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NUMEROUS PROSECUTIONS ARE EXPECTED

RAILROAD ORGANIZATIONS ISSUE SIGNED STATEMENT IN FORM OF AN APPEAL

WASHINGTON, Aug. 9.—With striking shopmen returning to their jobs and Rail Director Hines preparing to hear the wage proposals of the employees next week, representatives of fourteen railroad unions today issued an appeal to the people to back their demand for more pay. This appeal denied that "any violence or threat" was contemplated by labor when it asked congress to adopt nationalization of the railroads. President Wilson in his message to congress yesterday said with regard to the labor situation: "There must be no threats."

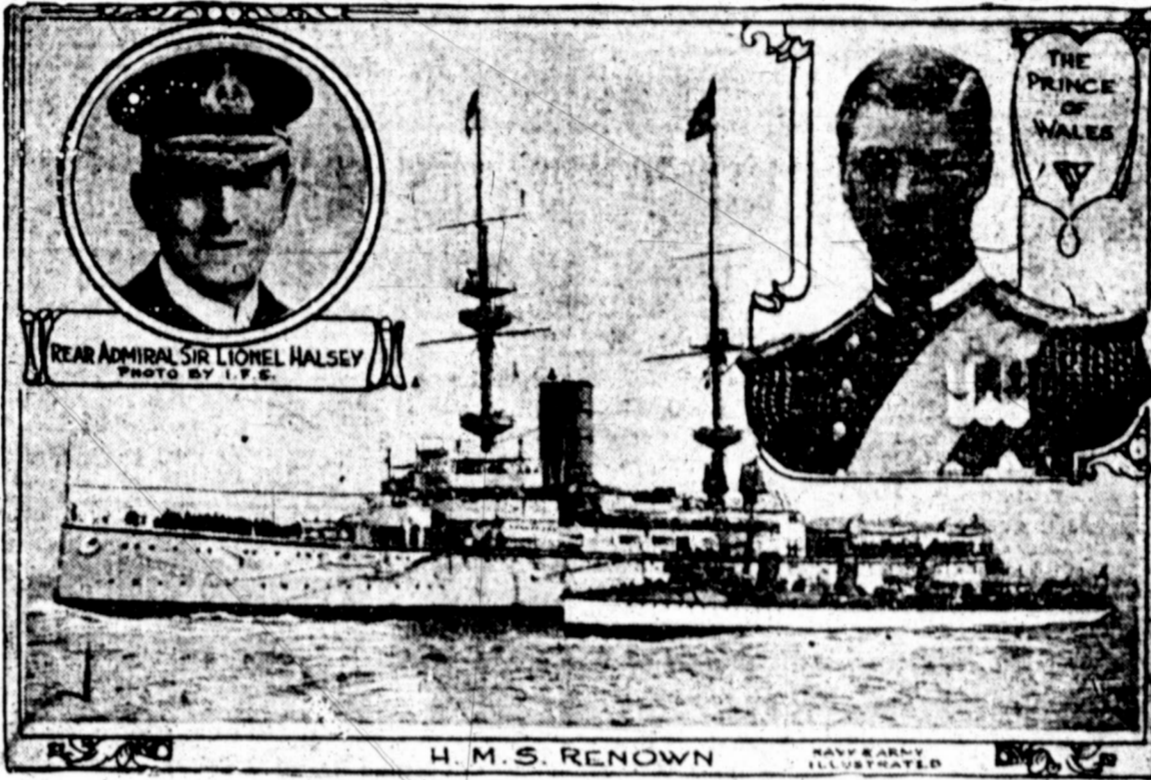
Glen E. Plumb today continued his testimony on the Plumb plan before the interstate commerce committee. Today's appeal was signed by representatives of the following unions: Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen; Brotherhood of Railway Carmen; Brotherhood of Railway Telegraphers; Brotherhood of Railway Clerks; Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Clerks, Station and Express Employees; Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Telegraphers; Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Engine Drivers and Firemen; Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Mechanics; Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Oilers; Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Painters; Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Plumbers; Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Tinsmiths; Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Welders; Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Electricians; Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Machinists; Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Blacksmiths; Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Carpenters; Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Millwrights; Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Shipbuilders; Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Shipyard Workers; Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Shipyard Laborers; Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Shipyard Helpers; Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Shipyard Apprentices; Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Shipyard Trainees; Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Shipyard Laborers; Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Shipyard Helpers; Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Shipyard Apprentices; Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Shipyard Trainees.

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FUTURE KING OF ENGLAND SETS SAIL FOR AMERICAN VISIT



King George and Queen Mary accompanied the Prince of Wales to Portsmouth, England, from which port the heir apparent sailed for St. John, New Brunswick, Canada. The cruiser Renown, on which the royal visitor embarked for Canada, is expected to arrive on August 15. The Prince of Wales will pay a short visit to Washington after completing a tour of the principal Canadian cities. It is believed that the Prince will visit New York in October. The soldier Prince will be royally welcomed by the loyal Canadians from Halifax, on the Atlantic coast, to Victoria, on the Pacific coast.

Inaugurate a Campaign to Improve Burk Burnett Road

With the appointment of a committee to solicit a fund of \$50,000 an active campaign for immediately putting a road to the Burk Burnett fields in passable condition, and pay for its upkeep until such a time as the county commissioners will have funds to take care of it, was inaugurated at a meeting attended by representatives of all operators in these fields held in the county court room Saturday night. The committee as named last night consists of Will Daniels, Thos. Morrissey, W. C. Andrews, H. C. Hillman, Fred Lehmann, Fred Norton, M. A. Bundy, C. E. Rogers, R. E. Shepherd, W. M. Priddy and Hubert Harrison. The committee will hold a meeting for the purpose of outlining and organizing its campaign in the office of the Panhandle Reining Co., Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, and the active campaign of operators is to be in the new road will be started Monday morning.

Explosion Wrecks Canadian Elevator with Loss Estimated at \$1,800,000.

PORT COLBORNE, ONT., Aug. 9.—Eight people were killed and a score were injured, seven seriously, in an explosion which wrecked the large government grain elevator on the Welland canal here this afternoon. Four bodies have been recovered; one has been located in the debris of the elevator and three others are in the wreck of the large Quebec on the beach. The financial loss is estimated at \$1,800,000. Spontaneous combustion is believed to have caused the explosion.

EIGHT ARE KILLED, THIRTEEN INJURED IN MEXICO WRECK

EL PASO, Aug. 9.—Eight were killed and a score were injured when a work train on the Mexican Central railroad crashed through a temporary bridge between Chihuahua City and Jimenez, Wednesday, according to reports received here from Chihuahua City today. All the killed and injured were Mexicans.

FIFTY KILLED IN A DISTURBANCE NEAR DRESDEN, GERMANY

BERLIN, Aug. 9.—Fifty persons were killed during disturbances yesterday near Chemnitz, a railroad station, 35 miles southwest of Dresden. Troops were overpowered and disarmed by a mob. The soldiers' horses were slaughtered and the flesh distributed to the crowd. Many wounded persons are in the Chemnitz hospital. Additional troops are being sent to quiet the disorders.

TANGIBLE RESULTS IN EVIDENCE FOLLOWING INVESTIGATION OF HOARDING AND PROFITEERING

WASHINGTON, August 9.—Tangible results from the investigation of hoarding and profiteering initiated by Attorney General Palmer are expected to develop in the immediate future as the result of an order today directing the entire secret service of the bureau of investigation to assist the forces now at work trying to uncover instances in which the public has been gouged by the illegal control of prices. Officials of the Department of Justice said reports from many sections of the country showed the search for evidence of extortion in the necessities of life was proceeding vigorously and it was indicated that many prosecutions might come very soon.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 9.—Hoarded food stocks will be taken over by the government and placed upon the market to help establish the operation of the law of supply and demand, the department of justice made known today. Preparations for this work now are well under way as part of Attorney General Palmer's country-wide campaign against profiteers. Palmer today was hourly expecting news of arrests from district attorneys who have been flooding him with telegrams concerning evidence they are collecting.

Several government departments are to be working together in checking the stores of hoarded foods. The belief exists here that it will be difficult to get these supplies on the market, as after the department of justice, by legal process, has opened a number of warehouses, with full publicity, over a number of other hoards will probably hasten to sell to avoid prosecution and exposure. The evidence is being put in shape for presentation to the Chicago Federal grand jury in support of the charge that big pacers have violated anti-trust laws, government reports are "preparing cases" to be submitted to other grand juries. The result is expected to be institution of a number of actions in various parts of the country.

The postoffice department has made public a list of prices at which more than 70 articles of surplus army food will be disposed of via the parcel post. These lists are now available, or soon will be, at all postoffices, it was stated. PACKERS TO RECEIVE FIRST CONSIDERATION CHICAGO, Aug. 9.—The packers will be given first attention by federal prosecution here in the war on high prices. Charles F. Cline, who just returned from Washington after conferences with Attorney General Palmer and administration leaders, today announced that the trials may not be held in Chicago pointing out the packers have plants in a dozen or more cities. Wherever the Attorney appears strongest, Cline declared, the action will be started.

Oliver E. Pagan, government indictment expert, who prepared indictments against the Standard Oil Company, the I. I. W. W.'s and Victor Berger, Socialist congressman, will work on evidence against the packers, Cline announced. C. E. Morrison will lead the prosecution. Vacations of all employees in the district attorney's office has been cancelled to center all efforts on the attack on high prices. THREE DAIRYMEN SPEND NIGHT IN CLEVELAND JAIL CLEVELAND, OHIO, Aug. 9.—Three of the seven dairy men arrested by the grand jury investigating food prices here, spend the night in jail. Bonds were on hand to provide bond for the trio at the opening of the court today. The other four were expected to present themselves to the court today.

WAREHOUSE MEN TO SEE THE GRAND JURY NEW YORK, Aug. 9.—Owners of 200 storage warehouses in New York will begin next week to tell the Federal grand jury what they know about food hoarding. The men have been subpoenaed to give names of patrons, together with the amounts of foodstuffs they have stored. The length of time in storage also will be brought out. GRAND JURY CONVENES ON NEXT WEDNESDAY Wednesday, August 13, the Wichita county grand jury will be reconvened on call of Judge W. N. Bolner, for the purpose of considering the case of a Diaz, Mexican, bound over to the grand jury on a charge of murder, in connection with the death of James Mitchell. The Mexican has made a confession. Several other cases that have come up since the grand jury adjourned are also to be investigated.

NO EXTRA SESSION FOR OKLAHOMA OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLA., Aug. 9.—There will be no extra session of the legislature for the purpose of taking action in reference to the present high cost of living, Governor Robertson declared today. CONVENTION HELD The representatives of the men employed in the railroad shops held a convention to inaugurate some new channel through which we could function, unless our request for increase in wages was given some consideration. "Until some immediate concession of our original demands presented to the railroad administration, presented in February, 1918, retroactive to January 1, 1915, is granted, we regret very much to inform you that the present attitude of our men on strike shall remain unchanged."

STOCKYARD WORKERS TO RESUME WORK MONDAY CHICAGO, August 9.—Striking stockyard workers at a mass meeting today decided to return to work Monday. Withdrawal of the militia from the yards yesterday, and the deputy sheriffs today was satisfactory to the men. The decision, if adhered to, will remove a serious situation that had promised to become a general strike. In some quarters it had been believed, the union leaders would demand a closed shop with discharge of the 9,000 negroes not members of the unions. About 3,000 negroes are said to be members of the unions. The stockyards were placed under guard of militia and police during the race riots last week when numerous race clashes occurred in the neighborhood. Later special deputy sheriffs were added. The return of negroes to work two days ago was followed by a strike of union workers. The union leaders, however, said the presence of armed guards was the cause of the strike. The militia were withdrawn yesterday on the request of Mayor Thompson. The union men at the mass meeting said they had won their point in the removal of militia and deputy sheriffs and voted to return to work.

Brooklyn Strike is Off Recognition is Granted

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 9.—Charges that shoe retailers are profiteers as made in a report of the Federal Trade Commission were denied today in a statement by A. H. Guetier, president of the National Shoe Retailers' Association. The bulk of next fall's shoes will be sold at from \$6 to \$12 a pair instead of higher prices, he said. The statement further said that it is unfair to hold up one line of merchandise as a "horrible example" when the profit in reality is not more than 6 per cent.

BUENOS AIRES, Friday, Aug. 8.—President Irigoyen asked congress today to prohibit for a period of three years the slaughter of cows and heifers for food.

WOULD STOP SLAUGHTER OF COWS AND HEIFERS

DECLARES GERMANY IS A BROKEN NATION IN BODY AND SPIRIT

LONDON, Aug. 9.—Germany is a broken nation, both in body and spirit and a long time will elapse before the efficiency of her people is restored, it is declared in a report of British scientists on food conditions in Germany, issued in the form of white papers today. The war time semi-starvation of the people is responsible for the slowness with which recovery will be effected, according to these authorities.

SAYS THE SHOE DEALER MAKES ONLY 6 PER CENT

WEATHER FORECAST FOR COMING WEEK

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LOCAL REFINERIES MATERIALLY AFFECTED BY THE EMBARGOES

ARE RUNNING SHORT OF THEIR CAPACITY BECAUSE OF A SHORTAGE OF CARS. DEPEND ON THE RAILROADS

Unsettled conditions for the refineries of Wichita Falls, especially those of the M. K. & T. lines and those who have to have their tank cars transferred from other lines, are resulting at present from the embargoes in force, and several local refineries are reported as running short of their capacity because of the shortage of empty tank cars.

"BRINGING UP FATHER"



STATE OF SIEGE IN BUDAPEST AND CRIME AGAINST THE JEWS WILL BE PUNISHED BY DEATH

VIENNA, Aug. 9. (Via Bern).—A state of siege has been proclaimed in Budapest, according to advices received here today.

MEMBERS OF COUNCIL DISCUSS SITUATION

PARIS, Aug. 9.—While the supreme council of the peace conference held no public meeting today, the members of the council discussed the Hungarian situation informally.

MANNING IMPRESSED WITH THE MAGNITUDE OF THE OIL FIELDS

SAYS TECHNICAL MEN OF BUREAU WILL BE HERE IN SHORT TIME.

CONGRESSMAN IS PRAISED

Pleased With Proposal of Mr. Kemp to Provide Accommodations for Bureau.

CHARGE POLICEMEN COLLECT FINES AND MAKE NO ENTRIES

Charges that members of the local police force had been collecting fines for violations of the traffic ordinances and making no entries of the cases on police records, which involved two members of the local police force, were advanced at the Saturday morning session of the police court.

ers, as we all know their funds are exhausted, and no one can accomplish anything without funds. Pledges of support, both in work and in a financial way, were made by representatives of a number of the corporations operating in the Burk Burnett fields. Mr. Fridly advanced the idea that as a number of the companies operating in the field were now largely burning crude oil on their lease, a number of the oil wagons formerly used in the handling of fuel oil will be available for work on this road.

WANT EMPEROR CHARLES ON HUNGARIAN THRONE

PARIS, Aug. 9.—Former Emperor Charles of Austria-Hungary was beseeched by Magyar patriots to mount the Hungarian throne when the fall of the Feild ministry was determined upon, according to a dispatch to the Journal from Zurich.

AMERICAN EAGLE BOATS OPERATING IN SATISFACTORY WAY

Associated Press Mail Correspondent. ABOARD U. S. EAGLE BOAT NO. 3 in White Sea.—American Eagle boats now are operating on dispatch.

BUDAPEST PRESENTS PATHETIC CONTRAST TO CARE-FREE DAYS PRIOR TO BEGINNING OF WAR

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 9.—Budapest, scene of anarchy and carnage in connection with the reported ousting of Bela Kua and his communistic government, presents a pathetic contrast to the care-free days of such festivity as that of St. Stephen's before the war.

BANK CLEARINGS FOR WEEK SHOW GAIN OF NEARLY A MILLION

Bank clearings during the first thirty-two weeks of 1919 up to and including August 2, totaled \$120,538,756.31, according to figures compiled by Harry L. Hunter, through whose office the five city banks clear.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Dan Edd Whaley returned from Waco, where he spent a few days visiting his aunt, Mrs. Dr. McCormick, and was accompanied home by his cousin, Gregg McCormick.

CAMPAIGN TO IMPROVE BURKBURNETT ROAD

SPUR, TEX., Aug. 9.—(Special)—Business men at a special call meeting held here today decided to send a comprehensive agricultural-mineral exhibit to the Texas Cotton Palace this fall.

EXHIBIT TO BE MADE AT SEVERAL STATE FAIRS

STAMFORD, TEX., Aug. 9.—The West Texas chamber of commerce will have exhibits of agricultural and mineral products on display at the State Fairs of Ohio, Indiana, Kentucky, Tennessee and at Kansas City.

FISHER COUNTY GOING TO HAVE AN EXHIBIT

ROTAN, TEX., Aug. 9.—(Special)—It was unanimously at a well attended meeting held here today that representatives from all parts of Fisher county to send a comprehensive agricultural-mineral exhibit to the Texas Cotton Palace at Waco.

POPULAR SONGS AND WONDERFUL WALTZES ON COLUMBIA RECORDS ANNOUNCED THIS MONTH

The records made for Columbia this month include "Beautiful Ohio" and "Till We Meet Again," two of the most popular songs in the United States today, played by the Kalaiki Hawaiian Orchestra.

Get Results Stock salesmen have easy sailing with the aid of our "Short Course" in Salesmanship with Objection Chart, just compiled and off the press. A limited number of copies being given away free to introduce them to Stock Salesmen only.

AMERICAN EAGLE BOATS OPERATING IN SATISFACTORY WAY FOR SALE CALIFORNIA ROTARY DRILLING OUTFIT COMPLETE AS FOLLOWS

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SUIT FOR \$200,000 ALLEGED TO BE DUE AS A COMMISSION

Suit for a commission of \$20,000 alleged to be due him in connection with the oil and gas leases on the Specht Colony lands, with \$823 paid out for office expenses, was filed in the 75th district court Saturday by N. S. Clark against E. M. Foster.

Plaintiff alleges in his petition that he had a written contract with the defendant for the leasing of this property, which would have netted him the commission claimed, and that he had obtained parties who were able and willing to take such leases, but that the defendant failed to observe this contract, making the transfer of the leases to these parties impossible.

Other suits filed include: Farmers Co-operative Oil Co. vs. Butler and Spencer et al. damages for alleged non-performance of contract. First National Bank of Burkburnett vs. H. E. Harrison, debt. George E. Jones vs. Myrtle Jones, divorce. C. E. Mauldin vs. James D. McHabo, debt. Peoples Ice Co. vs. Ollie Ford, trespass to try title and segregation.

CLINTON, MO. PHYSICIAN LOCATES IN WICHITA FALLS
Dr. A. J. McNeese formerly of Clinton, Mo., has located in Wichita Falls and has opened temporary offices in Dr. J. C. A. Guest offices, 307 Kenap & Kell building. Dr. McNeese is a close friend of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hunter and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Snider and other Wichitans formerly residing in Clinton, Mo., and Mr. and Mrs. Merle T. Waggoner, Mrs. Waggoner being Miss Hazel Hunter before her marriage. He expects his wife and son to join him next month.

ton's leading physicians and surgeons for the past 12 years, and had a large and lucrative practice. He and his wife are leaving Clinton with regret, but his health demands a warmer climate and he thinks Wichita Falls will make a splendid location and he will start to practice there about the first of August. Mrs. McNeese is a social favorite in Clinton and all will miss her, as she took an active part in civic affairs and club work. Mrs. McNeese and son, Jack, will go to Wichita Falls about September first, after spending the summer with relatives in Kentucky. The doctor's many patients are sorry to see him go, as he understood modern surgery and was well read in matters pertaining to his profession. They have sold their attractive home to J. C. Marshall, who just recently came to Clinton and opened the Coca Cola factory. The Eye predicts a splendid future for the doctor in this thriving city of the southwest.

SUSPENDS MEETINGS DURING THE SUMMER

Pioneer Lodge No. 14, Knights of Pythias, held an interesting meeting Wednesday night, but the lodge was disappointed by the failure of several aspirants to present themselves for the rank of Knight. The extreme hot weather during July has caused a falling off in attendance, although quite a number of candidates have been elected to receive the ranks.

On account of the hot weather the lodge voted to suspend meetings during the month of August. The work will be taken up with renewed vigor commencing the first Wednesday night in September, at which time there will be something doing in a social way.

The British Society of Glass Technology will establish centers for scientific research for the industry.

EXPECT TO PRESENT IRRIGATION PETITION AT AUGUST SESSION

Presentation of the petitions asking for the creation of an improvement district embracing the land known as the Big Wichita Irrigation project will probably come before the commissioners court during their August session, which begins Monday. As part of the land lies in Archer county, and the commissioners court of Archer county is usually in session only one day, the petitions will probably be presented to the Archer county body before they are brought before the Wichita county commissioners. Little outside of the regular routine, with the exception of this matter, is on the docket for consideration by the commissioners at this time.

MAKE A DEMONSTRATION OF OIL TREATMENT FOR STREETS

Two blocks on Ohio, lying between Eleventh and Thirteenth streets, were treated with several applications of a heavy asphaltic oil Saturday morning as a demonstration of the road surfacing machine, purchase of which is now being considered by the council. Mayor Marlow, members of the council and other city officials witnessed the demonstration, and expressed themselves as highly pleased at the performance of the machine. The oil used in the machine is highly heated and forced under pres-

sure into the surface of the freshly scraped street, binding the soil and producing a hard surface said to be impervious to water.

Charles E. Logan, one of the executives of the Cooney, Roads Manufacturing Co., of Kansas City, makers of the machine, was in charge of the demonstration. Mr. Logan is a former resident of Wichita Falls.

One of these machines is to be used by Mr. Logan in preparing the race track at the Dallas Fair for the automobile races there this fall. The race track is being graded at the present time, and a surfacing machine will be put on the work within the next few days. "If I just get in a few days work in dry weather, I don't care if it rains the whole two weeks of the fair, the races can go on just the same," said Mr. Logan.

The demonstration of the machine here has been delayed for several weeks awaiting the shipment of the oil to be used. In the meantime a part of Eighth street, lying in front of the General hospital, was treated with one application of an oil obtained from a local refinery, but this oil was found to be unsuitable, being too light for the purpose.

EXAMINING TRIAL ON A CHARGE OF THEFT OF CAR

Harry Smith and wife, charged with the theft of a Cadillac roadster belonging to Stonewall Brown, were bound over under bonds of \$750 each after an examining trial before Justice H. V. Gwin Saturday afternoon. The couple were arrested in Raton, New Mexico, in the car.

Both made statements in which they declared that they had bought the car for \$1100 in Fort Worth. Smith claims to have been employed until recently as a cook at the Westland Hotel, and to have received his discharge from the army only a short time before that.

Monday Specials

Saul's
SAMPLE SHOE STORE

\$25.00 Ladies' Dresses
\$10.95

A very fortunate purchase made by Mr. Saul Lebenson, who is now in the Eastern markets making his Fall purchases. This lot consists of Voiles, Taffetas and Silk Poplins, splendid styles, all sizes. Monday only, \$25.00 values **\$10.95**

\$1.25 Men's Chambray Shirts
79c

A very timely purchase enables us to offer this immense bargain to our friends. We guarantee the color of this splendid blue Chambray, collar attached Shirt, sizes 14 to 17. Monday Only, \$1.25 values **79c**

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A. B. Gas Hoosier Stoves

We have a type to suit your requirements and the prices are reasonable, **\$27.50 to \$82.50**. And every one is fully guaranteed to be absolutely satisfactory.

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For your floors and furniture make housecleaning easy. Phone in your order and we will deliver to you.

Dining Room Furniture

Walnut, Mahogany, Jacobean, Golden and Fumed finishes. We have what you want. Call and see them.

Globe-Wernicke Bookcases

Will protect your books and adorn your home. They come in all standard finishes. Take five minutes and call at our store and inspect them.

Ideal Fireless Cookers

Single and double well types. Ask any user of an Ideal. They will recommend the brand.

We have a shipment of

Refrigerators

on the track. They should be unloaded Monday. Phone or call if you need one.

Belber and Rountree

Fibre Trunks, Steamer, Wardrobe and regular types. See the display on our third floor.

Kaltex Fibre Furniture

Beautiful comfortable and durable. Rockers **\$7.00 to \$20.00**. Other pieces to select from.

Wichita Music Co.

IS THE LOVE OF MUSIC IN YOUR HOME?

We have a few New Pianos and Players that we can make delivery on this week—Ivers & Pond, Baldwins, Smith & Barnes, Cable & Nelson, Collins & Decker, Ellington, Hamilton Pianos, Players and Grands. Convenient terms.

Q. R. S. Music Rolls.

PRICES MUST ADVANCE

Pianos are the cheapest thing on the market measured by other values. We have about sold our allotment. We can deliver a few Pianos between now and October 1st, and just a few more between then and January 1st. The factories have produced but few Pianos the last two years, and are only producing about 50 per cent of normal now. The demand is the greatest in history, and will be still greater this fall. It is predicted by the musical magazines that every dealer's floors will be cleared. If you wish to be certain you are going to have a piano in your home for Christmas we will be glad to talk to you now, about delivery this fall, or as soon as we can get the instrument from the factories. Special bargains in used Pianos taken in on Players and Grands. These are genuine snaps for immediate delivery.

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Enjoy plenty of clean clothes—with BlueBird



What is more delightful than clean clothes—spotlessly clean—and plenty of them! Why tolerate unfresh linen when BlueBird will wash them quickly, cleanly, without harm, without work.

The BlueBird Electric Clothes Washer washes clothes clean—cleaner than any other washing process, and faster. In six to eight minutes a large tubful is made entirely clean. Within an hour, the whole week's washing is done. All without the slightest exertion on your part. Even the wringing is done by motor. Washing is "on the line by nine." You are free for the day.

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Demonstration in your home free. Phone us today. There's no obligation. We want you to see for yourself how wonderful the BlueBird Electric Clothes Washer is.

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One \$450 Piano for	\$225
One \$350 Piano for	\$200
One \$385 Piano for	\$250
One \$350 Piano for	\$150
One \$650 Player-Piano	\$350
One \$600 Player Piano	\$325

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VERNON IS OPPOSED TO DEMANDS MADE BY BROTHERHOODS

Special to The Times. VERNON, TEX., Aug. 9.—A mass meeting of business men and farmers held in the auditorium of the library yesterday afternoon passed resolutions calling on the president and members of Congress to resist demands made by leaders of the railroad brotherhoods for the enactment of legislation taking over the railroads to be managed by the government for the benefit of the public and the employees of the roads. The meeting also adopted resolutions commending the stand taken by Representative Blanton, Black and Rayburn of Texas. These Congressmen expressed opposition to the demands of the brotherhoods in speeches delivered in Washington Tuesday.

A number of short talks were made by several men present at the meeting. All agreed that the time has arrived for a firm stand in what is regarded as the most serious crisis the country has faced in a quarter of a century. The following resolution was telegraphed to President Wilson, Senators Culberson and Sheppard and Congressman Lucian W. Carter: "Mass meeting of farmers and business men authorized sending the following resolution: 'Must Conquer or Submit. 'The time has come when we must either conquer or submit. The demands of union labor with reference to railroad ownership, control and wages places the issue squarely before the President and Congress as to whether the United States Government will be a soviet dictatorship or a constitutional representative democracy. The great mass of American people are unorganized and have no representatives to protect their interests other than the President and Congress. If these our spokesmen, fall in this crisis we are without representation. The voice of union labor is not the voice of the people. 'We believe in the right of labor to organize and a liberal compensation for efficient service, but we oppose the present effort of union labor to dictate the policy of the government just as we would oppose the effort of any special interest to shape the policy and control the affairs of our country. 'Government of the people for the people and by the people shall perish. If the unreasonable demands already made are accepted, the result will be government of special interests, for special interests and for special interests. 'Would Resist Soviet Government. 'We call upon the President, Congressmen and Senators to resist this attempt to establish a soviet government in America. The great mass of American citizens are the producers and have no organization other than loyalty given to a free government. 'We favor any constitutional measure to reduce the high cost of living, but it is evident that this is being used as a cloak to conceal the real motive of union labor, which is to fasten upon the country a Russian soviet autocracy. 'The unorganized citizens at this time are reminded that when they were taking orders from the government in its effort to win the war these same leaders or organized labor were giving orders to the Government, threatening to tie up the commerce of the country at a time when it meant disaster unless their demands were acceded to. 'The following message went to Congressmen Eugene Black, Thomas L. Blanton and Sam C. Rayburn: 'Mass meeting of farmers and business men here today unanimously commend position you have taken in opposing demands of railroad brotherhoods.'

BELIEVE DEMAND IS THE WORK OF CRANK
NEW YORK, Aug. 9.—A demand of ransom of \$65 for the return for the 7 weeks old son of Mrs. August Wertz was believed today to be the work of some crank. A letter demanding the money threatened death to the child if it was not met. "We will mail his head to you," said the letter to Mrs. Wertz.

Needed a License.
CHICAGO.—Edward Smothers, fisherman, wishes today he had obtained a state license. He was arrested for mussel gathering after he had just taken out pearls valued at \$2,200.

Bank that provides absolute protection for the people's money and safeguards their interests in every transaction—the National Bank of Commerce. Checking and savings accounts invited.

Dr. Prothro and family have returned from vacation in Chickasha and Medicine Park, Okla.

PANAMA PRESIDENT ANXIOUS ABOUT THE ATTITUDE OF SENATE

PANAMA, Friday, Aug. 8.—Dr. Bellozario Porras, president of Panama, expressed anxiety, in a statement issued last night, over the attitude of the American congress toward the first article of the American-Panama treaty guaranteeing Panamanian independence. In view of the objections voiced in the American Senate to article 10 of the League of Nations covenant, which is similar to "Senator Walsh (of Montana)," President Porras said, "in a speech which appears in the congressional record of June 11, defending the right of the President of the United States to fulfill such an obligation without resorting to congress for a declaration of war, mentioned the treaty between Panama and the United States. In this treaty, the latter guarantees and maintains the independence of Panama. 'In view of the debate in the American Senate about the League of Nations covenant, and especially article 10, which binds the high contracting parties to respect and preserve the territorial integrity and the present political existence of all nations constituting the league, Panama wishes to know if the senators opposing the covenant hold beliefs that justify fears entertained by the Panamanians regarding the ultimate fate of the United States' obligation to maintain our independence."

PRESIDENT TO REVIEW THE SECOND DIVISION
WASHINGTON, Aug. 9.—President Wilson will review the famous marine brigade of the Second Division in Washington Tuesday. Orders for the two regiments of marines to parade here were issued today by Acting Secretary Roosevelt.

These will be the first returning troops to be reviewed by Mr. Wilson, and aside from the District of Columbia units they will be the first to march in the capitol.

It is good business policy to deal with a progressive, successful, growing bank. The National Bank of Commerce is just such an institution and its officers invite your account, small or large, assuring you service that will please in every particular.

The third payment amounting to twenty per cent on Fifth Liberty Loan Bonds will be due August 12. First National Bank.

GOVERNOR TRIMS THE APPROPRIATIONS FOR STATE INSTITUTIONS

AUSTIN, Aug. 9.—Governor Hobby today signed the eleemosynary appropriation bill after reducing the total \$228,000 with the following vetoes: "The item of \$38,000 for building for employees at the epileptic colony because it was inadequate. Two items of \$10,000 each for fuel at State juvenile training school because they were duplicated in the maintenance fund. Items of \$50,000 and \$10,000 for building and furnishing a dormitory at the same institution were disapproved because they were inadequate. The item of \$68,000 for remodeling negro buildings at the insane asylum at Austin were disapproved because it has been decided that negroes will not be removed from them. Items of \$31,000 for remodeling building and equipping house for boys at the colony for feeble minded during the second fiscal year was disapproved because there is a similar provision for the first year. The governor also signed the miscellaneous appropriation bill after disapproving an item of \$125,000 to refund taxes to certain foreign corporations, because he said, it would have the effect of relieving them of all fees from 1908 to 1917 inclusive, and they should pay at least the amount due on Texas business."

TWO TRUCK DRIVERS ARE ARRESTED BY PATROLMAN ON A CHARGE OF THEFT
Two truck drivers, giving the names of R. E. Smith and C. W. Groer, employed by the Wichita Transfer Co. were arrested Friday night by Patrolman Morgan on a charge of theft from an interstate shipment. These men were reported to the police by the local Kress store, following the delivery by them of several express packages found to be empty. The men were watched by a member of the police force and upon leaving their work the officer saw that they carried something under their coats. They were arrested and, it is said, when searched, were found to have several of the missing articles on their person. They have been turned over to the federal authorities.

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CARS COLLIDE AND TWO LADIES ARE SLIGHTLY INJURED

In trying to avoid collision with another car, T. F. Young of the Young Drug Company, driving a Westcott car, Friday night smashed into a Cadillac roadster owned by G. C. Wood which had been parked on the Tenth street, near the intersection with Holliday. The accident occurred about 10:30 p. m. while Mr. Young was driving on Tenth street with his wife and Mrs. Roberts of Waco. All three occupants of the car were thrown out on the pavement. Mrs. Young and Mrs. Roberts were taken to the hospital immediately where it was found that no serious injury had resulted, although both had been bruised considerably and were suffering from the shock. Both were able to go home Saturday. Mr. Young suffered a few minor injuries. Both machines were badly damaged. Both were able to go home today. Mr. aged.

KING FERDINAND HAS POSTPONED HIS VISIT
PARIS, Aug. 9.—King Ferdinand of Rumania, who was to have arrived in Budapest yesterday, has postponed his visit to that city.

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SHOULD ARRANGE SCHOOL ATTENDANCE TO AID HARVEST

AUSTIN, TEX., Aug. 9.—Annie Webb Blanton, State superintendent of public instruction, has requested all county and town superintendents to arrange the compulsory school attendance terms so as to interfere as little as possible with the harvesting of cotton by drawing children from the fields. She says that while the term must be 100 consecutive days, its beginning may be varied.

ARGENTINE STOPS EXPORT OF SUGAR
BUENOS AIRES, Friday, Aug. 8.—A decree prohibiting the exportation of sugar was promulgated today by the Argentine government.

NOTED COUPLE IS MARRIED SATURDAY
SAUGATUCK, CONN., Aug. 9.—Amos Pichot, of New York, prominent lawyer and publicist, and Miss Ruth Pickering, a magazine writer of Elmira, New York, were married here today.

Fire, tornado, accident, compensation, liability, burglary, automobile and all lines of insurance. Phone 338. Perkins & Manning, 710 1-2 Indiana avenue.

ACCOMPANIES BODIES OF MEN KILLED IN EXPLOSION TO HOMES FOR BURIAL

Tom Mendenhall was here yesterday on his return to Cisco after taking the body of John Peoples to Marietta, Ohio, and that of Tom McCulloch to Newton, Ill. Both men were killed in an explosion at Mendenhall's nitroglycerin plant near Cisco recently. Peoples was well known here having formerly been employed at Mr. Mendenhall's plant near Elstra.

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KRUGER'S WINDOW \$ WINDOW

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Final Clean-up Sale of Summer Dresses

We have about fifty high grade Summer Dresses shown in Georgette, Taffeta, Kumsa Kumsa and Organdies, all light colors. These will be closed out tomorrow, at the following extraordinary prices.



- All \$27.50 Dresses \$16.50
- All \$32.50 Dresses \$25.00
- All \$35.00 Dresses \$25.00
- All \$37.50 Dresses \$25.00
- All \$40.00 Dresses \$27.50
- All \$45.00 Dresses \$30.00
- All \$50.00 Dresses \$32.50
- All \$55.00 Dresses \$35.00

We also offer for Monday Special, a large collection of Ladies' Pumps, shown in patents, kids and canvas, ranging in price from \$7.50 to \$9.00. Choice Monday morning \$3.95

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Discovered!

You can't keep a good thing secret very long. And a good place to trade is no exception to the rule. Our methods, our prices, our service will please you. We here mention a few specials for this week.

- One lot of black patent Pumps, Louis heel, \$8.50 value \$4.95
- Same in Oxfords, military heel.
- One lot of ladies comfort toe, low rubber heel, cushion sole Oxfords, \$6 value \$3.95
- One lot of White Canvas Pumps and Oxfords, values up to \$5 at \$1.95
- One lot of Men's Oxfords, odds and ends from our branch lines, values up to \$10 at \$3.95
- One lot of men's high grade welt soles, straight last and English Shoes, \$12.50 value at \$7.95
- One lot of men's solid chrome leather oak sole, Munson last work Shoe, \$7 value at \$4.95

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Successors to Harry's Sample Shoe Store
WALK DOWN STAIRS AND SAVE A DOLLAR

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MEXICAN CONFESSES MURDER OF MITCHELL NEAR LAKE WICHITA

RELATES STORY OF CRIME WHEN CONFRONTED WITH EVIDENCE AVAILABLE.

CLAIMS PREVIOUS TROUBLE

Officers Work Up Case With But a Slight Clue on Which to Operate.

Seeing his guilt more clearly established with each succeeding bit of testimony, Diaz, a young Mexican charged with the murder of James Mitchell, late Friday afternoon interrupted his examining trial to make a full confession of the crime to District Attorney Fletcher S. Jones, who was conducting the trial. Immediately following the confession the Mexican was bound over without bail by Justice C. J. Arrington, before whom the examination was held.

Mitchell, who was a plasterer at work on the buildings of the Insane Asylum near Lake Wichita, was fatally stabbed at the lake on the night of Saturday, August 2, his death coming within a few minutes of the discovery of his body. Diaz was arrested on the following day by Sheriff Bob McFall and Deputy Sheriff J. M. Allen as the result of an investigation of the affair by the sheriff and Mr. Jones, the district attorney, who took an active part in the investigation.

Alleges Previous Trouble. According to the prisoners' confession, the murder came as the result of a series of quarrels between himself and Mitchell, both of whom were working on the asylum buildings. The Mexican claims that on these occasions Mitchell roundly abused and cursed him. He states that there was a renewal of these difficulties when he met Mitchell just before the killing near the asylum grounds. The instrument used was an ordinary pocket knife, according to the prisoner.

The finding of blood stains on a shirt which the prisoner admitted he had worn Saturday night, and which showed the print of a little finger identical in size and shape with that of the murdered man, was the most incriminating bit of testimony brought out at the trial. The shirt was taken off the Mexicans bed at the time of his arrest, and admitted by him to be the shirt he had worn on the Saturday night of the killing, according to the testimony of J. M. Allen, deputy sheriff. The stains on the shirt were identified as human blood by Dr. M. H. Glover, who applied the Wyatt test. H. E. Mosdander, the undertaker who prepared Mitchell's body for burial corroborated Allen's testimony as to the little finger of Mitchell's left hand.

Other testimony introduced was that of J. W. Boren and Mrs. R. G. Taylor, who had been attending a dance at the lake, and who first discovered Mitchell's body. According to Boren's testimony they first saw Mitchell at 11:15 on the night of the killing when he ran toward them, giving signs of distress, and saying, "Take me to a doctor quick, a Mexican has stabbed me." Mrs. Taylor corroborated the testimony of Mr. Boren.

BOY PREACHER TO CONCLUDE REVIVAL SERVICES TONIGHT



Preaching here for the last time tonight, Clarence, the Boy Preacher, will deliver a sermon on "Infidels and Sceptics." During the two weeks of his evangelistic campaign here he has made many converts and friends among those who have heard him talk. It is regretted by all that have heard him that he must now bring his meetings to a close in Wichita Falls. Clarence is an exponent of the old time religion and does not hesitate to express a conviction that many churches of the present day fail to reach the men who most need religion. It is toward this end that he now extends his own endeavors in order to better humanity. From this city, he will go to his home in Cleburne, Texas and from there he will go to Nevada, Mo., where he will conduct his next meeting. Natives of Trinidad encourage the presence of giant cockroaches in their homes because they do not roach.

ATTRACTIVE OFFER BEING MADE TO GET NAVY ENLISTMENTS

Two recruits were secured within the first few hours by the navy recruiting detachment which is now in this city, according to the statement of L. I. Mitchell, chief electrician, who is in charge of the party. With him are Chief Commissionary Steward Sweeney, and C. J. Bullus, who is a Boatswain Mate, 1st class. The party arrived here in a recruiting truck Saturday morning from Dallas to engage in a navy recruiting campaign to be conducted here for three or four days. They state that particularly attractive offers are made to ex-service men. It is possible for any one enlisting in Wichita Falls who has formerly been in the service to be sent direct aboard without further preliminary training. This would permit a man to be assigned almost immediately to the Pacific Fleet if he so desires. The fleet after cruising on the Pacific coast will be stationed at Honolulu. One not having had any military or

naval training may choose either the training camp at Mare Island on the Pacific coast, or at the Great Lakes camp in Chicago. Enlistments may be made for 2, 3 or 4 years in all branches of the service. All men who are in the reserve force on inactive duty may transfer to the regular service to serve the unexpired term of their enlistment, providing that they have one year more to serve. Four months pay will be given on re-enlistment and 30 days leave on pay, along with \$5.50 citizenship pay and \$1.50 additional pay for continuous service. Also the war pay has been made permanent. Enlistments are now being made at the Postoffice or may be made at the recruiting truck.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVORERS MEET FRIDAY EVENING

Friday evening in the reception room of the First Christian church, the young people's society of Christian Endeavor held its regular monthly business meeting. Plans and aims for the coming month's work were made and committees appointed. T. W. Casky, recently discharged from the navy, then showed quite a large number of slides, the view being of places of interest from all the Mediterranean Sea countries, and they were enjoyed by all. Then followed a social hour where all the regular C. E. fun was indulged in, as usual, and refreshments were served.

MEXICAN ARRESTED HERE WANTED IN NEW MEXICO

Victor Mendoza, said to be an escaped convict from the New Mexico

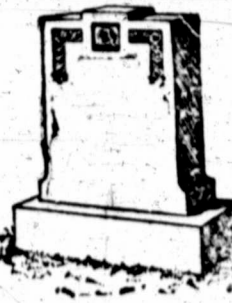
penitentiary at Deming, was arrested by Patrolmen Morgan and Belcher of the city police Friday night, and is being held for officers from the New Mexico institution. The Mexican was recognized by one of the officers in a local hardware store from the de-

scription sent by the New Mexico authorities. At first the Mexican denied his identity, but is said to have later admitted to the officers that he was the one wanted. Mendoza has been at large since 1917.

MEMORIAL

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- Best Eggs, dozen5c
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- 60c cans Wesson Oil40c
- 100 bars White Labor Saver Soap \$5.50
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RACIAL SITUATION.

The racial situation in the North is much more acute than that of the South who live in the South can realize.

It is only within recent years that the North has had a race problem. The war industries and the demand for great numbers of skilled and unskilled laborers resulted in a large migration of negroes from the South to the industrial centers of the North.

The white people of the South have long since learned the advantages of the so-called "Jim Crow" and similar laws and without them it is difficult to imagine the antagonism that would exist between the races.

While President Wilson was in Paris negotiating the peace treaty many partisan and newspaper critics here at home were urging haste—haste that would drop the League of Nations from the treaty—so that peace could be quickly established and the world allowed to get back to normal conditions without delay.

With clamor about them, the peace commissioners proceeded with their task and evolved the treaty that is now before the American Senate for ratification.

Those who are delaying the ratification of the peace treaty are responsible for the continuation of the unsettled conditions throughout the world which, as President Wilson says, preclude effective efforts to reduce the cost of living.

A man was arrested in Wichita Falls a few days ago for having two quarts of whiskey in his possession. It is declared that if you have in your library a book containing a formula for making intoxicating liquor that you are violating the law.

VALUE OF MOTOR TRUCK

The motor truck has taken a big load off the railroads of the country. More and more the local shipments are being hauled by motor truck and to that extent a burden is being taken off the railroads.

The motor truck performs a great service for the oil industry. Without it oil operations on the scale they are now carried on would be impossible.

Wichita Falls is an important railroad center. It has already become an important truck center. Its fleets of trucks go out daily for many miles in every direction.

Pillory, the jail, ducking stool and whipping post are some of the milder forms of punishment proposed for the food and clothing profiteers in other places. What would some of these people want to do with some Wichita Falls landlords?

Tabloid Sermon

By the Country Parson

"THE PORTRAIT OF JESUS"

(Concluded)

For two weeks we have looked upon Jesus in our study of this subject. Today let us gaze upon the finished picture. Turn to the Revelation of Jesus as recorded by the Apostle John in the Isle of Patmos and see the finishing lines of this mighty portrait.

In the gospel according to Mark we see the lion-like Son of Man standing forth as the Hero of the tribe of Judah. Note that Mark's account was the first of the four written. How imperial is His energy according to the short, terse narrative of Mark through the brief span of sixteen chapters.

In the gospel according to Matthew the wiseness of the calf or the lamb appeals to us in well nigh every chapter. There is an appeal and a persuasion about this Matthew gospel that woos and wins. Two facts stand forth about this second creature like a calf, viz: to meet death long before the race of life is run, and a powerless ability to work injury upon others.

In the gospel according to Luke we see the face of the Friend of Man who is the friend of God. Here the note is of the deepest emotion. Listen! What man of you having a hundred sheep will leave the hundredth to perish in the storm? That grips! Again, What woman of you having ten pieces of silver, losing the tenth will not search until you find it?

HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

MISS LUCY AX ME EF, AH THINKS SAH COULD GIT USED T' WEAHIN' ONE DEM FAWKED TAIL COATS AN SPEC AH COULD, BUT DAT COAT SHO WOULD FRET IT SEF T' DEATH GITIN' USED T' ME!!



OUT OF LUCK

By CARL MEYER



HEADLINE HISTORY OF THE WORLD WAR

(Clip and paste this in your scrap book.) WHAT HAPPENED AUGUST 9. Copyright, 1919, New Era Features. 1914. French capture cities of Altkirch and Muelhausen in Alsace—Kaiser at French frontier—Japan's fleet puts to sea.

1915. Italy masses army to aid Allies; will send 500,000 men to France, 150,000 to Dardanelles—Kaiser's fleet defeated off Riga; Mackensen divides Russian forces in south—German newspapers wage peace campaign—British capture Hooge trenches on 1200 yard front in Flanders.

1916. Italians capture Gorizia, take 30,000 prisoners; chief positions on Isonzo and Carso abandoned by Austria—Russians in Galicia advancing rapidly on Halicz—British gain beyond Pozieres; French also push on.

1917. Root mission advises against sending army to Russia—President Wilson issues draft call to colors—German U-boats quit Mediterranean for intensive Atlantic campaign.

1918. Allies gain 5 miles more below Somme; 17,000 prisoners, 300 guns taken—Germans abandon more of Lys salient to British—Allies within mile of vital railroad center at Chaumes—U. S. meat restriction abolished—None but war work for remainder of war in U. S. auto plants—American casualties to date 16,324.

Last and best, What father of you having two sons will refuse the cry of the younger when he returns from the far country? A lost sheep, a lost coin, and a lost son. Manhood, womanhood and fatherhood faced by lost things! Don't you see Jesus now?

And John comes to us through his gospel as a flying eagle! What mighty sweeps of thought does this fourth writer bend into his writings with his first statement, "In the beginning was born, I am," and with his midway recording of "Before Abraham was born, I am," and with his last word, "And there are also many other things which Jesus did, the which if they should be written everyone, I suppose that even the world itself would not contain the books that should be written."

This fourth creature of the Revelation, the flying eagle, indicates the imperial vision that was to Jesus as sure and common as your daily sight or mine. Now, do you see Jesus, Son of God, Son of Man? The Jesus of courage, the Jesus of sacrifice, the Jesus of wisdom and the Jesus of vision. And you are His follower.

TWO NEW COMMISSIONS IN MEXICO WILL STUDY PETROLEUM LEGISLATION

MEXICO CITY, Friday, Aug. 8.—Two new commissions charged with the study of the details of petroleum legislation were named in the chamber of deputies today. It is believed that the commissions will be able to expedite their work, since they have access to data gathered by previous commissions, one of which was appointed when the extraordinary session of congress began on May 1 but which never submitted any recommendations.

ENGLAND PLANS CONTROL OF PACKING HOUSE GOODS

LONDON, Friday, Aug. 8.—George H. Roberts, food controller, announced tonight that the Government had decided to resume control of the supply and distribution of imports of bacon, ham and lard and that the prices to be charged would also be under supervision.

GEORGE M'KAY MILLER DIES ON SATURDAY

ASHTABULA, OHIO, Aug. 9.—Dr. George McKay Miller, 62, lecturer and author of Ruskin, Ga., died suddenly here today at the home of R. W. Early.

Notice! The Southern Electric Co.

825 Indiana Have arranged with Harbour & Longmeir Co., of Oklahoma City, Okla., to display their wonderful line of draperies and interior decorations on August 11th, 12th, and 13th. Mr. Pollard and Mr. Matthews, decorators from the East will have charge of the display. Phone 213 for Appointment Display hours, 8 to 5. Appointments filled 8 to 5 All draperies made and hung free of charge.



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LODGE DIRECTORY. Meetings will be suspended until Wednesday, September 3rd.

CHARGES ARE AMENDED TO FIRST DEGREE MURDER. OLATHE, KANS., Aug. 9.—Charges against Mrs. Margaret Love and Emmet L. Thomas, two of three companions of Herbert Woodruff, garage owner on the night he was murdered near here, were amended to first degree murder today by C. W. Gorsuch, Johnson county prosecutor, just prior to the opening of the preliminary hearing of the case.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 227. Meetings first and third Tuesday nights in each month. E. V. Friberg, W. M. C. M. Dodgen, Sec.

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WICHITA DAILY MARKETS

New York Stocks, Grain and Provisions, Cotton and Livestock. HESTER GIVES THE 1919 COTTON CROP BELOW LAST YEAR

INDICATES A DECREASE IN THE YIELD OF 267,320 BALES. TEXAS IS SHORT 541,000

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 9.—Secretary Hester's report on the commercial cotton crop issued today, puts the crop of 1918-19 at 11,639,653 bales, a decrease under the crop of 1917-18 of 267,320 and a decrease under the 1915-16 of 1,301,251.

He says that the crop of Texas is 541,000 bales less than last year, the group of "other Gulf states" (Louisiana, Mississippi, Arkansas, Oklahoma, Missouri, Arizona, California, Kansas and New Mexico) shows a decrease of 381,000 bales and the group of Atlantic states (Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Kentucky and West Virginia) an increase of 655,000.

Crop grade average barely middling. He puts the average price per pound of middling for the year at 20.36 cents compared with 28.36 last year, 1841 year before last and 11.39 in 1915-16, and the 1918-19 crop at 17.14, 1917-18 at 18.14 and 1916-17 at 17.32.

Report by States. Mr. Hester's report of commercial crop by states is as follows: Alabama 755,000 against 521,000 last year.

Arkansas 914,000 against 1,004,000. Florida 2,029,000 against 1,980,000. Oklahoma 530,000 against 1,016,000. Louisiana 514,000 against 665,000. Mississippi 1,154,000 against 979,000.

South Carolina 1,491,000 against 1,295,000. Tennessee 543,000 against 460,000. Texas 2,680,000 against 2,220,000. Total crop, bales, 11,640,000 against 11,907,000 last year.

Mr. Hester says that the prices paid for this crop have been the highest witnessed for the past 52 years. He then gives a table showing the exports for the five year period compared with the five previous years of the ante-war period showing a total for the year period of 50,665,000 bales against 50,000,000 in the five years immediately preceding.

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SHARP RALLY NOTED IN COTTON MARKET FOR THE WEEK-END

NEW YORK, Aug. 9.—There was a further sharp rally in the cotton market this morning on covering for the week-end stimulated by rather an unsettled weather outlook and the opening strength of the stock market. October contracts sold up to 32.40, or 82 points net higher, but at this level there was considerable realizing and later fluctuations were irregular.

NEW YORK, Aug. 9.—Trading in stocks today was influenced almost entirely by President Wilson's address which was received with a conservative as well as speculative, accepted as extremely favorable to the constructive side.

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SENSATIONAL CROP LOSSES RESULT IN ADVANCE IN MARKET

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50-50 Contracts. We have two fine locations in proven field on which we can make 50-50 contracts, exceptional propositions—or will sell for half cash and half oil; terms if desired.

Real Estate Transfers. J. A. Jackson, lots 11, 12, block 20, Floral Heights, \$2,300. J. P. Baird et ux to C. S. Jones, lots 4, 5, block 20, Floral Heights, \$2,300.

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Oil News

IMPERIAL PET. CO. HAS A 5,200 BARREL WELL IN BLOCK 97

A first day run of 5,200 barrels, amounting to what is believed to be a record in the local oil fields, is being produced from the No. 1 Taylor, Block 97, of the Imperial Petroleum Company, newly completed. The well is less than 200 feet south of the Texas Chief well.

The Imperial Petroleum Company has also completed its No. 1 Evans, near the M. P. Burk well, with production of 1,500 barrels daily. Both these wells have been shut in, on account of lack of storage and pipe line facilities.

The company's No. 2 Taylor, Block 97, is on the sand with casing set, ready to drill in when storage is available and Nos. 3 and 4 are nearing sand depth.

The Block 74 Oil Company's No. 1 Vogel has been completed, and is estimated at a 3,000 barrel producer, according to W. S. Pate, one of the officers of the company. The well is close to the first well of the United Producers.

HOLLIDAY REFINING CO. CHANGES ITS PLAN AND WILL BUILD NEAR CITY

Owing to increased pipe line and railroad facilities at Wichita, the Holliday Refining Co. announces that it has abandoned the original plan of erecting its plant at Holliday and will build at Wichita Falls. The site has been purchased, in North Wichita, on the Fort Worth and Denver and material is now being directed to the site. Working will be rushed as speedily as possible under present labor conditions, it is stated.

STATE FAIR OF MISSOURI HAS SUCCESSFUL OPENING

SEDALIA, MO., Aug. 9.—With fair grounds crowded with more exhibits in all departments than ever before, the 19th annual Missouri State Fair opened here today.

Despite strike agitation arrivals of cattle, horses, sheep, swine and poultry totaled more than last year. The best livestock of Missouri, Kansas, Iowa, Kentucky and Oklahoma is presented with exhibit barns full.

The crowd is a record breaker for the first day, while the automobile races and Acting Governor Crossley's flight by airplane from Joplin is expected to draw thousands. Special trains are running daily to Sedalia.

NEW INTERSTATE RATE ON OIL FROM NORTH TEXAS ANNOUNCED

Special to The Times. WASHINGTON, Aug. 9.—New interstate rates on crude oil from North Texas points to Oklahoma, Kansas and Missouri refining points were announced by the railroad administration today, effective on thirty days' notice.

Rates are grouped in each instance and carry reductions of from one cent to four cents per hundred in carloads from the Ranger and Burkburnett districts.

The Texas interstate rates were not changed but Oklahoma intrastate rates were placed on a mileage basis from nine cents for twenty-five miles or less, graduated up to twenty-two and a half cents for five hundred miles or a greater distance on single lines. Two cents additional is applied to two-line and three cents additional to three-line hauls.

The new rates are what the oil industry asked for at a recent hearing.

The new rates will chiefly benefit the refiners of other states, and will not be of benefit to the Texas refiners.

SUPERINTENDENT CLARK WRITES THAT HE MAY BE FORCED TO MOVE

Inability to secure a house may result in Prof. Lee Clark, superintendent of Wichita Falls public schools, moving his family from the city, according to a letter received from Mr. Clark Saturday.

Mrs. Clark says that he had contracted to buy a house and obtain possession on September 1, but had been lately advised that the party would be unable to deliver it. "This puts me without a house, and it may make it necessary for me to move my family elsewhere, as all of my efforts up to this time have been fruitless," says Mr. Clark's letter.

Mr. Clark is at present teaching in the summer normal at Canyon City.

GENERAL SCIENCE ADDED TO SCHOOLS AFFILIATIONS

Affiliation in general science has been granted the Wichita Falls high school by the state board of education, according to information from Superintendent Lee Clark, in a letter to The Times. This is a subject that has been recently added to the high school curriculum, and it is a source of gratification to Mr. Clark that affiliation has been granted in such a short time. This will add another study to the course that the high school students have to select from, with a view to securing college credits, as well as credits for graduation.

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REPORT ON CONDITION OF RESERVE BANKS

WASHINGTON, Aug. 9.—Gold stocks of the Federal Reserve Banks continued to decrease during the week ending August 8, according to the statement of conditions at the close of business on that date, and were approximately \$4,000,000 below the previous total. The statement at the same time accounted for a new gold account of \$85,258,000 opened with the Bank of Netherlands and the National Bank of Belgium by the United States grace corporation, out of funds received from Germany in payment for food furnished that country. The statement follows:

Resources.
Total gold held by banks, \$581,381,000.
Total gold reserves, \$2,084,756,000.
Total reserves, \$2,162,118,000.
Total bills on hand, \$2,215,359,000.
Total earnings assets, \$2,475,458,000.
Total resources, \$5,450,301,000.

Liabilities.
Total gross deposits, \$2,528,880,000.
Total liabilities, \$5,450,301,000.

THEFT OF BUICK CAR REPORTED TO SHERIFF

Theft of a Buick roadster belonging to Burton Thompson, room 29, Eldora Hotel, from the curb at the Eldora Hotel Saturday was reported to Sheriff Bob McFall. The car is described as a 1919 model, license No. 228,212, blue body, spotlight on left side, bumper on front and rear, Hartford shock absorbers, oversize casings and with spare casing on rear—with oilcloth covering which has a white stripe all the way around it.

GIRL IS ARRESTED WITH THEFT CHARGED WITH THEFT

Charged with the theft of about ten dollars in money and a pistol, Louise Cruz, a sixteen-year-old Mexican girl, was arrested Saturday afternoon by Patrolman Johnson—A Counts. The girl confessed when confronted by the Mexican woman who had been robbed. The car was turned over to the county authorities.

FIFTY-DOLLAR FINE IN A GAMING CASE

Persistent repeating on a gaming charge, in the city police court resulted in a fine of \$50 against one individual Saturday morning. This was the third time this party had been arraigned on such a charge in three days. Four others in the same party contributed \$20 each.

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NOTICE

To the policyholders of the Texas Employers' Insurance Association: We wish to announce that we have moved our office from 302 Kemp & Kell Bldg. to Room No. 4 Bemrod Building, No. 719 1/2 Ohio Street. Phone 1248. H. M. HARRIS, District Manager. TEXAS EMPLOYERS' INSURANCE ASSOCIATION. "Workmen's Compensation Insurance At Cost."

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LEASES AND ASSIGNMENTS.

K. T. Smith et al to R. C. Shindler et al, 20-acre block in Meade's subdivision, W. H. H. Parks to Trinity Oil Corp., 675 acres, 124 acres, J. G. Hixson pre-emption survey, \$10,000.
W. E. Hall to Bignone, 1st first tract, 75 acres, G. C. & S. F. Co. survey, \$10.
S. L. Fowler to Fowler Oil Co., No. 2, 20 acres, 30 acres, block 89, Red River Valley lands, \$10 and other considerations.
W. H. Chilton et al to S. F. Smith et al, 20 acres, block 1, Meade's subdivision, W. H. H. Parks to Trinity Oil Corp., \$5,000.
R. S. Van Horn to H. H. McCall, 25 acres, W. 23 acres, E. 100 acres, W. S. Van Horn tract, \$1,250.
J. Lee Coyley to Arthur Lyons et al, block 4, Ennes subdivision, 1 acre, block 26, Red River Valley lands, \$10.
W. G. Burton to J. W. Sappington, 5 acres, block 96, 97, 98, tr. 4 No. 2, Knight subdivision, Red River valley lands, \$10.
Celestine Honaker et al to Gardner, lots 10, 11, 12, block 79, for \$900.
W. M. Frank to J. E. Spence, 1 1/2 interest in 2 1/2 acres, Red River Valley lands, subdivision No. 101, \$1.
S. B. Christian to S. J. Thompson, 17 1/2 acres, E. 1/2 section, Red River valley, section 21, Tarrant school land, \$10.
R. T. Harris to F. B. Dunn tract in block 88, Red River Valley lands, \$1 and other considerations.
J. B. Hewitt to A. P. Roberts, lots 6, 7, block 4, Wigham's Addition to Burkburnett, \$2,000.
E. G. Knight to E. P. McAdams, 5 acres, tract 10, block 97, Pines-G. Knight subdivision, Red River Valley lands, \$9,000.
Sam Kelly to Clay Oliver, 50 acres, S. E. 80 acres, subdivision No. 210, Waggoner Colony lands, \$10 and other considerations.
W. H. Linkerian et al to B. A. Smith, block 204, Waggoner colony lands, \$2,200.
Lyons and Kleinman to Baby Burk Oil Co., lot 4, Ennes subdivision, lot 2, Harpers subdivision of part of block 96, Red River Valley lands, \$10,500.
A. H. Klinkerman to T. O. Smith, 100 acres, subdivision No. 204, Waggoner Colony lands, \$870. 76-ltc

Central Presbyterian Church. (Southern.) Eleventh and Bluff.
After the Sunday School at 9:45 in the morning, is the 11 o'clock service. The subject of the sermon is "The Life Saver." At 7:30 in the evening is the meeting of the Christian Endeavor, and at 8:30 is the evening worship. At that hour, Mr. J. E. Hutchinson of Dallas, Texas, will preach the sermon. Visitors are invited to be present at all the services.

The mid-week prayer service is held Wednesday evening at 8:30.—L. J. SHERRILL.
Notice.
All officers and enlisted men of National Guard of Texas, will report at Court House, Wichita Falls at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday, August 13, 1919, for drill and instruction. By order Col. E. W. Napier. (Signed) J. W. Mode, Captain. 76-ltc

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A limited amount of the stock of the Texas Union Oil Company will be placed on sale Monday. The holdings listed above and the absolute guarantee of a dividend within 60 days should make this stock sell rapidly.

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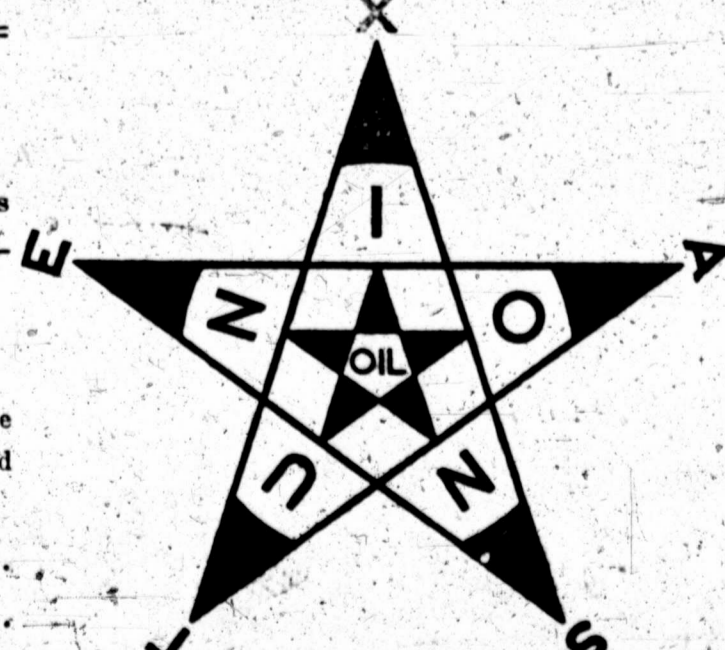
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The King's A Good Scout, but as a Husband? No!

THE popular contention that American girls are indefatigable title-hunters has received a staggering blow.

Here's a young woman from the United States who refuses to accept a king!

True, kings are rather passé and kingdoms have a little way of slipping out of sight in the world's big landscape of the past few years, but the title is warranted time-proof, and even if the worst happens, it's better to be an ex-queen than plain Mrs. Somebody. A coronet is just as attractive though it no longer crowns a sovereign brow.

The king in the case is no less a person than Alexander I of Greece, and the young woman who so loftily declines the honor of sharing his throne is Miss Josephine Marie Kelly of Chicago, a beautiful Red Cross worker.

The young monarch's attentions to the American girl are so pronounced that rumor of their betrothal reached this country—only to be repudiated by Miss Kelly's flat denial.

Pretty Josephine Kelly Red Cross Nurse, Says young Alexander of Greece is "A nice boy" but there's nothing serious about it.....

Miss Kelly says she wouldn't marry a king, but in this typical crowd you could throw a stone and hit any number of women who would.



King Alexander of Greece

In a letter to her uncle in New York, which has been made public, the pretty Red Cross worker declares: "The King has told me he finds pleasure in my society because I am a typical American girl who can talk on any subject from the war to making Athens a hygienic metropolis."

She admits that she is very fond of the Greek ruler, but insists that the romance is not likely to go further. Her very use of the word "romance" is tacit admittance that her acquaintance with the young king involves heart interest.

In the face of the premium set on titles before the Great War had leveled some of the proudest houses of the Old World, Miss Kelly's refusal to entertain any suggestions that her royal suitor might win her heart is almost incredible and certainly novel in the extreme.

Helms have angled in vain for lesser titles and many a proud dame has worn her ambition on her sleeve in the hope of attracting the adoration of some third-rate nobility.

Yet an unassuming little Red Cross worker waves a jaunty hand at the young ex-king, and says in effect: "You're a nice boy, Alexander; a good companion, and I'm very fond of you, but I don't want to marry you."

Meanwhile the young monarch continues to be a good pal and takes long drives, plays tennis and golf and dances with the pretty object of his admiration.

The war had only just begun when Josephine Marie Kelly went to Washington as a worker for the Red Cross. She was quickly recognized as an accomplished linguist and transferred to

the Bureau of Languages. Shortly afterward she was sent to Greece by the Bureau.

There, she immediately attracted the attention of Alexander I, who found her very different from the Grecian beauties. Her American type of loveliness was very refreshing to His Majesty, though, strange to relate, she is not the expected blonde type which one would suppose.

Her hair is very black and lustrous and her eyes are flashing black. She has the creamy pallor associated with Celtic beauty and vivid lips. Of medium height, she is unusually graceful, due partially to her devotion to sport. She is a skilled dancer, motorist and swimmer.

It is this love of outdoor life which undoubtedly strengthens the young ruler's regard for the little American. They take long drives together, according to reports from Athens, and play tennis and golf. The king himself is a clever sportsman and an enthusiastic motorist. It is said to be his favorite hobby, and he is an expert driver of high-powered cars.

Early in Miss Kelly's sojourn in Athens she was received by the king in formal audience, but her association with him was not permitted to end with the throne-room. They met at various society affairs, and soon they were observed driving in the young ruler's motor car.

Recently a fancy dress ball was

given at the home of the Minister of Foreign Affairs, M. Politis. Preceding the ball Alexander invited a number of the guests to dine at the royal palace. Miss Kelly was one of the number and received much admiration and attention from distinguished Grecian officialdom. She wore a crimson gown which set off her dark Celtic beauty admirably.

It was noted by the guests that their young host was deeply interested in the pretty American.

After that they attended many social functions together, and it was noticeable that when Miss Kelly was unable to attend the dinner dance given by Lord and Lady Granville owing to some emergency Red Cross work, the king did not put in an appearance either.

Alexander is a very likeable young chap, distinctly handsome and much of the college boy type. He has a bright, sunny temperament, is very democratic, and devoted to sport. His disregard for Athenian speed limits for automobiles was the talk of the Greek metropolis before his accession to the



Josephine Kelly

throne in 1917 and the consequent quietus which that royal portfolio placed upon his carefree activities.

The young king is also a very new man, his responsibilities being thrust upon him long before maturity by the trend of events. His father, King Constantine, was forced to abdicate in favor of his son after his open policy as a German sympathizer had roused the ire of the Premier and the entire Greek population. When Constantine, seeing too late the results of following the natural prejudices of his German

princess consort, stepped down from his throne, Greece immediately joined the Allies.

Alexander came to his heritage at the blackest and most critical time for Greece. His reign was inaugurated by a baptism of fire and it is scarcely to be wondered that the light-hearted boyish tendencies of the young ruler should turn from Mars to Venus now that the world's war has ended. There is a stormy period of readjustment ahead for the little Grecian state,

recognizes no obstacle except the counter-will of the lady herself. Rumor also fails to mention the attitude of ex-King Constantine toward his son's courtship. Or perhaps the former ruler does not know of it. The pathetic feature of the loss of power will always be the accompanying loss of consideration. Those who have ruled the great empires and the little countries of the world must find their keenest heartaches in the moments when national problems pass them by and go for their solving to the newly appointed of Fortune.

So the former ruler, who sejourns with other deposed sovereigns in Switzerland's refuge for unpopular kings, remains silent on the subject of his son's attachment for the pretty American. And meanwhile the romance flourishes and is rendered more piquant by the obduracy of Miss Kelly.

She is the daughter of T. C. Kelly, a former well-known politician of Chicago. She was educated in a convent in the Windy City, and at sixteen came to New York to make her home with her uncle. Her education, which included many languages and all of the graceful accomplishments which fit a society girl for her tilt with the world, included music. She is a skilled pianist and singer.

If Miss Kelly decides to wed the Greek king she will be one of the few American girls to acquire a title while in the period of the war. Titles and other things to do than seek American alliances during the strenuous years from 1914 to 1919.

Moreover, no American has ever married a king. It is a distinction which it seems Miss Kelly will be the first to acquire. Unless she proves a kind and definitely declines the opportunity. Few wonders could be found to overlook such a chance. With her own eyes planning campaigns as strategically as generals for the visits of royalty during the present summer, it seems incredible that one independent little girl who has a crown and scepter following her humbly should be capable of such indifference.

Will the Greek king visit America? It is quite correct for youthful sovereigns who have just ascended their thrones to make a tour of the world before settling down to the serious business of being a king. Nearly all rulers of European countries have circled the globe while still the heirs-apparent, and whole hosts of minor princes have visited the United States. This summer, however, will mark a record in royal visits, what with the Prince of Wales coming to Newport and the King and Queen of Belgium expected for a visit in the near future. Queen Marie of Roumania will leave her country for whom she has worked so faithfully and suffered so keenly to spend a few weeks in the United States. Princes of less prominence are already here or have notified their intention of coming to these shores within the next few months. All in all, it promises to be a red-letter year for the democratic world, as are caught by the plumes of royalty.

Could Alexander of Greece be added to the list, the first summer after the war would be unique in the social history of America. It may be of course that the young ruler, who is apparently so impressed by American girls, even the first object of his admiration, will not consent to his suit. In that case a visit to the United States would be natural, as there are comparatively few American girls in Greece.

The onward march of democracy has changed the old order and an American queen for more than one European country would not come as a surprise to the world. At least one is assured, provided that Miss Kelly sufficiently imbued with patriotism, the piquancy of a Grecian romance.

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SOCIAL NEWS

MISS PAULINE HARRIS MARRIES CECIL WELCH

A pretty ring ceremony was performed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Harris Monday evening of this past week, when their daughter, Miss Pauline Harris was given in marriage to Cecil Welch of California. In the presence of a few close friends and relatives, Rev. S. A. Barnes read the impressive marriage vows.

The home was attractive in its decorations. Sergeant Major D. O. Osburn acted as the best man, and little Miss Vivian and Marie Harris were charming as flower girl and ring bearer, respectively.

A lovely dark brown tricoilet traveling suit with hat to match was the bride's chosen going away suit.

The bride was educated in the high school here, a young girl of sweet personality and an accomplished musician.

Mr. Welch was at one time stationed at Call Field, with his duties in the major's headquarters. Just a few weeks ago the groom was among those who returned from France. The groom made many friends during his stay in the city.

Immediately after the ceremony, the young people left on the midnight train for Vallejo, Calif., where they will make their home. A circle of friends and relatives bid them adieu, with wishes of much happiness and success for the future years.

LUNCHEON TO WELCOME MRS. J. F. ROBINSON

Mrs. B. L. Pain was a charming hostess at luncheon given at her home Thursday at high noon, in honor of Mrs. J. F. Robinson from Lubbock, who will make her home here in the city.

Masses of pretty sunflowers in simple decorations were the dining room attraction. Roses in all their beauty filled the library with their fragrance. The luncheon was served with daintiness to the delight of the guests, while jolly conversation reigned throughout the courses. The pretty place cards carried out the color scheme of yellow.

Those welcoming the honoree to this city were Mesdames J. M. Bell, M. M. Clifford, Robertson, M. M. Bell, T. R. Hartsook, W. M. Bonner and the hostess, Mrs. B. M. Pain.

MOONLIGHT PICNIC IS ENJOYED AT LAKE WICHITA

A jolly affair in the form of a "moonlight picnic" was given Friday evening by Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Andree, to a number of friends in honor of their son, C. W. Andree, who returned a few weeks ago from France.

The crowd of merry picnickers journeyed to the lake in cars, where dancing, swimming and an appetizing spread filled the evening with delight. The atmosphere was filled with merriment, when at the midnight hour they proceeded home in the happy mood that accompanies such an occasion.

Those making up the "good time" crowd were Messrs. and Mesdames McKinney, Murphy, Granger, Mesdames Souze, Hartsook, Misses Ethel Andree, Lois Fitzgerald, and Messrs. Dubalen, Peterson, Pan, Kegley, McClasch, Homer Karenbrock, Smith, Groesbeck, Harry Palmer, John Andree, William Andree, Jack Murphy, Jack Granger and the honored, C. W. Andree.

G. H. WATSON WEDS MISS LENA WILLIAMS

A wedding of interest and a surprise to friends here was that of Wednesday evening of last week, when G. H. Watson of this city married Miss Lena Williams at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Williams, in Chico, Texas.

The ceremony was witnessed only by near relatives and Mr. DeLemar, a close friend and business partner of the groom. Following the ceremony the bride and groom departed for California and other Western states. After Sept. 1, the young people will be at home here to their friends at 1201 Taylor street.

AMERICAN YEEMAN TO MEET ON WEDNESDAY

The Brotherhood of American Yeeman will meet next Wednesday evening, at 8:30 in their first meeting in the Swartz-Wood building on Scott street. The meeting will be one of importance and interest. A. M. Duke of Dallas, State manager of Texas, will be a guest, and a number of candidates will be initiated.

HERE FROM HOBART GUEST OF RELATIVES

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Hawkins and their daughters, Misses Katherine and Lucille, are in the city visiting relatives. After a few days visit here Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Hawkins will drive in their car to Fort Worth and thence back to their home in Hobart, Okla.

SOCIETY BREVITIES. Miss Ruby Greenwood of Dallas, formerly residing in this city, is the guest of Miss Grace Tancred of Elizabeth street.

Mrs. A. W. Culp has returned from a visit of several weeks on the Great Lakes, and with her brother in Chicago. Mrs. Culp's sister, Mrs. J. H. Price and small son, who accompanied her to Chicago, will remain there until fall.

The Woman's Alliance of the First Baptist church will meet in regular business session and separate division at the church next Tuesday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

Mrs. W. E. Miller returned last evening from a month's visit in Tenn. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Maxwell and son, James, left last Friday for Colorado, to be gone some time.

SPECIAL PRECAUTION TO PROTECT THE PRINCE

ST. JOHNS, N. F., Aug. 9.—Special precautions against the possible presence of ice floes and bergs in the path of the battleship Renown, bringing the Prince of Wales to this colony and Canada were taken today. It was announced that the cruiser Dauntless which preceded the escorting fleet to arrange for the prince's reception here, would cruise about the Grand banks for the purpose of locating ice and would then proceed to sea to escort the Renown to her anchorage in Conception Bay. Several unusually large bergs have been reported in the vicinity of shipping lanes during the week.

PLAZA AIRDOME CALENDAR. Monday and Tuesday: Alice Brady in "The Whirlpool." Wednesday: Belle Bennett and Barney Sherry in "Mayor of Filbert." Thursday: Zena Keffe in "The Amateur Widow." Friday: Kitty Gordon in "The Cross Bearer." Saturday: "Money Talks," Sunshine Comedy.

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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 which extends 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.

"BAYER CROSS" ON GENUINE ASPIRIN

The ceremony was witnessed only by near relatives and Mr. DeLemar, a close friend and business partner of the groom. Following the ceremony the bride and groom departed for California and other Western states. After Sept. 1, the young people will be at home here to their friends at 1201 Taylor street.

"Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" to be genuine must be marked with the safety "Bayer Cross." Always buy an unbroken package which contains proper directions to safely relieve headache, toothache, earache, neuralgia, colds and pain. Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost but a few cents at drug stores, larger packages also. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacturing of Monoaceticacidester of Salicylicacid.

YOUR CATARRH MAY LEAD TO CONSUMPTION

Dangerous to Use Treatment for Only Temporary Relief. There is a more serious stage of Catarrh than the annoyance caused by the stopped-up air passages, and other distasteful features. The real danger comes from the tendency of the disease to continue its course downward until the lungs become affected, and then dreaded consumption is on your path.

Your own experience has taught you that the disease cannot be cured by sprays, inhalers, atomizers, jellies and other local applications. S. S. S. has proven a most satisfactory remedy for Catarrh, because it goes direct to its source. Get a bottle today, begin the only logical treatment that gives real results. For free medical advice write Medical Director, 47 Swift Laboratory, Atlanta, Ga.

Moreover, there are contractors with the in abundance and all manner of cunning men for every man of work, therefore it behooves thee to "Prove all things and hold fast to that which is good."

General Contractor and Builder. Office 406, South St., Phone 440

Perkins-Timberlake Co. 822 Indiana ASSOCIATED STORES

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BLOUSE SPECIAL MONDAY

Tomorrow we offer you a very extraordinary value in Organdie and Voile Blouses—good styles and nicely trimmed with pretty lace. The Blouses range in price from \$2.00 to \$4.95. On sale Monday HALF PRICE

IN THE TOILET GOODS SECTION

Many new arrivals make this an ideal place to purchase your Toilet Requisites. Hudnut's Toilet Water, odors of Yankee clover, gardenia, violet sec, Lilly of the Valley, royal Hudnut and many others, bottle... \$1.00 Hudnut's Bottle Perfume, all odors... 50c and \$1.00 Marvelous Cold Cream, in tubes... 25c Marvelous Cold Cream, in bottles... 50c Hudnut's Talcum... 25c and 50c Hudnut's Tooth Paste... 25c

NEW FALL MODES ARRIVING DAILY!

And soon our store will be a veritable bazaar of lovely autumn fashions

Our buyers are just back from the Eastern markets where they made a thorough search for merchandise that will meet the requirements of the most exacting shoppers. The arrival of these wonderful things is being watched with keen interest by the women of Wichita Falls and surrounding country. We are anxious that you see these pretty garments first, so we invite you to view our advance showing tomorrow.

THE NEW FALL DRESSES

Our advance showing of these exquisite garments depicts all the new style tendencies. The gorgeous Tricolettes are modeled by Fashion's foremost designers, many garments showing elaborate touches of pretty embroidery, others with wonderful trimming of fringe.

The Autumn Dresses of Taffetas reveal the new ruffles and frills so popular this season. All the leading shades of brown, green, blue, grey. Priced \$39.50 to \$125.00.

A FEW OF THE NEW FALL SUITS ARE HERE

Our Suit Section is fast taking on that Autumn look—some of the new Suits have arrived and each express will continue to add many new things to this department.

The new arrivals are pretty models of Tricotie, Velours and other fabrics, beautifully lined, and showing many individual style features found only in Perkins-Timberlake Company's Suits. These Suits are priced up to \$150.00.

Special Reduction Women's Pumps and Oxfords

AN IMPORTANT CLEAN-UP OF ODDS AND ENDS IN OUR SHOE SECTION

This sale includes broken lines of J. & T. Cousins and Duttonhofer high grade Pumps and Oxfords. A genuine clearance in order to make room for our immense Fall stock, which is beginning to arrive.

- Women's \$6.00 Pumps and Oxfords... \$4.95
- Women's \$6.50 Pumps and Oxfords... \$4.95
- Women's \$7.50 Pumps and Oxfords... \$5.95
- Women's \$8.50 Pumps and Oxfords... \$6.95
- Women's \$9.00 Pumps and Oxfords... \$6.95
- Women's \$10.00 Pumps and Oxfords... \$7.50
- Women's \$12.00 Pumps and Oxfords... \$9.85



PHOENIX SILK HOSE

- Lot 365—Hose, pure Silk Lisle, garter top, "seamless"..... \$1.35
- Lot 735—Hose, fancy Silk, with drop stitch, black and Havana brown..... \$1.55
- Lot 367—Hose, black Silk, out size..... \$1.55
- Lot 368—Hose, full fashioned Silk, Lisle garter top, black and Havana brown..... \$2.05
- Lot 725—Hose, full fashioned, all Silk, white only..... \$3.00

Many New Things in the Art Goods Section

Royal Society Package Goods

Stamped pieces, ready to embroidery, with sufficient floss to complete the design.

IN THE SILK SECTION

Just received the popular Tricolette, 36-inch width, colors of brown and white, per yard \$6.95. Many new arrivals in fancy Satins, plain and fancy Taffetas, Georgettes and Skirting Silks. Beautiful assortment of new Fall Trimmings.

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A LITTLE TRIP THROUGH THE STORE

Good morning! There's one nice thing we can look forward to. That the cool Fall breezes are just around the corner.

And won't it be nice to see the new Fall things! And here's the place to see them.

Elsewhere in this ad you'll find the announcement of our Corset Department's special fitting service.

We're anxious for you to meet Mrs. McKaig, our graduate Corsetiere.

Phone her for special fittings. Our telephone is one-six-eight.

Have you seen the new trimmings? Beads, braids and tassels.

Ask at the Dress Goods Section.

Lots of Silk Hose now. Better get them while you can.

Ask to see the pretty black Lace Hose.

Call at the Underwear Department and see the pretty new things, in Silk Gowns, Teddies, Bloomers, Vests and Pajamas.

Fancy "Rain or Shine" Parasols.

Ask to see them. They're \$5.95, \$9.85 and \$12.50.

We would like to see you at our store tomorrow. Thank you!

Important Announcement

We desire to announce to the women of Wichita Falls that we have recently secured the services of

MRS. R. D. MCKAIG OF DALLAS a Graduate Corsetiere of very wide experience, who will be pleased at all times to give special fitting and demonstrate the many wonderful features of Gossard Front Lace Corsets.

Our highly specialized fitting service reflects our earnest appreciation of the important relation a correctly fitted Corset bears to your health, and to that perfect poise that gives the elusive charm of style.

Mrs. McKaig will be pleased to advise you as to the particular model which is best suited to your figure type.



Wichita Falls Churches

Epworth League.
The Epworth League of the First Methodist church, North, closed their series of interesting programs last Sunday evening, with a record breaking audience of one hundred and twenty-six present. Under the leadership of divine members of the church, it was one of the most successful meetings of its kind in the history of the Epworth League.

The regular Sunday night meetings will continue, however, and the subject for Sunday evening at the usual hour, 7:15 will be "The Birthright." There will be an interesting and special musical program in which Messrs. H. Taylor and McCadden will take a part. Mr. J. W. Thorne will be in charge of the program for the evening.

First Christian Church.
Bible School 9:30.
Morning Worship 10:40.
Y. P. S. C. E. 7:30.
Evening Worship 8:30.

The Hon. J. W. Thorne, prominent attorney of Sherman, Texas, will speak at the morning service. The subject of his address will be "The Testimony of Jesus."

The Minister, J. Lem Keevil, will preach at the evening hour. A fine musical program. J. LEM KEEVIL, Minister.

Fourth Street Baptist.
Sunday School 9:30 a. m. B. Y. P. U. at 7:30. Home at 8:30. The program at Fort Worth will preach both morning and evening, 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m.

There will be an important business meeting of the Woman's Alliance Tuesday at 3 p. m. Every woman urged to be present. Prayer service Wednesday at 9 p. m. You are cordially invited to come and worship with us in all these services.

The Young Peoples Society of Christian Endeavor will have its regular meeting at the First Christian Church this evening at 7:30. T. W. Caskey, recently discharged from the navy will lead and a most interesting and inspiring address. Visiting C. E. members and all other young people will receive a most hearty welcome.

First Methodist Church.
Corner Tenth and Lamar.
Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Preaching by the pastor at 11:30 a. m. and 8:30 p. m. Junior League at 4:00 p. m. Epworth League at 7:15 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all of these services.—S. A. BARNES, Pastor.

First Methodist Episcopal Church.
Corner Seventh and Lamar.
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m. Classes for all.
Epworth League, 7:45 p. m.

There will be no services. There will be services the following Sunday. Brother Prager will have charge.—H. F. DRAPER, Pastor.

First Baptist Church.
Sunday School 9:45 a. m. 11 a. m. preaching service, 6:00 p. m.
Junior B. Y. P. U. 7:30. Senior B. Y. P. U. 8:30 evening service.
Rev. F. M. Frier of Abilene will preach both morning and evening. You are cordially invited to attend these services.

Christian Science Society.
Lodge hall of the Perkins-Snyder building, corner Eighth and Scott.
Morning Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Subject "Spirit." The public is cordially invited to attend these services. All children up to the age of 20 years are welcome in the Sunday School.

Church of Christ.
Bible Study at 9:45.
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m. Place of meeting 1104 Bluff street. Strangers stopping in the city are invited to come out and worship with us.—E. CHRISTIAN, Minister.

SERGEANT MAJOR TO BE APPOINTED FOR FOURTH REGIMENT OF CAVALRY

Appointment of a sergeant major to handle the paper work of the Fourth Regiment, Texas Cavalry, who will be permanently stationed here and who will draw a salary of \$100 per month for this work, will be made within the next few days. Col. Ed W. Napier, in accordance with a letter received from the adjutant general. A previous service man with a fair knowledge of clerical work and army paper work is preferred for this position, although that is not essential, as Col. Napier is of the opinion that any intelligent young man with a knowledge of clerical work will be able to handle the position.

A school in army paper work will be held at Waco from August 18 to 23 inclusive, which will be attended by the appointee. Besides drawing his regular salary, the sergeant major will be allowed travel pay to and from the school, with board, clothing and lodging while in attendance at the school.

BELGIAN GOVERNMENT IS UNDERTAKING A PROJECT TO RECLAIM FARM LAND

BRUSSELS, Friday, Aug. 8.—The Belgian government has undertaken a vast project for reclaiming the devastated farm lands in the battle zone. The farms will be taken over from their owners and worked under the latest scientific principles, and then returned in first class condition to them. Owners are to be paid five per cent interest on the pre-war valuation of the property during government operation.

It is good business policy to deal with a progressive, successful, growing bank. The National Bank of Commerce is just such an institution and its officers invite your account, small or large, assuring you service that will please in every particular. 76-11c

YOURFACE MADE OVER

Oh Beauty Doom since you can now conspire
To grasp some sorry face or two entire,
How you do shatter, skin a bit and then
Remould it nearer to the heart's desire.

By MARGARET ROME
(Written for the United Front)

NEW YORK, Aug. 9.—Really it's getting to be quite the thing to have one's face done over every season or so—quite like one has the house or the automobile refinished and redecorated, don't you know? Only when it comes to face values, it certainly takes a bit of doing.

If Charles V. or Phillip II of Spain could only peep in on one of our up to date beauty parlors in full operation, they'd blush for very shame over the scientific and technical accomplishments of their erstwhile industrial torture chambers. Skinning 'em alive was one of their particular pet passions. Nowadays, however, fragile females suffer a skinning as a mere incident in their frenzied seeking for pulchritude. They turn one cheek and then the other to prove that beauty is only skin deep. With the aid of a skilled beauty expert, several assistants, some acid and a bit of slow agony, they shed a weather-beaten epidermis for a peachier and creamier new babeskin and call it a well spent day. If you are contemplating a skinning, however, it were well to count on more than a vacation day. A few hours will see you skinned all right, but you will still have to do a bit of time and a bit of suffering in the privacy of your boudoir before your face is quite itself in its brand new cuticle.

Then there's the fatal double chin. The information I will give you freely will be worth many dollars to you in the future. Astoria Information, 717 Seventh St., Wichita Falls, Texas. 76-21p

of turning perfectly good straight hair into the crooked path of the curly, the permanent wave process is really got as bad as it looks or smells. So great it has been perfected since its first invention that now it is as simple and painless as a manicure. Sometimes of course you do get a bit "hot" up in the scalp and feel as if some live locks were being plucked out by the roots, but on the other hand and oft times both some of our best little manicures gouge out corners and go to bloody lengths on the cuticle, so there you are.

To be sure it takes a lot of cash and a lot of fortitude, but if you don't weaken you can week-end at a beauty parlor these days, going in a plain Jane and emerging a perfect Mary Pickford.

With so much beauty right ready just for the pay and the pain, you can't help thinking that the years to come will be so cloved and surfed with just one beauty after another, that an ordinary au naturel girl will wrinkle or a chin or two will stand out refreshingly against the much put curdled like an oasis in the Sahara. Just as a ramble, I think I'll leave my little old last year's face alone and see

BABY LOST MOST ALL HER HAIR

From Eczema. Head Sore All Over. Cuticura Heals.

"When my baby was very little she broke out with white blisters that would dry up later on and then break out again. Her head was sore all over. She would fret and her hair came out until she did not have enough to cover her head. We were told it was eczema.

"I sent for a free sample of Cuticura. I purchased more and I used one case of Soap and one box of Ointment when she was healed." (Signed) Mrs. R. C. Hunt, McCool, Miss.

Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Talcum usually prevent skin troubles. Soap 25c, Ointment 25c and 50c, Talcum 25c. Sold throughout the world. For sample each free address: Cuticura Laboratories, Dept. H, Malden, Mass.

Cuticura Soap shaves without soap.

We Believe That People Want GOOD THINGS

This is the basis on which we merchandise this store. This does not mean costly things; for most good things are not costly, even when they cost more than trash.

The common things of everyday use should be good, and they ARE GOOD, as sold by us. Many things do not need to be of finest quality in order to be good—to look well and give satisfying service.

It would very easy to buy the merchandise for a store and have everything good and fine, if we had no thought for prices. But we count it a large part of our service to our public, to find and gather here the things that are thoroughly good—that will give complete satisfaction to our customers, while bearing only fair and moderate prices.

So we sell good merchandise We sell it at fair prices always

Our service has first thought for your interest, and for your complete and lasting satisfaction with everything that you buy in this store.

The First of the New Silks are here

We brought them in early for those women who want to have gowns of the newest weaves, when the first hint of the Fall season arrives.

How charming the new colorings are! And the new printings are in original and exquisite patterns.

Fine to have the new gowns all ready for the first important occasion.

See the New Silks tomorrow.

The first touch of fall fashion— The New HAT

The first advance models are here!

This is the best news of the week for those well-dressed women who always want the new things before anybody else has them.

You've been reading about the new Hats, in your favorite fashion magazine, and they have made you eager to see them.

Now they are ready to PUT RIG IT ON YOUR HEAD!

Not many. Just one of each of the choicest models we could find.

The New VEILS —are quite different

You'll note the simplicity of the meshes—the changed figurings. They seem more refined in style; more piquant in effect.

But there is variety to meet every taste and every need. Simple and open—or closer and more ornate. All here—the newest and best.

Our Trunk Department has a complete line of Indestructo Trunks just recently received.

Even if you are not ready to buy, we wish you would come in anyway and see and know these Indestructo Trunks.

Complete line of Suit Cases and Traveling Bags.



"The Courteous Service Store"

The Smart Shop

717 Seventh Street

Exclusive Blouses, Lingerie, Fancy Neckwear, Sweaters and Silk Petticoats



Hart Schaffner & Marx Good Clothes

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Baum & Gardner EXCLUSIVE STYLES

ANNOUNCEMENT

The Fonville Optical Co., 621 8th St., Wichita Falls, Tex.

is now under the management of Frederick Woolsey, formerly of Dallas, Texas, at which place he was in charge of the optical department of Arthur A. Everts Co. for eight years.

Mr. Woolsey is a registered and licensed Optometrist under the state laws of New York and has had a wide experience in the optical profession, having been manager during a period of fifteen years of such leading optical establishments as:

J. A. Connette & Co., New York, N. Y.
S. Galski Co., Richmond, Va.
W. G. Kinman, Washington, D. C.
H. H. Plumb Co., Troy, N. Y., etc., etc.

We can assure you of optical service; the equal of that found anywhere. Our eye examination room is equipped with the best instruments of precision for scientific eye examinations. Our lens grinding factory has been enlarged with the addition of the latest machinery to meet our constantly growing business, making our plant modern in every respect, and capable of grinding any kind of ophthalmic lens with dispatch. This department is in the charge of a skilled optician.

We are well equipped to examine your eyes, grind your lenses, repair your glasses, all in a prompt and expert manner.

Let us be your "Optometrists" and "Opticians."

Your confidence will be cherished and valued to our mutual advantage.

LOCAL INSURANCE AGENCY AND TIMES PRAISED IN LETTER

In last Sunday's Times the Stevens-Talbert insurance agency ran a unique advertisement. The advertisement featured a photograph of a burned automobile and three men, who were "the adjuster," "the assured" and "the agent." The advertisement told how that within seven days after the loss the agency paid to the owner of the car the sum of \$1,000. A copy of the advertisement was sent to the general agency, the California Insurance Co. at El Paso, Messrs. Stevens and Talbert are just in receipt of a letter from the agency in which they are complimented and in which nice things are said about The Times. The letter follows:

Copy of Letter:
Messrs. Stevens-Talbert Co.,
Wichita Falls, Texas.
Dear Friends:
About ten minutes ago the postman delivered us a copy of the Wichita Daily Times of Sunday morning, August 3, 1919. We are referred to page 10, part 1, of this paper, by notation on the front page. Upon reference to page 10, part 1, we were confronted with an advertisement carried by your splendid agency, and making specific reference to automobile loss in regard Mr. Richard Stone, for whose automobile it was the pleasure of the California Insurance Co. to pay Mr. Stone \$1,000, being the amount of the California's policy coverage. We desire to say that you boys are some "go-getters," and we want you to know that the California Insurance Co., and the general agents, appreciate very sincerely the publicity you have given this matter.

We would like to have your permission to have a re-print made of this advertisement at El Paso, for the purpose of mailing, as an advertisement, to the better class agencies in Texas and Louisiana, who at the present time do not have the California in their office. We would like very much to comment on the wake-up of your local paper, the Wichita Daily Times. It is metropolitan in every respect, and it is indeed surprising that such a splendid paper is afforded Wichita Falls

KARAKULE BILL'S SPECIAL TRAIN FOR GOODNIGHT RANCH BARBECUE LEAVES CITY SUNDAY, AUGUST 31

Karakule Bill McCallister's special train of Pullmans for his big Labor Day barbecue and old fashioned western roundup party for the oil men of North Texas and Oklahoma, will leave Wichita Falls on Sunday afternoon, August 31, and reservations are now being made at the offices of Fred Sohm, 216 First National Bank building of this city. It will be a case of first come get the lowers, so a rush is anticipated, and in fact has already begun. Arrangements will be made for as many Pullmans as there is a need, and at present about four hundred guests are expected for this party, which will be the first one of the sort ever staged.

"Bill" Norton, one of those who decided to perpetrate this party at Karakule Bill's expense, has some more good news about the big events of the city. The most important is that Captain Eddie Rickenbacker, America's premier ace, will probably be in attendance. Captain Rickenbacker expects to be in Wichita Falls about September 1, as the guest of Captain Erwin, also an American ace, now with headquarters in Wichita Falls, as the head of a commercial aerial transportation company. Captain Erwin will fly several planes to the Goodnight ranch, one of them with room for four passengers in which he expects to carry several of the guests. He promises an aviator to perform aerial stunts similar to those which have brought fame to Lieutenant Locklear, and the aerial program will be one of the features of the big barbecue.

folk; all of you should be very proud of such a publication. With kindest regards and best wishes, we beg leave to be Very truly yours,
PERRY-KIRKPATRICK CO.,
A. Hotchkiss, Mgr.

ZEPPELIN AIR SERVICE BERLIN TO MUNICH

BERLIN, Friday, Aug. 8.—Zeppelin airship service between Berlin and Munich will be inaugurated in the near future, says the Vossische Zeitung. It is expected the journey will be covered in seven hours. The fare will be three hundred marks.

A bank that provides absolute protection for the people's money and safeguards their interests in every transaction—the National Bank of Commerce. Checking and savings accounts invited.

Concerning the cats and the accommodations of the visitors Mr. Norton announces that every arrangement has been made for the comfort of the guests. The Pullmans will be parked at Goodnight and will be headquarters. The ranch house is a big one but Mrs. Goodnight, who is still acting as mistress at the famous ranch recently purchased by Mr. McCallister, and the Colonel could scarcely be expected to act as host and hostess to four hundred. A diner will be a part of the special train and meals will be served here. However, many have announced their intention of passing up several meals at the buffalo, cattle and karakule meat that Karakule Bill is going to have barbecued.

The fatted calf has already been selected, and Mr. McCallister has an on the ranch superintending the arrangements for the barbecue. Arbors will be built, and pits dug for the barbecuing. The buffalo yearling and the karakules and cattales have been on a diet of corn for some weeks, and will be in perfect flavor by September 1. All the other cats that accompany a genuine old fashioned barbecue will be on hand in abundance, and it is also hinted, for the benefit of those who might be interested, that the wild grapes are ripening, and that in that section of the country there is a recipe for a home made brew out of those grapes that is lickin' larrupin'. It is further rumored that a sure 'nough artist at this brewing will be on hand at the ranch some time in advance of the party.

FORM A PARTNERSHIP FOR REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE BUSINESS

Captain D. M. Perkins, who recently returned from France, has formed a partnership with T. A. Manning, of Dallas in the real estate and insurance business in Wichita Falls. They are opening offices in room 14 in the White building at 710 1/2 Indiana avenue. They will handle all kinds of insurance, including fire, accident,

compensation, burglary, liability, automobile and other lines representing some of the strongest companies in the insurance business. Mr. Manning is general agent in Texas for a number of the biggest companies and has had many years experience. He will continue his residence at Dallas, being represented in the firm here by Arthur Tideman who has been connected with his Dal-

las office. Mr. Manning is interested in a number of Wichita Falls enterprises, among them being the Texoma Oil and Refining Co., in which he is a large stockholder. Captain Perkins was engaged in the real estate and insurance business here when the war broke out. He gave up his business to recruit a company of the Texas National Guard which he took to France where they

helped win fame for the 142nd Regiment and the 36th Division. His many friends here will welcome his return to business in Wichita Falls. Close contact with customers is always maintained by the officers of the National Bank of Commerce, their personal attention assuring that special needs, as well as routine matters, are intelligently and promptly handled as

they arise. Both small and large accounts are solicited. 76-11c
FURNITURE MOVED
Light and Heavy Hauling
Day or Night
Phone 2874

Mid-Summer Special

Sale of Bracelet Watches

15 Jewels ————— 20-Years Gold Filled

Guaranteed

Price **\$15.00** War Tax Included

OUR Bracelet Watches are of such wide variety of design that your individual taste is certain to be satisfied. The quality and workmanship is of the same high standards as have always been embodied in our merchandise.

Art Jewelry Co.

"Where Gems and Gold are Fairly Sold."

Eighth St., at Indiana, Kahn Building
WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS



What Does Your Mirror Say?

Does it congratulate or criticize?

You can be sure of approval anywhere in one of these live waist seam styles.

Peak lapels, slope pockets, flare cuffs—all are right up to the minute. Single or double breasted, in breezy Summer weaves.

And common sense will tell you you're making a mighty good buy.

Loeb-Liepold Clothing Co.

The Exclusive Men's Store
711 Indiana Ave. Wichita Falls, Texas

Reasonable

Reliable

Quisenberry's

"The Shop for Women and Girls"

FINAL CLEARANCE OF ALL SUMMER GOODS HALF PRICE!

NOTICE

We are able to reserve a small space in front of the store to handle what is left in Summer goods. You will have to pardon the noise of carpenters and some other inconveniences. But beginning Monday morning, everything left in Summer goods that is not seasonable Winter garments will be sold

HALF PRICE!

WEEKLY LOCAL AMUSEMENT CALENDAR

MAJESTIC CALENDAR.

Monday: Viola Dana in "The Microbe."
 Tuesday: Hilda Nova in "The Spitfire of Seville."
 Wednesday and Thursday: Nazimova in "The Red Lantern."
 Friday and Saturday: Katharine Calvert in "The Career of Katharine Bush."

EMPRESS CALENDAR.

Monday and Tuesday: Catherine Calvert in "The Career of Katharine Bush."
 Thursday and Friday: Lila Lee in "Rose of the River."
 Saturday: William Russell in "That Hero Stuff."

GEM CALENDAR.

Monday: Marie Walcamp in "The Red Glove," also good comedy.
 Tuesday: The Gem presents Jackie Saunders in "Muggsy."
 Wednesday: Harry Morey in "Hoarded Assets," also Mutt & Jeff comedy.
 Thursday: Gladys Leslie in "Nymph of the Foot-hills."
 Friday: Wm. Duncan in "Iron Test," also big feature.
 Saturday: L. Ko Comedy and Bison Western feature; also Hearst News.

"CAREER OF KATHERINE BUSH" AT THE EMPRESS THEATER

Mrs. Elinor Glyn, one of the most celebrated novelists of the world, is the author of "The Career of Katharine Bush," a thrilling story of English life and manners, the sale of which in this country and abroad exceeded eleven hundred thousand copies. The book was pictureized by the Famous Players-Lasky Corporation and it will be shown as a Paramount-Artcraft Special picture at the Empress theater Monday and Tuesday, with beautiful Catherine Calvert in the stellar role.

Mrs. Glyn's reputation as a writer rests upon her brilliant descriptions of characters and her artistic treatment of any theme her facile imagination conceives. Underlying her fiction is a substratum of truth, which renders her pen portraits highly realistic, comprehensible and natural. Her dramatic faculty is highly developed, the result being that all of her books have thrills and appeal distinctly their own.

In the story of "The Career of Katharine Bush," Mrs. Glyn paints the portrait of a young woman who carves out her own career successfully, but before she reaches her goal, that marriage with a celebrated statesman, she suffers many a bitter pang occasioned by her recollection of the imprudence of her early life. She is a woman of high ideals and she rises to the loss of the love of the man she yearns for by telling him of her career, but instead of sacrificing her future, he takes her to him forgivingly, and both are rendered happy.

The cast is a large and brilliant one, the principals being Fred Burton, John Goldsworthy, Crauford Kent, Mathilda Brundage and others.

"THE BRAT" THIS WEEK AT THE WICHITA THEATER

Beginning with tomorrow night's performance the Wichita Stock Company will offer for one week with matinee on Wednesday and Saturday, Maude Fulton's success "The Brat." Miss Fulton, the author, also appeared in this delightful comedy drama for more than a season at the 48th Street Theater in New York.

Director Craig of the Wichita Stock Company has been busily engaged for several days on the production of "The Brat" and now promises the best result of the Wichita players so far in their pleasant engagements in this city. "The Brat" is a story not unlike "Peg of My Heart" where there is a girl of the streets thrown into a family of health. The comedy of the street girl is extremely clever but her understanding of life gives the play the punch which has made it the most successful of the late plays presented to the public.

Miss Robbins of the Wichita Stock Company will appear at her best as "The Brat" this character being her favorite. Her excellent work in "Common Clay" and "Mary's Ankles" promises theater goers of Wichita Falls a rare treat in summer amusement.

Next week "Rich Man, Poor Man," will be the attraction.
 Plays now in preparation are "Pretty Peggy O' Mine," "Sinners" and "Daddy Long Legs."

"THE MICROBE" IS LATEST VEHICLE FOR VIOLA DANA

"The Microbe," the latest Metro production starring Viola Dana, will be the feature at the Majestic theatre on Monday.

This picture was adapted from the popular story of the same name by Henry Altimus, published in *Ainslee's Magazine*, and is the dramatic and heart-rending story of "The Microbe," a girl of the New York slums who is rescued from her unsavory surroundings by a young author in search of local color.

Her quick wit and winsome personality, coupled with the ease with which she acquires polish and refinement in her new environment, quickens his interest in her, and she, which soon develops into something deeper. In fact, De Witt finds himself fast falling in love with his protégé.

This state of affairs is also evident to Judith Winthrop, a young widow whose matrimonial designs center on the author. Jealousy leads her to treachery and deceit, and the Microbe is forced to leave the home she has grown to love.

Starting events follow in rapid succession—each one more amazing than the last until a tremendous climax lays bare the treachery which has embittered the life of the girl who at last finds complete happiness and love.

ROBES OF ROYAL SPLendor ARE WORN BY NAZIMOVA

Robes of regal splendor are worn by Nazimova in her newest super-feature, "The Red Lantern," which comes to the Majestic Theatre Monday and Tuesday. Among these robes is the heavy silken garb of the Goddess of the Red Lantern and the awe-inspiring garments of a Chinese warrior chief.

For Mahlee, the half Chinese, half English girl, played by Nazimova, bears a not remote resemblance to France's Joan of Arc. True, she leads a hopeless cause, that of the Boxers against the European in China. And her heart is torn between the love she bears for an Englishman and the ancient traditions of the yellow race.

Nazimova wears the warrior's costume during the tumultuous scenes in the streets of Peking, when the Boxers clash with the troops of the Allied nations sent to quell the uprising. Mounted, as was the immortal Jeanne d'Arc, Mahlee leads the yellow horde against their white foes until all hope is gone. Then, with the steed of the oriental blood, she speaks death by

Gladys Leslie



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"AN AMATEUR WIDOW" AT PLAZA THURSDAY

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If you do come and see "An Amateur Widow" it will make you smile. It will make you laugh. It will make you happy.

This is a picture that we are mighty glad to be able to present to you. Come to the Plaza theatre on Thursday and see it.

Zena Keefe is starred in this production. It is her first starring appearance in World Pictures and she certainly does put over the role of Rhoda Canby in this picture in a way to make you glad to be among those present. She has youth, charm, good looks and is a brilliant screen actress.

Appearing with Miss Keefe is a notable cast. Prominent film players, who have attained fame through good work in other productions, have been picked out because of their particular fitness for some role, and have been assigned this part. As a result an exceptionally good presentation is given in this picture.

The genuine interest of the National Bank of Commerce in the progress of this community is shown by the helpful, friendly service it renders to all customers, and the ready co-operation which it extends to the industrial interests of Wichita Falls and Wichita county.

GRADING COMPLETE FOR DOUBLE TRACK THRU BURKBURNETT

Grading for the Katy double track through Burk Burnett is nearing completion and the actual laying of the rails is expected to begin within the near future, according to J. H. Hickey, general superintendent for the Katy in this district, who has just returned from an inspection trip to Burk Burnett. The new trackage will be completed within the next five weeks, says Mr. Hickey, and is expected to work a material improvement in the handling of the heavy oil and wheat traffic at that point.

BAILEY WILLIS DIES SOUTH OF THE CITY

Bailey Willis, 15 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Willis, died Friday night at the home of his parents about two miles south of town on the Holiday road. Death followed an illness with typhoid fever. The Hines Undertaking Company supervised the forwarding of the body to Henrietta, Texas, for burial.

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HEARING TUESDAY ON A DOUBLE DAILY TRAIN ON VALLEY

Special to The Times.
STAMFORD, TEX., Aug. 9.—Acting on the application of the Traffic Bureau of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, a hearing will be held at Austin, August 12, on re-establishment of double daily passenger train service over the Wichita Valley Railway between Abilene and Wichita Falls, including the operation of through Pullman cars from Abilene via Wichita Falls to Fort Worth.

T. P. Byars, traffic manager, will present the case for the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, and representatives from Abilene, Anson, Stamford, Haskell, Munday, Seymour, Wichita Falls and Fort Worth will also attend the hearing. Porter A. Whaley, general manager of the West Texas organization will also attend the hearing.

According to Manager Whaley passenger service over the Wichita Valley Railway at present is so poor that Wichita Falls papers are two to three days late in arriving at points on the Wichita Valley. He states express service is so poor that many persons are using motor trucks in order to move perishable stuff. Ladies and children are now required not to travel to use the smoker on this train to points south of Wichita Falls because of the congestion of travel and lack of adequate equipment.

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OIL FIELD WORKERS OF CALIFORNIA GET INCREASE IN WAGES

BAKERFIELD, CALIF., Aug. 9.—Twelve thousand California oil field workers have been granted their demand for a minimum wage of \$2.50 retroactive to July 1 with back pay of 50c for each day's work from January 1, 1919, to July 1, according to advices received today from Walter J. Yarrow, who represents the California Oil and Refinery Workers' Union at a conference in Santa Barbara, with a mediation commission appointed by President Wilson.

POLICE ARE SEARCHING FOR PARTIES INTERESTED IN SERIOUS LOVE AFFAIR

CHICAGO, Aug. 9.—Police today sought persons who might have known of the love affair of Gertrude Hoffman and John Lawrence, and others.

Lawrence and the girl are dead. She shot him to death yesterday and then took poison and flung herself on the floor near the man's body. In a twenty page letter addressed to the state's attorney, she asked "Bob Aleff" be hanged.

"He tarnished my life," she wrote. "So last night police arrested Aleff, who lived near the girl's home. He stoutly denied knowing anything of the girl's love affairs, contending she "must have been insane."

"The girl mentioned 'others' in the letter," a Chicagoan told who lives at 1734 N. La. on a farm with the Simons. Lawrence lived at Corapolis, Pa. He was a steel worker.

Close contact with customers is always maintained by the officers of the National Bank of Commerce, their personal attention assuring that special needs, as well as routine matters, are intelligently and promptly handled as they arise. Both small and large accounts are solicited.

MRS. DYER GAINS 5 POUNDS

Mrs. M. Dyer, residing at 2318 Lee avenue, North Fort Worth, Texas, is still another woman whose deep sense of gratitude and desire to benefit others will not permit her to remain silent regarding the benefits she has derived from Orgatone, the treatment that is helping so many people everywhere and is winning high praise from everybody who knows anything about it.

Mrs. Dyer states that before she began using Orgatone she was almost a chronic sufferer for over a year. Her friends will be glad to learn of the wonderful improvement in her health.

"I suffered for several years," said Mrs. Dyer, "with indigestion, nervousness and sleeplessness, and I was all the time taking medicine trying to find something to help me digest my food and relieve me of my other troubles. For the last few months I have been unable to do my housework and I almost had a complete breakdown. I lost all my strength and felt weak and tired out most all the time. The little food I ate would sour on my stomach and the gas would blow me up until my heart was weak and acted strangely. I had awful headaches and was so nervous I could hardly sleep. In fact, I was all to pieces in every way and I was never able to get anything that would give me more than a little temporary relief until I began taking Orgatone.

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KARAKULE RAMS ARE SENT TO ARGENTINE BY ALEX ALLBRIGHT

Alex Allbright was here yesterday from his ranch at Dundee, with two Karakule rams which he was having inspected before shipment to Buenos Aires, Argentine. These two rams are from Mr. Allbright's famous flock of Karakules, the first herd of the kind in the United States.

Mr. Allbright has shipped his herd to Canada and to all parts of the United States but the two rams he is now shipping are the first he has ever shipped to South America.

Mr. Allbright reports his flock of Karakules as flourishing with a good increase. The Karakule fur, which these animals grow has greatly increased in value within the past few years and there has been a good increase in mutton prices.

GENERAL STRIKE AT BASLE IS REPORTED A COMPLETE FAILURE

BERLIN, Friday, Aug. 8.—The general strike at Basle ended today in a complete failure, like the one at Zurich. The Communist party and the extremists labor leaders who hoped to spread the strike over all the country, even prophesying the establishment of a Swiss Soviet have been entirely defeated.

DEDICATES HER LIFE TO AVENGE DEATH OF UNCLE

CHICAGO, Aug. 9.—Alice Kenney, 29, today dedicated the rest of her life to avenging the death of her uncle, Fred Bender, 63, a shoe fitter, who was found beaten to death in his shop here late yesterday.

Bender, who formerly operated a cobbler's shop in Topeka, Kansas, had worked here thirteen years. Near his body was found a piece of gas pipe. A cash register had been robbed of the \$50 it contained.

"I will do everything in my power to find the man who murdered him," said Miss Kenney. "I will do it if it takes the rest of my life."

One of Bender's sons, Anthony Bender, is a superintendent at the Armour packing plant.

SEVENTEEN KILLED IN MINE EXPLOSION

MEXICO CITY, Friday, Aug. 8.—Seventeen deaths were caused by a dynamite explosion yesterday in the Rosario mine, Pachuca, according to latest report. Two trains, one carrying 3,000 pounds of explosives, crashed near the main entrance to the mine. It was at first feared that more than a thousand were entombed.

GERMAN AUTHORITIES DISCOVER A SECRET STRIKE MOVEMENT TO TIE UP RAILROADS OF THE NATION

By Associated Press.
BERLIN, Aug. 9.—The government announces the discovery of an extensive secret strike movement, which, if successful, will lead to a general railroad strike in central and perhaps all of Germany on September 1. Spartacist and communist agitators are charged with being the leaders of the movement, which the government is using every means to suppress.

"The discovery was made just when Germany believed itself quieting down while the rest of the world rioted and struck," the official statement says. "The object of the communist strike leaders is to appropriate power, the first necessity of which is the stoppage of transportation to prevent the distribution of food and coal. The movement which is already widespread, began at Erfurt, where a huge meeting controlled by communists was held last night, the strike being decided upon. This action is not understandable because the government has not only carried out promises made at the time the last railroad dispute was settled but has introduced other reforms."

THOROUGH PROBE IS TO BE MADE OF THE MEXICAN SITUATION AND TREATMENT OF AMERICAN PEOPLE

WASHINGTON, Aug. 9.—Determined not to spare time or resources in its efforts to uncover the whole story of the relations between the United States and Mexico including facts of Mexican infringements on American rights during recent years, the three members of the sub-committee named late yesterday by Chairman Lodge of the Senate foreign relations committee today were making preliminary plans for their work. The sub-committee, consisting of Senators Fall, New Mexico, and Brandegee, Connecticut, republicans, and Smith, Arizona, democrat, was appointed under authority granted by a resolution adopted in the Senate and of which Senator King of Utah was author.

While the investigation by the sub-committee will go into every phase of the Mexican situation and will take many months to complete, it was expected that only preliminary features would be dealt with pending disposition of the treaty with Germany. Tentative plans include hearings to be held at points along the border as members of the committee desire to get first hand information concerning "how and all acts of the governments of Mexico and its citizens in derogation of the rights of the United States and its citizens."

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ON LUCILE ST.: A north front consisting of six nice size rooms, \$8500. This is one of the best buys, considering the quality of the building and location there is on this street.

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ON ELIZABETH ST.: A south front consisting of five rooms, also has garage, \$6750. This place is situated west of Brook and any one knowing the value of property in this addition knows what this property is for the money.

ON TENTH ST.: Close-in north front, with six nice size rooms, on a corner lot, \$12,000.

ON LUCILE ST.: Six rooms furnished complete, \$11,000. This house has only been completed about sixty days and is an exceptionally nice house, besides having garage and driveway.

ON TENTH ST.: A south front six nice rooms in one of the best residence blocks on Tenth street, \$10,000.00.

ON TENTH ST.: On a corner lot, six nice size rooms, also double garage, \$12,500. This place is situated in a nice residence block and has an abundance of shade trees.

ON DENVER ST.: An east front corner consisting of six rooms with a 90-foot frontage. This property is one of the most desirable locations that we have and will make anyone a nice home.

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ON TRAVIS ST.: An east front close-in home that is practically new, is also very nicely furnished, \$10,000. You should see this property if you want a nice furnished home.

NEAR THE AUSTIN SCHOOL: A five-room modern house on a corner lot, \$5000.00.

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ON AUSTIN ST.: Six rooms with 70x150 foot lot, \$6500.00.

ON BURNETT ST.: An east front with five nice rooms, \$6500. This is an exceptionally good buy for the money.

ON ELIZABETH ST.: North front, furnished complete, \$7500. This place consists of five nice size rooms and is in the best of condition throughout.

ON GRANT ST.: Just being completed, an eight-room plastered bungalow with 100-foot frontage, \$1600.00. If you want one of the best buys in the city and in the best residence part of the city let us show you this property.

ON BUCHANAN ST.: An east front 100-foot frontage, with six room aeroplane bungalow, also has servant house and garage, \$11,000.00. If there is a value in Wichita Falls worth the money this property certainly is.

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ON SCOTT ST.: An east front 50x150 feet between Eighth and Tenth streets, \$40,000.00.

ON LAMAR ST.: 50x150 foot lot between Eighth and Tenth streets, \$23,000.00.

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ON TENTH ST.: 75-foot frontage with three one-story brick buildings, \$60,000. This property can be made pay better than 15 per cent on the investment.

ON AUSTIN ST.: An east front corner, full width and full depth, overlooking the ten-story buildings now under construction, \$20,000.00.

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ON ELEVENTH ST.: On the pavement, a south front lot in one of the best residence blocks on this street, \$4500.00.

ON HUFF AVE.: A north front 55x165 foot lot, \$4000.00. This is one of the best buys on the paved street in the town.

ON ELIZABETH ST.: A north front 60x150-foot lot, \$1750.00.

ON LUCILE ST.: Two nice south front lots in the district that is to be paved at \$2100.00 each.

ON LUCILE ST.: West of Brook, a very choice resident lot, \$2500.00.

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SEVEN PROVISIONS IN TREATY OVER WHICH BATTLE IS RAGING

By L. C. MARTIN.
(Special Press Staff Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8.—Seven provisions of the treaty must stand the brunt of the attack by senators who demand reservations and amendments as the price of their vote for ratification.

Chief among these provisions is Article Ten of the League of Nations covenant. The text of this clause follows: "Article 10.—The members of the league undertake to respect and preserve as against external aggression the territorial integrity and existing political independence of all members of the League. In case of any such aggression, or in case of any threat or danger of such aggression, the Council shall advise upon the means by which this obligation shall be fulfilled."

Those demanding elimination of Article Ten, or at least a reservation by the United States respecting it, declare that the article obligates the United States, under the advice of the League council, to join in wars everywhere for preservation of the existing boundaries and stability of present governments. They declare it binds the United States to make war at the order of a body composed of eight foreigners and one American, and that this clearly is an attempt to rob congress of its constitutional power of declaring and waging war.

Those defending the article insist that the obligation incurred is not a legal one, but merely one of honor; that the United States need not accept and act on the advice of the council unless it feels that course is proper; that the article, while obligating this government to respect the territory and independence of all other powers, also obligates each of them to respect the United States' territorial integrity and political independence.

The next provision is that referring to the Monroe Doctrine. It reads: "Article 21.—Nothing in this covenant shall be deemed to affect the validity of international engagements, such as treaties of arbitration or regional understandings like the Monroe Doctrine, for securing the maintenance of peace."

This article does not protect the Monroe doctrine as an American policy, many senators declare, because it does not properly define the doctrine. They assert that the Monroe doctrine is not a "regional understanding" but a distinctly American foreign policy. They want a reservation to the effect that nothing in the treaty shall be construed to imply a relinquishment of the United States of its traditional attitude toward purely American questions, or to require the submission of its policy regarding what it deems to be purely American questions, to the decision or recommendation of other powers.

Administration senators reply that Article 21 is in fact a recognition for the first time by the great world powers of the Monroe doctrine, and that the League covenant itself in effect extends the principles of that doctrine to the whole world. The third provision against which objection is made is that relating to domestic questions. In this case, it is an alleged conflict of two provisions which has caused the demand for amendment or reservation. These two provisions follow:

"Article 11.—Any war or threat of war, whether immediately affecting any of the members of the League or not, is hereby declared to be a matter of concern to the whole League, and the League shall take such action that may be deemed wise and effectual to safeguard the peace of nations. It is also declared to be the friendly right of each member of the League to bring to the attention of the assembly or the council any circumstance whatever affecting international relations, in proof of their contention. They insist that the quoted paragraph of Article 15 does not prevent the League taking jurisdiction, if war is threatened by a dispute over a question which lies purely within the domestic jurisdiction of one party, but to the handling of which under such jurisdiction, the other party seriously objects. The immigration question is cited as an example. While recognized by some international law experts as purely domestic, immigration is held by others to have an international aspect. League supporters, however, insist that the definite provision of Article 15 absolutely shuts out of consideration any domestic question, and leaves it for settlement between the two nations.

The fourth provision upon which a reservation is demanded is that covering withdrawal from the league. Its text follows: "ARTICLE 1 (paragraph 3).—Any member of the League may, after two years notice of its intention to do so, withdraw from the League, provided that all its international obligations and all its obligations under this covenant shall have been fulfilled at the time of its withdrawal."

The criticism here is that the provision allows the League—that is, foreign nations—to decide in the case of the United States whether this government has fulfilled its obligations. The demand is that the right of the United States to be the judge of its own obligations and the fulfillment of them be recognized.

The reply made to this criticism is that the provision applies not only to the United States, but to every nation

national conditions whose continuance might endanger the peace of the world." This, critics of the league contend, opens the door to constant attempts by foreign nations to upset the Monroe doctrine and to interfere with American affairs. They point out that the league, under this article, would have power to declare that relations between the United States and Mexico threatened the world's peace, and could order either the United States or some European power to step in and change conditions.

This contention is dubbed an absurdity by the league's supporters, who insist the only effect of the article is to provide a means for readjustments which may become necessary as conditions change.

The seventh and final objection, and next to article ten, the strongest, is leveled at a provision of the treaty proper outside the league of nations covenant. It is the provision transferring German rights in Shantung peninsula to Japan. The language of this provision is:

"Article 156. Germany renounces, in favor of Japan, all her rights, title and privileges—particularly those concerning the territory of Kiaochow, railway, mines and submarine cables which she acquired in virtue of the treaty concluded by her with China on March 6, 1898, and of all other ar-

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"Article 157. The movable and immovable property owned by the German state in the territory of Kiaochow, as well as all the rights which Germany might claim in consequence of the works or improvements made, or of the expenses incurred by her, directly or indirectly, in connection with this territory are and remain acquired by Japan, free and clear of all charges and encumbrances."

"Article 158. Germany shall hand over to the Japan within three months from the coming into force of the present treaty the archives, registers, plans, title deeds and documents of every kind, wherever they may be, relating to the administration, whether civil, military, financial, judicial or other of the territory of Kiaochow. "Within the same period, Germany

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Administration forces reply variously that the whole province is not affected, but only about one-seventh of it; that Japan has agreed to hand it all back to China soon, and that in any event, President Wilson, while not liking the settlement, was forced to agree to it by sheer weight of numbers against him.

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Oil News

MANY NEW DERRICKS ERECTED ALONG THE BANKS OF RED RIVER

Numerous new derricks are making their appearance along the banks of Red River in that part of the territory northwest of Burkburnett, where recent extensions of the proven field have brightened exceedingly the prospects of Tillman county for sharing in the Waggoner pool, and there are indications of much drilling to be undertaken on both sides of the river, unless some of tests now drilling should wreck all hopes by failing to find the sand. Piling is driven in the channel of the river in some instances to erect to the derrick on, and the workmen wade in the water. Information as to the identity of parties drilling the river, was not available on Friday.

The north ends of blocks 96, 97 and 98, the Meadows tract, or rather the Evans land out of the Meadows and other tracts bordering on Red River, are the center of interest at present. However there are a large number of wells drilling in the proven field, which while picking in falling tides, will be completed in a short time, and as soon as pipe line facilities are available will help in making the Waggoner pool production the largest of any pool in the country.

A drilling report from the Waggoner pool, the majority of the wells being in blocks already proved on all sides, follows:

- Sammies Oil Co., No. 2 Morgan, drilling around 1,500 feet.
- Bloux Oil and Refining Co., No. 1 George, drilling around 1,500 feet.
- Bloux Oil and Refining Co., No. 2 George, drilling around 775 feet.
- Travelers Oil Co., No. 1 George, drilling around 1,500 feet.
- Tomax Oil Co., No. 1 Taylor, drilling around 1,500 feet.
- The Texas Big Four Oil Co., No. 1 Morgan, drilling around 1,500 feet.
- The Texas Big Four Oil Co., No. 1 Morgan, drilling around 1,500 feet.
- United Southern, No. 1 Schaefer, drilling around 1,500 feet.
- Uncle Joe Oil Co., No. 1 Evans, drilling around 800 feet.
- Wichita American Oil Co., No. 1 Morgan, drilling around 1,500 feet.
- G. C. Wood et al., No. 2 Evans, block 18, Greenwood subdivision, drilling around 1,500 feet.
- West Virginia Oil Co., No. 1 Evans, drilling around 1,500 feet.
- West Virginia Oil Co., No. 2 Evans, drilling around 1,500 feet.
- Western Star Oil Co., No. 1 Taylor, shut down around 1,500 feet.
- Walmar Oil Co., No. 1 W. F. Evans, on sand at 1,500 feet.
- The Texas Co., No. 4 Morgan, rigging up cable tools.
- The Texas Co., No. 5 Morgan, cementing casing at 1,500 feet.
- Art et al., No. 1 Waggoner, setting casing at 1,500 feet.
- American Refining Co., No. 2 Waggoner, drilling around 1,500 feet.
- American Refining Co., No. 3 Waggoner, drilling around 1,500 feet.
- American Refining Co., No. 5 Waggoner, shut down at 1,450 feet.
- Austin Drilling Co., No. 1 Taylor, shut down around 1,450 feet.
- Blue Hill Oil Co., No. 1 J. F. Wagner, drilling around 1,500 feet.
- Bark Holly Oil Co., No. 1 Vogel, shut down around 1,670 feet.
- Block 84 Oil Co., No. 1 Waggoner, shut down around 1,670 feet.
- Block 84 Oil Co., No. 2 Waggoner, shut down around 1,670 feet.
- Associated Development Co., No. 1 Taylor, drilling around 420 feet.
- Block 74 Oil Co., No. 1 Vogel, standardizing below 1,700 feet.
- Block 88 Oil Co., No. 1 Elise, setting casing at 1,500 feet.
- Block 88 Oil Co., No. 2 Elise, drilling around 1,400 feet.
- O. C. Graves, No. 1 Taylor, drilling around 1,000 feet.
- Goodwin-Chalmers, No. 1 Taylor, drilling around 820 feet.
- Farmer Jones Oil Co., No. 1 Taylor, drilling around 300 feet.
- Grey Gander Oil Co., No. 2 Elise, shut down around 1,600 feet.
- Grey Gander Oil Co., No. 3 Elise, drilling around 1,000 feet.
- Galloway Oil Co., No. 2 Taylor, drilling around 250 feet.
- Bark-Dreher Oil Co., drilling around 1,400 feet.
- Bonita Oil Co., No. 1 Taylor, drilling around 600 feet.
- Burk Crest Oil Co., No. 1 Taylor, drilling around 1,310 feet.
- Block 80 Oil Co., No. 1 E. L. Fowler, drilling around 1,000 feet.
- Borealis Oil Co., No. 1 Elise, drilling around 1,120 feet.
- Clark & Gray, No. 2 Taylor, drilling around 1,500 feet.
- Hefner Oil Co., No. 1 J. F. Wagner, drilling around 2,000 feet.
- Hartford #1 and #2, No. 3 Taylor, drilling around 1,500 feet.
- Harrison-Dale, No. 2 Taylor, drilling around 1,500 feet.
- Harrison-Dale, No. 3 Taylor, set casing at 1,550 feet.
- Hercules Oil Co., No. 1 Brann, drilling around 600 feet.
- Imperial Oil Co., No. 1 Renner, drilling around 550 feet.
- Imperial Oil Co., No. 1 Taylor, standardizing at 1,650 feet.
- Imperial Oil Co., No. 2 Taylor, drilling around 200 feet.
- Imperial Oil Co., No. 3 Taylor, set casing around 1,500 feet.
- Margay Oil Co., No. 2 Waggoner, set casing and drilling to 1,500 feet.
- Margay Oil Co., No. 11 Waggoner, shut down temporarily around 1,570 feet.
- Margay Oil Co., No. 10 Waggoner, standardizing around 1,500 feet.
- Oklahoma Gas and Petroleum Co., No. 5 Taylor, shut down around 1,480 feet.
- Oklahoma Gas and Petroleum Co., No. 2 Taylor, lease B, drilling around 350 feet.

- Western Oil Corporation, No. 2 Elise, drilling around 1,600 feet.
- Western Oil Corporation, No. 4 Taylor, set casing at 1,630 feet.
- Wills and Manning, No. 2 Renner, drilling around 1,550 feet.
- Burk Consolidated Oil Co., No. 1 Evans, drilling around 1,500 feet.
- Burk King Oil Co., No. 1 Waggoner, shut down around 1,570 feet.
- Lois Pearl Oil Co., No. 1 Evans, drilling around 1,500 feet.
- Golden Rule Oil Co., No. 1 Evans, temporarily shut down around 1,570 feet.
- P. J. Lee & Co., No. 1 L. Morgan, drilling around 1,500 feet.
- Navader Oil Co., No. 1 Brannon, rigging up to drill.
- Oklahoma Gas and Petroleum Co., No. 1 Taylor, rigging up to drill.
- Blata Pool Oil Co., No. 2 Morgan, drilling around 300 feet.
- Langford, Staley and Chesnut, No. 3 Morgan, temporarily shut down at 1,600 feet.
- Langford, Staley and Chesnut, No. 5 Morgan, temporarily shut down at 1,600 feet.
- Cliss & Cork, No. 2 Taylor, drilling around 1,000 feet.
- McLendon Oil Co., No. 2 Evans, drilling around 1,000 feet.
- M-P Burk Extension, No. 1 Evans, drilling around 1,600 feet.
- Blata Pool Oil Co., No. 1 Evans, drilling around 1,600 feet.
- Northwest Burk Oil and Gas Co., No. 1 Morgan, drilling around 1,000 feet.
- One Acre Oil Co., No. 1 Waggoner, on sand at 1,502 feet.
- Quadruple Oil Co., No. 1 Taylor, drilling around 1,000 feet.
- Ranney et al., No. 1 Evans, drilling around 1,000 feet.
- Ranger Burk Burnett Oil Co., No. 1 and 2, drilling around 400 feet.
- Southern States Oil Co., No. 1 Michas, temporarily shut down around 1,500 feet.
- Southern States Oil Co., No. 1 Michas, on sand at 1,657 feet.
- Ribley Taylor Oil Co., No. 3, No. 2 Michas, drilling around 400 feet.
- Burk Verachoye Oil Co., No. 1 Schmisser, block 73, drilling around 1,400 feet.
- Burk-Archer Oil and Refining Co., No. 1 Andrews, location, (Townsite lost).
- Warrick Oil and Development Co., No. 1 Mankins, sp. ding in.
- Union Oil and Producing Co., No. 1 Huff, shut down temporarily at 202 feet.
- Mitchell Oil Co., No. 2, Dablow, underreaming around 1,400 feet.
- Hange Burnett Oil Co., No. 1 Edwards, shut down around 700 feet.
- Silk, Langford and Ballinger, No. 1 Scott, underreaming at 2,000 feet.
- Ashton Oil Co., No. 1 Heron, temporarily shut down around 1,200 feet.
- American Ace Oil Co., No. 1 Harrison, shut down around 600 feet.
- Humble Oil and Refining Co., No. 1 Parker, drilling around 500 feet.
- King et al., No. 1 Mullineux, drilling around 1,420 feet.
- Fore & Heydrick, No. 1 Fore, rig, Holiday Southeastern Oil Co., No. 1 Noshit, drilling around 420 feet.
- Hange Burnett Oil Co., No. 1 Gregory, moving in tools.
- McLendon Oil Co., No. 1 Skyles, shut down below 300 feet for 12 1/2-inch pipe.
- Sparks et al., No. 1 Cowan, temporarily shut down around 200 feet.
- Perkins et al., No. 1 Andrews, timbers.
- James Dowd et al., No. 1 Haley, drilling around 200 feet.
- Wilhelm et al., No. 1 Mangold, temporarily shut down around 400 feet.
- Tricity Oil & Gas Co., No. 1 Gore, shut down for repairs around 275 feet.
- Texas Oil Corporation, No. 1 Williams, rig.
- Van Steed Oil Co., No. 1 Parrish, junked hole, pull pipe to abandon, 700 feet.
- Wildcat Operations in Wichita Falls District.
- The Arnold well in Young county, has served to turn attention more strongly to the wildcat operations in the Wichita Falls district, and there is considerable interest in operations in Young and Archer counties particularly.
- A summary from Young county follows: The Texas Co., No. 1 Arnold, cleaning out and drilling with a flow by heads, 1,650 feet.
- The Texas Co., No. 1 Graham, shut down for 1100, 4,000 feet.
- The Texas Co., No. 1 Wiley Blair, underreaming below 2,500 feet.
- The Texas Co., No. 1 Norris, underreaming below 1,100 feet.
- Donnell, Langford and Chesnut, No. 1 Donnell, particularly.
- The Sun Co., No. 1 Donnell, rig.
- Manhattan Oil Co., No. 1 Johnson, underreaming around 1,000 feet.
- Moore et al., No. 1 Keen, drilling around 1,000 feet.
- Texas Petroleum Co., No. 1 Donnell, shut down around 800 feet.
- Coden Oil and Refining Co., No. 1 Timmons, underreaming around 2,500 feet.

ANOTHER BIG WELL COMES IN FRIDAY IN BLOCK NINETY-EIGHT

Seawell Brothers and associates, composed of half a dozen Arkansas oil men, Friday night reported at the Times office the bringing in of a well on the southern part of lot 11 in block 98, Tidwell subdivision of the C. T. Taylor tract. Its nearest neighbors are the Parker well and the Pittsburgh Oil and Gas Company's well, the latter in the northwest part of block 86.

The new gusher came in at 10:00 o'clock Friday morning and Mr. Seawell says that various parties who saw the initial flow pronounced it as 5,000 to 7,000 a day. "It is one of the best wells in the field," said Mr. Seawell, whatever the gauge finally indicates.

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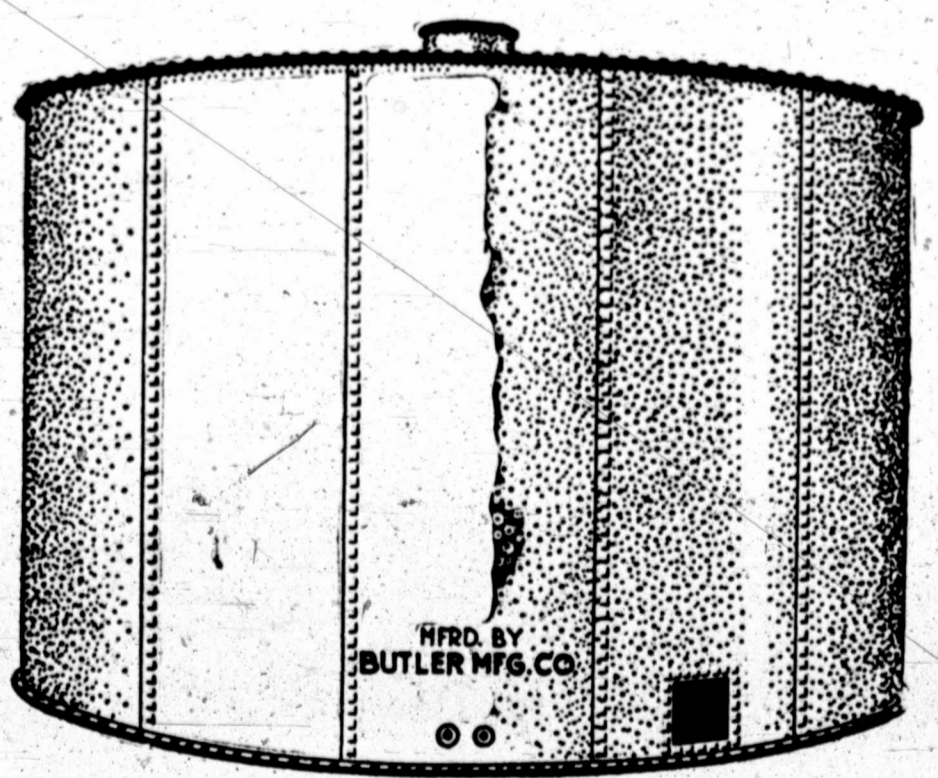
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REPUBLICANS CLAIM LARGE VOTE IS ADDED BY OIL FRATERNITY

PORT WORTH, TEX., Aug. 9.—Thirty thousand Republicans a large part of them oil men, have moved to Texas from other states during the past two years, according to a report issued today by the Texas Republican Council which maintains headquarters in this city. It is the claim of local Republicans that this new blood together with the widespread change in sentiment throughout Texas will materially increase the Republican vote in this State at the next election and it is the contention of many that Texas may become a doubtful state in the next presidential campaign. The state next issued from Republican headquarters follows.

A recent survey made by the Texas Republican Council shows that about 90 per cent of the leading oil operators in Texas fields are Republicans and many of them have been prominently identified with the party in their respective state. These men, as a rule are anxious to build up a strong party in Texas and the membership committee of the council has had wonderful success among this class recently.

STEEL CORPORATION UNFULFILLED ORDERS INCREASE

NEW YORK, Aug. 9.—Unfulfilled orders of the United States Steel Corporation on July 31, were 5,578,661, according to the corporation's monthly statement issued today. This is an increase of 685,806 tons compared with the orders of June 30. This is the second increase to be shown in any month since October of last year. The statement for June marked the turn in the tide in the steel industry and the figures for last month indicate a steady improvement in conditions. The unfilled tonnage on May 31 was 4,282,310 which was less than half of that of July 31, 1918, which was 8,883,801.

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SHOOT A TEN SPOT

BRITISH LABOR IS AFTER PROFITEERS; ASK DIRECT ACTION

LONDON, Aug. 9.—British labor leaders today were demanding direct action against profiteers, immediate relief from the high prices and guaranteed that no advances would be permitted in the future. "I'd string up all persons who would take advantage of the sacrifices in blood made by the country," J. H. Thomas, laborite, M. P., declared. Jack Jones, another M. P., urged establishment of municipal markets as a remedy and hanging as a penalty for offenders. "Limit profits to a pre-war basis," suggested J. E. Clynes, former food controller, while Benjamin Speer, a member of parliament, favored nationalization of essential industries. "Send the profiteers and speculators to prison, and tax excess profits 100 per cent," advised Neal McLain, M. P.

Fines are of no avail, according to Alfred Yoe, M. P., who urged prison terms for boarders. Opposition to the proposed local tribunals was developing today. "Small traders would be the largest of petty spies, while the big offender would get away unscathed," said Dr. Marion Phillips, member of the Consumers Council of the Food Ministry. "The only cure for profiteering is national or preferably international purchasing with subsequent control over distribution."

ARREST NEGRO CHARGED WITH MURDER OF FARMER

DENISON, TEX., Aug. 9.—"Bully" Brashear, 30 years old, negro, was arrested here today by United States Marshal L. H. Gaskill and State Ranger J. H. Rowe, in connection with the alleged murder of a family of seven near Ottawa, Kansas, several months ago. Officers here said the family was named Berkeley and that the father, mother and five children were killed. Brashear will be taken to Austin to await requisition papers from Kansas authorities, Rowe said.

NIGHT PATROLMAN OF FREDERICK KILLED SATURDAY MORNING

FREDERICK, OKLA., Aug. 9.—B. B. Rogers, night patrolman, was shot and killed early today and John C. Parker, clothier, wounded in an exchange of shots through the rear screen door of the latter's store. Parker probably will recover. Rogers died without making a statement. Policemen said Rogers had told Parker to go to bed alleging he was drunk. Apparently Rogers went into the alley to see whether his order had been obeyed. The night marshal claims he heard one loud report followed by four lesser ones. Parker used a .45 caliber revolver while the night patrolman used a .38. Parker told officials Rogers shot him twice as he was preparing to retire.

MAYOR NUEVO LAREDO REMOVED FROM OFFICE

LAREDO, TEX., Aug. 9.—Because of differences between Mayor Francisco Perez, of Nuevo Laredo, and Governor Ozuna, of the Mexican state of Tamaulipas, Perez was removed from office by the governor today. Perez failed to uphold certain concessions, including gambling, granted by the governor, it was said. His removal comes on the eve of the Nuevo Laredo municipal elections, which will be held tomorrow. A spirited campaign was under way today. Rival candidates are Felipe Zendeja, backed by the "Reds," and Juan Barrera, supported by "Whites" and federal and military officials. All saloons were closed at midnight Friday and will not be allowed to re-open until Monday morning. Oil men carrying accounts with the National Bank of Commerce know from experience that this bank's service is based upon an intimate knowledge of their problems and requirements—a knowledge resulting from a thorough study of the oil industry itself. 76-11c

FIRST UNCENSORED MAIL FROM AMERICA ARRIVES IN GERMANY

By Associated Press. BERLIN, Thursday, Aug. 7.—The first uncensored mail from America to Germany began arriving yesterday. The letters received ranging from business communication held up for weeks, months and even years by the English to recent letters from three to five weeks old. One bank communication more than three years old bore the seal of the British censor but all recent letters were untouched except by Germans who it is charged might have been looking for money or trade secrets. Another shipment of nearly 1,800 sacks is due in Copenhagen the middle of August.

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AWARD OF STATE FUNDS BY DEPOSITORY BOARD

AUSTIN, TEX., Aug. 9.—Awards of state funds totaling \$1,325,000 were made to banks today by the state depository board. The average interest is 4.85 per cent, with 6.2 as the

highest, and 4.51 per cent as the lowest. Awards were distributed among 18 institutions, the highest amount allowed a single bank was \$500,000. Bids from 143 banks for \$12,514,000 were under consideration, and no bids have been rejected, but those not allowed are held in reserve in case further depositories are desired.

EIGHTY-FIVE PER CENT OF ARMY DEMOBILIZED

WASHINGTON, Aug. 9.—The army is 85 per cent demobilized, the war department announced today. On August 5, the army numbered 549,918 officers and men, only 225,000 more than the authorized peace strength.

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In these times when clothing is high and wool fabrics are scarce, it is certainly more important than ever that you buy your suit from a line that has maintained an all-wool policy.
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The young man will like the close, high fitting waist; slashed and curved pockets, the bell shaped sleeve at bottom and the belted models, both in single and double breasted.
Knee length Overcoats, with high waist effect, sewed seams at waist, form-fitting, with belts, will be most worn by the young man. This season, of all seasons, we advise your buying early. Come in and see our big range of all-wool fabrics.
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SUGGESTS SOCIETY TO PREVENT CRUELTY TO THE MOTOR TRUCK

We have societies for the prevention of cruelty to Old Dobbin and the Old Gray Mare; but who ever thought of a society for the prevention of cruelty to motor trucks?

Well, that is just what is suggested by Alfred F. Masury, chief engineer of the International Motor Co., manufacturer of Mack trucks.

"Just because a truck can't feel is no reason why it should not be handled with care," argued Mr. Masury with sympathetic fervor for the much abused, misused motor truck.

"The economy and efficiency of handling the truck is the way it is handled and treated. We need a society for the prevention of cruelty to our modern iron horses which feed on gasoline, just as we did for the old consumers of hay and grain.

"Trucks need one kind of care in hot weather and another kind in cold weather.

"Straw hats are put on horses to protect them from the excessive heat of summer, but very often drivers will forget to see that there is sufficient water in the radiator and enough oil in the oiling system to lubricate the various bearing surfaces.

"In winter, horses are sheltered from the cold in stables and given an extra amount of bedding; but very often a truck will be allowed to stand over night without the radiator being fully drained from the radiator.

"If the horse is neglected, the animal suffers pain, and our humane societies see to it that it is stopped. But, if the truck is neglected, it feels no pain and no one gives it any sympathy. The owner gets a severe pinch in his purse, and may hold up his right hand and swear, 'Never again.' But that is about as far as it goes. Users in general go on year after year, paying out large bills incurred through ignorance, carelessness and indifference.

"We need a society to educate users of motor trucks to their proper care, winter and summer, and in all kinds of weather. It will mean longer life for all trucks, greater efficiency and economy, and better and greater satisfaction in every way," said Mr. Masury as he hit his fist on the table to clinch the argument.

Makes Good Incubator. — Judge I. L. Weaver declares a refrigerator without ice makes a fine incubator. Opening the door to get an egg. After several days absence from home, eight chicks walked out of the refrigerator.

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HALF MILLION DOLLAR ADDITION TO FACTORY

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Aug. 9.—Construction of a new half-million dollar addition to its present works, opening of another large building as a body factory, leasing of many thousand square feet of additional storage space, and the immediate employment of one night shift of 500 men with the possible addition of another, are changes set in motion today by the Franklin Automobile Company.

This tremendous expansion policy is the result of a determined effort to lift the production of Franklin cars to keep pace with the increasing demand and to a point where the yearly output will be 18,000 completed cars, or one car about every seven minutes of each working day.

Ground was broken today for the new seven-story, re-enforced concrete manufacturing building, an addition to the present works, the first step in the expansion program. The actual building operations will cost \$400,000, exclusive of any equipment and the contractors have tackled a tremendous construction problem in getting to have the building ready for occupancy before January 1.

The other expansion changes, already under way, include the leasing this week for a long term of a six-story manufacturing building near the Franklin works, where work will be begun immediately on the manufacture of enclosed bodies for Franklin cars.

Bodies delivered from this factory will be added to the present delivery schedule for enclosed models furnished by independent body makers.

The Franklin company also has just closed a long term lease of the Edwards building in the wholesale section of the city which will give the factory 40,000 additional square feet of floor space to be used for storage.

When the changes and construction work now under way are completed, the Franklin company will have spent well in excess of a half million and will have nearly a quarter of a million square feet additional floor space. The new building alone will have a floor space of 160,000 square feet, and the new body factory will aggregate about 75,000 square feet.

The new building, to be located on the site of the present works, will be 120 feet by 240 feet in ground area. It will be constructed at the corner of Massachusetts and Magnolia streets, adjoining the building now occupied by the paint shop, assemblies and inspection departments. A large expanse of glass on all sides will make it strictly a daylight plant.

Night shifts in the factory will be utilized until sufficient floor space is obtained by lease and construction to care for production needs.

WEST TEXAS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE OPENS WASHINGTON OFFICE

Special to The Times. STAMFORD, TEX., Aug. 9.—Porter A. Whaley, general manager of West Texas chamber of commerce, has announced that his organization had opened an office in Washington, D. C., in charge of D. C. Eaton, Post building. This office is to handle migration, livestock and legislative work at the national capital for the benefit of West Texas commercial organizations and business interests.

Already the Washington office has filed application with the United States department of labor for the non-operation during the oncoming harvest season of the contract labor law of the United States so far as the same affects the securing of Mexican labor for the grain and cotton harvest of West Texas.

An unprecedented milk-kaffir crop and the largest cotton crop in its history are maturing in West Texas and unless from 15,000 to 25,000 farm laborers can be imported it is believed the situation will become critical.

Committees are to be organized in the various counties to handle the labor importation movement if the same is allowed by the department of labor.

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GERMAN OFFICER TO FACE PERSECUTED BELGIAN AT TRIAL

Associated Press Mail Correspondent. BRUSSELS. — If Baron von der Lancken-Walkenitz, civil governor and regarded by many as the real ruler of Belgium during the German occupation, is brought to trial at the Old Bailey in London, there will be present an accuser whom Lancken tried to send to the firing squad at the Tir National. That man is Gaston de Leval, a Belgian attorney, legal counselor of the American legation and special aid to the American ambassador, Brand Whitlock, and Hugh Gibson, secretary of the American legation.

During those dark days of the German occupation in Belgium.

There is bitter hatred between Baron Lancken and the Belgian attorney who risked his life in his attempt to save Miss Edith Cavell, the British nurse, from execution. Had it not been for the intervention of Ambassador Whitlock and Mr. Gibson, a firing squad might have entertained de Leval on the morning of October 21, 1918.

De Leval accompanied Mr. Gibson when, on October 11, the American secretary went to protest to von der Lancken against the execution of the death sentence upon Miss Cavell.

While the Spanish minister, the marquis of Villalobar, was arguing with von der Lancken who refused to intervene, the German caught sight of de Leval and exclaimed: "There is an enemy subject, what is he doing here?"

Marquis Villalobar and Mr. Gibson immediately recognized that Lancken was attempting to create a diversion and requested de Leval to withdraw. The latter refused, saying, "I shall live to prosecute you at your trial." Lancken asked Gibson to dismiss de Leval from the service of the American legation. Gibson refused.

A few days later Lancken came raging to the American legation, bearing a copy of an English paper with the story of the execution of Miss Cavell.

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Special to The Times. STAMFORD, TEX., Aug. 9.—Porter A. Whaley, general manager of West Texas chamber of commerce, has announced that his organization had opened an office in Washington, D. C., in charge of D. C. Eaton, Post building. This office is to handle migration, livestock and legislative work at the national capital for the benefit of West Texas commercial organizations and business interests.

Already the Washington office has filed application with the United States department of labor for the non-operation during the oncoming harvest season of the contract labor law of the United States so far as the same affects the securing of Mexican labor for the grain and cotton harvest of West Texas.

An unprecedented milk-kaffir crop and the largest cotton crop in its history are maturing in West Texas and unless from 15,000 to 25,000 farm laborers can be imported it is believed the situation will become critical.

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including Mr. Whitlock's report to the state department, Gibson's narrative of the even' and de Leval's textual conclusions. "This man de Leval will have to be removed from the American legation," said Lancken. "Under military law he should be tried by a court-martial. I would recommend that the most severe penalty be visited upon him." On October 21, 1918, Lancken returned and demanded that de Leval be given up. Mr. Whitlock refused. De Leval went to London, where he remained throughout the war. Lancken's parting sally was, "We shall meet again." De Leval retorted, "I am sure the pleasure will all be mine." And now they may meet at the Old Bailey.

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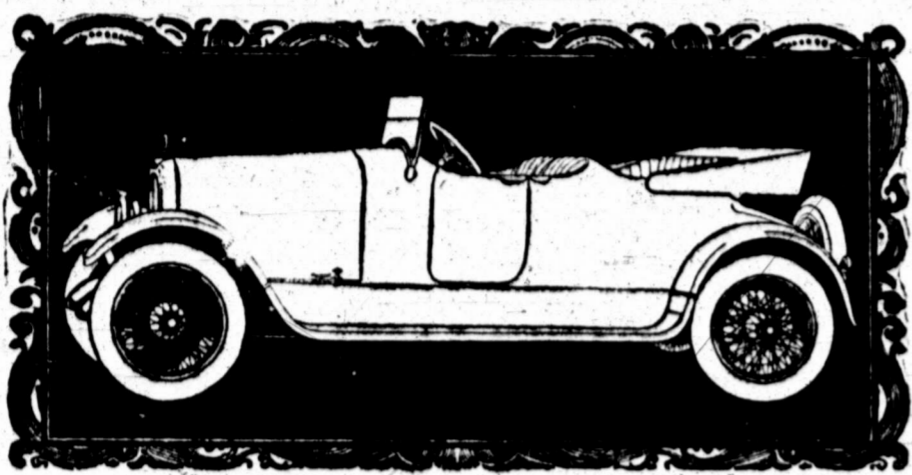
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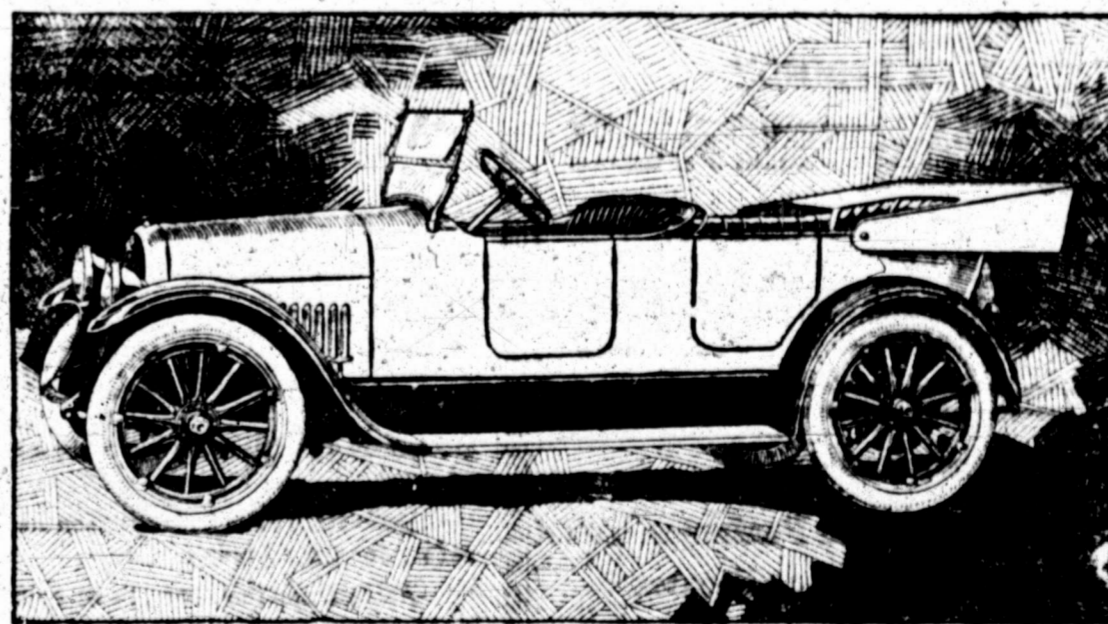
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NUMBER OF TESTS ON THE WAGGONER IN WILBARGER CO.

Drilling of a number of tests, in the Waggoner Colony Lands, and on the Waggoner ranches, in Wilbarger county, has turned attention to the Electric district anew, and while these wells have not yet reached a depth where a strike can be expected, the progress is being watched with interest. A good completion is reported this week from Electric, J. W. Culbertson's No. 10 Waggoner, 300 barrels.

A partial report of operations at Electric follows:

Cable Oil Company, No. 1 Dale Ranch, testing sand at 1,000 feet.

Home Oil & Refining Company, No. 1 Guy Waggoner, temporarily shut down around 330 feet.

The Texas Company, No. 189 Waggoner, drilling around 225 feet.

The Texas Company, No. 193 Waggoner, drilling around 130 feet.

Four Six Oil Company, No. 7 Burnett, drilling around 900 feet.

The Texhoma Oil & Refining Company, No. 1 Burnett Larkin, drilling around 900 feet.

The Hattie Oil Company, No. 3 Williams, drilling around 800 feet.

The Gulf Production Company, No. 8 Burnett, drilling around 900 feet.

The Hazel Burk Oil Company, No. 1 Payton, drilling around 300 feet.

Brenson et al, No. 2 Allen, drilling around 600 feet.

Ramsay et al, No. 1 Honaker, drilling around 620 feet.

W. Culbertson, No. 11 Waggoner, drilling around 450 feet.

Roy B. Jones, Trustee, No. 6 Burnett, drilling around 550 feet.

American Oil & Refining Company, No. 2 Burnett, drilling around 370 feet.

Barnes Syndicate, No. 1 Cunningham, drilling around 1,350 feet.

North Mid-Texas Oil Company, No. 1 Roberts, fishing around 900 feet.

Burk Payton Oil Company, No. 1 Payton, drilling around 1,200 feet.

Red River Oil Company, No. 92 Bywaters, drilling around 350 feet.

Foster et al, No. 1 Burnett, drilling around 1,000 feet.

Big Beaver Development Company, No. 1 Nance, drilling around 800 feet.

Eureka Oil Company, No. 1 Honaker, temporarily shut down around 750 feet.

Lucky Bill Oil Company, No. 1 McCarthy, drilling around 670 feet.

"FINE ARRANGEMENT" IS COMMENT OF OBSERVER

"It's a fine arrangement—politically," was the comment of a veteran observer of the oil game in Texas in commenting on the announcement by Van I. Manning, director of the Bureau of Mines, of the splitting up of the proposed investigation and conservation work to be undertaken by the bureau in Texas fields between Wichita Falls, Petros, and Fort Worth. "That \$25,000 appropriation will go a long way, split up as the work will be. It will just about pay for one junketing trip from Washington to these places and return—what purpose will be served by the Petros office which could not as well be served by the office here, is more than I can see. And the reason for the Fort Worth office, remote from any proven oil fields as it is, is entirely beyond my comprehension.

"But as I said before, politically it is an excellent solution of the problem created by the demands of their representatives in Washington—that these other points be made the center for the work in Texas. All are now satisfied, even though part of the appropriation will have to be devoted for this work instead of one. My early impression that the appropriation was for the undertaking of oil resources in Texas, I will have to revise."

FILES SUIT FOR \$70,000 ON ALLEGED OIL CONTRACT

Suit for \$75,000, the amount alleged in the plaintiff's petition to be the installments of the purchase price for an oil and gas lease due July 15 and 22 was filed in the 78th district court by J. Fred Smith, H. E. McConnell Friday afternoon by H. E. McConnell. The suit is described at subdivision blocks 18, 19, 25, 26, 29, 30 and 32, each containing five acres, according to subdivision map of H. E. McConnell on each 200 acres of R. Michna tract out of E. W. Huseman and A. A. Durfee survey. The purchase price is given as \$25,000 in cash and \$75,000 from the cash and the other in installments as follows: \$25,000 July 15; \$50,000 July 22; \$65,000 August 15 and \$65,000 September 15. Date of the contract is given as of July 10, 1919.

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SEVEN MILLION DOLLARS ARE INVOLVED IN DEALS REPORTED ON NORTHWEST OIL PROPERTY

"New York capital is finding investment in northwest extension of Burk Burnett field by the millions," said W. Newton Maer Saturday and forthwith gave a concrete example in a deal he has just closed with a coterie of New York capitalists involving \$1,500,000. Mr. Maer returned from Chicago Thursday afternoon, with a representative of the buyers and Friday was spent in the field. Saturday morning the contract of sale was executed and the stipulated payments made. The names of the buyers are withheld until the actual transfer is consummated in New York City.

Entering into details of the big transaction Mr. Maer said: "J. I. Staley, of Staley, Langford & Chenuit, transferred in the deal 15 acres in the Meadows farm, directly west of block 86, on which there are five wells, three of them completed and two now on the sand, each of which should average fully 2,000 barrels daily, if not more.

"W. Newton Maer and associates, Bert L. Brookins, of Tulsa, Okla., and J. A. Kemp, contributed to the property sold several valuable leases scattered through the field in the Pennsylvania formation, and all the holdings and property of the Maer-Brookins pipe line at the center of production in the northwest extension, the pipe line to Devol and the tankage and loading tracks, completed and now in process of erection," said Mr. Maer.

"The new owners thus come into possession at once of a production of 10,000 barrels a day. Its own pipe line to its storage tanks and loading facilities on the line of the North-western railroad. One steel tank of 55,000 barrel capacity is nearly finished, and the material is on the ground or en route for others. The plant in the field consists of a pumping site for which the pumps have

been purchased, and a system of gathering lines that reaches the principal independent producers of the middle field. The Maer-Brookins line was scheduled to be in operation within two weeks from this date when the plans of the builders were first given to The Times, and the purchasers have acquired a "going business" in every sense of the word.

Other Deals Rumored.

The rumor was current on the street Saturday that "Bob" Waggoner's mission to New York at this time is to close a deal for a one-half interest in the royalty contracts on his acreage in the northwest extension, and that he will accept an offer of \$3,000,000 which has been before him for some time past. The information is from a source very close to Mr. Waggoner's elbow.

It was reported yesterday that T. P. Adams recently closed a sale of holdings which brought him \$2,500,000, and that a well known operator is about to close a transaction involving \$1,200,000. Practically all of the capital for these transactions comes from New York City, and it is said that the vendors of properties of merit on an equitable basis do not have to seek the buyer. "Just let it be known that you are right and they will go ahead."

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Although embargoes are still in effect on the Finco and Missouri Pacific, two of the chief northern gateways of the Northwestern railroad, officials of the line state that an actual improvement in the number of cars of crude oil handled from Burkburnett was made Friday over the preceding days. This was made possible by the acceptance of a number of cars of crude by the Rock Island and the Orient, the latter road agreeing to accept 50 cars daily to Kansas City. Shipment of crude to points on the Katy lines are unaffected by the embargo.

EXPRESS COMPANY MAY ERECT STORAGE HOUSE

Inability to secure adequate storage facilities may result in the construction of a new storage warehouse by the American Railway Express, according to E. Honn, efficiency superintendent, who was in the city Saturday making an investigation of the local situation. At present all available storage is filled to capacity, and inability to secure further storage is proving a severe handicap in the handling of the large volume of business done by the local office. Much of the express now on hand in the company's warehouses consists of household goods which has been shipped here and left at the company's warehouses owing to the inability of the consignees to secure housing accommodations in the city. About 20 car loads of express is now on hand and has been on hand for some time in the company's local warehouses.

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