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AUSTRIAN DRIVE CONTINUES WITH NEW SUCCESSES

ITALIANS RESISTING DESPERATELY TO PREVENT INVADED PROVINCES

GREECE IS ALARMED

Entrance of 25,000 Bulgarians into Territory Causes Outbreak of Early Fighting in Balkans as Believed Among Probabilities

The Associated Press summarizes European war operations as follows: The Austrian drive against the Italians in the Southern Tyrol continues to progress in the region of Arco, southeast of Rovereto, where General Cadorna's forces are fighting desperately to prevent their foe from breaking through and gaining the route to the Venetian provinces. The Germans have renewed their activities on the east bank of the Meuse and the Verdun region, debouching from the Corbeux wood and striving against the French lines to the west of Cumleres village. Paris declares these attacks were repulsed. The lull in infantry activities on the east bank of the river is being filled in by the artillery which has been not only busy in the vicinity of Ypres. The situation in the Balkans indicates important developments in the near future. Athens' advice report the breaking out of serious trouble in the Greek capital after it became known there that Bulgarian forces had invaded Macedonia. The Bulgarians now on Greek soil are estimated to number 25,000. The entente forces at Saloniki are reported to have been reinforced by the arrival of from 50,000 to 100,000 Serbians, the remainder of King Peter's army. The entire Macedonian front has been reported lately and the inauguration in the near future of an aggressive campaign by one side or another in this area seems a strong possibility.

Leaders of Austrian And Italian Armies



CADORNA (Right) AND ARCONI

High among the men prominent in the development of the newly assumed Austro-Hungarian offensive on the Italian front are General Arconici, commander in chief of the Italian army, and Field Marshal von Hoetzendorf, chief of staff of the Austro-Hungarian army. The headquarters of the Austro-Hungarians is at Trent.

RECORD SCORE BY AMERICAN CRUISER

Gun Crews in Long Range Practice Do Accurate Work at Long Range

By Associated Press. San Diego, Cal., May 29—What is believed to be a new record for rapid and accurate long range shooting was established by gun crews aboard the cruiser San Diego off this port Saturday night. It was asserted today. The official number of hits will not be known until the targets are examined by the umpires but it is reported the six inch crew scored 29 hits in 40 shots while the men behind the three-inch batteries achieved fifteen hits in 27 shots. It is said the gunners of the San Diego theoretically either destroyed or disabled the enemy ships.

EVEN RAIN INSURANCE IS AFFECTED BY WAR

By Associated Press. New York, May 29—The European war has had a marked effect on such apparently unrelated matters as rain insurance in New York City. An organization will give a music festival Sunday at the Polo grounds called Loyds in London asking the price of a \$10,000 policy insuring against loss by rain that day. The reply was that the normal cost was five per cent but that "under existing conditions of military stress" it would undoubtedly be much larger.

THREE ADDITIONAL SENIORS TO GRADUATE

Three other graduates will receive diplomas tonight in addition to those whose pictures appear in this afternoon's paper. These are Bertha Schell, Wanda Bennette and Lucille Bennett.

SAN DIEGO EXHIBITION HURT BY MEXICAN RACES

By Associated Press. San Diego, Cal., May 29—A request upon the city of San Diego to pass an ordinance to prohibit any publicity given to the races at Tibuana, Mexico, back just across the river is contained in a resolution by the directors of the Panama-California International Exposition. The resolution says in part, "race track gambling at Tibuana, Mexico, is working great damage to the exposition and to the city of San Diego."

ALLIED TROOPS MAKE PROGRESS IN EAST AFRICA

By Associated Press. London, May 29—The British, Belgian and Portuguese forces have invaded German East Africa and slowly forming a ring around the German General Smuts, the Boer commander of the South African forces, is rounding up the Germans who are defending the Umtali railway. The Germans occupied one of the important stations on that line as well as other towns in the district, according to an official report issued today. A British force has penetrated 20 miles into German territory on the front between Lake Nyassa and Tangaika.

WANT REPUBLICANS TO URGE SUFFRAGE

Chicago Convention Will Be Asked to Include Votes for Women

By Associated Press. Chicago, May 29—The National American Woman's Suffrage association will meet in Chicago June 6 and 7 next and will attempt to induce the republican national convention to include a suffrage plank in the party platform according to an announcement made by Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, president of the association, received here today. The Women's Party convention will be held here at the same time and for the same purpose but will work separately.

EIGHT JURORS ARE SWORN FOR TRIAL OF ORPET

By Associated Press. Washington, May 29—Examination of veniremen was continued today in the trial of Will Orpet, University of Wisconsin student charged with the murder of Marian Lambert. Eight jurors have been sworn and one man was in the box who was tentatively accepted Saturday. Nearly 800 men have been called for examination, including 50 called today.

Efforts of James H. Wilkerson, attorney for Orpet, to clear up recent questions reported to a mysterious Joseph Hartman were unavailing when court opened today. Mr. Wilkerson wanted to know if State's Attorney Dady had caused the arrest of Hartman but the court ruled that the prosecution can not be compelled to divulge its plans to the defense.

Hartman is said to have visited Mr. Wilkerson last Monday and to have sold him a story concerning Marian Lambert. He said that Clara Cramer, his cousin, a domestic employed at Big Forest, told Miss Lambert that Hartman had a drug which would relieve her condition. Hartman said he gave Miss Lambert the drug. Miss Cramer was said by Hartman to be in Toledo and Mr. Fulkner sent a representative there. Hartman promised to produce Miss Cramer for confirmation of the story last Saturday, the engagement was not kept and again today Wilkerson demanded to know if the State was detaining Hartman.

The court ruled that both defense and state shall have access to telegrams alleged to have passed between Orpet and Miss Lambert a few months before her death.

MEXICAN TROOPS ARE REPORTED NEAR CHIHUAHUA

By Associated Press. San Antonio, Texas, May 29—Reports regarding the concentration of Mexican troops in the vicinity of Chihuahua have been transmitted to headquarters by General Bell at El Paso. It is indicated that the force massed in the territory numbered approximately 20,000 men.

BERLIN REPORTS VIOLENT ARTILLERY ENGAGEMENTS

By Associated Press. Berlin, May 29—Violent artillery duels are continuing on both banks of the Meuse on the Verdun front, the war office announced today. French troops made two weak attacks on Cumleres village, taken last week by the Germans, but those were easily repulsed.

MESSENGER OF CARRANZA DOES NOT BRING NOTE

EXPECTED COMMUNICATION FROM FIRST CHIEF FAILS TO ARRIVE, ALTHOUGH FOREIGN OFFICE ATTACHE REACHES WASHINGTON

OFFICIALS PUZZLED

Note Had Been Considered Likely to Demand Withdrawal—Oil Men at Tampico Protest Against New Regulations

By Associated Press. Washington, May 29—Manuel Mendonza, messenger of General Carranza's foreign office, arrived here today and conferred with Eliseo Arredondo, the Mexican ambassador, but denied that he brought a note as had been expected, or that he brought any communications from his chief. He declared he was merely in the United States on a vacation.

Mr. Arredondo and other Mexican officials professed to be puzzled. It has been reported from Mexico City that the border that a special messenger was bringing a new communication from General Carranza. No indications of its contents had been given, but it had been assumed by American officials that the message noted renewed the demand for the withdrawal of American forces or made a proposal against the second punitive expedition led by Colonel Sibley and Major Langhorne which has however returned to American territory.

At the Mexican embassy it was said that if a note was coming it probably would be brought by some other messenger. Representations are about to be made to the state department for the release of a quantity of copper and machinery consigned to the Carranza government but now detained in New York. Mr. Arredondo declared today that lacking other instructions this was the only question he had to take up with the state department at this time.

State department officials had before them today a telegram from 34 American oil operators at Tampico protesting against decrees promulgated by the Carranza government. It was declared to be impossible for Americans to conduct business in that country. The message addressed to President Wilson related how one of their number had been arrested and imprisoned for three hours because of the refusal to pay his employees wages fixed by the authorities in excess of terms previously agreed upon with the men. Government was asked by the complainants who announced that they would ignore the confiscatory orders.

This protest together with others regarding recent decrees by the Mexican authorities will probably result in representations to authorities immediately after the disposition of troops in the Carranza zone.

Special agent Rodgers at Mexico City telegraphed that the note should have reached Washington today. He has been assured that it will not be made public until delivered to secretary Lansing.

Navy department dispatches report quiet at Tampico. Financial conditions in Mexico are described as satisfactory reports from other points said considerable friction was resulting from Carranza's efforts to maintain his new paper currency at prevailing rates.

NOTED MISSISSIPPI CAPTAIN IS DEAD

Captain Abner Martin Taught Mark Twain How to Navigate River

By Associated Press. East Liverpool, O., May 29—Captain Abner Martin, aged 95, who taught Samuel Clemens, "Mark Twain," to navigate the Mississippi river, is dead. Captain Martin was chief mate of the Pennsylvania when that packer was wrecked by an explosion near Memphis in 1861, and he was also in charge of troop packets on southern rivers for the northern government at the outbreak of the war between the states.

WHITE HOUSE EMPLOYEES TO MARCH FOR PREPAREDNESS

By Associated Press. Washington, May 29—Led by Secretary Timilty, employees of the White House will march in the preparedness parade here on Flag Day, June 14. President Wilson will review the parade.

74 SACKS OF FUR FROM STEAMER REMOVED FROM CHIHUAHUA

By Associated Press. New York, May 29—The Norwegian American steamer Kjelstad, which arrived today from Bergen, called at Kirkwall in accordance with instructions from officers of the line. The captain reported that the British authorities took 74 sacks of mail.

CANDIDATES WARNED TO FILE THEIR APPLICATIONS

By Associated Press. Fort Worth, Tex., May 29—Chairman Paul Waples of the state democratic executive committee today issued a warning to state candidates and prospective state candidates to file their applications for office must be filed with him by June 5. That is the last day provided by law for such filing.

JAMES J. HILL'S NOTABLE CAREER ENDED BY DEATH

RAILROAD BUILDER, CAPITALIST, INDUSTRIALIST, HIS ILLNESS TERMINATING AT HIS HOME IN ST. PAUL, MINN.

SAW MUCH ACTIVITY

Largely Responsible For Development of Duluth, Wis. He Had Been Opened Up—Life Story of Romantic Interest

By Associated Press. St. Paul, Minn., May 29—James J. Hill, railroad builder, capitalist and the most widely known figure of the northwest, died at his residence on Summit avenue Sunday morning at a result of infection due to bowel trouble.

Mr. Hill was unconscious for nearly two weeks before he died. Dr. Herman Blair of New York and Dr. Stanley Stager of the Mayo staff, together with members of the immediate Hill family were at the bedside when the end came.

Mr. Hill's personal secretary, M. H. Brown, made the announcement of his death to waiting newspaper correspondents at the residence. The statement was made verbally with the intimation that a written bulletin might be issued later.

Following his illness late yesterday Mr. Hill sank rapidly again during the night. All the members of his family were at the bedside except Mrs. Board of New York, a daughter, who will arrive today.

As Mr. Hill was lying, two Little Sisters of the Poor approached the house from the south driveway. They were met at the door and attended their sympathies, they left.

James J. Hill discovered "the breadbasket of the world" in the great northwest, and his development of a wilderness into what now comprises six wealthy states dotted with farms, ranches and a trail for transportation which reached eventually from Duluth to Astoria with a total mileage of 10,000 miles and steamship routes that spanned the globe.

Near Joseph, in Ontario, where the son of an Irish Canadian farmer who died when the boy was 12, stands a tree stump labeled "The last of the trees of the Hills." It marked that last log to be cut in the United States. He had been prompted by an odd incident during his travels. One day a strange traveler had stopped at the Hill farm to take dinner and left his horse at the gate. Young Hill saw the animal was tired and he carried it a part of water. The stranger was pleased with the lad's thoughtfulness and as he drove off he tossed him a dollar and called it a part of water.

"Go there, young man. That country needs your spirit," he said. "I contained glowing accounts of opportunities in the States." He resolved to investigate for himself. It was the night of the Chicago fair when John W. Hill, a mere boy of 18, he toured from Maine to Minnesota, Wisconsin, Iowa and Missouri, with a Mississippi river packet at St. Paul that place was a frontier town of 25,000 inhabitants.

John W. Hill, Jr., agent for the Duluth & St. Paul Packet Company, he found a job as both stevedore and clerk.

Studied Transportation. In the fifteen years that followed he seized every opportunity to study the whole problem of river transportation. He gathered in and out of experience and a little capital with which he launched his own firm of Hill, Gross & Co., which was incorporated in 1871.

By bringing the first load of coal that had ever been seen in that section into St. Paul. Two years later, with a bridge, both of which terminated with St. Paul and the Manitoba ports of the fertile Red River valley.

The St. Paul, Minn., and Duluth had their first experiment in railroad building. Eighty miles had been laid to St. Cloud, 216 miles to Breckridge, both of which terminated with St. Paul and the Manitoba ports of the fertile Red River valley.

This venture ran up a debt of \$33,000,000 and collapsed with the loss of assets being a few streaks of rust and a raft of hay.

Hill had sufficient success in the region to be seized with a consuming desire to purchase the defunct property. After five years of financial jockeying, including the sale of all his other interests, which netted a fortune of \$100,000 he and a syndicate of three others, Sir Donald A. Smith, George Stephen and Norman W. Kittson obtained the object of this desire.

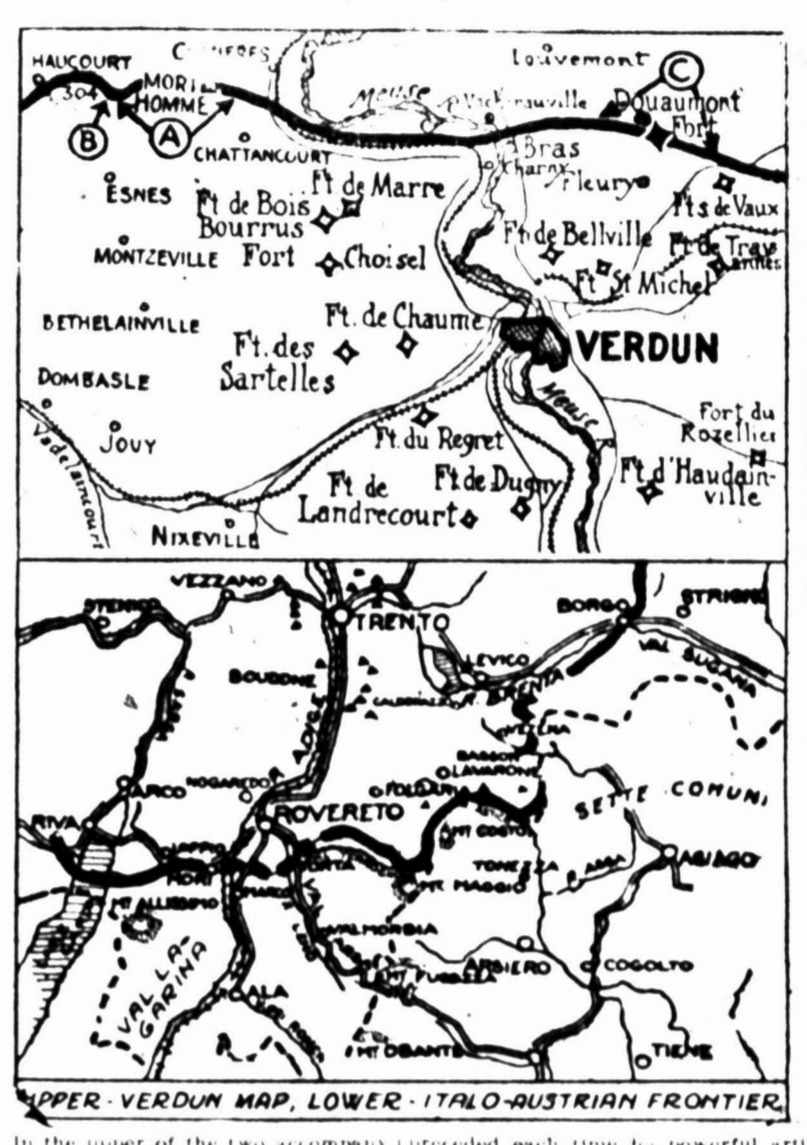
The St. Paul, Minnesota and Manitoba Railway was formed to operate the property with Hill as general manager. When in 1883 Mr. Hill was elected president he undertook the extension of the road from its Dakota and Minnesota homestead to the Pacific coast.

He regarded this as a national enterprise and secured the aid of each of which had received big bonuses as government aid, whereas the Manitoba route was a national dollar of government subsidy or an acre of grant to forward its progress from the Minnesota boundary to the sea.

Began Building. In this light, Hill's plan was widely deemed to be not only a project of national importance but he pressed it as hard as he could. For several years he laid rails westward at the rate of a mile a day, and he went by a trail of railroads to the coast.

With the line to Puget Sound opened, he turned Empire Builder. He introduced the live stock industry into vast areas of bunch grass prairie, and developed them by importing blooded stock; he sent demonstration

Austrian Attack On Italians Like German Onslaught At Verdun



In the upper of the two accompanying maps the heavy black line shows the main Austrian frontier offensive front from each other in the conflict for Verdun. A Point east and west of Le Mort Homme, where some of the heaviest fighting is being done, the German efforts to reach the French positions. B Strategic ground west of the fortress where the Germans were in second assault got a temporary footing in the French trenches by sacrificing many men, they were forced out in a counter attack. C Fort Douaumont. Reported captured by the Germans after a murderous struggle marked by many assaults.

proceeded each time by powerful artillery preparations. Lower map shows the main Italian frontier offensive front, which began two weeks ago as a soured more and more the character of the German offensive about the Italian front. The line between the river Adige, Eltsch in German, and the river Brenta which seems to have been the chief sector of the Austrian attack is between twenty-three and twenty-five miles in length and includes the Val Lagarina and the Val Sugana. The chief incidents of attack according to the Italian report, are in the Lagarina, indicated by the broken line.

unavoidable. The principal test of its railway gospel was low grades, heavy loads and large capacity cars and big train loads on the main lines and he began to preach this at a time when these things were held as a vision in the most advanced of the allies.

In contact with the late E. W. Hartman, who outdid him in the extent of railway ownership, Mr. Hill was not only the chief promoter of the practical head of his great railway system. He was the chief promoter and president of the Northern Security Company, organized with a purpose to bring the Northern Pacific and Great Northern under one ownership to which such opposition developed that a suit was brought in the United States circuit court, which decided that the acquisition was an illegal combination affirmed in March, 1904 by the United States supreme court.

Generosity to Belgians. Just how active Mr. Hill was during the last two years of his life can be shown by little evidence of his master hand in matters affecting the Great Northern railroad and the First National Bank of St. Paul and by three outstanding accomplishments in which his will and genius asserted themselves. From a world viewpoint it would be hard to say whether his staunch support of the Belgian people, following the invasion by the Germans, or the part played in the negotiations for the \$50,000,000 loan to the Belgian government is the more important.

From a local viewpoint, his influence in the upbuilding of South St. Paul, skyscraper principally through inducing Armour & Company to come to the suburb claimed first rank.

From the time the work of assisting the Belgians began Mr. Hill took a leading part in the movement, it will probably never be known, how much money he sent to King Albert, a personal friend and how much he in deed offered to send.

His place as an international figure was never more prominently displayed than when the representatives of the allies came to New York in quest of a huge loan. One of the first men to be sent for by J. P. Morgan was J. J. Hill and his assurance that he and the people of the Northwest were prepared to do their share in taking up the foreign bonds is believed to have contributed largely to the success of the negotiations.

HUGHES' FRIENDS PREPARING FOR CHICAGO FIGHT

WILL NOT OPEN HEADQUARTERS, HOWEVER—WHITMAN TO MAKE SPEECH PUTTING JUSTICE IN NOMINATION.

DUPONT'S BOOMLET

Delaware Candidate is First to Arrive—Says Willing to Step Out of Way and Subordinate Self for Party's Good.

By Associated Press. Chicago, May 29—Two additional booms of candidates for the republican presidential nomination were brought to Chicago today. They were those of Charles E. Hughes of New York and Coleman Dupont of Delaware. Frank H. Hitchcock launched the pro-nomination campaign of Justice Hughes, Governor Whitman of New York. It is expected will make the nominating speech.

When the roll of states is called for nominations it has been arranged to have Alabama waive in favor of New York so that Hughes name may be the first presented.

Headquarters for Hughes will not be opened in Chicago, according to Hitchcock because Hughes is not an active candidate.

"His friends will work in his interests as individuals," said Hitchcock.

Theodore Roosevelt was scheduled to arrive here today on route to Kansas City where he makes an address tomorrow.

"We think President Wilson is a hard man to beat and that Hughes' nomination will make republican success more certain than any other," continued Hitchcock, "we want a man nominated in the field as a presidential candidate. I am willing to subordinate my candidacy for the good of the party at any time."

NO DATE YET FIXED FOR CONFERENCE

Will Be Held When Gavrilo Desires—Banks Reported Active in Evacuated Territory.

By Associated Press. Columbus, N. M., May 29—No word has been received from General Gavrilo regarding the fixing of a conference between General Gavrilo and General Pershing announced to be held this week near Colonia Dublan. As General Pershing has been understood to have selected a spot for the meeting, the time is said to have been left to the convenience of the Mexican leader.

It is believed that Gavrilo has been in communication with General Carranza regarding instructions as to the propositions to be laid before General Pershing which will have to do more or less with the present disposition of American troops in Chihuahua.

According to information received here last night several trains are operating south of American lines in territory recently evacuated by General Pershing's column. It is not known whether or not General Pershing will send troops to engage these outlaws.

\$600,000 LOSS AT VANCOUVER TODAY

Blaze on Water Front Causes Heavy Damage—Is Now Well Under Control.

By Associated Press. Vancouver, B. C., May 29—Firemen early today brought under control a water front blaze of unknown origin in the plants of the New England Fish Company and the Alberta Pacific Grain Elevator. The loss was estimated at \$600,000. No lives were lost.

For a time the whole water front was threatened, as the fire department was short-handed, many of its members having volunteered for service in the British army.

BURKBURNETT BASEBALL TEAM WINS TWO GAMES

Special to The Times. Burkburnett, Tex., May 29—Saturday the Burkburnett team lost an exciting ball game to the Randleff, Okla. team by a score of 2 to 0. Burkburnett won Sunday from Tamaha, Okla. by a score of 7 to 2.

GRAVE TROUBLE FOLLOWS INROAD BY BULGARIANS

By Associated Press. Paris, May 29—A news dispatch from Athens says grave trouble has broken out there following the news of invasion of Macedonia by the Bulgarians.

20,000 MAY MARCH FOR PREPAREDNESS

Demonstration at Dallas Expected to Be Participated in By Many Organizations.

By Associated Press. May 29—Approximately 20,000 are expected to participate in the proposed preparedness parade to be held in this city late tomorrow afternoon according to the claim of Chamber of Commerce officials in charge of arrangements for the demonstration.

Delegations from scores of surrounding towns have signified their intention in taking part in the parade line in which will be representatives of various civic and industrial organizations, business and professional men, and many women. A number of soldiers who fought in the war between the states also have signified their intention of joining.

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THAT COUNTRY

NO FOOD SCARCITY

Says People Firmly Believe Verdun
Will Fall and That Allies Will
Be Defeated

(By G. W. Harris, in the Editor and
Publisher.)
That the German people believe
that their army will break through at
Verdun, capture Paris, and win the
war, is not the opinion of the Ger-
man people but of the German Govern-
ment and the German Press. Their
confidence and ability, that their rulers
including both the Kaiser and the
Crown Prince are of the opinion that
they will capture Paris, is an entirely
different matter. The German Govern-
ment has confidence of all classes and
parties, including the Socialists; that
the masses do not want a return to
the United States; that they think
the torpedoing of the Sussex was an
unfortunate but wholly accidental mis-
take; that they are tired of the war;
that they are tired of a return to
their normal pursuits, believing that
further prolongation of the conflict
means greater ruin, devastation and
losses for all concerned; that the Ger-
man people are not now suffering
from lack of food; that German babies
are healthier than any previous
time in German history; that the Ger-
mans are also well fed, and that the
impassable determination of France
through and past the struggle
crises is the great stumbling block in
the way of any peace negotiations;
that some of the most important
stipulations, and convictions brought
home by Samuel Sidney McClure after jour-
neying and sojourning for five
months in the Teutonic Empire.

The originator of the newspaper
of the name of McClure's Main
syndicate, founder of McClure's Main
syndicate and other publishing ventures,
and present editor of the New York
Evening Mail, long ago listed travel
as his only recreation. He has
traveled much. The extended Euro-
pean trip from which he has just re-
turned has given him a unique ex-
perience among newspaper editors.

He went to Europe with Henry Ford
in the lamentably discredited "Peace
Ship," chartered by that ill-advised
philanthropist last December. He
intended to conduct Mr. Ford, for
the compelling power of whose personality
he has a lively regard through some
of the countries at war. He was
frustrated at its very beginning. A
severe attack of grip necessitated Mr.
Ford's precipitate return to America
and his abandonment of the project.
Mr. McClure proceeded on his
travels alone.

I asked Mr. McClure if he had remained
abroad all this time for his paper,
the Evening Mail.

"Yes," he said. "I wanted to ascer-
tain the truth and to let the American
public know the truth through this
newspaper. I wanted to find out about
the Central Empires particularly, not
only as to present conditions and pros-
pect, but also about the truth about the
reasons for the war. We in America
have not known the truth. Very few
of us are interested in the truth. Peo-
ple generally not only here, but the
world around, do not want the truth.
So I do."

"So you went over there to get the
truth? And I have come home
now to publish the truth that is only
now of interest. And I have a great mass
of enlightening material. I believe I
know about this war. I have had excep-
tional facilities for digging it out.

"In the five months I was gone I
crossed and recrossed Germany and
Austria-Hungary by almost every pos-
sible route. I went over Germany
visited all the great cities, visited
my headquarters and battle fronts,
I went down the Danube to Vienna and
Budapest, traveled Serbia and Bul-
garia, and spent a week in Constantinople.
I saw all that part of Belgium
which the Germans occupy. I have
been under fire, and shell fire, here
the Russian lines on the eastern
front. The obstacles set before the
foreigner who seeks to enter Germany
in these days are formidable. It is
difficult enough to enter only once. But
I entered Germany six times.

The battered and be-stamped pas-
sage which he showed me was some-
thing of the appearance of a war man
that had met with hard usage in the
field.

"That passport tells the story of my
wanderings. And I met and talked
with the leading men everywhere in
the Germanic countries—spent hours
with some of them—with von Beth-
mann-Hollweg, a great peace man,
Herr Zimmermann, the most vigorous
and energetic man in the German Gov-
ernment, the Bruester of Germany,
Dr. Karl Helfferich, the German Min-
ister of Finance, the German Min-
ister of Austria at the out-
break of the war, Baron Stephen Brien-
ker, the Austro-Hungarian Minister

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Belgium for there is not, but because
the supply of milk is allotted just as
in Germany.

"In Belgium a doctor told me that
they begin with the baby two months
before it is born, and then look after
all babies and children up to
twelve years.

"If all the babies and little children
of New York City were as well looked
after as all the babies and little
children of Germany and Belgium, it
would mark a new era in our civiliza-
tion.

Asked about the mental condition
of the Belgian people, Mr. McClure
said:

"The Belgians are in the condition
of a man who sees all his last re-
maining property gradually ebbing
away—a condition of worry and anx-
iety for the future, of course. About
three per cent of the population are
at work. All are fed. There is no
starvation or even suffering for lack
of food. And they are not as ad-
versely affected as you think. The
Belgian government is borrowing
a thousand pounds a month from
England for their sustenance.

I asked Mr. McClure whether he
had found anywhere in Germany any
indications of popular distrust or of
dissatisfaction with the German gov-
ernment. He answered:

"There is none. Instead, there is
everywhere throughout the country
a complete and astonishing unani-
mity of perfect confidence in the Ger-
man government. The German peo-
ple know that their armies have been
victorious. They see those armies
today, and they are ready to support
their government in full posses-
sion of what they have won. They
see the battle lines alter very little
from week to week and from month
to month. And they are ready to
support their government to the ut-
termost. They believe that it is only
owing to the wisdom of the Ger-
man government, and the energy of their
government that Germany was not over-
run and annihilated.

"And they entertain no doubt of
ultimate victory. The masses of the
people believe that the German army
will surely break through at Verdun,
capture Paris, and win the war. The
members of the imperial family and
the high officers of the govern-
ment are all extremely popular. The
Kaiser and all his family—yes,
including the Crown Prince—are
more popular than ever before. Crowds
will wait for hours to see
either of them pass on the street or
enter or leave a building.

"At the same time, the German
people are sick and tired of this war
and they long for it to end. They
don't want a war with the United
States on any account. They don't
want to add to the number and pow-
er of their enemies. They really
hope for the early end of the war.
The people believe that further prolon-
gation of the struggle can only mean
greater misery, heavier losses, more
destruction, devastation and ruin for
Germany, and without any appreci-
able gain to any.

"And they would be willing to
make what they consider to be the
sacrifices necessary to end the
conflict. Germany would be
willing, I believe, to give up Belgium
forever, with the exception
possibly of retaining certain port
privileges in Antwerp. She would
evacuate northern France. She does
not want Alsace-Lorraine, and neither
does Austria. There would be no dif-
ficulty about Serbia. Undoubtedly it
would be re-established as an inde-
pendent kingdom with slightly dif-
ferent boundaries, perhaps.

"Germany does not want new terri-
tory in Europe, except to the east-
ward a part of the Russian border
land. She does not want another
Alsace-Lorraine case on her hands.
She would insist on setting up a new
Kingdom of Poland. For the future
she only power in Europe that she
fears is Russia—and she would
strengthen her frontiers and set up
a barrier state between her own
domains and Russia.

"It was the menace of the Russian
mobilization that forced Germany in
to the war at the start. That is the
fact about the beginning of this war.
Germany did not want war. The
Kaiser did not want war. The Kaiser
is a man of peace, a sincere worker for
peace. He was forced into this war
against his will.

"What I saw and learned during
my five months in Europe convinced
me that this war was a horrible ac-
cident, and Germany is as much to
be pitied as England and France.

"In the spring of 1914 France and
Germany were more friendly, were in
closer accord, than they ever had
been before. Neither country dream-
ed of or wanted war. For the other
half of the century England and Ger-
many negotiated a new treaty of
Liaison—I brought a copy of this
document back with me—which was
to have been into effect in August,
and would have made such a war as
this utterly impossible."

"What, then," I asked, "are the
changes for success, in your opinion
of any possible negotiations for
peace?"

"The uncompromising and implac-
able determination of France and
England, to fight on until
Germany shall have been punished
for her crimes against humanity and
civilization—for her devastation, the
barbarous inhumanities of her armies,
the campaign of murder by subma-
rine boat—that must give rise to
a just and equitable retribution.
Germany is the great obstacle in
the way of peace," said Mr. McClure.
"As long as the entente holds to its
long and uncompromising attitude,
just so long Europe will continue to
bleed.

"The terms which the entente
would impose upon Germany, namely
the restoration of Belgium, with full
restitution for all the damages suf-
fered by the Belgian people because of
the German military operations; the
rehabilitation of Serbia; and the
abandonment of 'militarism'—which
means disarmament—these terms
differ in no respect from those which
an undisciplined victor might impose
upon an enemy who has been beaten
on to his knees. But Germany is not
in that position by any means. The
situation from being in any way
even approaching defeat at the
hands of the entente allies can easily
be seen by anybody who studies
for one moment the map of Europe."

"No peace is in sight, and from
my study and investigation on the
ground for the last five months I
cannot see any chance for the success
of any peace negotiations as long
as the allies remain firm in their
present determination.

But I am confident that this will

of Foreign Affairs, Count Tisza, the
great Hungarian Premier and peace
advocate, I met the leaders of German
and scholars, philosophers
and scientists, men like Dr. Rudolf
Eucken, and many others.

"And everywhere it was born in
upon me that we had not had the
truth, we do not know the truth. The
newspapers are full of lies and mis-
statements every day. Take the ca-
ble dispatches of only a day or so ago
about the resignation of Dr. Delbrueck,
German Secretary of the Interior, giv-
ing as reason popular dissatisfaction
with the way the government is han-
dling the food question. Absolutely
false. Dr. Delbrueck is a sick man, and
he resigned solely because of poor
health. Furthermore he did not have
charge of the question of food supply
at all. Baron von Stein, Under-Sec-
retary of State, is the man who had
charge of that question.

"Again, the idea that Austria-Hun-
gary's domination in Germany was
true. Austria-Hungary is the proudest
nation in Europe today. She is as jeal-
ous of any of her independence and
rights. Even Turkey resents the im-
putation of dominance by Germany."

The interview had begun with men-
tion of the German newspapers, what
sources they get, and what they are
saying their readers. Mr. McClure said:

"The German newspapers are edit-
ed by very able men, scholarly men,
men who are to be trusted. They have
pretty full freedom, too. The newspa-
pers of Germany are censored of course
just as are those of every country, at
least in some of its parts. But their
censorship is in comparison with them
with them is surprisingly slight. They
give the official reports from the gov-
ernments of enemy countries, but no-
body believes those reports.

"While I was visiting at the home
of Dr. Eucken mention happened to be
made of the report that in the Dogger
Bank engagement the German battle-
ships sunk the British ships Lion and Tiger.
I brought forward the fact that since
that engagement Frederick Palmer, a
citizen not to be trusted, had seen
these ships at sea. Dr. Eucken's daugh-
ter assured me that that could not be
possible. The German officers never
lied. They had reported sinking the
Lion and the Tiger. The ships had
been sunk. So, while she did not ques-
tion that Mr. Palmer had seen British
ships bearing the names Lion and Tig-
er, she did not believe in his report.
In her belief that they were new or
renamed vessels and not those that
had been reported sunk.

"The German newspapers, of course
have no correspondents in enemy coun-
tries, but they get the foreign papers.
In Berlin I had no difficulty in getting
the London Times, and Paris as well,
as New York newspapers. These can
be bought in all the leading German
cities.

"This willingness to believe only
what we wish to believe—this rejec-
tion of the truth—is exemplified strik-
ingly in the inconsistencies over the
German food question. There is a real
scarcity of food in Germany. There
has been some discontent over food reg-
ulations. The main cause of that is
the rationing of food. The rationing
by the local authorities. Each of the twen-
ty-five states made its own laws, and
each state might retain supplies great-
ly needed elsewhere.

"Up to now the German people
have not suffered from lack of food.
Great suffering would come if this
year's crops should fail. Ordinarily
the failure of crops in one county
means hard times, but starvation is
prevented by importing food. Ger-
many has no such resource in case
of a crop failure this year, and that
is why. So the only serious cause of anxiety
in Germany today is the possible
failure of the coming harvest. Of
course no man can predict what the
harvest will be, but the outlook for
this year's harvest is good.

"I was in the foreign office in Ber-
lin and I saw in a paper, containing
statements that babies were starving
in Germany. I had just finished my
investigation, and I showed what the
German babies, according to the
official figures, were healthier than
ever before in the history of Ger-
many. The bearer of the American
paper got angry at that.

"Well, anyhow, England is trying
to starve our babies," he said, "and
we are not doing it. The German sol-
diers were suffering for lack of
food."

"Up to this time the babies, chil-
dren, and adults of Germany have
not suffered in health. In the case
of adults there has been an improve-
ment in health since the war started.
Instead of only 50 per cent of the
normal health of Germany before the
war, 90 per cent are able to return to
the army. The facts in regard to babies
are that while there are fewer babies
born and the mortality rate is higher,
the percentage of deaths among infants
less than one year old has decreased
by twenty-five. The reason for the im-
proved health of Germany babies is
that, irrespective of the poverty or
ignorance of the mother, every baby
has its proper regimen.

"This truth that the babies of Ger-
many are healthy and flourishing is
not relished by some German sym-
patizers in this country who have
been raising funds to claim that the
German babies are starving. Some of them
have even pleaded with me not to publish
the truth, because it would injure
their propaganda.

"The reason for the general im-
provement in the health of the peo-
ple is that Germany has made a tremen-
dous advance in the science of dietetic.

"Associated with Herr von Stein,
the undersecretary of state, dealing
with the food problem, is a group of
able and active men in co-ordi-
nation with the various governments
of Germany, and with local, city or
county governments, and with innum-
erable voluntary organizations, deal-
ing with the proper distribution of
food. From studying their work, I
could find fault with only one detail,
namely, the method of handling food.
The householder or servant must
stand in line sometimes for hours for
a chance to secure the allotted por-
tion of butter, pork or other arti-
cles of food. This one sees in Bel-
gium and Austria as well as in Ger-
many.

"Food riots in Germany are prac-
tically impossible. I know of no ac-
tual case.

"Besides using every scrap of land
in the suburbs of cities and parts of
the country for growing vegetables
that were heretofore devoted to flow-
ers, Germany is cultivating the west-
ern sections of Russia now in her
military possession. In these times
Germany was able to produce on her
own lands over 85 per cent of her
own food.

"Careful management and econ-
omy have enabled the German peo-
ple to bridge the deficit, even with
the reduced wheat crop, with improv-
ed health and a lowered death rate
among infants. This is true. It is
Germany is also true of Belgium. In
97 per cent of the communes of Bel-
gium the death rate of infants is low-
er than ever before in the history
of Belgium, although the Belgian in-
fant death rate was lower than in
Germany before the war. And the
improvement in Belgium has come
not because there is more milk in

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war between the United States and Germany or Germany and England, or France, will become just as im-possible."

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IN THE SPHERE OF WOMANKIND

The Charge of the Skirt Brigade. Half an inch, half an inch, half an inch shorter. Whether the skirts are for mother or daughter. Briefly the dresses grow, fuller the flippies show. While whisking glimpses know more than they oughter.

Forward the skirt parade—is there a man dismayed? No—from the sight displayed, none could be understood. There's none to make remark—clergyman, clubman, clerk. Gaping from noon till dark, at the four hundred.

Short skirts to right of them, shorter to left of them. Shorter in front of them, flouted and fired— In hose of stripe and plaid, heed most exceeding glad. Sporting in spate run mad, come the short skirted.

Flushed all their ankles there, flushed as they turned in air— What will not women dare? (Though the exhibits show, some of them blundered.) All sorts and shapes of pegs—broom sticks, piano legs.

When can their glory fade—oh, the world would— Grand dame and demure, shop girl and Bowers Belle. Any old hundred? 'Tis, oh, well— (Apologetically to Tomnyson) Note from Tomnyson's shade "I should worry."

ENTERTAINMENT FOR MRS. C. L. FONTAINE SATURDAY
As a farewell for Mrs. C. L. Fontaine who will leave the latter part of the week for California to make her home, Mrs. J. M. Sargano entertained quite informally but none the less delightfully Saturday afternoon at her home, 1206 Travis. Those who had a pleasant visit with the honoree, who will be much missed were a few of her most intimate friends and co-workers in the Episcopal Church. The diversion was informal and a tempting two course luncheon was served. The reception rooms were prettily decorated with roses for the occasion.

ALL DAY PICNIC ON HOLIDAY CREEK THURSDAY
An all-day picnic on Holiday creek was the unalloyed pleasure of the boys of the Sunday school class of the First Baptist Church last week. The youngsters were conveyed to the woods by Mrs. Chalvers in automobiles and spent morning and afternoon in frolic with of course an appetizing camp lunch. There were fourteen in the class members on this pleasure jaunt: W. D. Nelson, Louis Bennett, William Crawford, Jack Crawford, Carroll Maxwell, Ridley Taylor, John Campbell, Jack Price, Burdette Clabe, Heary Blues, Joe Brown, Clyde Taylor, Herman Frizzell and Dale Weeks.

Fort Worth 4, Waco 0
San Antonio 4-2, Galveston 3-1
Monstons 7, Beaumont 3
Shreveport 2, Dallas 2

Club	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Fort Worth	42	22	18	56.1
Waco	38	18	20	47.6
Galveston	43	24	19	55.8
Houston	44	24	20	54.5
Shreveport	43	19	25	43.2
San Antonio	41	19	25	43.2
Beaumont	42	17	25	40.5
Monstons	43	17	26	39.5

Cincinnati 2, Chicago 2
Pittsburg 4, St. Louis 0-1
WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY
St. Louis at Chicago
New York at Boston
Brooklyn at Philadelphia
But three scheduled.

Club	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Brooklyn	39	19	20	48.8
New York	31	18	13	58.1
Philadelphia	32	19	14	57.6
Boston	31	15	16	48.4
Cincinnati	39	18	21	46.2
Chicago	38	17	21	44.7
Pittsburg	36	16	20	44.4
St. Louis	38	15	23	42.1

Sherman 4, McAlester 1				
Tulsa 2, Paris 2				
Muskogee 5, Denison 2				
Oklahoma City 5, Fort Smith 2				
Tulsa at Fort Smith				
Muskogee at Sherman				
Oklahoma City at Paris				
McAlester at Denison				
WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY				
Tulsa at Fort Smith				
Muskogee at Sherman				
Oklahoma City at Paris				
McAlester at Denison				
STANDING OF THE TEAMS				
Club	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Tulsa	36	23	13	63.9
Denison	36	22	14	61.1
McAlester	38	24	14	63.2
Sherman	38	19	17	52.8
Fort Smith	37	18	19	48.6
Muskogee	38	17	21	44.7
Oklahoma City	36	11	25	30.6
Paris	36	11	25	30.6

WOMAN SLAIN IN SUNDAY TRAGEDY IN CLAY COUNTY

FARM HAND IN JAIL HERE FOLLOWING SHOOTING OF MRS. J. MURRELL, EIGHT MILES EAST OF CITY YESTERDAY

ACCIDENT CLAIMED

Prisoner Declares He Did Not Mean to Kill—Fugitive Follows Quarrel With Member of Family Earlier in Day

Mrs. J. J. Murrell, wife of a farmer residing about eight miles east of this city in Clay county, was killed Sunday by a charge from a shotgun in the hands of Tom Ware, a farm hand. The lead entered her abdomen, causing instant death. Ware was arrested by Mr. Murrell and is now in the county jail. He was severely beaten over the head, it was claimed, by Ware's wife, Henrietta today, and it is probable that the case will be investigated at once by the grand jury which was convened today in special session.

Although there had been a quarrel earlier in the day between Ware and members of the Murrell family, resulting in his being driven from the premises, it is claimed that he was left behind when the others went on a fishing trip. Ware declares that the shooting was accidental. "The shotgun went off when I was giving it back to her," he said this morning. "I had borrowed it to go rabbit hunting." "You didn't mean to kill her?" he was asked. "Oh, my God, no," he replied. "she was always good to me."

Ware bore several cuts and bruises on his head as a result of the rough handling he received at the hands of the Murrells who after they had overpowered him, tied him up with a piece of rope. H. B. Hatton, owner of the farm which Murrell rented and Doctors J. E. Daniels and R. C. Smith went to the scene late Sunday night and brought Ware back in an ambulance.

Quarrel Earlier in Day.
The trouble, according to information gleaned from the scene, had its origin in seemingly trivial occurrences of the day. When Ware came down to breakfast Sunday morning he was dressed in his best clothes and this resulted in some good natured banter from members of the Murrell family, which is said to have led to rather warmer words, following which Ware was asked to leave the kitchen. Mrs. Murrell and her daughter, Mrs. J. Dent, were preparing breakfast. Later in the day some neighbors tried to get members of the family to go on a fishing trip, it being planned for some of the party to go in an open wagon, and for others to go in automobiles. Delivery was made which had a top. Those in the wagon drove ahead and Mrs. Murrell got in the seat of the car with her son. It was then that the shooting was said to have taken place. Mrs. Murrell was in the back of the car, where it had been intended Mrs. Dent should ride and when she was about to get in, she declined to ride with Ware, according to the story.

Was Left Behind.
At that time the elder Murrell and Houston, his eighteen-year old son, were breaking a short distance away, and needing help, they called to Ware to come and assist them. Ware responded and while he was in the kitchen, Mrs. Murrell and Harry, drove away without him. They were compelled to go slow on account of the condition of the road in front of a muddy and Ware overtook them, attempting to enter the rear of the car. Mrs. Dent, it is said, prevented him from doing so, and the car proceeded without him.

Ware is reported to have then returned to the Murrell home and to have remained there until about 11 o'clock. Murrell and Harry then called him up, saying he "was nobody's damned fool" and wouldn't be treated that way. Instead of accepting his challenge to fight, the Murrells quieted him and smoothed the matter over without further trouble at that time. Ware took the shotgun, an automatic and said he was going out to shoot some rabbits. He was gone for an hour or more and while he was hunting, the members of the fishing party returned, having come back by a different route. When Ware came back to the house he met Harry Murrell and asked the latter how he had gotten back without meeting him. Harry explained that he had come back through another gate, and then asked the members of the fishing party if they had seen Ware. Ware is said to have replied that he had broken the weapon and had left it in the front field. Harry left the gun behind when he returned and Hatton and even if it was broken, it must be brought back. Ware then went and got the gun, which did not seem to be damaged in any way.

Gives Up His Place.
At this juncture Ware went to Mr. Murrell and told him he had decided to quit and would leave in the morning, to which Mr. Murrell replied that he would be too busy to take him to town this morning, but that he could take him right away if he wished to go. Ware agreed to leave at once and went to his room to pack his belongings, while Murrell hitched up the buggy. Ware came out to the buggy with his bundle of clothing and started to get in, then declared he had forgotten something and returned to the house. In the house he met Mrs. Murrell and asked her where his old coat was, requesting that she hunt for it. She did so and while she was out of the house, Harry Murrell entered. He says that Ware was standing in the room holding the shotgun and "took the charge entering her abdomen. Harry rushed to his mother's side, striking Ware in the face as he did so. The elder Murrell rushed in from the front porch and in a few moments the oldest son ran in from the stable where he had been milking. They grappled with Ware who is said to have fought strenuously, but a blow with a piece of iron in the hands of Houston Murrell rendered him helpless. He was tied up by his hands and feet with a piece of rope, and was found in that condition, with his head bleeding profusely from the blows, when Mr. Hatton and the physicians arrived.

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said to have desired to take Ware's life, but the elder Murrell prevented this, saying he had killed a man once and that one such occurrence was enough.

In Clay County Case.
Mrs. Murrell's body was brought to this city last night by Undertaker E. G. Hill and is being held pending advice from relatives.
Ware says he has no family. He came to the Murrell place about six months ago from Dallas county. He is about 35 years old, he says.
Mrs. Dent, the daughter, came to the city last night, and is stopping with friends here. Her condition is such that she was unable to see newspapermen today.
The shooting took place across the Clay county line, and it is expected that the Clay county grand jury, which was summoned in special session today, will proceed at once to investigate the case.
Ware's injuries were severe enough to make him quite sick and he was unable to sit up this morning. There were a number of cuts and bruises, indicating that those who subdued him after the shooting had struck him several times; the shotgun with which the shooting was done was broken over his head, it was said.
"I was just giving the gun back to her when it went off," said Ware this morning. "It was one of those accidents and I had been shooting rabbits with it."
Ware is reported to have told officers that he was drunk at the time of the shooting. Members of the family stated that he had evidently been drinking, but they would not say that he was intoxicated.

COTTONSEED CRUSHERS MEET AT SAN ANTONIO
By Associated Press.
San Antonio, Tex., May 29.—The twenty-second annual meeting of the Texas Cottonseed Crushers Association, composed of cotton oil and cottonseed meal manufacturers of the state, was opened here today with upwards of 300 delegates attending. Preliminary business, including meetings of the rules and arbitration committees on whose reports the work of the convention is largely based, was completed on Friday and Saturday of last week.
Matters of interest to the trade, including discussion of freight rates, new formulas for cottonseed oil and meal and the promotion of the latter as a foodstuff is the principal business before the meeting.

SCHOOL OF MISSIONS IN CONVENTION AT DENTON
By Associated Press.
Denton, Tex., May 29.—The first annual convention of the newly formed Texas Interdenominational School of Missions opened here today to continue to June 5 with a large attendance. Several speakers and teachers

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The news that was of greatest interest to the people of Europe Sunday was not that which came from the several battle fronts where the belligerent forces are in grim, bloody contact, but the hope and interest of belligerents and neutrals alike was in the message that came from America where President Wilson had voiced the heartfelt desire of the American people for peace among the nations across the Atlantic, and had outlined the basis which America offered to mediate. A year ago there would probably have been only an intellectual interest in the president's words. Now undoubtedly his message is received with yearning and hope in every chancellery and every home in Europe. It is growing more evident as time goes on that the effort to settle the issues with guns and blood must fail. Mountains of debt are being piled up against impoverished peoples bled to the white by war and yet the end is not in sight. Germany can no longer hope for a victory that will allow her to stay in Belgium and in Northern France and exact an indemnity that will recompense her for her financial expenditures in the war. The allies must see that their hope of crushing Germany is futile, except at a cost which staggers the imagination. The prolongation of the war means more of bitter suffering without a reasonable expectation of attaining the ends sought. Those responsible for the war have been chastened. President Wilson has suggested a basis on which all of the belligerents can unite for just settlement. The leadership is with America.

The resolution indorsing the Wilson administration as introduced read: "That we indorse the administration of Woodrow Wilson and expressly give our approval to the constructive acts of legislation passed during the four years that he has been Chief Executive." The resolution, like all others intended for incorporation in the platform of the San Antonio convention, was referred to the subcommittee of the platform committee. If one had lacked more direct and concrete means of knowing the political temper of the majority of that subcommittee one could have inferred it infallibly from the transformation which that modest and restrained expression of approval underwent by the considered consideration of those gentlemen. As it went into that subcommittee, this resolution contained thirty words, no very great redundancy, one might think, frugal in verbiage as it was pithy in statement. As it came out of the subcommittee this resolution contained nine words. It was edited and excised in a spirit which betrayed the great pain it gave these gentlemen to be under the need of saying anything in approval of a Democratic president and administration. These nine words were: "That we cordially indorse the administration of Woodrow Wilson." It will be observed that the majority of the committee was unable to give its approval to the legislative acts credited to the Administration, for that part had disappeared entirely. What the subcommittee proposed was that the convention should indorse the administration of Woodrow Wilson, "an act of hazard and generosity comparable to that of the individual who scrawls his signature across the face of a Federal Reserve Bank note. Apparently the president had proportionately more friends on the full committee than on the subcommittee; or, if not that, some members of the subcommittee must have conceived the prudent thought that the plank made the disloyalty of its editors too patent. At all events, when a row was raised in the full committee, the original form of the resolution, as proposed by Mr. Alderdice, was substituted for the one which had come out of the subcommittee.—Dallas News.

Hon. R. L. Henry, candidate for the senatorial nomination, and Governor

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Ferguson, candidate for renomination, was members of the subcommittee. It ought not to be necessary to say more.

PRESIDENT DAMNED WITH FAINT PRAISE

Editor Times: The democrats who stand by the President will approve your editorial about Bailey, Ferguson and Henry writing a plank in the democratic platform at San Antonio that gave scant and grudging praise to the Washington administration. This indorsement of Wilson was meant to be cold, half-hearted and meaningless. Bailey boasts that he does not like Wilson's policies, and that he is not on good terms with this administration, and the action of Ferguson and Henry prove that they are willing to give Wilson faint praise that will please the republicans by its generality, and as the Dallas News puts it, will not be referred to by democratic orators this fall in the doubtful states with pride as the platform of Texas democracy. This plank is of no benefit to the president and the democrats of this state ought to repudiate the men that wrote it at the very first opportunity. We do not see how democrats who are standing by the president can reconcile themselves to vote for either Ferguson or Henry under all the circumstances. A WILSON DEMOCRAT.

DR. BROOKS STANDS PAT.

Dr. S. Brooks, candidate for the United States senate on a platform embracing national prohibition, announced that he will not regard the declaration of the San Antonio platform with respect to national prohibition, and he invites those who disagree with him to call him a heretic to their hearts' content. Nobody will be surprised at this declaration, and nobody will be surprised when former Governor Campbell does the same thing. It was not expected that the platform declaration would convert anybody. Political events of the past ten years have shown very plainly that no question involving prohibition directly or indirectly has been settled permanently by either platform or primary election. As a candidate for office before the people, Dr. Brooks has his right of appeal, and nobody will object to it. Regardless of his position, the action of the convention was of tremendous importance nevertheless. It was the preliminary step that will eventuate in bringing that real issue involved in the platform declaration before the people, and that issue is the preservation of the right of the States to exercise their police powers in the matter of granting or withholding license, and the regulation and control of suffrage within their jurisdiction. We have seen in an official declaration that there are a large number of prohibitionists who comprehend the difference between prohibition through State action and prohibition through Federal action, and that gives the assurance that when ultimately the real issue comes up for decision the people will know exactly what they are voting to decide. It might have been fatal to State sovereignty if, in the finality, the vote in the nation should have been upon the mere question of the fate of the liquor traffic, instead of the fate of states themselves. The Post feels sure that in the two months between this and the July primaries this great question will be intelligently presented to the people, for it has a necessary bearing upon the choice of a United States senator. The nominee of the primaries will sit in the senate for six years and it is possible that during his term the matter of submitting the Sheppard amendment to the States will be voted upon. It is important, then, that the question should be discussed by the candidates and considered by the people. The prohibitionists who comprehend the principle of State sovereignty and its bearing upon the future of the Republic and the cause of local self-government will naturally determine their attitude toward the senatorial candidates by the position of such sovereignty. Dr. Brooks is commendably frank in letting such prohibitionists know that he is ready and anxious to surrender the right of the State to deal with the liquor traffic, and Governor Campbell will be equally frank, no doubt. So at last, a clearcut verdict upon this issue will be possible long before the question can possibly be submitted to the States by congress.—Houston Post.

WHAT DOES THE REPUBLICAN PARTY STAND FOR.

The Republican party has taken on nearly all the attributes of an habitual opposition. It does not stand for anything in particular, except a return to office. Mr. Roosevelt is for unhyphenated Americanism. But Messrs. Cummins and La Follette are very favorably disposed toward the German-American vote. Mr. Root condemns the president for not being vigorous enough with Germany. Mr. Mann is on record against a diplomatic break with any nation for any cause, at present. The Republican vote on the Mc-Limore and Gore resolutions in the House and Senate was no more patriotic than the Democratic. The old guard are in favor of restoring a high tariff again. Mr. Roosevelt says that this is a thing of the day and worthy of present consideration. Altogether the Republican party stands for very little except a hope that the president will hang himself in popular favor in such a way that it can ride into office on his unpopularity. A party that seriously considered a candidate like Justice Hughes, when his beliefs on the vital questions of the day are unknown, very evidently has no very firm convictions of its own. The fundamental principles which the Republican party formulates for the coming campaign depended right up to the last upon the actions of the president. The Republican party as a whole has not had the courage to make any set of principles the campaign issue. It is a very badly divided party without much real leadership and without a constructive program. In history, the task of the Republican convention of 1916 will be set down as like unto the task of the



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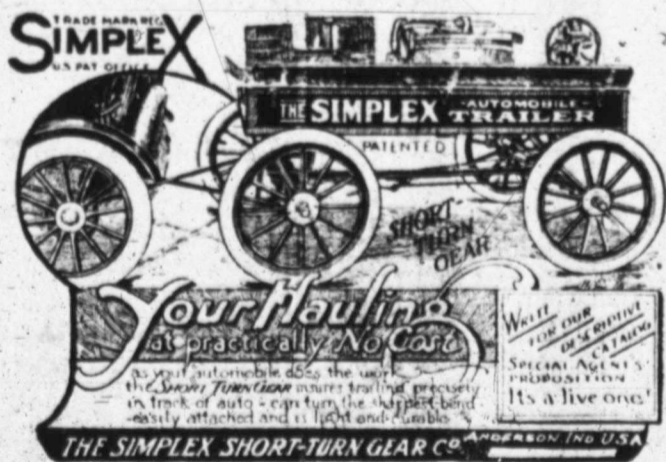
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The Majestic. "Out of the Drifts," a Paramount motion picture with its setting in scenes of Alpine grandeur will be the attraction at the Majestic today. Marguerite Clark, the petite Paramount star has the lead role and in the part of a simple Swiss maiden she has an opportunity to display the Clark charm and nativeness which has made her a motion picture favorite. Also on the program is "Mary Page," the ninth episode showing today. Edna Mayo and Henry B. Walthall are the stars of this serial.

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"The Bell in the Forest," an operetta in two acts, was the leading number on the program and was well handled by the boys that quite often the germ of professional talent could be detected in the young performers. The leading characters were Joseph Mataska appearing in the role of Percival, the Prince; David Clark, the page; John Pasutsek as Alexis, the gamekeeper's son; James Moran as Karl Krag, the poacher; James Maxwell as Bluster, the police commissioner; and Will Parvo, as Franz Staub, a wanderer.

The two action songs, "Topsy Turvy" sung and acted by the smallest boys enrolled and "The Ship I Love," by the Juniors were well done and highly applauded. Each line and action in these as well as in the play itself portrayed careful training on the part of the teacher, and a very untiring practice on that of the boys.

- The program was strengthened by the piano solos, readings and selections which were exceptionally well rendered by the young ladies of the Academy. The entire program was as follows: 1. Piano Trio "La Secret"; Misses K. Sullivan, E. Moran, H. M. Minarik. 2. Action Song (Minims), Topsy Turvy. 3. Reading, E. Allman. 4. Piano Solo (Madrilena), Miss L. Fenville. 5. Reading, M. Wilson. 6. The Ship I Love (F. McGlendon). Juniors. 7. Spring Time (A. Wooler), Vocal Class. 8. Piano Solo, Theme sur une Allemande, Miss G. Haler. 9. Ave Maria (Owens), Vocal Class. 10. The Bell in the Forest—Cast of characters:

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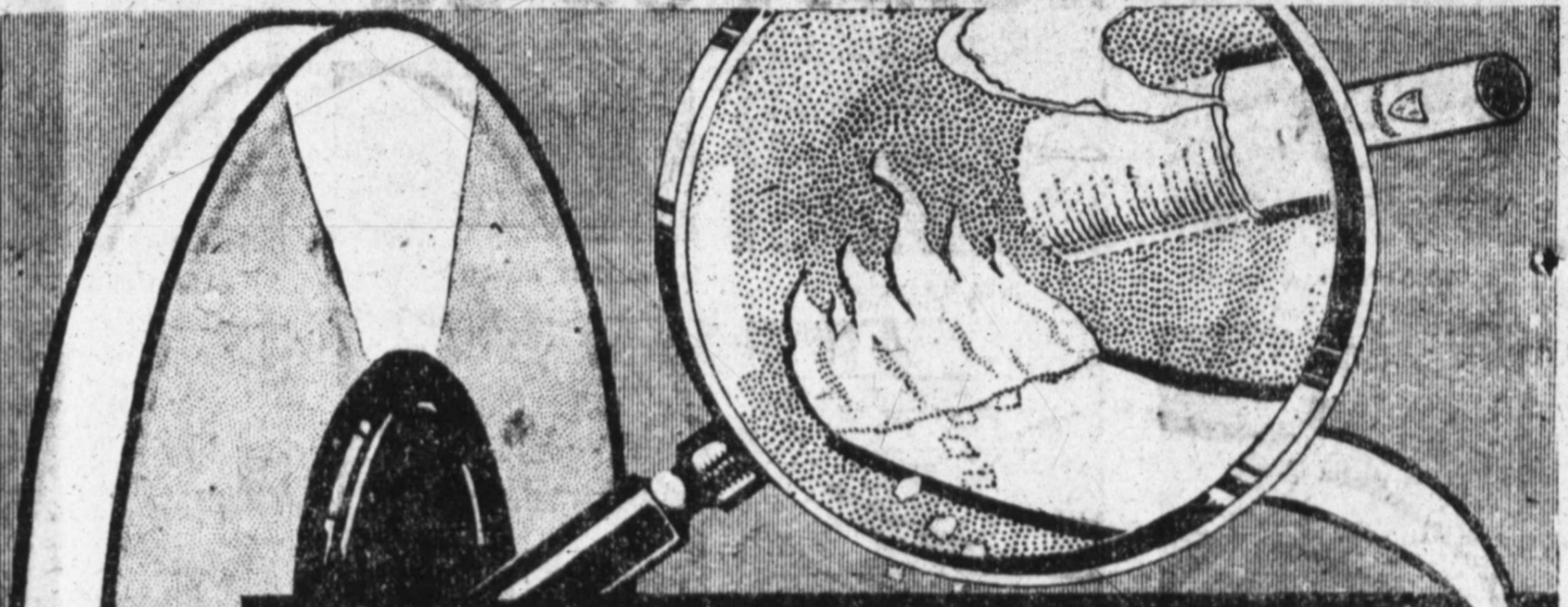
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Local Brevities

Suits have been filed in the 30th district court as follows: J. A. Smith vs. C. E. Schaff, receiver for the M. K. & T. Railway, et al, \$15,000 damages for personal injury; C. H. Lybich vs. Wichita Falls Motor company, \$5,000 damages for personal injury; Elsie Cockrell vs. W. F. Cockrell, divorce, custody of child and restoration of maiden name. In the 78th district court this afternoon the case of Wale B. Leonard vs. Electric Electric company is on trial before a jury. Mr. Leonard is suing for commissions alleged to be due him in connection with the sale of the Electric power plant last year.

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