLEARINGS FOR WEEK SHOW INCREASE**

Following are the bank clearings for the week as reported by H. L. Hunter of the Empire Mortgage & Trust Company:

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| Monday    | \$ 883,190.13 |
| Tuesday   | 963,458.89    |
| Wednesday | 870,142.47    |
| Thursday  | 866,783.96    |
| Friday    | 925,516.26    |
| Saturday  | 777,872.38    |
| Total     | 5,286,946.09  |
| Last week | 5,207,422.45  |
| Increase  | 79,523.64     |

**HEARING THIS MORNING ON A LIQUOR CHARGE**

J. A. O'Mally will be given a hearing this morning on a complaint charging conspiracy to transport liquor. O'Mally's bond was set at \$1,000 pending the hearing. Charles H. Griffin was also placed under \$1,000 bond.

**YOUR FRECKLES**

Need Attention in March or Face May Stay Covered.

Now is the time to take special care of the complexion if you wish to look well the rest of the year. The March winds have a strong tendency to bring out freckles that may stay all summer unless removed. Now is the time to use Othine—double strength.

This preparation for the removal of freckles is usually so successful that it is sold by druggists under guarantee to refund the money if it fails. Get an ounce of Othine—double strength, and even a few applications should show a wonderful improvement, some of the smaller freckles even vanishing entirely.



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We have been very well repaid for the exceedingly careful attention which was given the selection of Spring Blouses. To be seen in this display are the prettiest styles of the new season, and they are here in abundance. Colors, patterns, styles, fabrics—all are most beautiful. Time spent in looking at these Blouses will be well invested.

### ACCESSORIES FOR SPRING

A most pleasing costume may be sadly marred by accompanying accessories which have been illy chosen or poorly sold. It is the idea of the P. B. M. store to sell only those accessories, only such neckwear, veilings, gloves and handbags as will fit most charmingly with well selected apparel. Just as our stock of Suits, Coats and Dresses is most unusual, so is our line of accessories, and the most fastidious woman may rest assured that her pet tastes may be satisfied if she comes here to choose.

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### SKULL MENTIONED IN TREATY SUBJECT OF MUCH INTEREST

By Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 17.—Germany is to restore within six months the skull of the Sultan Okwawa, formerly in German East Africa, to his Britannic Majesty's government.

"This sentence from the official summary of the peace treaty presented to the Germans at Versailles set official Washington wondering and swamped libraries and scientific institutions in the capital with inquiries," says a bulletin from the National Geographic Society.

"Among some tribes of Africa, including German East Africa, skulls of former rulers, called sultans, are held in high veneration, and their possession often is of marked political value.

"There are numerous tribes in German East Africa alone, and as many of these sultans as there are tribes. It is apparent that Sultan Okwawa was a sort of Mohammed of Confucius among his clansmen, and that the nation which assumes sovereignty over the people who revere his memory, and probably worship his skeletal remains, will be received with greater friendliness if it can restore the precious talisman.

"Furthermore the removal of the skull sheds a sidelight upon the long arm of German propaganda, reaching even into darkest Africa in contemplation of 'der tag' of Prussia's day under the scorching equatorial sun.

"The German government contributed a goodly sum for an expedition headed by Adolphus Frederick, Duke of Mecklenburg, which ostensibly made a scientific study of the German protectorate in Africa in 1907-08.

"There is good reason to believe that the explorers were not wholly

unaware of political advantages and by way of a tribal coup d'etat took away with them the skull which now has gained such unlooked for publicity.

"The Duke wrote a book about his travels in which he states, in summarizing the results of his expedition, that 1,017 skulls and about 4,000 ethnographic objects were collected.

"He describes visits to various 'sultans.' At one point he digresses from botany and linguistics to give this naive comment on German policy: 'It is desired to strengthen and enrich the sultan and persons in authority, and to increase thereby their interest in the continuance of German rule. At the same time, by steadily controlling and directing the sultan and using his powers, civilizing influences would be introduced. Thus by degrees, and almost imperceptibly to the sultan himself, he eventually becomes nothing less than the executive instrument of the resident (German governor).'

"But Germany's early policy in her African colonial expansion was marked by no such adroit methods; rather by just such disregard of native customs and ruthless measures as that indicated by her removal of the skull referred to in the treaty. Karl Peters, one of the first Germans to seek to exploit African resources, instituted such a reign of terror among the natives by inhuman treatment and especially by wholesale murders of their women that the German government was compelled to revoke his commission until the storm of civilized protest blew over.

"But Peters was soon restored and other bureaucratic German officials 'deposed native rulers, instead of co-operating with them as did the

British, and thus incited numerous native uprisings. One of these, in 1906, cost nearly 125,000 native lives before the Africans succumbed to the same sort of terrorism as that instigated in Belgium in 1914.

"The Duke commented on the generosity of the natives in presenting gifts but noted that yet the purchase of ethnographical material met with obstinate opposition. He explained that each clan reveres some totem, believing that the spirit of the deceased enters these objects of reverence.

"The totem is just as apt to be an animal or part of an animal—the Duke mentions the leopard, created crane, the leopard and the goat—as a skull. Incidentally this fact helps explain the reverence of the old time southern darkey for such tokens as the 'left hind leg of a grave yard rabbit caught on a dark night.'

**Real Estate Transfers**  
T. E. Neumann and wife to E. E. Booth, lot 7, block 226, Wichita Falls; \$5,500.  
A. D. Parillo and wife to A. B. Womack, lot 6, block 41, Floral Heights; \$5,700.  
M. T. Parker and wife to J. W. Snow, lot 11, block 13, Jalonic addition; \$3,700.  
R. E. Huff et al to C. R. Taylor et al, lot 2, block 38, Southland addition; \$750.  
James T. Cumsley to G. C. Bledsoe, lot 2, block 38, Southland addition; \$750.  
J. O. Hatcher to John F. Nelma, lot 15, block 101, Floral Heights; \$1,200.  
S. E. Honaker and wife to Wood Over-all and wife, lots 21-24, block 52, Electra townsite; \$1,000.  
J. A. Kemp and Frank Kell to Eagle Refining Co., lots 8-14, block 19, Wichita Falls; \$2,100.  
R. M. Sirenot and wife to J. T. Gibson, lot 6, block 1, Kemp-Jackson addition; \$7,600.  
E. W. Shaw and wife to O. A. Harmler and wife, lot 3, block 154, Wichita Falls; \$2,500.  
Elna Nelson and D. C. Nelson to Mrs. Carrie D. Yanita, lot 4, block 42, Bellevue addition; \$4,500.  
C. T. Newsum and J. W. Nosselt, lot 3, block 4, West Side addition to Floral Heights; \$1,166.  
Linn A. Boyd to Loren McDermiel, lot 16, block 68, Floral Heights; \$900.  
Chas. A. Jones to E. A. Ostrom, lot 9, block 1, West Side addition to Floral Heights; \$1,200.  
Walter Bywaters et al to A. Kemp et al, lots 6 and 7, block 182, Wichita Falls; \$2,500.  
Linn A. Boyd to Burt Williams, lots 1 and 2, block 12, Bellevue addition; \$10,000.  
Evelyn Suss and Morris Suss to J. W. Kukuk, lots 1, 2, 3, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, block 9, McCleskey addition to Iowa Park; \$1,200.  
Mabel Jones and Roy Jones to Linn A. Boyd, lot 3, block 2, McBride's First addition to Wichita Falls; \$600.  
Mabel Jones and Roy Jones to Linn A. Boyd, lots 1-8 inclusive, block 2, McBride's Second addition to Wichita Falls; \$2,400.  
A. J. Key to W. J. Evans, west 1/2 of lots 13 and 14, block 166, Wichita Falls; \$17,500.  
S. B. Wilson and wife to I. L. Gilmore, lots 1-4, block 103, Wichita Falls; \$4800.  
J. A. Simpson and wife to R. P. Willis and Effie Willis, lot 1, block 30, Southland addition; \$1,200.  
F. P. Robinson and wife to A. E. Brown,

lots 14, 15 and 16, block 108, Floral Heights; \$2,250.  
John G. McKenzie and wife to A. W. Gosselin, 50 feet cur lot 70, block 13, Jalonic addition; \$2,250.  
Ralph Hines and wife to L. N. Lock-bridge, lot 10, block L, Iowa Park; \$2,500.  
F. R. Bray and wife to T. W. Rogers, lots 2-12 inclusive, block U, Iowa Park; \$2,000.  
David Beatty and wife to W. L. Swear-singer, lots 8 and 9, block 2, Jalonic addition; \$1,100.  
W. L. Duggett to J. D. Wraether, his interest in 4 1/2 acres Jonas English survey; \$1000.  
D. W. Crow and Harry Pythou to L. L. Donnell, 10 acres block 21, Honaker subdivision; \$1800.  
R. G. Spawling and J. H. Patterson to Lou-Ellen Oil Co., 10 acres of Barton subdivision; J. A. Kempe's W. V. farm lands; \$12,000.

**NEW SUITS FILED IN THE LOCAL DISTRICT COURTS**  
In the 30th District Court:  
Matva Mikel vs. Davidson Mikel; divorce.  
Continental Supply Co. vs. E. M. Foster; debt.  
Perry Roof vs. Wichita Falls Electric Co.; damages for personal injuries.  
Myrtle Janock vs. S. A. Hancock; divorce.  
T. H. Rowan vs. C. T. Engle; damages.  
First National Bank of Burkburnett vs. W. O. Evans; debt. Against City National Bank of Wichita Falls; garnishment.  
S. J. Ashmore vs. W. F. Adkins and unknown heirs; trespass to try title.  
W. C. Rowe vs. Nellie Pearl Rowe; divorce.  
Oscar H. Heblson vs. Beale Heblson; divorce.  
First National Bank of Tipton, Okla. vs. W. H. Delmore et al; debt.  
Texas Oil Clearing House vs. Central Oil Exchange; debt. vs. City National Bank, garnishment.  
In the 78th District Court:  
Maye W. Wright vs. George W. Wright; divorce.  
P. S. Pink vs. Bankers and Merchants' Oil Co. et al; injunction.

**Marriage Licenses**  
The following marriage licenses have been issued:  
C. R. Umpley and Miss Etta Isabella Lowen.  
Geo. L. Adams and Miss Lena Angelo.  
Luther Abel and Miss Joe Ann Wood.  
Edward E. Good and Miss Lizzie Rogers.  
Harrison Brock and Miss Eva Smith.

Roy D. Tate and Miss Loyce Newman, Garfield Wiley and Miss Lillian Turner, A. A. Hurst and Miss Anna Pearl Simpson.

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## MORE ELECTIONS SOON

Still Other Counties Are Planning for Campaign at An Early Date

More than \$29,000,000 road bonds were voted in Texas between January 1 and May 1 of this year. Elections have been ordered for approximately \$55,000,000 more bonds by Texas counties.

Bonds voted in the period mentioned were as follows:

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| Bastrop   | 320,000   |
| Bee       | 600,000   |
| Brasoria  | 200,000   |
| Blanco    | 75,000    |
| Cameron   | 300,000   |
| Chambers  | 50,000    |
| Coleman   | 100,000   |
| Collin    | 2,814,000 |
| Delta     | 1,900,000 |
| Denton    | 1,555,000 |
| Edwards   | 400,000   |
| Ellis     | 250,000   |
| Faustin   | 181,000   |
| Falls     | 150,000   |
| Franklin  | 500,000   |
| Gonzales  | 85,000    |
| Grayson   | 75,000    |
| Hardin    | 200,000   |
| Harrison  | 1,750,000 |
| Henderson | 500,000   |
| Hill      | 1,410,000 |
| Hunt      | 2,000,000 |
| Hood      | 140,000   |
| Kaufman   | 1,950,000 |

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| Kendall      | 50,000     |
| Kimble       | 150,000    |
| Kleburg      | 350,000    |
| Lamb         | 50,000     |
| Lamar        | 1,500,000  |
| Limestone    | 925,000    |
| Montgomery   | 105,000    |
| Montague     | 400,000    |
| Morris       | 50,000     |
| Milam        | 25,000     |
| Nacogdoches  | 800,000    |
| Navarro      | 320,000    |
| Orange       | 1,000,000  |
| Parker       | 800,000    |
| Polk         | 800,000    |
| Red River    | 175,000    |
| Rockwall     | 800,000    |
| Rusk         | 500,000    |
| San Patricio | 235,000    |
| Schleicher   | 125,000    |
| Taylor       | 25,000     |
| Titus        | 1,000,000  |
| Tom Green    | 500,000    |
| Tyler        | 800,000    |
| Upshur       | 1,050,000  |
| Wood         | 100,000    |
| Total        | 29,453,000 |

Elections to Be Held. Among the counties in which elections have been ordered, together with the amount of the bond issues to be voted on are the following:

|                 |           |
|-----------------|-----------|
| County, Date    | Amount    |
| Austin, May 26  | 750,000   |
| Blanco, May 24  | 75,000    |
| Boxer, May 24   | 1,500,000 |
| Howie, May 24   | 60,000    |
| Cook, May 17    | 1,500,000 |
| Dallas, May 24  | 5,000,000 |
| Dewitt, May 24  | 1,500,000 |
| Lavaca, June 7  | 200,000   |
| Smith, May 24   | 1,500,000 |
| Wharton, May 26 | 2,000,000 |
| Wichita, June 4 | 1,500,000 |

Among other counties in which elections have been ordered but the dates are not available or in which bond issues are proposed are: Brazos, \$2,000,000; Burleson, \$450,000; Callahan, \$150,000; Colorado, \$100,000; Ellis, \$600,000; Falls, \$500,000; Hale, \$350,000; Johnson, \$1,000,000; Live Oak, \$250,000; Llano, \$300,000; Matagorda, \$175,000; Menard, \$165,000; McLennan, \$3,000,000; Nueces, \$1,500,000; Raines, \$500,000; Tarrant, \$2,000,000; Travis, \$1,000,000; Upshur, \$1,000,000; Wood, \$1,500,000.

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# "BLUFF" OF YOUNG RUSSIAN OFFICER SAVES EXPEDITION

Associated Press Staff Correspondent.

ARCHANGEL.—It was largely due to the "bluff" of a young Russian naval officer in command of one of the little Allied steamers on the Dvina River that the original Allied expedition up that river from Archangel was not wiped out by the Bolsheviks in the early phases of the Northern Russia campaign.

The Dvina expedition, 133 strong, went poking its way nonchalantly up the broad river aboard two or three sunny looking river steamers, on which field pieces and machine guns had been mounted. The Bolsheviks had taken the best boats, Mississippi type of paddlewheelers, with them in their flight.

The famous 133 reached Beresniki nearly 200 miles south of Archangel at the junction of the Vaga river with the Dvina, without firing shot. One night, all of a sudden, three or four Bolshevik side-wheelers mounting big guns came around a bend in the river and started to fire. When we fired our cannon, they fell through the thin decks into the staterooms of our steamers.

A young Russian naval officer, in command of one of our little ships with his own gun out of action, stood pat, with the useless muzzle turned toward the biggest of the enemy's ships, and barred the channel while our other ships retreated.

Then our river expedition got the glad news that a British monitor, sent all the way from the Belgian coast was on the way to help them. The monitor crawled along the sand bars and got to Beresniki. The colonel in command of the river land forces told me about it, a few weeks later, when I went up to his sector of the front. It was something of a tragedy this first episode of the monitor but the colonel couldn't help laughing about it.

"The monitor steamed up," the colonel said, "and its captain was handed over to my headquarters ship. The navy was on the job and so, naturally, all was over. He didn't want to stop a minute. 'Where,' he shouted, 'it the enemy fleet, and which is the way to Kotlass?'"

"And then the monitor chugged off in the direction of the Bolshevik ship around the bend in the river. It didn't find the enemy fleet, and it certainly was a long way from Kotlass, when a Bolshevik land battery, masked in the woods on the river bank, dropped a big shell into the monitor, putting it out of commission and sending it back to Beresniki."

It was in this episode of the monitor that a young British naval surgeon performed one of the feats of bravery and self-denial that are continually taking place in this war. With one eye shot out and with blood blinding the other, this young surgeon calmly and successfully attended the monitor's wounded until he fell exhausted.

On the river our forces had reached Beresniki, on the railroad a little command of French had battled its way nearly one hundred miles to Oboserskaya, and in the swampy tundra between the railroad and the river another party, including some of the American sailors, was lost in the mud, when reinforcements, in the shape of three transports loaded with American infantrymen and engineers steamed into Archangel harbor.

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Respectfully, H. A. Boyles. 3-2tp

## INVESTIGATING CASES OF SLEEPING SICKNESS

By Associated Press. AUSTIN, May 17.—An investigation of all cases of sleeping sickness in Texas is being carried on by the State health department in co-operation with the United States public health service.

The State health officer calls upon physicians to report all cases in order that they may be included in the scientific investigation.

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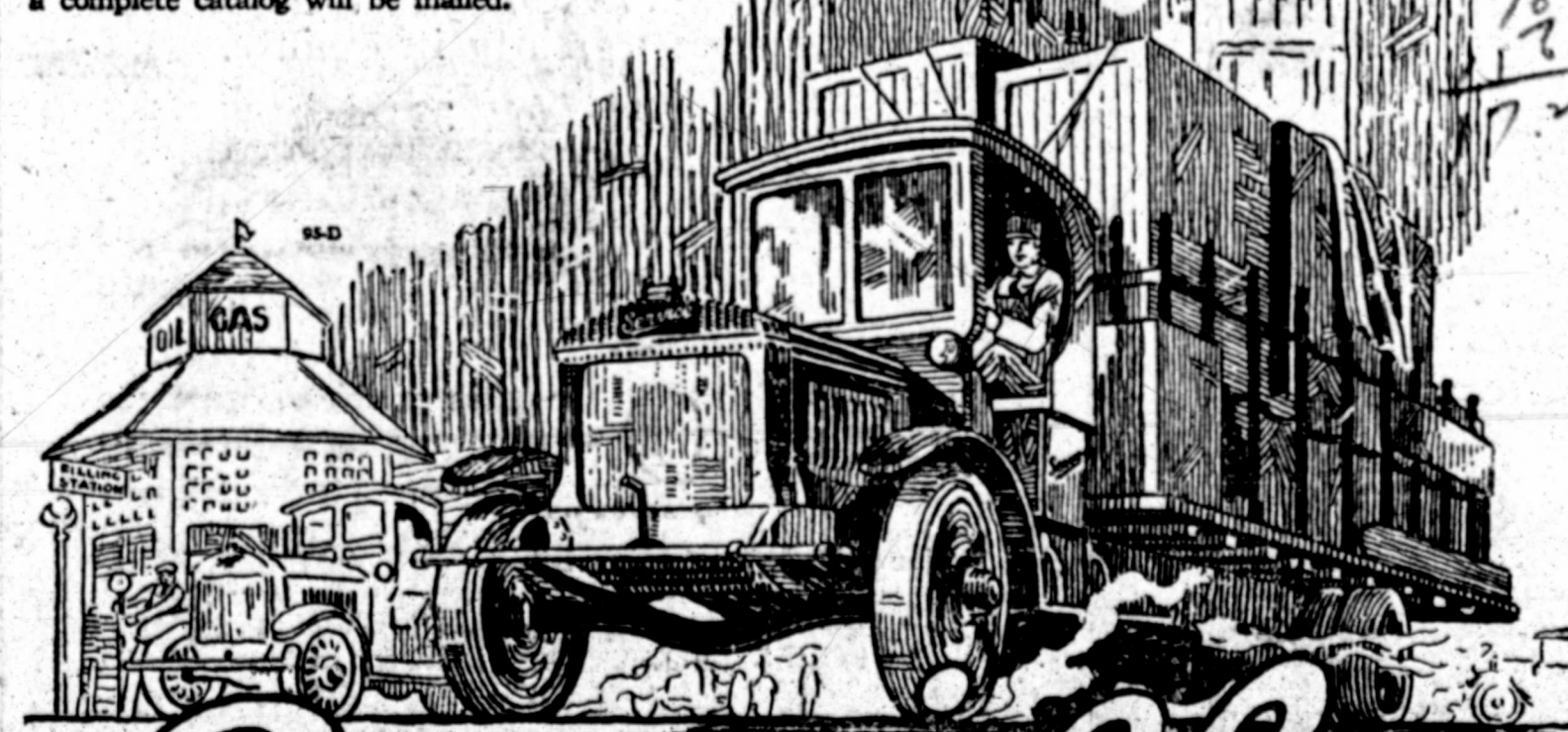
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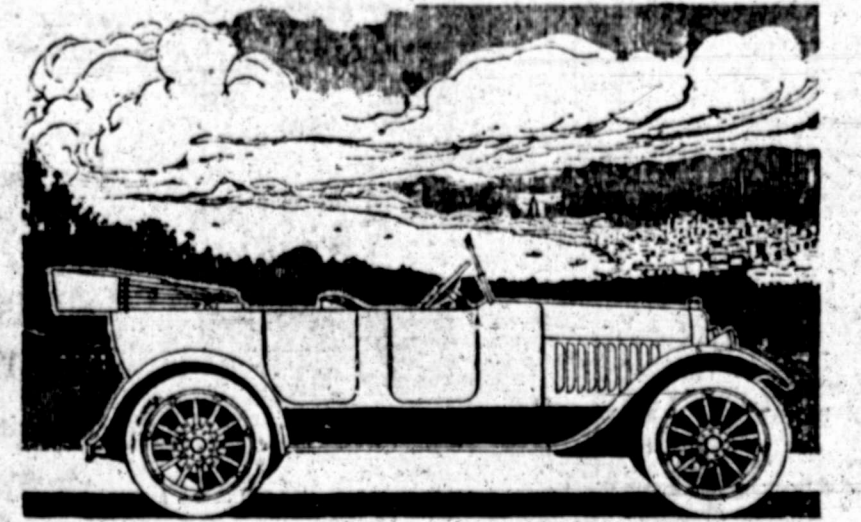
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### RUSSIAN PRESIDENT STRUCK KANSAS OIL FORTY YEARS AGO

By United Press. LONDON. (By Mail)—Nicholas Tchakovsky, white-haired president of the North Russian republic, was ploughing on the Kansas prairies just 42 years ago.

At Cedar Vale, near Independence, Kans., he and 12 fellow countrymen owned and worked two farms during 1875 to 1877. They constituted a little "Free" communistic community. Their neighbors probably spoke of them as "those Russian immigrants."

One of the farms is today the site of a rich oil well. Tchakovsky and his friends themselves began the well and discovered traces of oil. But they didn't know what it was. As it spoiled the water, they abandoned the hole.

Later, Tchakovsky spent a year visiting "Shaker" and other religious settlements in New York. He worked two years as a laborer in the Roches Ship Yards at Chester, near Philadelphia.

His kindly eyes shining and his face aglow with reminiscences—that is, that small triangle of it that showed above his wonderful white shaggy beard—the aged president, now one of the great influences of Russia, told of those days of peace out there with his wife and baby daughter—when the Sunflower state was still young.

"I broke 30 acres of sod all alone one spring," he said. "We went to Cedar Vale from New York. There were 13 of us, both men and women. We owned everything in common—land, horses, cattle, implements."

"Now there is a rich oil well in our front yard. I remember when we dug that well. About 20 to 30 feet down we reached a layer of queer-smelling clay. We didn't know what it was. The water was no good, of course, so we didn't finish the hole. Now I know what we struck was oil."

Of the situation in Russia, he said: "Within two months after Petrograd and Moscow are captured, order could be restored completely in Russia and a constituent assembly elected representing all Russia."

"The bolsheviks are simply a vigorous minority who by virtue of their control of the food supply and military dictatorship are able to prevail over the unarmed majority. Once the food control is wrested from them, their influence is gone. Bolshevism is not a new political philosophy which has saturated the minds of the Russian people. The bulk of the Russian people would be very glad to rid themselves of it, if they had the means."

"Petrograd could be taken in less than two months if the Allies sent between 10,000 and 20,000 additional troops to North Russia."

"Capture of Moscow would require an enveloping operation on a much larger scale for which from two to three hundred thousand additional troops should be sent."

"Tchakovsky predicted that unless checked militarily, bolshevism will certainly spread over all of southern Europe and perhaps northern Europe."

"Whether it will reach England and France, I don't know. Perhaps not. On a piece of paper he penciled a rough map of North Russia, embracing the provinces of Archangel, Viatka, Olonetz, Yuroslavl, and Kostroma, a total population of about 12,000,000. Of this, only Archangel (525,000 inhabitants) remains in the provisional government's control. The bolsheviks have occupied the other provinces."

"The present zone of operations roughly resembles a right-angled triangle, its apex at the town of Archangel, its perpendicular the Archangel-Yologda railroad (with Volodga at the angle) its hypotenuse the Dvina river as far as Viatka, and its base the Petrograd-Siberian railroad, running through Viatka and Yologda."

"The present front is about one-third the way down both legs of the triangle from Archangel, along what are now the boundaries of Archangel province."

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### PLAN ATTEMPT TO FORCE COMPANIES TO PAY DIVIDENDS

By Associated Press. DALLAS, TEXAS, May 17.—The Texas Oil Investors' Protection Association has been organized to combat activities of irresponsible and fraudulent stock selling oil companies. The association, composed of hundreds of investors, will take action to force dividends from fraudulent companies and salvage from incompetents.

Association officers claim that many companies have squandered funds of stockholders, while many others are failing to pay dividends when production is ample to justify such payment.

Public interest was so great after the discovery of new Texas oil fields that nearly everyone invested, association officials say. Because of unrestricted stock selling, the situation has become such that it is almost impossible to dispose of stock for the most meritorious development enterprises, big oil men say.

**TWO OIL COMPANIES HAVE CLARENDON HEADQUARTERS**

Special to The Times. CLARENDON, TEX., May 17.—One Hundred Thousand Dollar Oil Company, holding acreage in Hall and Donley counties, chooses Clarendon as its home and will spend practically \$75,000 in Donley county immediately.

This is the second oil company to make its home in Clarendon, the first being the Lella Lake, which is drilling at present near Lella Lake. The Buck Creek Oil Co., according to Mr. Spring, advance sales manager, has materials on the road for their derrick, rig tools and machinery and

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drilling will be under way at the very earliest possible minute. Clay O. Akers, president of the company, is well known in Clarendon, being a resident of this county many years. With these two oil companies located permanently in Clarendon, we have every reason to believe that if all is found in this or Hall county, Clarendon will reap the benefit of thousands of dollars spent in operation in this section.

**TEXAS COMPANY FOURTH IN MACHINE GUN SCORE**  
By Associated Press. LEMANS, FRANCE, Thursday.

May 15.—First platoon, Company A, First machine gun battalion of the third division, commanded by First Lieut. William G. Nunn, of Norfolk, Va., has won the American expeditionary force battle efficiency competition for machine gun platoons, scoring a percentage of 350.3. Third platoon, Company D, second machine gun battalion of the first division, commanded by First Lieut. M. Moran of Genesee, Pa. was second, with a score of 307.23. First platoon, Company A, 188 machine gun battalion of the fifth division, commanded by First Lieut. L. Alyn, of New Haven, was third and third platoon machine company of the 143rd infantry, 36th division, commanded by First Lieut. Martin Hipp, of Texas, was fourth.



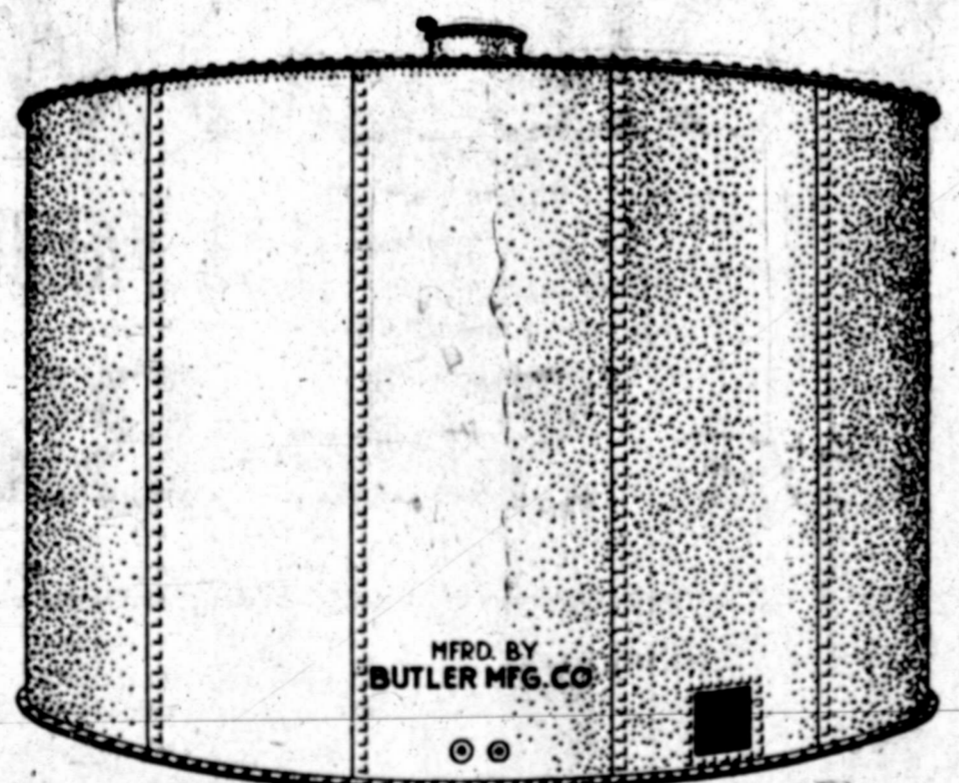
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### PASSING OF BOOZE ON JULY 1 RECALLS HISTORIC CONTEST

By United Press. WASHINGTON, May 17.—(United Press.)—Discontinuance of the liquor business in the United States, set for July 1, will mark the decision in America of one of the world's oldest and most bitterly contested issues.

Use of alcoholic beverages probably antedates all recorded history. And, although the first temperance society was not organized until 1789, advocacy of abstinence is little less ancient than use of intoxicants.

Mahomed was among the original advocates of prohibition. Use of distilled liquors did not become prevalent in Europe till toward the close of the seventeenth century. Inception of the temperance movement came 100 years later, but its development during nearly two centuries was very slow.

Liquors used in ancient times were fermented beverages.

Discovery of the process of distillation is attributed to the Chinese, who imparted the knowledge to the Arabs. Spaniards got the secret for it was kept a secret for a time from the Moors and in turn gave it to other European countries. Use of distilled liquors in the old world became general and drunkenness common.

Hard drinking in England came to be regarded as a grave national danger. In 1756 a London grand jury held the traffic responsible for a great crime wave, and regulation of the liquor business by law was instituted. Similar experiments were in the meantime being made in America.

The battle in the country against use and abuse of liquor began in a mild way as a protest in pulpits against drunkenness. A New England society went so far as to blind its members not to get drunk except on the Fourth of July and general training days.

Advocates of moderation gave way to those who felt that only total abstinence was the remedy. Then the battle began.

East Hampton, L. I. in 1851, forbade the sale of more than two drams of distilled liquor for immediate drinking.

The constitution of Virginia, 1876, prohibited sales of wines and ardent spirits, except in Jamestown.

In 1760, Quakers abolished the habit of drinking at funerals.

The first Congress of 1777 recommended that laws be passed stopping the distilling of grain.

Churches took a definite stand against the use of intoxicants.

In 1789 the first temperance society was organized by 300 Connecticut farmers.

The first recorded demand for prohibition was made by John Chalmers, of Nassau, N. H., in 1795. It attracted little attention.

In 1827 it was announced that 200 temperance societies had been formed in 16 states and that 30,000 men pledged abstinence.

In 1853 it was estimated that 5,000 temperance societies had 1,550,000 members.

State legislatures commenced to pass laws in an effort to limit the

traffic. The Illinois legislature enacted a "local option" law.

The first large temperance society was founded in Washington in 1840. Many others soon sprang into being.

Next a "sign-the-pledge" wave swept the country. This movement was given its impetus by churches in America and Great Britain.

By this time the liquor question had become a great national issue in politics. Maine took a revolutionary step when it adopted state-wide prohibition in 1846. Other states swung into line.

But 72 years elapsed from the time the first state voted liquor outside its borders before national prohibition was ratified by 36 states.

When Congress passed the national prohibition amendment, November, 1918, there were 33 "dry" states. Several others were partially dry. With local option laws in effect.

**DECREASE IN NUMBER OF ARRESTS IN CITIES**

By Associated Press. AUSTIN, TEX., May 17.—A decrease of 39,335 in the number of arrests for all crimes in eight of the principal Texas cities during the first year of the operation of the prohibition zone law ending April 15, 1919, over the previous year is shown in data gathered by the executive department here.

The figures for the period ending April 15, 1918, give total arrests in these eight cities as 93,510, of which number 14,125 were for drunkenness for the year ending last April 15, during which time the zone law prohibiting the sale of intoxicants within a radius of ten miles of a military or shipbuilding establishment was in effect. The total arrests were 60,176, of these eight cities as 93,510.

Houston was the only city reporting an increase in arrests in the latter period, but this increase was credited to all crimes and not to "drunks" which showed a decided decrease.

**ALLIES ARE PREPARED IF THE GERMANS REFUSE**

By Associated Press. LONDON, Friday, May 16.—Speaking at the Primrose league today, Earl Curzon, of Kedleston, government leader in the house of lords, said that if Germany refused to sign the treaty of peace the "Allies were not unprepared for every emergency." No substantial modifications of the peace terms will be permitted, he added.

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### Oil Millionaires Growing So Fast Art is Neglected

By Associated Press. NEW YORK, May 17.—The crop of oil millionaires is growing so fast in Oklahoma and other western states that the people have no time for art or refinement, except the brand of refinement that goes with oil, according to Prof. Oscar B. Jacobson, of the University of Oklahoma, who addressed the 10th annual convention of the American federation of arts here today.

"Such things as art, literature and music, he said, were ignored because the people were so engrossed in getting rich overnight by the discovery of gushers.

The professor also had a grievance against the newspapers of Oklahoma. He said they would not publish stories about art and complained that the life and works of Rodin, the great French sculptor, received only two lines when the master died. Kenyon Cox did better for his obituary notice was extended to three lines.

**MARKETING ASSOCIATION IS BEING ORGANIZED**

By Associated Press. AUSTIN, TEX., May 17.—The State Department of Agriculture is organizing the marketing associations in farmers' institutes, and expects to cover the entire state by autumn.

The plan is to organize one or more associations in every county and then

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The associations are to be composed of farmers who agree to respect the price named by the commissioners of agriculture of the cotton producing states on September 1, and who agree to hold their cotton for that price.

**RESTAURANT MAN IS FINED \$25 AND WARNED**

A local restaurant man who was charged with maintaining filthy conditions in the rear of his place of business was fined \$25 in police court Saturday morning. He insisted on Judge Ogil making an inspection of

his place, until some one who had been in that vicinity suggested that if the Judge ever smelled that place he would fine him the limit. He was given until Monday morning to clean up the premises and warned that every day would constitute a separate violation. Other cases included, 2 affrays \$10 each, and one for passing street car, fined \$5.

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A meeting of the stockholders of the Scruggs-Ardis Oil Company is hereby called to meet at the office of the Company, 224 First National Bank Building, Wichita Falls, Texas, Saturday evening, May 24th, at 8:30 o'clock. The purpose of this meeting is to discuss the financial affairs of the Company, and receive reports from the new officers, which have been recently elected.

The matter of selling the Company's property and winding up the Company will also be discussed and acted on.

By all means attend this meeting in person, so that you can know first hand the condition of the Company, and act for your best interest, and if not able to attend in person, sign and return proxy.

Yours very truly,  
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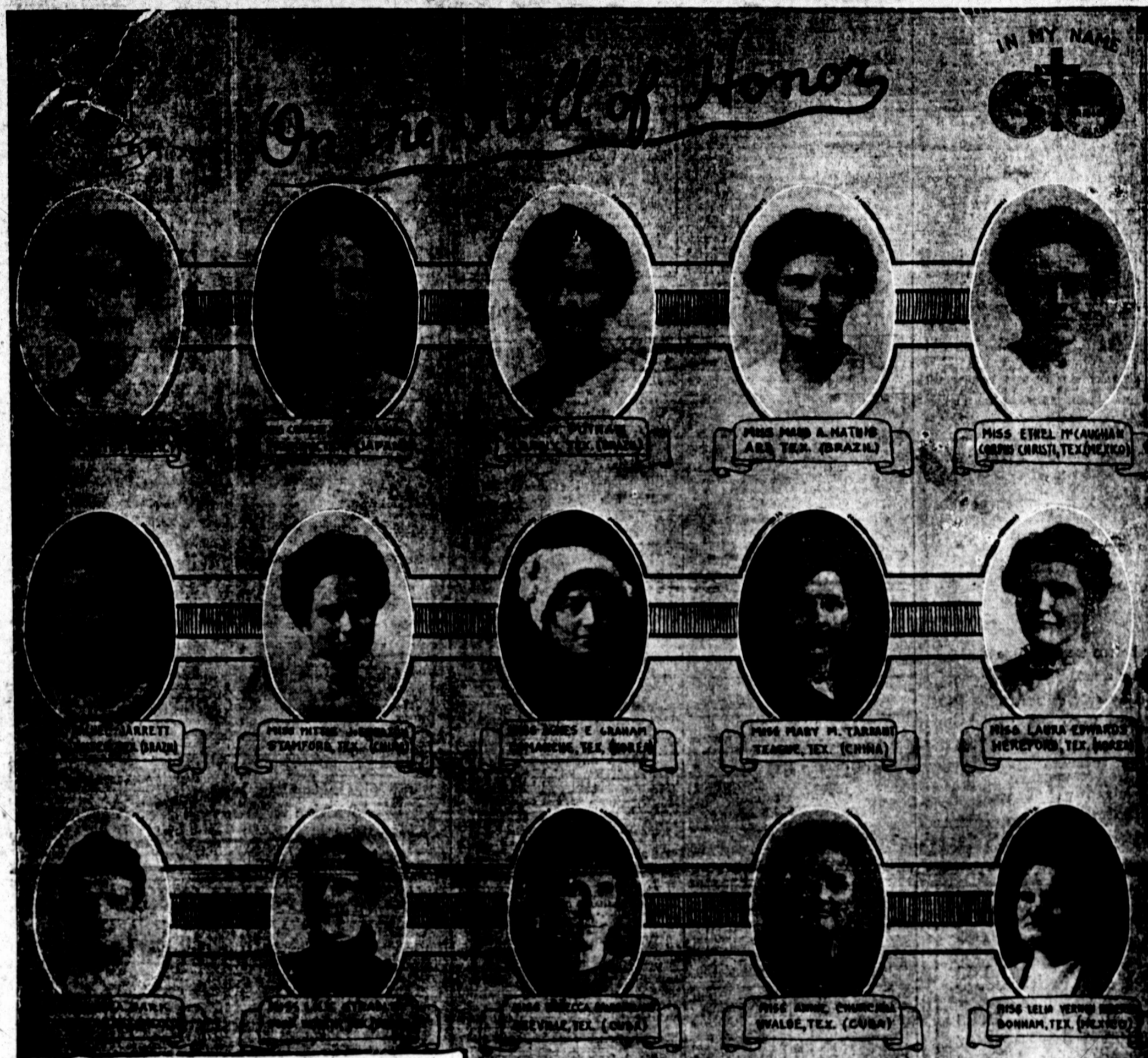
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Today the Southern Methodist Church is celebrating the one-hundredth anniversary of her missionary activities by inaugurating a drive for \$3,000,000 in 20,000 churches with a constituency of about 2,500,000.

Southern Methodism is asking more than 300,000 Methodists in Texas to give more than \$5,000,000 in eight days time, ending May 25, and as justification for the drive the church is pointing with pride to the magnificent work that has been done by Texas women and Texas men all over the foreign world.

Go where you will in any of these far-off lands of magic, mystery and alluring prospects of adventure, you will never get far away from a Texas missionary.

Whether it be in the jungle forests of Africa or around the loss temples of China, there you will find Texas missionaries, both striving to lift the sanitary standards of the people.

Sanitation and Salvation in the twin-sword gospel of power, the Texas lassie carries with her from the prairies and the plains of the Lone Star State to the vile streets and foul homes of the Korean peninsula now striving to emancipate itself from Japan.

Texas missionaries have had a wonderful part, for instance, in the historical steps leading up to the present revolution in Korea. Schools that have been taught by Texas missionaries have produced the genera-

tion that will no longer stand for the overlordship of Japan. The Koreans have been taught to think and act for themselves in the freedom and the democracy of the Christian Religion. Now that Japan is behind a propaganda to force Buddhism back to its former footing in Korea, the Korea Christians will have none of it and are determined to guide their own destiny in accordance with the principles of President Wilson's fourteen points.

**Texas Interested in Mexico.**

Texas has a peculiar interest in Mexico. Shall Mexico become a friend or remain a foe? Is Texas always to have the Mexican thorn in her American side? Who is to promote a better understanding between the two states if not the missionaries, and Texas has many number of missionaries at work among the people of that unhappy land. The Missionary Centenary has an efficient program that proposes to spend \$619,895 in the next five years for evangelistic, educational and medical work in Mexico.

Among the Texas women teachers, nurses, evangelists and domestic science experts now in Mexico are Miss Ethel McCaughan, Miss Norwood Wynn and Miss Virginia Booth, all three in the Colegio Palmers of Chihuahua.

Miss Booth left her home in San Marcos, Texas, on July 30th, to become a teacher at the Colegio Palmers. Miss Norwood Wynn is a Dallas girl who left in 1901 to engage in evangelistic and social service work there, while Miss McCaughan is a domestic science teacher, who left her home at Corpus Christi to risk her life that she might teach Mexican women and girls how to be better home-makers and house-keepers.

Miss Edith Park is a Galveston girl who now teaches in the Normal school of Saltillo, Mexico. Writing of her educational work, she said:

"I have English classes in all the grades from the first primary through the Second Normal, also two special classes. The children are eager to learn English. Miss Roberts says she

never was a greater demand for English. We are now to have the Commercial Department. The course is to extend over a period of three years, including the Oak Cliff day school we have maintained about 175."

Miss Booth in a recent letter to the Board of Missions at Nashville, told how she opened her trunks in Chihuahua after they had been held during the successive revolutions in Mexico City. She said that while the Mexicans were busy on the outside of her trunks, the moths were busy on the inside.

Coming also from West Texas are the following missionaries, J. F. Corbig, J. B. Cox, L. B. Newberry, J. A. Phillips, while Lawrence Reynolds, a missionary in Mexico since 1899, formerly lived in North Texas. All these missionaries report substantial work despite the revolution.

**Record in China.**

Texas have established a wonderful record in China. Among these are Carey E. Touchstone, Markel, who now in Soochow, China; Sid B. Anderson, Rising Star, Texas, now teaching in China; Miss Mary A. Tarrant, Galveston, Texas, now supervisor of women's evangelistic work and day schools in Huchow, China; Mrs. Marie J. Rogers, Marlin, Texas, now head resident of Maria L. Gibson Settlement in the very heart of Soochow, China; Miss Sue Standford, Waco, Texas, a teacher of the Virginia High School at Huchow.

These are Texans in whom their plate has a just right to be proud, for they one and all have done their bit to modernize the oldest of all civilizations. For the next five years, Southern Methodism will spend \$1,083,115 on the work of these missionaries.

Larry E. Touchstone is a typical Texan. He was born at Merkel and educated in the country schools and high schools of Merkel, Texas. When 26 years old, he felt a call to missionary service and re-entered school to prepare for his life work. He was a teacher and pupil alternately in 1915 he was graduate with the degree of bachelor of arts from South-

western University of Georgetown, Texas, and later received the degree of bachelor of divinity from Vanderbilt University.

At Nashville, Touchstone went to school a half day and worked the other half in the office of the board of missions. He attracted attention, and his superiors sent him to a difficult mission post at Laredo, Texas, where for several years he taught a mission school. One day his throat gave out and he had to be called back to Nashville, where he became an assistant under Dr. John M. Moore, now a bishop in the Southern Methodist church. With his throat sufficiently restored, the board of missions appointed him to his life work in China during October, 1917. In China his educational and personal qualities marked him out as a born leader of men, and today this country boy of the Texas Plains is the English secretary to Dr. John W. Cline, the president of Soochow University. It is rumored that he will soon wed a pretty nurse in the Soochow Hospital, which is another institution maintained by the Methodists in China. Dr. Touchstone recently gave the following vivid description of a day's travel in China:

"There are many temples, large and small, in Soochow as well as several pagodas, which has also places of worship of a little different nature, and of quite different architecture, being in the form of high towers. Yesterday several of us visited the largest pagoda in Soochow, which is also the second largest in China. It is nine stories high, octagonal in shape, with a balcony at each floor all the way round. We had no way of measuring it, but it is about 30 feet across and 195 or 200 feet high. It is built of brick and stone and has ornamentation, but its interest lies

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chiefly in its great height. There are a few idols on the two or three floors, but I have seen so many hundreds of them in the last three months that they have little interest for me. The pagoda has an ordinary temple of moderate size in connection but we did not go into it. From the top balcony we could look right down on the top of near houses, and in fact the only thing we could see in this main part of the city was the roofs of the houses. The streets are so narrow that they looked like little cracks in a great pavement of tiles (most of the roofs are tile) that is when we could see them at all. Of course at a distance it was impossible to distinguish streets at all. The city within the walls is about three miles wide and four miles long. Of course it was all in plain view as no spot of ground is as much as two feet higher than the general level. The view was well worth the climb.

"On China New Year Day I went with two Chinese young men to the principal Buddhist temple in Soochow. It stands in a large square fronting the principal street of the city. The temple proper is a building about 80 or 100 feet square and with walls about 25 or 30 feet high, covered like you see in all pictures of Chinese buildings. There are three principal images, representing the Buddhist Trinity and any number of smaller images which are worshipped at various times of the year. A person born in one month worships one image, one born in a different image. There are images worshipped for different seasons of the year, images worshipped to secure long life, children, etc.

"New Year Day being the special day for ancestor worship the square and the temple were crowded, so much so that we had to force our way among the people, old and young, rich and poor, male and female. The air was stifling from the smoke of incense, and there was a general confusion everywhere. Many people were worshipping, but in a very hurried, reticent-with-it-sort-of way. They bowed low before one image after another, perhaps bumping into

some other worshipper as they moved from one image to another without straightening up. They pushed and crowded, laughed and talked, and gave little evidence, as I saw it, of real earnestness. I saw one fellow leap his burning stick of incense into the fire (that was his prayer) and pick up a stick that someone else had put in and light his cigarette with it. That may have been an extreme case but will give you some idea of the reverence they do not have. It was sad sight, and at the same time one hard to comprehend, that people, many of whom well dressed and intelligent, should bow low and worship images made by the hand of man. However religion is at a very low ebb in China at present. People have begun to get enough enlightenment to see that their old religions are false and have not yet embraced Christianity. The fact that many, many temples are falling into decay, and that real opposition to Christianity has practically disappeared, a sufficient evidence of the decay of the old religion.

"Stylish Funeral in China.

"Last Sunday afternoon I got to see a funeral, a real stylish one, and the scene was most interesting sight to be seen by many foreigners. The different paraphernalia that I mention are all furnished by the undertaker, who also furnishes as many mourners as the family is able, or cares, to pay for. I might say, too, that some of the mourners are 'mourning' enough looking, to change the meaning of the word a bit, for they are just ragged boys and men that are picked up on the street to carry certain things in the procession that I don't know how to describe. At the head was a military band, and I had not been told it was a funeral I might have taken it for a circus parade. Then followed a long procession of people, some on foot, some on horseback, those on foot carrying banners of different kinds, and a sort of umbrella kind of arrangement made of cloth and highly ornamented with some one thing and some another. Those on horseback were mostly relatives of the deceased, and could be

distinguished as near or distant relatives of those who know the customs. There were floral designs all over a fashion, small trees like unto family Christmas trees in appearance, some people carried bowls of food as offerings to the gods, etc. After quite a crowd had passed down the narrow street, there came a large party of people dressed in sack cloth and partly protected from the view of the crowd by men bearing a wide strip of cloth on each side of them. After they crossed each bridge (we were standing near a bridge) they stopped, turned, and made a low bow as a form of worship. These were the immediate family of the deceased. Then came the coffin, a very large wooden affair all draped in cloth and carried suspended on poles by 10 or 12 men. It was fixed up to represent a dragon and sticking out in front on a neck as long as a crane's was the dragon's head. It also had a tail something like a hen's all spread out. It was told that one man's funeral cost \$250,000 last fall. I imagine, however, that the undertaker made a fair margin of profit."

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deal, for one's opportunity seems to lie in his being on the spot. I go, nervous, by riding a little 'cigarette boat,' a tiny passenger craft, so called from its shape and the fact that it is always full of cigarette smoke.

The seat is but six inches from the floor, and the roof comes close over the head, so that one must sit cramped for hours. The discomfort I do not mind, but the two-mile-an-hour pace for six hours at a time, when one should get there in an hour or two and spend the remainder of the time with the people, is hard to endure. What I need is a water Ford."

The Methodists of Ranger, Texas, heard the need and promptly met it. Dr. Anderson is now engaged in erecting a church and a parsonage that will stand as a monument to Texas' enterprise in China.

While Miss Rogers works in the settlement, another Texas girl is to be found teaching home economics to Chinese girls at the Virginia School in Huchow. Miss Shelton went there September 5, 1911, from Stamford, Texas, and her educational work has been remarkably successful. How successful may be gathered from a report she recently made to the Board of Missions, as follows:

"When I returned to China in the autumn of 1917, I was appointed to the Home Economics work in the Virginia School. The department was organized and work was begun, as far as work could be begun without room and equipment. I began in my old recreation room, a room containing already seats for twenty or more pupils. A sewing machine was necessary so it was crowded in, and later

another was borrowed from a sewing machine concern. These with other needed equipment, a cutting table and the reference library, etc. very nearly crowded teacher and pupils out, and I often had an overflow on the veranda. However, we progressed and at the end of the year had an exhibit of about 150 articles, all made in the Home Economics classes. I taught six classes in sewing, two in the primary and four in the preparatory class in star study, and high school class in physiology, correlated with the Home Economics. Five history classes and one in physical culture.

Chinese Red Cross Work.

Later when a call came for Red Cross work, the Home Economics was turned into a Red Cross workshop and the Chinese girls eagerly helped in making surgical supplies. They have knitted more than 25 sweaters for the American Red Cross. Texas Methodists may well point with pride to the patriotic record of

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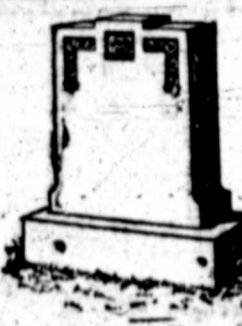
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Miss Shelton and her Chinese domestic science Chinese girls. Miss Sue Stanford of Waco, Texas, is another teacher in the same school at Huchow. She went there in September, 1914, and already is doing a wonderful work in educating Chinese girls just like Waco girls are being educated. She gives three hours to teaching every day. Her courses in botany, physics, astronomy, chemistry, general science and preparatory English are eagerly sought by hundreds of Chinese girls who will be the New Women of China tomorrow.

In Flowerly Japan. In Japan, Texas Methodists are represented by James S. Oxford, of Turnerville, Texas, and Miss Charlie Holland of Moscow.

Dr. Oxford was graduated from the Daniel Baker College at Brownwood, Texas, and later took special business or commercial course in the East. In 1910, after being graduated from Vanderbilt, he was sent as a missionary to Japan and became the principal of the P. Moore Institute at Kobe. It is a night institute and has an enrollment of 750 Japanese students, all eager to be Americanized under the gentle guidance of this Texas school master.

Dr. Oxford has a "standing-room only" school. The Japanese students are so eager to learn Western ways that they even sit on window sills to hear the lectures and the instructions. Dr. Oxford recently received the following application from an eager Japanese boy that almost cried to get in:

Jap Writes Polite Note. "I beg your pardon to write you suddenly. I intended to study English and typewriting by your evening school but sorry the circumstances had not allowed me to attend to entrance examination yesterday. I already remember your school circulation and I am still wish to enter in any classes of your school or else to only listen the lesson without desk if there are no vacancies for me at present. Please oblige me with your kind support and answer.

With compliments, dear sir, respectively yours, S. Masagaki, (20 years aged.)"

Miss Charlie Holland left her Moscow, (Texas) home August 25, 1915, to become a teacher in the Lambuth Memorial Training School for Bible Women. What Scarritt School for American Methodists is at Kansas City, Mo., the Lambuth School is for Japanese Methodists at Kobe. This is the school where Japanese women are trained as evangelists for all Japan. Women evangelists in Japan are a feature in missionary work there. But Miss Holland also helps to make good cooks as well as good evangelists. She maintains a large cooking class among the Japanese married women all the year around.

And in Korea. Korea is now the battle ground between Christianity and Buddhism. Back of the present revolution there is a strong Christian movement determined to free Korea from pagan domination at all costs. Although American missionaries do not meddle with internal politics, yet their influence with the Koreans is colossal.

They are the ones who have taught the Koreans what freedom means as it is understood in Christian America. Among the Methodist missionaries in Korea, Texas, has been well represented, in Miss Laura V. Edwards, Hereford, Texas and Miss Agnes Elise Graham, Comanche, Texas. Miss Edwards has given an insight into Korean life in a recent letter she wrote to friends, as follows:

"Miss Graham has had charge of the work for women in Seogdo, Korea, with its population of 45,000. There are three churches in the city with a combined membership of 1,000 of whom about 300 are women.

The Koreans are a great people for Bible classes, work in their private homes. Miss Graham has organized classes everywhere, and the women study the Bible and think for themselves. She has already organized the Korean women into missionary societies and almost every woman in the church has become an enthusiastic giving and paying member. Their enthusiasm has spread like wild fire among the country women. Miss Graham teaches them how to win converts from superstition and paganism. Through her efforts hundreds have become Christians and scores act as preachers and evangelists everywhere.

From a bit of report like this, it is not hard to understand why the Korean people have ceased to be a "hermit nation" and are now waking up in a new age, doing their full part towards Christianizing the Orient.

In one Korean district alone there are 1,200 women ready to die like the martyrs of old for their faith. It is in the Sondo District, which has about 200,000 people, practically the size of Dallas. There are about as many Christian churches in this district as there are in the Dallas district. It is a fact worth recording that there are more real self-supporting churches in this district than there are in many an American district. The Methodists plan to spend \$392,149 there, and of this sum \$112,995 will be contributed by Koreans themselves.

Miss Graham in a letter has said: "There is no joy equal to that of going into Korean homes and village churches and giving the glad Gospel message to these women. They know nothing but hard work and it is a joy to see them transformed in their whole social, mental and spiritual life."

Miracle of Missions. Korea has been called the "Miracle of Missions" because in a single generation that nation has made so remarkable a stride towards Christianity that today one Korean out of 199 is an active member of some Christian church. The character of these Christians may be seen at a glance from Miss Graham's remark: "The city women are so anxious for the country women to have the same opportunity that they enjoy they gladly give their rice from their homes thus denying themselves and eating a substitute such as millet or beans for months before and afterwards."

Following the trail of Texas from the Orient to Africa will yield much pride and interest to the Methodists of Texas. Southern Methodists have developed a historical work at Wombo, Niama, in Africa, which is being watched with interest by every mission board the world over. Among the missionaries are Miss Mathron Wilson of Dallas, and Miss Etta Lee Woolsey of Bay City, Texas.

A Dallas Heroine in Africa. At Wombo Niama, Texas has a real heroine in Miss Wilson, who recently wrote to Texas friends of her work there as follows: "I want you to know more of these people, and I wish that I knew just what would be most interesting to you. The customs and manners are so strange and so different to what we have known. This morning as we came home from sunrise prayer-meeting, the flying ants were swarming around so that all the people were catching them and eating them—little children, old men and women. Some had cups. They eat them wild out though it takes many to go any way if they are cooked, so they more often eat them without cooking. One of the missionaries offered me a franc to eat one—but I did not get the franc.

Miss Woolsey has begun work with the girls. She has five little girls in the yard with us. They are a handful too. We had them in the room with us a short time the other evening, they were looking at pictures in a magazine and was most interesting to hear their exclamations when they would see the pictures. One little girl about ten years old saw the picture of the Goddess of Liberty and she shouted out, "That is the picture of the Devil." I don't know where she got her idea of the Devil. Their father and I went to another village a few days ago to see if we could find any girls who were willing to come to us, or other any of the parents who were interested enough to permit them to come. We talked to their Chief, and also his Captain, and they told us the little girls in their village had been sold for wives. I am not sure if they were all sold, or that they did not want to come to us. But I do know that they are often sold when they are very small. Their father receives money for them. When are are too small to go with their husband, they remain in their father's home, then when they are old enough the husband takes her. If a man grows tired of his wife he can take her back or send her to her father, and if the father sells her again, he must return the first husband his money. Sometimes a woman is sold a number of times.

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# American National Bank

STATEMENT AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS MAY 12, 1919, AS RENDERED COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY.

|                            |                       |                            |                |
|----------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------|----------------|
| Loans and Discounts        | \$ 412,747.31         | Capital                    | \$ 100,000.00  |
| Bonds                      | 82,788.03             | Surplus and Profits        | 11,772.48      |
| Building and Fixtures      | 9,853.47              | Federal Reserve Bank Stock | 1,254,129.58   |
| Federal Reserve Bank Stock | 2,390.00              | DEPOSITS                   |                |
| CASH AND EXCHANGE          | 727,181.35            | TOTAL                      | \$1,365,912.06 |
| <b>TOTAL</b>               | <b>\$1,365,912.06</b> |                            |                |

If it is with a feeling of pride that we point to the above statement at the end of the 74th day since our opening. The above statement was made possible through the unexcelled service we have rendered our customers and the welcome which they have received in their transactions with this bank.

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of Wichita Falls

Capital and Surplus \$1,000,000

The official condensed statement of Condition of First National Bank, Wichita Falls, Texas, as made to the Comptroller of Currency at Washington, D. C., at the Close of Business May 12, 1919.

### RESOURCES

|  |                       |
|--|-----------------------|
| Loans and Discounts  | \$4,832,867.86        |
| U. S. Bonds and Premiums   | 409,000.00            |
| U. S. Liberty Bonds, War Savings Stamps and Certificates of Indebtedness | 280,847.28            |
| Other Stocks and Bonds   | 118,807.82            |
| Stock in Federal Reserve Bank  | 18,000.00             |
| Furniture and Fixtures   | 19,000.00             |
| Banking House  | 182,000.00            |
| Cash in Bank   | \$ 609,529.70         |
| Cash with U. S. Treas.   | 20,000.00             |
| Cash with other Banks  | 3,072,220.09          |
| <b>TOTAL</b>   | <b>\$9,705,574.75</b> |

### LIABILITIES

|                         |                       |
|-------------------------|-----------------------|
| Capital Stock           | \$ 500,000.00         |
| Surplus                 | 75,292.19             |
| Currency in circulation | \$41,600.00           |
| Bonds Borrowed          | \$7,550.00            |
| DEPOSITS                | 8,165,492.16          |
| <b>TOTAL</b>            | <b>\$9,705,574.75</b> |

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We furnish impartial service to all customers and make a special feature of prompt, courteous attention. Your patronage will be welcomed.

### STATEMENT OF CONDITION AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS MAY 12, 1919.

|                              |                       |                   |                       |
|------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|
| RESOURCES                    |                       | LIABILITIES       |                       |
| Loans and Discounts          | \$2,235,378.12        | Capital Stock     | \$ 200,000.00         |
| U. S. Bonds                  | 200,000.00            | Surplus           | 20,000.00             |
| Certificates of Indebtedness | 20,000.00             | Undivided Profits | 47,150.85             |
| Bonds Bought for Investment  | 11,713.06             | Circulation       | 280,000.00            |
| Liberty Bonds                | 131,670.00            | Deposits          | 3,260,107.84          |
| W. S. and Thrift Stamps      | 481.52                |                   |                       |
| Furniture and Fixtures       | 5,000.00              |                   |                       |
| Stock in Fed. Reserve Bank   | 7,200.00              |                   |                       |
| Real Estate                  | 48,572.92             |                   |                       |
| Cash and Exchange            | 1,013,912.91          |                   |                       |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                 | <b>\$3,737,258.49</b> | <b>TOTAL</b>      | <b>\$3,737,258.49</b> |

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"Our work is growing in such a way that we know the power of God is working among these people. We have more than 75 mission boys in the training school. Twenty evangelists that go out to the different villages twice a week to tell the Gospel story; more than a hundred church members. The average attendance at the sunrise prayer meeting is about 150. I have charge of the school in the afternoon, and we have an average of 40. One day we had so much noise that I decided I would count the babies present. There were 10 nursing babies besides a few others in the mothers' arms too old to nurse, and when one decides to cry, generally another will take the same notion at the same time. But I cannot say anything. The mothers could not come if they did not bring their babies too. The hospital work is very interesting. This past quarter, Mr. Ahker, and I cut off a woman's arm at the elbow. She came into the hospital in such a condition that we saw that the only relief that we could give was to amputate the arm. She begged us to cut it off. We had no doctor, but we did our best and the Lord blessed our effort. The arm healed quickly, and only a few days ago a state doctor passed through and said that we did the work well. The hand was first infected, and then as the result of the native medicine, the bones and ligaments were eaten into. I have extracted more than 20 teeth the last quarter. I never thought I could pull a big man's tooth but I have pulled a number. They are very grateful when you relieve their suffering. I feel that medical work is one of the greatest agencies we have in reaching the people. I am praying that you make earnest prayer that a surgeon may come to us soon. We need one so greatly. I know that our country is calling, but these people are calling too, and I am praying that their call may be so loud that some strong consecrated doctor may hear far off in America and come to us. When I think of the terrible war and the many calls, it just makes me wish that I might be able to be in both places. The fight here is for men's souls and I am praying that I may be faithful.

Miss Wilson left for Dallas on September 13, 1917, and has worked as a trained nurse ever since, while Miss Rita Lee Woolsey has been a teacher in the African jungles ever since September 19, 1917.

**Texas Women in Brazil.**  
Texas women and men are prominent in Brazil. Helping to promote better understanding and a better feeling between the two largest countries in the western hemisphere, are the following: Miss Mary LaMar, Houston; Miss Rachel Jarrett, Red Water, Texas; Miss Lydia Ferguson, Belton, Texas; Miss Maud Mathie, Arp, Texas; Miss Mary Sue Brown, Gatesville, Texas; Miss Lela M. Put-

nam, Albany, Texas; Charles A. Long, Cherokee county, Texas; J. W. Daniel, Cotulla, Texas.

The women are all teachers in different Brazilian colleges, while the men are evangelists.

Dr. Long is the son of a Texas doctor, who has had an interesting career in Brazil. After doing Indian work in West Oklahoma he was transferred to Brazil. Upon arriving there he was appointed director of the People's Central Institute at Rio, and later became president of Granberry College, a monument to the enterprise of American Methodists. Nearly 200 Brazilians enter the college every year, and about 25 are graduated in arts, medicine, dentistry and pharmacy. The clinic of Granberry College, opened and supervised by Dr. Long, is a model of its kind in Brazil.

Dr. J. W. Daniel's work in Brazil is made possible by the support of Methodist students in the University of Texas. In 1916 these students raised \$4,000 with which to build a church at Passo Fundo in one year's time.

In Cuba are to be found earnest Texas Northwesterners such as B. O. Hill, Hills Prairie, Texas; J. F. Caperton, Itasca, Texas; L. H. Robinson, Live Oak county, Texas; Miss Annie Churchill, Uvalde, Texas; Miss Rebecca Toland, Beeville, Texas. The work of these Texans is largely educational, medical and evangelistic, and they have all done their part in making Cuba a happy and industrious country under its own flag, ever grateful to its big brother, the United States, which went to war that they might be free.

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Dr. R. E. Huff, Jr., Dentist, Graduate Northwestern University, Chicago, 410 First National Bank Bldg.

**SERIOUS FIGHTING IN THE CROATIAN CAPITAL**

LONDON, Thursday, May 15.—Serious fighting between Serbians and Croats at Agram, the Croatian capital, is reported in a Vienna dispatch tonight to the Exchange Telegraph Company.

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**WID PHILLIPS,**

**R. E. SHEPHERD,**  
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**SEVERAL WELLS ARE NEARING COMPLETION IN THE NORTHWEST**

The past week has been lacking in important completions at Burkburnett, the latter well in the northwest pool being the M. and P. Burk which came in Saturday, though the Brown and McAllister well on the Peter Ramming tract, not far from Clara, is considered of much importance, sending the Ramming pool a half mile to the north. This well came in Tuesday.

A number of well in the new pool are nearing sand depth, and especially those in distance locations are being closely watched, and the next few weeks is expected to see interesting and important developments.

A drilling report, as complete as possible under existing conditions, follows:

- Wells on sand, with casing set, or Friends Oil Co., No. 1 Schultz, standardizing to complete.
- Tish Oil Company, No. 1 Herndon, Block 58.
- King Eight Oil Company, No. 1 Waggoner, Block 54.
- G. C. Wood, No. 3 and No. 4 Hardin, Dubose Survey.
- Fridley et al., No. 2 Hardin, Dubose Survey.
- Magnolia Petroleum, No. 5 Hardin, Dubose Survey.
- Gilliland Oil Company, No. 32 and No. 56 Hardin, Dubose Survey.
- Brown and McAllister, No. 3 Hardin, Dubose Survey.
- Dupont Oil Company, No. 1 Knauth, drilling around 1350 feet.
- Headlton Oil Company, No. 2 Har-goner, drilling around 1350 feet.
- The Texas Company, No. 16 Hardin A.
- S. W. S. Oil Company, No. 1 Schmis-er, drilling around 300 feet.
- J. I. Staley et al., No. 1 Renner, drill-ing around 350 feet.
- The Texas Company, No. 2 Van-cleave, second lease.
- The Humble Oil and Refining Com-pany, No. 4 Herndon, Block 55.
- Rowe et al., No. 3 Brooks.
- Twin Cities Oil Company, No. 1 Hardin, Dubose Survey.
- The Gilliland Oil Company, Nos. 30 and 39 Hardin, Dubose Survey.
- McMann Oil Company, No. 14 Har-din, Dubose Survey.
- Magnolia Petroleum Co., No. 5 Fowler.
- Perabing Oil and Gas Company, No. 1 Vancleave.
- Magnolia Petroleum Co., No. 4 Mag-nolia Fowler.
- Magnolia Petroleum Co., (Fowler Farm) No. 14 Vancleave.
- Goodloe Kennedy No. 2 Welch.
- Gulf Production, No. 18 Derden A.
- C. R. Cox No. 2 Davidson.
- Burkburnett Production Company, No. 2 Vancleave.
- Gooch and Darr, No. 3 Vancleave.
- Thrill Oil Co., No. 1 Strange.
- Thrill Oil Company No. 4, No. 1 Brannon, drilling around 500 feet.
- Vaughn Oil Company, No. 1 Vaughn, fishing around 1700 feet.
- Midway Oil Company, No. 1 Jarrell, drilling below 1550 feet.
- Velma Oil Company, No. 1 Wag-goner, drilling below 1400 feet.
- Drilling report from other wells in the Burkburnett district. Northwest and townsite pools.

- Armstrong et al., No. 1 Renner, Renner, Block 75, drilling around 250 feet.
- Burk Cinch Oil Company, No. 1 Vaughn, fishing around 1225 feet.
- Burkburnett Oil and Development Company, No. 1 Waggoner, Block 54, drilling around 1625 feet.
- Burk Sun Oil Company, No. 1 Jarrell, drilling around 1550 feet.
- Burkley Oil Company, No. 1 Wag-goner, drilling around 1550 feet.
- Burk Dalton Oil Company, No. 1 Carl, drilling around 400 feet.
- Black Jack Oil Company, No. 1 Vaughn, shut down around 1,000 feet.
- Big Lime Oil Company, No. 1 Schultz, shut down temporarily, around 1800 feet.
- Gold Leaf Oil Company, No. 1 Sand-ers, drilling around 1650 feet.
- Goldconda Oil Company, No. 1 Bran-son, drilling around 1500 feet.
- Friends Oil Company, No. 1 Schultz, temporarily shut down.
- Belden-Gilchrist, No. 1 Vaughn, pull-ing liner, temporarily shut down.
- Friends Oil Company, No. 1 Haney, drilling around 1150 feet.
- Eureka Oil Company, No. 1 Goins, drilling around 1,900 feet.
- Big Bob Oil Company, No. 1 Wag-goner, drilling around 1050 feet.
- California Company, No. 1 Vaughn, reaming to set casing, 1700 feet.
- El Paso Burkburnett Oil Co., No. 1 Lee, drilling around 1570 feet.
- Donehoe Oil Company, No. 1 Her-n-don, drilling around 1550 feet.
- Collin County Oil and Gas, No. 1 Lee, drilling around 1650 feet.
- Dupont Oil Company, No. 1 Wag-goner, drilling around 1,000 feet.
- E. P. Bass et al., No. 3 Waggoner, drilling around 1,000 feet.
- J. L. Lee, No. 1 Waggoner, drilling around 1100 feet.
- Ramming and Willis, No. 1 Renner, drilling around 400 feet.
- R. P. Ramming, No. 1 Allen, Block 10, Specht Colony Lands, shut down below 1700 feet for liner.
- National Oil and Drilling Company, No. 1 Slama, drilling around 500 feet.
- Sure Pop Oil Company, No. 1 Vogel, drilling around 1550 feet.
- S. W. S. Oil Company, No. 1 Ren-ner, drilling around 1450 feet.
- Treasury Oil Company, No. 1 Shultz, drilling around 1500 feet.
- Tennessee Oil and Gas, No. 1 Evans, drilling around 1450 feet.
- True Love Oil Company, No. 1 Her-n-don, drilling around 1450 feet.
- Thrill Oil Company No. 4, No. 1 Brannon, drilling below 500 feet.
- Velma Oil Company, No. 1 Vaughn, fishing around 1700 feet.
- Muckleston Oil Company, No. 1 Schultz, drilling below 1300 feet.
- Marjorie Oil Company, No. 1 Ren-ner drilling below 500.
- Lewis et al., No. 1 Waggoner, drill-ing below 500 feet.
- McCoy and Harris, No. 1 Elsea, drilling around 650 feet.
- Lawtonka Oil Company, No. 1 Sla-ma, shut down for tools, around 1800 feet.
- Midfield Oil Company, No. 1 Ren-ner, running liner around 1700 feet.
- Mulkey et al., No. 1 Schultz, drilling around 1100 feet.
- Wasecka Oil Company, No. 1 Schultz, drilling below 1700 feet.
- Meadows and Barkley, No. 1 Ren-ner, drilling around 100 feet.
- Western Star Oil Company, No. 1 Hermon, drilling around 1100 feet.
- Works et al., No. 1 Waggoner, drill-ing around 600 feet.
- Butts et al., No. 1 Morgan, drilling around 650 feet.
- Neff Burkburnett Oil Company, No. 1 Hardin, drilling around 1625 feet.
- Reverly Seaman, No. 1 Hardin, casing set at 1650 feet.
- Sun Oil Company, No. 2 Hardin, fishing around 1700 feet.

- Sun Oil Company, No. 7 Hardin, drilling around 1300 feet.
- Harrison Evrton Oil Company, No. 1 Carl, running liner, 1700 feet.
- M. D. Rowe, No. 1 Waggoner, drill-ing below 1000 feet.
- Seamon Oil Company, No. 1 Long-ford, fishing below 1500 feet.
- Horseshoe Bend Oil Company, No. 1 Roberts, rigging up.
- Hovo Oil Company, No. 1 Hardin, rigging up.
- Lucky Two Oil Company, No. 1 Waggoner, rigging up.
- Sappington and Kitchen, No. 1 Ren-ner, rigging up.
- Marjorie Oil Company, No. 2 Ren-ner, rigging up.
- Producers Refining Company, Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 Renner, rigging up.
- Barker and Barker, No. 1 Elsea, rig-ging up.
- Will-o-Boom Oil Company, No. 1 El-sea, rigging up.
- Westland Oil Company, No. 1 Roberts, rig.
- Staley, Langford and Chenault, No. 1 Brannon, rigging up.
- Paramount Oil Company, No. 1 Carl, rigging up.
- Siegel and Martin, No. 1 Elsea, rig-ging up.
- Summit Petroleum, No. 1 Renner, drilling below 500 feet.
- Humble Oil and Refining Company, No. 8 Herndon, drilling around 1200 feet.
- Humble No. 9 Herndon, drilling below 1000 feet.
- Humble, No. 1 Brannon, drilling be-low 800 feet.
- Humble, No. 1 Brannon, drilling be-low 500 feet.
- Humble, No. 2 Schultz, drilling be-low 1400 feet.
- Parker and Anderson No. 1 Che-nault, shut down at 1600 feet.
- Old Hickory Oil Company, No. 1 Hardin, drilling at 1050 feet.
- Weatherford Burkburnett Oil Com-

- pany, No. 1 Strange, drilling below 1500 feet.
  - Lawton Oil Company, No. 4 Van-cleave, drilling below 1000 feet.
  - Texas Chief Oil Co., No. 1 Taylor, drilling 1500 feet.
  - Gray Gander Oil Co., No. 1 Elsea, drilling around 1200 feet.
- Oil Leases and Assignments.**
- Conrad Kompe and wife to Edward Schaffke and S. B. Marchant, subdivision No. 24, with exception 10 acres, \$1500.
  - Alexander Lumber Co. to J. M. Alex-ander, lots 4, 5 and 6, block 24, Burk townsite, \$500.
  - United Oil Co. to C. A. Bradley and L. M. Bradley, 2 1/2 acres Block 74, R. R. V. lands, \$500.
  - J. W. Stone to Sammie Oil Co., 5 acres E. Stanley survey, \$45,000.
  - C. E. Steward to Thrift Oil & Gas Co., No. —, 2.25 acres of B. B. & C. Ry. Co. survey, \$25,250.
  - Lee Tidwell to F. E. Harper et al. lots 1, 2 and 3, block 1, Lee Tidwell subdivi-sion, Hummer survey, \$31,500.
  - L. Durrant, 40 acres Jonas English sur-vey, \$1500.
  - A. J. Andree to J. D. Wraether, 20 acres Jonas English survey, \$1500.

Non-Resident who writes to J. P. Hansen, 20 acres Block 134, Waggoner colony lands, \$1.

N. A. Clarke to W. A. Farbell et al. Blocks 262, 229, 225, 228, 240 and south 200 acres Block 260, Waggoner colony lands, \$10 and other considerations.

L. B. Jones and W. T. Knicht to Sam E. Kibben et al. their interest in n-w 1/4 Block 74, R. R. V. lands, \$1 and other considerations.

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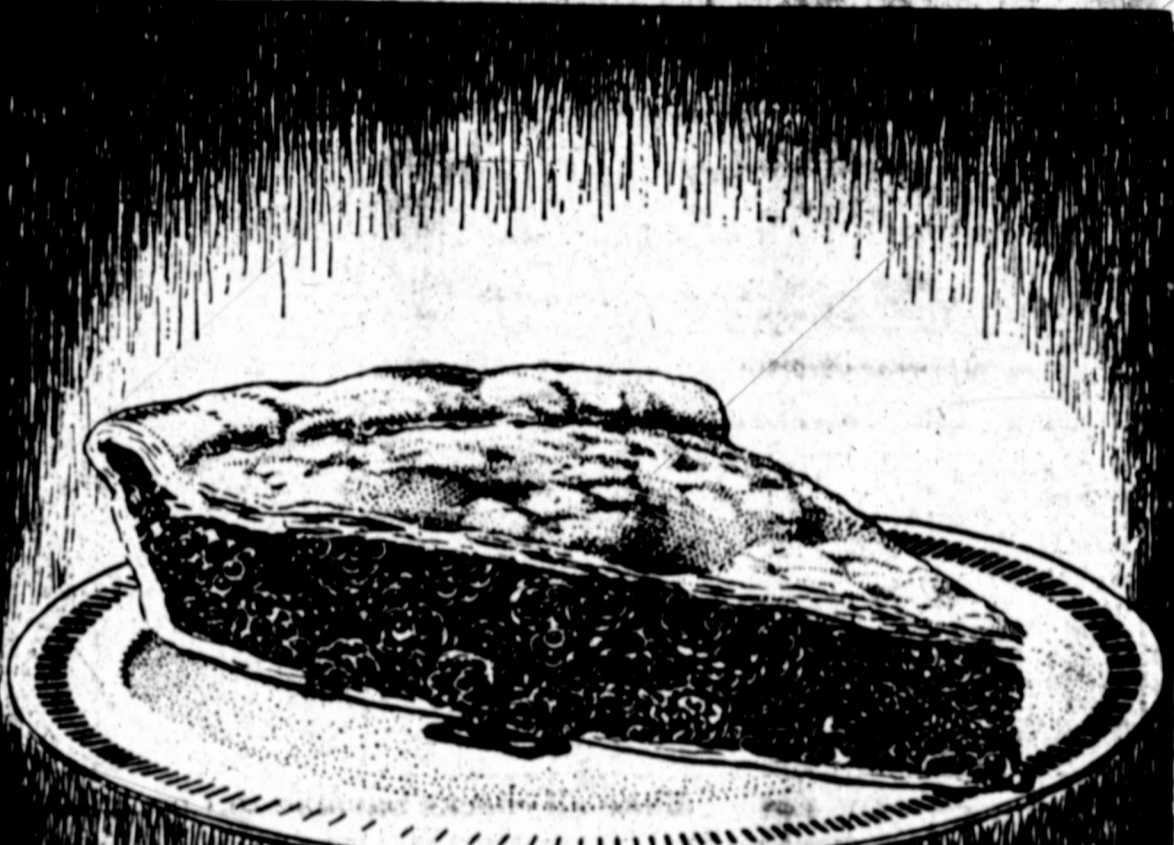


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# VAN NESS WELL IN BAYLOR COUNTY IS REPORTED DRILLING

Special to The Times.  
 Harry Van Ness well No. 1 on the Snyder ranch section 76 in Baylor county, Texas, spudded in Saturday afternoon, May 10.

This well is being drilled by L. E. Alleman's crew of experienced drillers. This is the second well Mr. Alleman is drilling in Texas. The other well was spudded in about two weeks ago at Byers, Texas.

The Harry Van Ness well is the most important test to Seymour, being only five miles from town.

The confidence had in this enterprise by the company is indicated by the fact that they are negotiating with other parties for a further lease of territory and expect to put down another test well whenever the deal is closed.

Chas. H. Gallagher, who is interested in the Van Ness well, has been here the past week in connection with getting drilling started. He was accompanied by Mr. Alleman, the driller. They have a crew of men on the job and operations will go forward with all possible dispatch.

Water for drilling purposes is to be supplied from two earthen tanks. However, in the event this should prove inadequate a pipeline is being laid for nearly two miles to Cache Creek springs, and this will supply all the water that could be needed.

Mr. Gallagher states that Mr. Van Ness came down to Dallas the other day, but did not have time to come over here. He will make us a visit, however, some of these days.

The following clipping tells a bit about the work of Mr. Alleman:

The Alleman Drilling Co. of Eldorado, of which Lefe Alleman is the owner, is opening a branch in Wichita. Mr. Alleman has arranged for an office with the Petroleum Journal at 115 North Emporia avenue. The

Alleman company has four strings of tools.

Mr. Alleman started to work in the oil fields when he was nine years old, as water boy, on a pipeline in West Virginia. He has been at it ever since, having worked as a driller, tool dresser and at every other job connected with oil field work. Mr. Alleman early formed an ambition to own a string of tools of his own. He realized this ambition before he was of age and was the youngest drilling contractor, with a full string of tools of his own, in the oil fields of West Virginia and Pennsylvania. Since then he has drilled wells in the oil fields of West Virginia, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Kentucky, Kansas, Texas, California, Louisiana, New Mexico and in Canada and India. He has been in on all the big oil strikes, including Spindle Top, Besamont, Casey, Ill., Towanda and Eldorado, Kansas, Burk Burnett and Ranger, Texas, and a number of others. For eight years Mr. Alleman was general superintendent of the Burmah Oil Co. of India. The Burmah Oil Co. is a big Scotch Syndicate with a capital of two and one half million pounds sterling with headquarters at Glasgow, Scotland. This company is to Europe and the East what the Standard Oil Co. is to the United States. Mr. Alleman had charge of all of the oil field work in India for the big oil company and his description of the life of the country among the natives are instructive and entertaining. The wells there, he states, are from 250 feet to 400 feet deep and produce from 150 barrels to 20,000 barrels per day. Most of the oil is 62 gravity. India also produces a natural lubricating oil which is mar-

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table as a lubricant without any refining process. Drilling oil wells in India requires so much under-reaming that it costs sometimes from \$250,000 to \$500,000 to drill a well.

**PRESIDENT APPRECIATES MESSAGE OF LOYALTY**

By Associated Press.  
 WASHINGTON, May 16.—President Wilson has cabled William G. Lee, president of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, expressing appreciation of a message of loyalty sent

him by Mr. Lee on behalf of the brotherhood, which is holding its annual convention at Columbus, Ohio.

**PROMOTER PLEADS GUILTY IN MINNESOTA COURT**

By Associated Press.  
 MINNEAPOLIS, May 16.—William H. Schafer, promoter, charged by the state with having diverted \$500,000 from fourteen state banks and two mortgage companies, which he controlled, entered a plea of guilty early today in Hennepin county district court.

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### COUNTY CHAIRMAN ROAD COMMITTEE ISSUES STATEMENT

The Times has received the following communication from Hon. H. F. Weldon, chairman of the campaign committee to carry the road bonds: The Times: Gentlemen:

At a recent meeting of patriotic citizens of Wichita county, I was selected as chairman of the general committee for the campaign to end June 4, when we vote authority to issue one and half million (\$1,500,000) dollars in bonds for the purpose of constructing hard surface, permanent roads through this county.

At this meeting representative citizens from all portions of the county were present, and the following vice chairman were selected to assist in the campaign, to-wit:

W. S. Curlee, Wichita Falls.  
C. C. Cabiness, Burkburnett.  
Fred M. Jack, Iowa Park.  
G. Clint Wood, Wichita Falls.  
E. A. Dale, Electra.

It is a matter of sacred history that we have recently given our sons, our money and our prayers that civilization might continue in its efforts to make the world a better place in which to live. Good roads are a necessary part of modern thought, modern thrift and modern transportation, and that country which fails to keep abreast of the demands of civilization will not be inviting to investors and homesteaders.

It has recently developed that Wichita county is richer in natural resources than any county in this section, and we feel that we owe a duty to these resources, to construct these permanent highways for ourselves, and the generations that are to follow.

I shall be especially pleased to have letters from citizens, and I take this means now of thanking every person, man, woman, child, farmer, oilman, banker or tradesman, who will lend assistance to this movement for good roads.

If it is inconvenient to communicate directly with me, please take the matter up with your nearest organization, as each community will perfect its own organization, and conduct its own campaign.

Yours truly,  
H. F. WELDON,  
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So, filling up the battered pipe,  
Once more we will endeavor  
To vie with Tennyson's wee "Brook,"  
And just "go on forever."

**The Flight.**  
The navy seaplanes are in flight;  
They've started "cross the Atlantic";  
If no one falls and nothing breaks,  
We'll call the trip romantic.

But when we start across the foam,  
We want no airship pet,  
For, Oh! The ocean's very deep,  
Also extremely wet!

**German Situation.**  
The Germans say they cannot sign  
The treaty now on tap;  
All right! Let's start another war,  
And wipe 'em off the map!

**Welcome Home.**  
The Wichita Club is making plans  
To welcome home the doughboys;  
Let's whoop 'em up; let's all kick in,  
In other words, let's go, boys!

**Labor Troubles.**  
The labor men in Winnipeg  
Have started quite a rattle;  
Perhaps someone should wire to  
The mayor of Seattle!

**Theft.**  
Some thief stole 50,000 fish  
From out a Fort Worth train;  
He'll brighter be, if it is true,  
That fish is food for brain!

**90th Division.**  
The Ninetieth Division, which  
is filled with Texas boys,  
Is coming home—'kootay! 'kootay!  
Let's make a heap o' noise!

**The Round-Up.**  
The Round-Up now is in full swing,  
With contests filled with thrills;  
And those who ride the Brahma steers  
Have suffered sudden spills.

**Church News.**  
The Baptist church has raised a fund  
Five million for its pastors;  
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Some serious disasters.

**Grand Finale.**  
We slipped a little when we sought  
To write that last wee verse,  
And so we think we'd better stop  
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### "IT HELPED ME FROM THE VERY FIRST DAY"

If there is a man in Texas that is more enthusiastic than any other of the hundreds who have been benefited by Orgatone Treatment, that man is Q. Harverson, residing at 1107 Travis avenue, Fort Worth.

"This Orgatone helped me from the very first day I began to take it," he said to the Orgatone representative at Renfro's a few days ago, "and I simply don't know when I have tried anything that pleased me so well or did me so much good."

"I suffered with stomach trouble, weakness and a general broken down condition for three or four years," he continued, "and to save my life I couldn't get anything that seemed to help it or put me in any kind of shape. No kind of food agreed with me or gave me strength, and after eating I would suffer for hours with sour stomach and gas that would swell me up and make me feel heavy and miserable. My complexion was very bad which shows that my liver was out of order and I needed something and needed it bad to tone me up and get me in the right kind of shape."

"During that time I took a great deal of pepsin and things like that, but it certainly didn't suit my case like Orgatone, for I tried a number of different things and got no permanent benefit from them; and when this new medicine came along and proved to be such a good treatment that people here in the city didn't seem to hesitate about endorsing it, I made up my mind that I ought to have some, and I went down to Renfro's and bought a bottle and started in on the treatment."

"I have certainly gotten remarkable results from its use, for I have no trouble digesting my food since the first day or so and I now eat heartily and feel better in every way. My friends are all remarking how much better I look and I am getting some color in my face now. This treatment has my heartiest and sincere approval as a medicine different from all others."

Referring to Mr. Harverson's case, A. W. Craig, representative of Orgatone in Wichita Falls, said: "Probably more people suffer from

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this disease than from all other disorders and diseases put together. This is especially true of men and women whose business forces them to remain indoors and who fall to take the proper amount of exercise. Such people develop improper digestion, a sluggish liver and nervousness, accompanied by headaches and sleeplessness.

According to the statements of thousands who have actually tested it, Orgatone goes straight to the seat of the trouble in all such cases, invigorating every organ, and completely restoring strength and normal conditions.

Orgatone is sold in Wichita Falls exclusively by T. F. Young Drug Company, successors to Shaw-Chambers corner Ninth and Indiana avenue, under the personal direction of a special Orgatone representative. Out of town customers are being supplied all charges prepaid upon receipt of price.—adv.

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