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New Railroad

ton, and also the Cheyenne Short line, which runs 6 miles and connects with the Clinton road. east from Clinton Okla. to El Reno to a connection with the Miami, and has a host of friends Fort Smith, Ark over the new the bereaved family. line to Amarillo Texas. The new line will also branch between Clinton and Elreno, runa connection with the Oklahoma that during his life by his con-Central, recently purchased by duct and ever persisting stand the Santa Fe.

evening of last week and among to come. it was a 25 year franchise.

A mass meeting of all citizens the unwelcome visitor will will be held, at the High School agath visit them soon. Auditorium tomorrow night, to which all are requested to come plant for Miami will be explained and discharging of firecrackers and are for a 24 hour current, from substances and the riding of bicycles working by Jan. 1. Already one streets and sidewalks in the city of right to exhibit the same for a fee of beginning a distance of about 438 third of the stock has been subscribed and it is hoped that the the city of Miami, the plant started.

show your public spirit.



The man who does not take advantage of the opportunity professions, occupations and callings, offered by a bank account, is the taxing of which is not prohibited loosing his yield from the crop state. of life, for he soweth, but he reapeth not.

THE First State Bank Of Miami



A Real Bank For Depositors |medicines by wholesale.

Dr. Robert Cole Dies

Eld. Walter Cook of Miami 6 Foot pedlars, pedlars with one follows to wit:breached the funeral at the fam.

The foot pedlars, pedlars with one pair of oxen, and the fam. witnessed by near 500 of his trees exclusively. cently purchased the Clinton. friends. He leaves a wife and

beetie for the past four years sold in his place of business. moving there from a farm near

Dr. Cole was a strong advocaworker for the highest stanfor good he led many souls from the paths of wrong.

Electric Light Franchisa a life well spent, which is now gone, his face we shall no more behold but his good and kindly,

other things transacted was the We extend our deepest sym-Armstrong, trustees for the Mi- wish them every deserving bles-

other pyrotechnic, with or without are exempt. and sane way to light, a city. name, toy pistol, blank cartridges or 15 From every person, firm or as- thence east 165 feet to a stake, or corcould not be advantageously re. any other explosive substances of any for sale of lightening rods. placed with electric lights. Be kind on the streets and sidewalks sure and come to the meeting, city of Miami, and for a violation of whether you want stock or not, which such person or persons shall be 17 From each owner, manager or ning at a point 165 feet east from the

publication according to law. Passed and approved this the 24th

lay of November, A. D., 1914. Roy Trowbridge, Mayor. annual exhibition.

J. W. Wells, Secretary.

ORDINANCE NO. 14 An ordinance taxing certain trades

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after a severe attact of Brights or device of that character, with or Also the following tracts and parcels without name

preached the funeral at the fam-Guthrie, Nov. 21 - It is reliably ily residence and the remains oxen, except traveling vendors of boundry line of Kiowa street intersects oxen, except traveling vendors of boundry line of Kiowa street intersects to Paphandle and Santa Fe Ry, Co. reported here that Kemp and were laid away in the Mobeetie literature, or traveling vendors of he Panhandle and Santa Fe Ry.Co. Kell who built the Wich!ta Falls Cemetary Saturday evening, poultry, vegetables, fruit or other right of way, thence South with said

present when the end came. | cooking stoves or ranges, wagons | 100 feet a stake for corner., thence Robt-Cole had spent 61 years buggies or carriages, surreys and other north paralell with said east boundry on this rarth and his life was similar vehicles, washing machines line of Kiowa street 150 feet to Panone of a true Christian he was and churns, provided however that a bandle and Santa Fe Ry. Co. right of one of a true Christian, he was merchant shall not be required to pay way line a stake for a corner, thence will extend the road west to loved and respected by all who this special tax for selling the articles along said right of way line in a west-Panhandle Texas by way of Mo- met him. He had lived in Mo- named above in this subdivision when straig direction to a place of beginning.

8 From every theatre or dramatic Beginning at the point where Fast representation for which pay for addine of Kiowa street joins East line of Fort Smith & Western and the in this part of the country who ever that theatrical or dramatic reps in a northeasternly direction 216 feet Santa Fe will operate trains from are in deepest sympathy with resentations given by performers for and 4 inches to a point 60 feet north instruction only or entirely for charit, and east of N. E. line of the court able purposes shall not be herein in- pouse square, thence north east 175 ciuded and provided further that this feet to a point in said east line of Surtor of Christian religion and a tax shall not be collected where the vey No 71, thence South along said ning southeast to Chickesha and dards of morality, and no doubt recognized opera house or theatres, of beginning performances are exhibited in regular | ast line of said Survey No. 71 to place but in lieu of said tax the managers of said opera houses or theatres shall pay said occupation tax.

admission is demanded or received.

10. From every menagerie, waxconnected with the circus or not where ded or received.

granting of a franchise to Dial & pathy to the bereaved family and acrobatic feats are performed and an admission fee charged for profit not connected with the circus or thertre. Beginning 695 1.2 feet south from N. ami Light & Power Company, sing, that the wound in their 12. From every slight of hand ger I W. corner and 50 feet South of the S.

without paying any occupation tax.

14 From every concert where a fee for admission is demanded or recieved | That portion of Survey No. 62 block balance may soon be gotten and 1st. That it shall hereafter be un- provided however that entertainments M-2, patented to C. Coffee in 1906 and lawful for any person or persons to fire when given by the citizens for charata- described as follows: Beginning 367 1-2 Miami needs electric lights or discharge any fire crackers, sky ble purposes or for the support or aid yards from the N.W. corner of said very badly. It is the only safe rocket, roman candle, torpedos or any of literary or cemetary associations survey and on the west line of same

Not a church, hall nor business shells in any gun or pistols or in any sociation of persons dealing in lighten- ner, thence north 158 feet to a stake house in town have lights that other manner cr to fire or discharge ing rods and every person canvassing for corner, thence west 165 feet to a

16 From each electric light com- said line 158 feet to place of begining within the incorporated limits of the pany operating an electric light | Also that portion of Survey No. 62 plant.

Be a booster for the plant and punished by a fine of not more than keeper of every show or comyany of N. W. corner of tract sold Samuel Edpersons giving exhibition of music, ge which corner is 367 1-2 yards from songs, recitations, slight of hand, the N. W. corner of this survey, theaperson or persons to ride any bicycles, gymnastic, dancing or either kinds of co east with Edge fence 310 feet to the velocipede, wagon or other mechanical performance in a tent, house or else- West bank of branch for corner thence device on the sidewalks of any of the where, which said exhibitions are used in a northerly direction with the bank streets within the incorporate limits of, for profit by sale of medicines, elec- of this branch 450 feet for a staked the city of Miami and for a violation of tric belts or ather articles of value, corner, thence west with division fence which such person or persons shall be whether charge is made only for seats 265 feet to a stake corner, thence punished by a fine of not more than or not, a city tax of \$2.50 for every south 264 feet to place of beginning. such performance or exhibition, pro-This ordinance to be in full force and vided however this tax shall not be late this ordinance shall be deemed To the Chief, effect from and after its passage and assessed when these performances are guilty of a misdemeanor and upon congiven inside the grounds of any State viction shall be punished by a fine of or county fair during the time that not more than \$5 and each and every said State or County Fair is giving its day hogs are kept shall constitute a

> This ordinance to be in full force Passed and approved the 21th day of publication according to law. November, A. D. 1911,

Attest: Roy Trowbridge, Mayor. J. W. Wells, Sec'y.

ORDINANCE NO. 15 Be it ordained by the city Council of An ordinance prohibiting the keepthe city of Miami, that there shall here- ing of hogs in certain territory within after be levied upon and collected from the incorporate limits of City of Miami 4 for one week, for demonstraevery person, firm company or assoc- Be it ordained by the City Council of tion. iation of persons personing any of the the City of Miami, that it shall hereafoccupations within the incorporate tar be unlawful for any person or perlimits of the city of Miami named in sons to keep or be interested in keeping the following numbered subdivisions any hogs within the territory in the below an occupation tax equal to one incorporated limits of the City of Mihalf the occupation tax levled by the ami, described as all of Blocks one to Tuesday and Wednesday next state upon all occupations not other- twenty-eight inclusive in the original wise specially exhempted, as follows. town of Miami as shown by the recordcd plat of said town on file in the office

erts county, and also all of block "A" 4 Itinerant physicians, surgeons, of the second addition to the town of oculist or medical or other specialists Miami as shown by recorded plat of k i no d said addition on file in office of the Dr. Robert Cole who lived traveling from place to place, except County Clerk of Roberts county, and near Mobeetie died Friday even. dentists practicing from place to place also all of the right of way land owned ing of last week at his home, two in the county of their residence. by the Panhandle and Santa Fe 5 All persons keeping or using for Railway Company within the inmiles north of town, at 3 o'clock, profit any hobby horse, flying-Jenny corporate limits of the City of Miami

country produce exclusively and fru't east line of Kiowa street 150 feet a stake for corner, thence in a easternly Oklahoma & Western Railway, eight children all of whom were out clocks, agricultural impliments, Santa Fe Ry. Co. right of way line

Beginning at a point on the west ine of survey No. 62 Block M-2, H. & 9 For every circus wherein eques G. N. Ry. Co. 300 feet to N.W. corner train or acrobatic feats and performan- of said section, thence south with said He has passed down through ces are exhibited for which pay for section line 344 feet a stake for corner hence in an easternly direction 456 feet to branch for corner, thence in a works, side show or exhibition whether | northernly direction with west | bank | of branch 243 feet to the corner of the The City Council met Friday influence will live for many years a separate fee for admission is deman- Bill Burton tract for corner of this ract, thence West with the South 11. From every exhibition where line of the Burton tract 280 feet to

hearts may be healed and that permanee or exhibition of legerdemian W. corner of a tract sold out of Survey 13 From every menagerie, wax thence south with the west line of said works or exhibition of any kind where section 142 feet to the corner of tract a seperate fee or admission is demand- originally sold to P.A. Peck out of ed or recieved, provided however that said section, thence east with said Peck At which time the electric light An ordinance prohibiting the firing exhibition by associations organized tract north line to west bank of branch for promotion of art, science charity about 438 feet for S. E. Corner of this from start to finish The plans pyroteenies, toy pistols, blank carprovided further that persons who with bank of branch to a point 50 feet form a museum composed entirely of south from south line of Baker tract a a \$6,000 plant to be installed and and other mechanical devices on the the products of Texas shall have the stake for a corner, thence west to place

thence north from beginning 107 feet west line for corner, thence south with block M-2 desceibed as follows: Begin-

Any person or persons who shall vio-

separate and distinst offence. This ordinance becomes effective after i's publication according to law. lanuary 1st. 1915 after passage and

Passed and approved this 21th day of November A. D. 1914. Attest: Roy Trowbridge, Mayor.

J. W. Welts, Sec'y

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DENTIST

J. A. Newman.

ants engaged in the sale of drugs or recorded plat of said addition on file in ter either horses and cattle , see

Just want to call your attention a minute to our line of goods. We now have a fine line of the famous Heinz pepper sauce, Mustard sauce, Tomato Soup, Pork and Beans, Relish, Mustard, Peanut butter; etc. Stuff that is by far the very best that money can buy.

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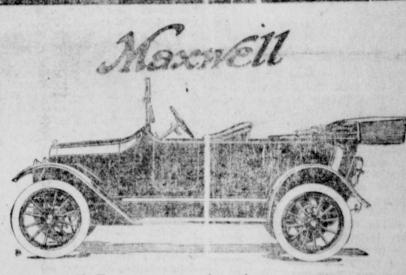
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Western Union Telegram

Miami, Texas

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The Town Fool

The Play DeLuxe

A Pearl of Dramatic Purity. The high-Dr. Mee's will be in Miami on est Standard of real amusement for a medium price. Don't fail to see it. A 1 Itinerant merchants
2 Traveling vendors of patent or of the County Clerk of Roberts county WANTED STOCK TO WINTER Typical American Story. Big Comedyother medicines. except commercial and also an of blocks twenty-nine to traveling salesmen or salesmen making thirty-one inclusive of 1st addition to the town of Miami as shown by the sales or soliciting trade for merchthe office of the County Clerk of Rob- 3tf. Willie or C. F. Christopher Saturday night Nov. 28. 25-35-50 cents.

The Last Shot

FREDERICK PALMER

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SYNOPSIS.

At their home on the frontier between the Browns and Grays Marta Galland and her mother, entertaining Colonel Wester-ling of the Grays, see Captain Lanstron, staff intelligence officer of the Browns. sky, anarchist, decries war and played-out patriotism and is placed under arrest. Colonel Lanstron overhearing, begs him off. Lanstron calls on Marta at her home. He talks with Feller, the gardener. Marta tells Lanstron that she believes Feller to y. Lanstron confesses it is true n shows Marta a telephone which Lanstron shows Marta a telephone which Feller has concealed in a secret passage under the tower for use to benefit the Browns in war emergencies. Lanstron declares his love for Marta. Westerling and the Gray premier plan to use a trivial international affair to foment warlike patriotism in army and people and strike before declaring war. Partow, Brown chief of staff, and Lanstron, made vice, discuss the trouble, and the Brown defenses. Partow reveals his plans to Lanstron. The Gray army crosses the border line and attacks. The Browns check them. Artillery, infantry, aeroplanes and dirigibles engage. Stransky, rising to make the anarchist speech of his life, draws the Gray artillery fire. Nicked by a shrapnel splinter he goes Berserk and fights—"all a man."

CHAPTER IX-Continued.

long wail! No man ever forgets the whom it is aiming to assist. first crack of a shrapnel at close quar. The ground seems rising under the ters, the first bullet breath on his feet of Fracasse's company; the air is cheek, or the first supporting shell split and racked and wrenched and from his side in flight that passes torn with hideous screams of invisible above him.

"That is ours!" called Dellarme. "Ours!" shouted the sergeant.

one of them.

the still air; then another beside it. ful, soft blue smoke from which a no spotting the flashes of the Browns' guns in order to reply to them, for they were under the cover of a hill, using indirect aim as nicely and accurately as if firing pointblank. The gunners of the Gray batteries could not go on with their work under such a hail-storm; they were checkmated. They stopped firing and began moving to a new position, where their commander hoped to remain undiscovered long enough to support the 128th by Sosing his lightnings against the defenders at the critical moment of the next charge, which would be made as soon as Fracasse's men had been reinforced.

There was an end to the concussions and the thrashing of the air around Dellarme's men, and they had the relief of a breaking abscess in the ear. But they became more conscious of the spits of dust in front of their faces and the passing whistles of bullets. In return, they made the sections of Gray infantry in reserve rushing across the levels, leave many gray lumps behind. But Fracasse's men at the foot of the slope poured in a heavfer and still heavier fire.

"Down there's where we need the shells now!" spoke the thought of Dellarme's men, which he had anticipated by a word to the signal corporal, who waved his flag one-two-three-four -five times. Come on, now, with more of your special brand of death. fire-control officer! Your own head is above the sky-line, though your guns are hidden. Five hundred yards beyond the knoll is the range! Come

He came with a burst of screams so low in flight that they seemed to ing. brush the back of the men's necks with a hair broom at the rate of a thousand feet a second. Having watched the result, Dellarme turned with a confirmatory gesture, which the corporal translated into the wigwag of "Correct!" The shrapnel smoke hanging over Fracasse's men appeared a heavenly blue to Dellarme's men.

"They are going to start for us Oh, but we'll get a lot of them!" whispered Stransky gleefully to his rifle.

did not want to fall back in face of the Grays would not endure this show- the crater. er-bath long without going one way or tance in which to stop the Grays.

"We'll spear any of them who has

Stransky to his rifle. The sentence

ing, except to kill. The Gray batteries on the plain, having taken up a new position and being reinforced, played on the crest | at top speed instantly the Gray line rose and started up the slope at the me to do, sir?" run. With the purpose of confusing no less than killing, they used percussion, which burst on striking the ground, as well as shrapnel, which burst by a time-fuse in the air. Fountains of sod and dirt shot upward to concussions of the earth shook the aim of Dellarme's men, blinded by smoke and dust, as they fired through a fog at bent figures whose legs were pumping fast in dim pantomime.

was spoken in the midst of a salvo of

shrapnel cracks, which he did not

hear. He heard nothing, thought noth-

But the guns of the Browns, also. have word that the charge has begun. The signal corporal is waiting for the gesture from Dellarme agreed upon as an announcement. The Brown artil. pany to work with their spades mak- hidden in an ugly swirl of yellowish lery commander cuts his fuses two hundred and fifty yards shorter. He,

too, uses percussion for moral effect. Half of the distance from the foot to the crest of the knoll Fracasse's men have gone in face of the hot, sizzling tornado of bullets, when there is a blast of explosions in their faces with all the chaotic and irresistible But would one? He understood force of a volcanic eruption. Not only that with their smokeless powder the are they in the midst of the first lot Gray guns could be located only by of the Browns' shells at the shorter their flashes, which would not be vis- range, but one Gray battery has either tble unless the refraction of light were made a mistake in cutting its fuses or favorable. Then "thur-eesh-thur-struck a streak of powder below standeesh" above every other sound in a ard, and its shells burst among those

demons. The men stop; they act on the uncontrollable instinct of self-preservation against an overwhelming "Ours!" sang the thought of every force of nature. A few without the power of locomotion drop, faces Over the Gray batteries on the plain pressed to the ground. The rest flee an explosive ball of smoke hung in toward a shoulder of the slope through the instinct that leads a "Thur-eesh - thur-eesh - thur-eesh," hunted man in a street into an alley. the screaming overhead became a gale | In a confusion of arms and legs, pressthat built a cloud of blue smoke over ing one on the other, no longer solthe offending Gray batteries-beauti. diers, only a mob, they throw themselves behind the first protection that spray of steel descended. There was offers itself. Fracasse also runs. He runs from the flame of a furnace door suddenly thrown open.

> The Gray batteries have ceased firing; certain gunners' ears burn under the words of inquiry as to the cause of the mistake from an artillery commander. Dellarme's men are hugging the earth too close to cheer. A desire to spring up and yell may be in their also digging at the base of the slope. hearts, but they know the danger of showing a single unnecessary inch of their craniums above the sky-line. The sounds that escape their throats are those of a winning team at a tug of war as diaphragms relax.

With the smoke clearing, they see forms is within fatal range. Not one ing. Among them is little Peterkin, so faithful in forcing his refractory legs to keep pace with his comrades. If he is always up with them they will never know what is in his heart and call him a coward. As he has been in the pell-mell retreat.

he was opening his eyes sticky with dust. At least, he must be wounded! He had not power yet to move his hands in order to feel where, and when rodent. they grew alive enough to move, what he saw in front of him held them frigidly still. His nerves went searching from his head to his feet andmiracle of heaven!-found no point of pain or spot soppy with blood. If he were really hit there was bound to be one or the other, he knew from read-

ble Browns-above the glint of their could stop a bullet, though not more than three feet away was a crater made by a shell burst. The black circle of every muzzle on the crest seemed to be pointing at him. When ing of the guns. were they going to shoot? When was he to be executed? Would he be shot it, Miss Galland? They are trying to ment. the very first bullet go through his as Marta parted from him. Dellarme glanced again toward the head? Why didn't they fire? What colonel's station. No sign of the re- were they waiting for? The suspense tiring flag. He was glad of that. He was unbearable. The desperation of overwhelming fear driving him in irrea charge; to have his men silhouetted sponsible impulse, he doubled up his in the valley as they retreated. And legs and with a cat's leap sprang for

A blood-curdling burst of whistles the other. He gave the order to fix passed over his head as a dozen rifles bayonets, and hardly was it obeyed cracked. This time he was surely when he saw flashes of steel through killed! He was in some other world! the shrappel smoke as the Grays fixed Which was it, the good or the bad? theirs. The Grays had 500 yards to The good, for he had a glimpse of blue go; the Browns had the time that it sky. No, that could not be, for he had takes running men to cover the dis- been alive when he leaped for the crater, and there he was pressed

"Confound it! If we'd kept on we'd our only purpose is common progress have got them! Now we have to do and happiness." shoulder-faces asking. What next? their guns in a field of carrots that eyes blinking; faces with the blood tossing spadefuls of earth. Hugo Mallin's.

I'll warrant, Mallin!" said Fracasse homeward; already it had gained its excitedly, venting his disgust on a object as a scout. On the fragile platparticular object.

dignity. Yes, sir, I kept near you all aeroplanes. the time. Wasn't that what you wanted

terical laugh as if something had bro- claimed the artillery commander. Both ken in their throats. Everybody felt he and his men forgot their work in better for this touch of drollery except | watching the spectacle of aerial David the captain. Yet, possibly, it may against aerial Goliath. "If our man have helped him in recovering his lands with his little bomb, oh, my!" meet descending sprays of bullets. The poise. Sometimes even a pin-prick he grinned. "That's why he is so will have this effect.

"Silence!" he said in his old manner. "I will give you something to of the gunners. joke about other than a little setback like this! Get up there with your full speed, too!" rifles!

He formed the nucleus of a firingline under cover of the shoulder, and then set the remainder of his com-



A Blood-Curdling Burst of Whistles Passed Over His Head.

ing a trench. The second battalion of the 128th, which faced the knoll, was and another regiment in reserve was deploying on the plain. After the failure to rush the knoll the Gray commander had settled down to the business of a systematic approach.

And what of those of Fracasse's men who had not run but had dropped 20 or 30 Grays plastered on the slope in their tracks when the charge haltat the point where the charge was ed? They were between two lines of checked. Every one of those prostrate fire. There was no escape. Some of the wounded had a mercifully quick moves a finger; even the living are end, others suffered the consciousness feigning death in the hope of surviv- of being hit again and again; the dead were bored through with bullet holes. In torture, the survivors prayed for death: for all had to die except Peterkin, the pasty-faced little valet's son.

Peterkin was quite safe, hugging the bottom of the shell crater under a knocked unconscious, he has not been swarm of hornets. In a surprisingly short time he became accustomed to His first stabbing thought on coming the situation and found himself ravento was that he must be dead; but, no; ously hungry, for the strain of the last 12 hours had burned up tissue. He took a biscuit out of his knapsack and began nibbling it, as became a true

CHAPTER X.

Marta's First Glimpse of War. As Marta and the children came to

the door of the chapel after the recitation of the oath, she saw the civil population moving along the street in the direction of the range. There was Between him and the faces of the nothing for Marta to do but start Browns-yes, the actual, living, terri- homeward. The thought that her mother was alone made her hasten at rifle barrels, was no obstacle that a pace much more rapid than the procession of people, whose talk and exclamations formed a monotone audible in its nearness, despite the continuous rifle-fire, now broken by the pound-

"It's all done to beat the Grays, isn't in many places and die thus? Or would take our land," said Jacky Werther

"Yes, it is done to beat the Grays," she answered. "Good luck, Jacky!"

Yes, yes, to beat the Grays! The same idea-the fighting nature, the brute nature of man-animated both sides. Had the Browns really tried for peace? dad they, in the spirit of her the fact, Miss Galland." oath, appealed to justice and reason?

"We'll spear any of them who has against the soft earth of its bottom. We are wrong we will make amends: as loyal as my old maid and the butler the luck to get this far!" whispered He burrowed deeper blissfully. He if you are wrong we know that you and the cook were to your grand-

man of the 128th, and he certainly to gain points, we civilized nations, lands had many servants then!" had passed through a gamut of emo- but be frank with each other. Let us tions in the half-hour since Eugene not try to irritate each other or to in- place will be shelled, enfiladed! And Aronson had leaped over a white post. fluence our people, but to realize how you two-" the captain protested des much we have in common and that perately.

it all over again!" growled Fracasse At the turn of the road in front of Galland women have always remained distractedly as he looked around at the castle she saw the gunners of the with their property in time of war. the faces hugging the cover of the batteries making an emplacement for Naturally, I shall remain!" each in its own way; faces blank and had not yet been harvested. The roots fluence I was counting on to-" The a death rate of 180,000. The daily white; faces with lips working and of golden yellow were mixed with the captain turned to Marta in a final ap-

rushing back to cheeks in baffled an- A shadow like a great cloud in mad ger. One, however, was half smiling- | flight shot over the earth, and with the gunners she looked up to see a Gray "You did your share of the running. dirigible. Already it was turning form of the gondola was a man, seem-"Yes, sir," answered Hugo. "It was ingly a human mite aiming a tiny toy very hard to maintain a semblance of gun. His target was one of the Brown

"They're in danger of cutting their own envelope! They can't get the an-Three or four men burst into a hys- gle! The plane is too high!" exhigh. He's been waiting up there." "Pray God he will!" exclaimed one

"Look at him volplane-motor at

"Into it! Making sure! Oh. splen-O!" cried the artillery commander.

A ball of lightning shot forth sheets of flame. Dirigible and plane were smoke, rolling out into a purple cloud that spread into prismatic mist over the descent of cavorting human bodies and broken machinery and twisted braces, flying pieces of tattered or burning cloth. David has taken Goliath down with him in a death grip.

An aeroplane following the dirigible as a screen, hoping to get home with information if the dirigible were lost, had escaped the sharpshooters in the church tower by flying around the town. However, it ran within range of the automatic and the sharpshooters on top of the castle tower. They failed of the bull's-eye, but their bullets, rimming the target, crippling the motor. and cutting braces, brought the crumpling wings about the helpless pilot. The watching gunners uttered "Ahs!" of horror and triumph as they saw him fall, gliding this way and that, in the agony of slow descent.

"Come now!" called the artillery commander. "We are wasting precious time."

Entering the grounds of the Galland house, Marta had to pass to one side of the path, now blocked by army wagons and engineers' materials and tools. Soldiers carrying sand-bags were taking the shortest cut, trampling the flowers on their way.

"Do you know whose property this is?" she demanded in a burst of an-

"Ours-the nation's!" answered one, perspiring freely at his work. "Sorry!" he added on second thought.

Already parts of the first terrace were shoulder-high with sand-bags and one automatic had been set in place, Marta observed as she turned to the veranda. There her mother sat in her favorite chair, hands relaxed as they rested on its arms, while she looked out over the valley in the supertranquility that comes to some women under a strain-as soldiers who have been on sieges can tell you-that some psychologists interpret one way and some another, none knowing even

their own wives. "Marta, did any of the children come?" Mrs. Galland asked in her usual pleasant tone. So far as she was concerned, the activity on the terrace did not exist. She seemed oblivious of the fact of war.

Marta's monosyllable absently answering the question was expressive of her wonder at her mother. Most smoke to escape the high-angle guns girls do not know their mothers much better than psychologists know their

should go regularly about what he words bubbling with the joy of water considers his duty," said Mrs. Galland. in the sunlight. "As I thought," he "They have been as considerate as continued in professional enthusaism they could, evidently by Colonel Lanstron's orders," she proceeded, nodding toward the industrious engineers. "And they've packed all the paintings and works of art and put them in the cellar, where they will be safe."

The captain of engineers in command, seeing Marta, hurried toward had only minutes.

'Miss Galland, isn't it?" he asked. "I have been waiting for you. I-Iwell. I found that I could not make the situation clear to your mother."

"He thinks me in my second childhood or out of my head," Mrs. Galland explained with a shade of tartness. pulse. "And he has been so polite in trying to conceal his opinion, too," she added with a comprehending smile. The captain flushed in embarrass-

"I-I can't speak too strongly," he

declared when he had regained his composure. "Though everything seems to be safe here now, it may not be in an hour. You must go, all of you. This house will be an inferno as soon as the 53d falls back, and I can't possibly get your mother to appreciate

"But I said that I did appreciate it Why hadn't their premier before all and that the Gallands have been in the world said to the premier of the infernos before-perhaps not as bad Grays, as one honest, friendly neigh- as this one that is coming-but, then, bor to another over a matter of dis- the Gallands must keep abreast of the times," replied Mrs. Galland. "I have "We do not want war. We know asked Minna and she prefers to reyou outnumber us, but we know you main. I am glad of that. I am glad would not take advantage of that. If now that we kept her, Marta. She is

was the nearest to the enemy of any will. Let us not play tricks in secret mother in the last war. Ah, the Gal-

"This isn't like the old war. This

"I became a Galland when I married," said Mrs. Galland, "and the

"Miss Galland, it was you-your inpeal.

Mrs. Galland was watching her daughter's face intently.

"We stay!" replied Marta, and the captain saw in the depths of her eyes, ment was useless.

Now came the sweep of a rising roar tention of the rush of a fast expresstrain past a country railway station. Two Gray dirigibles with their escort pass over the pass road. The autorear dirigible had been torn in shreds: havoc that left a drifting derelict; the sia. remainder of the squadron had completed its loop and was pointing toward the plain.

From a great altitude, literally out of the blue of heaven, high over the Gray lines, Marta made out a Brown squadron of dirigibles and planes descending across the track of the

The Gray dirigibles, stern on, were little larger than umbrellas and the planes than swallows; the Brown diri-



She Looked Up to See a Gray Dirigible.

gibles, side on, were big sausages and their planes specks. To the eye, this meeting was like that of two small flocks of soaring birds apparently unable to change their course. But imagination could picture the fearful or a profession for him accordingly. clash of forces, whose wounded would impact on the earth below.

Marta put her hands over her eyes for only a second, she thought, before stock, and handed back my quartershe withdrew them in vexationhadn't she promised herself not to be cowardly?-to see one Brown dirigible and two Brown aeroplanes ascending at a sharp angle above a cloud of of the Grays.

"We've got them all! No lips survive to tell what the eye saw!" ex-"Marta, whatever happens one claimed the engineer captain, his and discrimination.

With high-power binoculars glued to his eyes, he then turned to see if the faint brown line of Dellarme's men were going to hold or break. If it held, he might have hours in which to complete his task; if it broke, he

Marta came up the terrace path from the chrysanthemum bed in time to watch the shroud of shrapnel smoke billowing over the knoll, to visualize another scene in place of the collision of the squadrons, and to note the captain's exultation over Fracasse's re-

"How we must have punished them!" he exclaimed to his lieutenant. "How we must have moved them down! Lanstron certainly knew what he was doing.

"You mean that he knew how we should mow them down?" asked Marta. Not until she spoke did he realize that she was standing near him.

"Why, naturally! If we hadn't mowed them down his plan would have failed. Mowing them down was the only way to hold them back," he said; and seeing her horror made haste to add: "Miss Galland, now you know what a ghastly business war is. It will be worse here than there."

"Yes," she said blankly. Her colorless cheeks, her drooping underlip convinced him that now, with a little show of masculine authority, he would gain his point.

"You and your mother must gol" be said firmly.

Increase of the Human Race Seems to Be Regulated by Wars and Other Devastations.

Every year, according to scientists who attempt to keep the general records, at least 80,000,000 human beings are born on this earth nad 60,000,000 or 70,000,000 die. This indicates a dail birth rate of about 220,000 and increase in population therefore is about 40,000. The total population of the globe is estimated at 1,800,000,000.

The ravages of war do little to impede the increase. Far more effective have been the upheavals of nature. a cold blue-black, that further argu- The Franco-Prussian war killed about 130,000 in seven months. The death roll of the Russo-Japanese reached from the sky with the command to at- about 200,000. A single earthquake (1737, in India) has been estimated to have caused 300,000 deaths. The fatalities of the Messina earthquake in of aeroplanes were bearing toward the 1908 cannot have been far short of 100,000. A tidal wave in 1896 drowned matic and the riflemen in the tower 27,000 persons in Japan, causing a banged away to no purpose, but the greater loss of life than the whole central sections of the envelope of the war with China in 1894. The earthquake in Japan in 1703 is said to have it was buckling. Clouds of blue shrap killed 200,000 people. The Lisbon nel smoke broke around its gondola. earthquake in 1755 destroyed 50,000 A number of field-guns joined forces human lives, while 40,000 were lost in with a battery of high-angle guns in a the same year in earthquakes in Per-

FOUND TIME FOR AMENITIES

How British and Boers Exchanged Compliments During the Long Siege of Kimberley.

During the Boer war Mr. Rhodes was shut up in Kimberley, and the Boers constantly shelled the town with long-range artillery. They were not very successful, for with 300 big shells they only killed 12 people.

Meantime, Mr. Rhodes accomplished the extraordinary feat of getting a cannon built at his works inside the town. It was a regular modern rifled gun, and fired shells-also homemade on each of which was stamped. 'With compliments of C. J. Rhodes." The Boers themselves were not with-

out a sense of humor. During Christmas, 1899, they were besieging Ladysmith, and on Christmas eve they fired ten plugged shells into the town each with a piece of plum pudding inside, and each bearing the words, "With the season's compliments."

Two of the shells were found by the garrison, and it was discovered that, like Mr. Rhodes', they were homemade, having been cast in a foundry at Johannesburg.

A farmer in a cyclone district was building a superb stone wall. He was building the wall stanch and solid, five feet across the base and four feet high. A stranger stopped his horse and said to the farmer:

"You're taking a lot of trouble with

that wall.' 'You bet," the farmer answered.

I'm putting her here to stay." 'What's the good of that?" sneered the stranger. "A cyclone'll come along and she'll blow over just the same." "Well, let her," said the farmer. She'll be a foot higher if she does." -Minneapolis Journal.

The Tip. "Study a child's character," said Henry Ford in Washington. "Note

his proclivities. Then choose a trade "I sent a little boy out the other day find the succor of no hospital except with a quarter to make a small purchase for me. On his return he told me the article I desired was out of in the form of two dimes and a nickel.

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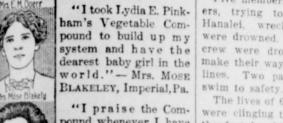
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Halted in His Search.

looking for work." "Yes, I believe he's out looking at sumed command of the city. work. There are some men digging

a hole down at the corner, and he fected without any clash occurring bedoesn't seem able to get any farther." tween the Americans and the native Stray Stories.

Antagonizes Them "Has Bella many friends?

"Oh, yes, but she is the sort of girl who is bound to make a few ene. heard of threats made by followers of "Why so?"

Not to Be Thought of.

"Now let us put our heads together and see if we can't arrange matters." "Put our heads together? That would hardly do, Maude. Your green wig and my purple hair won't harmo-

Dared. "Mr. Wilgus tried to kiss me last evening."

"How dared he?" "He didn't-I dared him."

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VESSEL POUNDS TO PIECES NEAR GOLDEN GATE WITH PAS-SENGER AND CREW.

Five Drown Trying to Reach hip-Two of Crew Have Drowned and Two Passengers Managed to Swim to Safety,

San Francisco, Calif.-Latest adrices received from steamers standing by the steam schooner Hanalei, ashore on Duxbury Reef, nine miles north of this city, state that two bodles have come ashore, the back of the vessel has broken, and there is little hope of saving the remaining 62 persons, passengers and crew, still on board.

Five members of a crew of life say ers, trying to reach the schoooner ham's Vegetable Com- Hanalei, wrecked on Duxbury Reef, pound to build up my were drowned. Two of the Hanalei's system and have the crew were drowned while trying to dearest baby girl in the make their way through the surf with world." - Mrs. Mose lines. Two passengers managed to

The lives of 62 men and women who were clinging to the sloping decks of pound whenever I have the fast breaking up schooner hangs a chance. It did so much | in the balance. A thick fog prevent for me before my little ed relief ships from aiding the Hanagirl was born." - Mrs. lei, and when darkness closed in and E. W. SANDERS, Rowles- the rescue craft sought safety in deep water, it was realized the only possible hope of saving the remaining 32 passengers, also the officers and crew, was to get a line out from the shore. To make this attempt, a San Francisco newspaper arranged to send a mortar gun and the crew of the Golden Gate life saving station to the scene of the wreck. A motor truck met the life savers at Sausitillo on the nrth shore of San Francisco Bay,

sult-Though Occupation Cost This Country Millions, Mexico Bears No Burden-Who'll Get City Now?

Vera Cruz, Mexico.-The Mexican Brigadier General Funston and his command of 6,000 infantrymen and marines which was landed here on "They say your husband was out April 30 last, have departed, and General Candido Aguilar's men have as-

The evacuation of the city was ef-The Mexicans marched in on th heels of the departing troops, but no serious disturbance of the city's peace was registered during their entrance. Residents of Vera Cruz who had

mies among the members of her own | General Villa and others opposed to General Carranza that they would resist the occupation of the city by "She has such a good natural com- Aguilar's troops, breathed more freely er and nearer to the center of the

> General Carranza was quoted by the various departments.

at Tampico has cost the United States disinterested friendship of the United States for her southern neighbors. General Funston has instructions to turn the city over to none of the Mexican factions, and thereby avoid what might be construed as a recognition of one of them. His orders simply are to bring his troops away and leave the city to which ever faction takes pos-

Carranza's commander, Aguilar, is said in the dispatches, to be marching in, but Carranza's troops which have swerved in their allegiance to Villa, are not far distant. There have been some evidences that Carranza intended to move his capital to Vera Cruz upon the American evacuation.

Youth Makes Daring Break. Guthrie, Okla.-After overpowering a jailer, locking him in a cell, stealing two revolvers and a horse and buggy, and forcing the door of the jail, Basil Cochran, 16 years old, under sentence for robbing a mail bag, escaped from the federal jail here. A

Yankees to Aid Briton.

sult.

posse is searching for him without re-

Ottawa, Ontario.-One hundred thousand men in the United States have offered to enlist in Canada for service in Europe, according to Maj- cer? or-General Hughes, Canadian minister of militia. He made the statement to the Canadian club in reply to questions regarding the theory that Germans in the United States might attempt a raid across the border. Major-General Hughes said he was in favor of accepting the men who had offered themselves.

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The Amundsen and Scott expeditions were greatly hindered through as the Carranza soldiers moved near- losing much of their gasoline-a loss that, in fact, had much to do with the disaster that befell Captain Scott. Mr. B. T. Brooks of the Mellon Institute representatives here as being dis- of Industrial Research thinks he pleased with the method used by the knows what caused the loss. At low Americans in delivering over the city temperatures, he says, ordinary tin men are not permitted to leave Canand as having criticized sharply the tends to pulverize. At 54 degrees bepulverize, although more slowly, at a to military duty." Occupation of the Mexican port, in higher temperature. Now, hard solder reprisal for Huerta's insult to the flag usually contains a large percentage of tin, and so, of course, disintegrates in Rochester, N. Y., Herald: more than a score of lives, some in the same way. Consequently the gasbattle and some from disease, and ac- oline cans are likely to leak at the cording to some estimates, as much as soldered seams. Mr. Brooks suggests 10,000,000 dollars. But Mexico will be that polar explorers carry their supasked to pay no indemnity. Adminis- plies of gasoline in containers made tration officials want that fact to of glass, or of some metal unaffected stand out as an added evidence of the by extreme cold .- Youth's Companion.

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THE EUROPEAN WAR MAKES THE GROWING OF WHEAT EX-CEPTIONALLY REMU-NERATIVE.

One result of the European War has been to reduce the volume of business done by many of the manufacturing institutions of the United States, commercial enterprises have been affected, business of many kinds have been hampered, and a financial stringency has been forced on almost every community. It is not only because it has brought these things about, and created a lot of hardship, but there is the outstanding fact of the terrible loss of life, the great destruction of property, and the disruption of everything near and dear to those whose countries are involved in the war that makes the whole affair highly regrettable. The heart of the entire world goes out in sympathy to those within the area of the trouble. Arrangements have been made to re-Heve the distress by money and other means. But there is one great thing -wheat and flour-that the European countries will need. The wheat-producing countries are no longer producing, and there is the gravest reason to fear that they will not be for some years. In this case, it would be fully as beneficial and charitable to make provision to meet the loss of Europe's grain crop by encouraging a greatly increased growth on this con-

The wheat-growing sections of the United States have about reached their limit of production, and this source cannot be depended upon to meet a great deal of the demand that there will be for some years. The only country that is in a position to meet it is-Canada-that portion known as Western Canada. Here there are millions of acres of land. capable of producing from 20 to 40 bushels per acre. All this land is excellent for wheat, and very much is still in the hands of the Dominion Government, and 160 acres of it can be had by the payment of a ten dollar

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The town is about as full o entertainment this week as she can stand.

it would not be a bad idea for every home to be fumigated once a year. Disease germs are liable to collect in any are a mockery and blasphemy. of cattle to Kansas City this week, Everything the best that can home and fumigation would No amount of praying can re- going up with them. He returned put a stop to them ever doing turn the deer fathers, brothers, this morning.

> Governer Colquitt has namgood road day for Texas. Roberts county nseds a W E E K instead of 2 days and then w would have to get some out side help to get our roads in good shape. And our streets. it is a shame the way they are. Everybody knows our streets need repairing, all seem will. ing to help bus why do not we get them fixed. It seems to be no body's particular bu siness to fix streets, and they are let go. We need a stree commissioner who should have full charge of the street work and nothing else and if he did not fix them we would at least have some one to quarrel at.

To-day is Thanksgiving, let us not forget to give due thanks for every blessing we have recieved this year.

At the beginning of the war the sympathy of the greater part of the American people for neutral countries and has played the bully in other ways It knows Uncle Sam is slow to anger, and seemingly is going just as far as possible. Uncle and go to bis relief. Sam should politely inform John Bull that it should stor. It is astonishing that it has not been done before now.

-Plainview News.

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not satisfied with the great The negros in Boston have blessings the Lord has given us filed a complaint with the this year. Call back a few School Board at that place avears when we really had hard gainst using certain songs as times, think over the civil was being an insult to the colored times, remember the circum- race because they call the race stances in Europe and what by name "Darkey, Nigger and could happen to us, then quit Coon." It would be nice if grumbling, talk good times, we would call them the be satisfied and thank the Good "Right most honorable Color-Giver of all blessings for your ed Gentlemen". With us abundance and prosperity. they will be called niggers,

What apology can kings, coons, darkeys or anything we kaisers and czars offer to the choose to call them as long as Lord for their Myramids of innocent women and children widowed, orphaned homeless and hungry. Their prayers and husbands. The cost of Mr, and Mrs. John Stump left war in money is great, but this morning for Houston. Austin. who can estimate it in sorrow

Several of our exchanges are winter. Mr. Stump has been in bad ##. grumbling because the have health and is going there for a lived in this Congressional dis- change. We trust that they will trict many years sud have nev- spend a pleasant winter. er seen our congressman, John H. Stephenson. No we guess they are right, and they never will see him untill be gets an opponant in the race that will scare nine lives out of him about the job, then he will be all over the district in a very few minutes, ane chances are will find thousands of his dear old friends. "Honest John" we suppose is allright, and we have nothing against him, but we are going to give him the job for life, and he not hardly ask for it. He possibly has an idea that he is the only man in the district capable of handling it, and all the one the people wants. It is a good fat job and we would like to see it divided up just a little.

There is quite a difference in the Silver rule and the Golwas with England, but the den rule. "Do not unto othacts of England since then ers what ye would not have have alienated thousands of A- them do unto you" is good, mericans. England has seem- but "Do unto others what you ingly done everything it could would have them do unto you" to provoke his country. It has is much better. The idea is held up American ships bound always do something for some one in need. It is as great a wrong to keep still at sometimes as it is to speak at others When your fellow man needs assistance, be on the aggressive

Most editors are boosters an 1 progressives on everything for the benefit of the town. Possibly everybody clse should be idst like them if they would read as much as the editors. Why do people sing hard Editors read a greater varsety times this year, are not they of literature than any other It has became so common satisfied with an abundant crop class of people, because it comes to tkem all the time from evehonest, and do their duty in

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Ladies Bracelett, 20 yr, \$10 value at \$6.25 .. " " \$8 value at___\$4.50 Ladies solid gold neck chains, \$4 val. \$2.50 Ladies solid gold Diamond Lavaleers sold \$12.50 to \$15.00 at only____\$8.50 Ladies Solid Gold Lavaleers \$7.50 val \$4.50 Gents four piece Krementz button set, one pair cuff links and collar buttons in nice box; absolutely guaranteed, per box \$\$2.50

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Give me your order for X-mas presents now. Same will be filled at prices never offered in Miami. Diamonds ordered on a 10 per cent profit. \$450 piano for \$250. postage paid on orders.

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Texas.

FOR SALE Some nice Big Type Poland China Hogs, see or write,

H. A. Nelson, Miami, Texas.

NO HUNTING

My lands are all posted and no hunting or tresspassing will be allowed. J. A. Meade. 14 4tp-

THIS

Is to notify that all parties that have notes and accounts due the Panhandle Lumber Company, that they must positively be paid before the first of December.

VICE

oints.

Panhandle Lbr. Co.

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14 4tp.

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Coffee & Company have turned their accounts over to me for collection and I will be glad to have all owing them to call at the store and settle at once.

J.M. Smith 17 4tp.

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Thanksgiving TO-DAY

We feel very thankful to our customers for the big and liberal patronage they have given us and in token of our appreciation we are going to continue to give you good values. Just listen what we are offering you.

Rubbers

This week we received a new and full supply of rubbers, for boys, ladies and men, high and low top, 2 to 4 buckle, Monarch, Arctic, etc. Big line, all sizes, \$1.75 to \$2.75

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Houston, J & R. and Fitz overalls, sizes for all. The best overalls on earth. Will be glad to have you see them _____90c and \$1

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Have an odd lot of one dozen ladies and misses cloaks at a third less than wholesale cost. There is also some nice childrens jackets for 25c. Regular \$12 cloaks for \$2.50 to \$5

Auto Hoods

Nice line Ladies Auto caps with veil. going at _____\$1.25 Mens and boys regular winter caps, good values at ____40s to \$1.00

Watch out Next week for the biggest line of Hosiery in silks, liles, etc, for everybody. Rain coats, and Underwear, all kinds and sizes. Big bill of new goods will be opened up Monday. Don't fail to inspect them. Remember that Webster makes the best price.

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CHRISTMAS

GOODS

Is Here

Not wet goods, but Santa Clause has left his full stock of toys, playthings and presents in the Phillpot building. Every kind of a toy that is made, manicure and toilet sets, Pictures, stationery, etc., everything you can name for Christmas. Come and look them over, big display of articles. Come in and lets get acquainted.

The Miami Racket Store

A. L. Muncy, Prop.

School Notes

Miss Easley visited in Canadian Oats, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Shaller.

School will be closed on both Thursday and Friday this week. exercises Wednesday. a Mrs. C. Coffee, J. Coffee, Dan Kivlehen, George ane Johnston, Misses Lillian Walker, Lettie

The judges gave a decision of these accounts.

School will close on Friday Dec 11th for Xmas. holidays and re- 7:30 Evangelistic Service. main closed untill Monday Dec-

County Institute will open on from Friday until Sunday with Mon. morning Dec. 13 at school Mr. Cook came up to chapel

talk in the auditorium last Wed-

SPECIAL NOTICE

The debate between the boys nold are hereby notified to call at and girls of the senior room last J. A. Holmes's office and pay all ac-Good supply big German Friday on "Resolved that full counts at once or give us notes with at the Church of Christ last evening Mobeetie visited a short time in sufferage should be extended to good security. Please attend to and will begin a series of meetings our city Tuesday. Texas women" was carried out, this at once as we are closing up at Laketon to-night. two to one in favor of the affirm-

Jones & Arnold,

day Meeting

Church, Nov. 27-29.

to Association. 7:30, Sermon

Saturday 28 9:30 The Bible Way of Salvation, time.

G. I. Britten, Ellis Wells by those who were there-10:30 Looking forward D. Rees on his ranch this winter. 11:00 Baptists and Female edu-M. W. Splawn 2:30 Devotional exc. S.C.Osborne

3:45 Buckner Orphans home, O.F. Gragg The Wealing note in the Gospil, G.I. Britan 4:15 Our aged Ministers relief J. W. Whatley

4:30 Associational missions J.P. Reynolds 7:30 Exegisis of John 3:1-16, R.A. Cooper, followed by gener-

al discussion. Sunday 29 9:45 Sunday School 11:00 Sermon J. W. Whatley join us. ing led by

S. D. Park and wife spent a short time in our city shopping Monday. Sunday in Wheeler County.

time was never had.

minds us toat winter is coming.

from Okla, City where he has been dogs not wearing City tag at once.

Programme Fifth Sun-

To be held with Miami Baptist

Friday, 27

R. A. Cooper she has been visiting her son, 9:00 Devotional exc. W.B. Moore week and is now with us for some company of eight people under

boring towns too.

M.W. Splawn ladies who do not belong to another sisting and deep sympathy during 3:00 General Experience Meet class are cordially invited to come the sickness and death of our bus-

M. M. and Harry Craig spent the Chief and Dallas News another

day evening from Abaline where he Lockney this week on business and mitory of the Clarendon college Bro. Bedichek of Higgins gave attended the State Baptist Conven- visiting with his many old friends burned last week. a very beneficial and entertaining tion. He recorts that over 1200 in Miami and Mobeetie. Mr. Durwere present and that a greater ham states that he is well pleased Cook, Mrs. Jim Johnston. W. L. We have been having a little State Eank has made since he has tended the funeral of Robt. Cole at weather this week that seems to re- been connected with it and things are prosperous down that way,

Eld. E. D. Beddecheck preached Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Parton of



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trict court this year.

Sunday between trains with his Beecher Store" by Mrs. Baird which

and night.

J. W. Wells sold his home to S. C. was clab guests.

his many friends. 2:30 to 4:30 Womens Auxiliary Mrs. Geo. Nickel returned this friends remembered him.

The Higgins basket ball team came down Saturday and played 15 in favor of Miami. Great is Miami when it comes to games.

The woman's class of the Baptist church on Nov. 22 elected Mrs. J. E. Kinney pres. and Mrs. Ellis Wells sec'y, and tres. The lesson was interesting and enjoyed by the class, seven present. Mrs. Cleave the many good people of Miami and Coffee to lead next meeting. All surrounding c untry for their as-

Mrs. V. B. Tillman and daughter sings ever be yours. Miss Bertha were in the city Tuesday and incidently paid the Chief office a very pleasant call, ordering rillo this week where he has been

Rev. Daniel Rees returned Tues- Thos. Durham was up from It is reported that the boys dor-Mobeetie Saturday

J. P. Wright, Marshall, 'Colldge,

District court is in session at Mrs. J. L. Seiber entertained the Lipscomb this week. All the Dis- womans Study Club at her home trict officers left Sunday for that Friday afternoon. There were place. This will be the last distwelve members present roll call being answered by Bible quota-G. C. Boney of Amarillo spent tions. Biography of "Harriet brother in Mismi, Thos. J. Boney. was very interesting. Current e-Walter Cook preached at the vents was discussed by each mem-Church of Christ Sunday morning ber, after which the hostess served dainty refreshments, Mrs. Hall

Osborne and moved this week to Grandpa J. L. Davis received the Polk Osborne residence. Ellis quite a surprise this morning when Wells is occupying the Jim Wells he went to the Post Office and received a large stack of birthday E. L. Henderson of Canyon is in cards, reminding bim of his 71st. our city to day shaking hands with birthday today. Grandpa is well pleased to know that so many of his

week from McPherson Kans, where 'The Town Fool" will be played at the High School Auditorium Zeke Simpson came back this Saturday night of this week by a the auspicies of the local school Dave Lard has shipped in 400 board. This play is fully guaran-10:00 Echos from the Convention head of steers which he purchased teed to be up to the highest stannear Lubbock. He will feed them dard in comedy-drama, and their representative has fully authorized Atty, C. Coffee, our local townsman to refund any ones admission that is the Miami girls to the tune of 40 to not pleased. Mr. Coffee states that one-fourth of the proceeds will go to the School fund. This play is Our local Tennis Club would like a entirely new and comes highly refew games with some of the neigh- comended. Be sure and attend it. for it is guaranteed to please and be of the very highest quality. Admission 25 35 bud 50 cents. Real amusement, and funny, Oh! me.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to most sincerely thank band and father. May God's bles-

Mrs. Robt. Cole and children,

Herbert Smith is down from Ama-

John Dodson and wife, Walter with the progress the Lockney Mathers and others of Miami at-

> Mrs Will Durham of Mobeetie is spending the week with ler mother, Mrs. W. L. Mathers.

Miss Jessie Severtson came home Sam Carter came in this week To dog owner, I will dispose of this week to spend Thanksgiving. She has been attending Clarendon

POLAND IS SCENE OF TWO BATTLES **NOW IN PROGRESS**

Separate Austro-German Armies Attack Russian Wings and Center and Halt the Advance of the Slavs.

INVASION FAILING

Czar's Legions Temporarily Abandon March Into East Prussia Because of Fierce Attacks Along the Western Border.

(Summary of Events.)

Two big battles, either or both of which may have decisive Germans sank several small cargo results, are being fought in Poland, and a third conflict of al- bor. Five persons were killed by the most equal importance is progress. shells, including a woman and over ing in East Prussia.

Hard Fighting in Poland. The great battle in West Poland is in full progress. Official reports state that no decision has let been reached, but otherwise no definite details are known of the battle which far over-shadows the conflict on the

The engagements presumably reported eastward of the Mazurian lakes at Soldau, Lipno, Kloclawek and Cracow seem to have been merely preliminaries to a general engagement along the whole line. The German bulletin mentions fighting northward | occupied the village. of Lodz, while the Austrians report the advance of their army northward from Cracow, and it is evident that the allies and the Russians are engaged in the center along a north and south line. Hence it seems that the Teutonic allies are leveling a concentric attack from three directions against the Russian force.

Germans Believe They Are Winning. How the struggle is progressing is unknown. The newspaper critics interpret conditions as generally favorable to the Austro-Germans and assert that the German advance beyond Mlawa and the vicinity of Plock has eliminated danger of an invasion of East and West Prussia except by such cavalry forces as are operating northward of Edytkuhnen, in East Prussia on the Russian border. These, however, are only raiders.

Przemysl About to Fall.

A dispatch from Petrograd says surrounding the fortifications are in the possession of the Russian troops. Many of the trenches are filled with lime, confirming statements of prisoners that cholera is raging in the garrison of Przemysl.

Austrians Tell of Success. Reports from Vienna tell of success-

es in Galicia, including the occupation by the Teutonic allies of Tarnow and Wieliczka. According to these reports seven thousand prisoners were taken. Kieliczka is the most westerly point reached by the Russians on their advance on Cracow.

Russians In Galicia.

In Galicia, before Cracow and in East Prussia, the Russians are pushing their advantage, apparently disregarding the fact that their center has been compelled to fall back. They also are showing much activity in the Carpathians, their object being to prevent the Austrians from retiring into Hungary-in fact, it is stated that they already have cut off eight hundred thousand Austrians, who will now be compelled, if defeated, to retreat westward.

Russian and Turkish squadrons have met in a long distance battle off Sebastopol and each claims to have had the better of the encounter. According to the Russian report, the former German cruiser Goeben, now attached to the Turkish navy, was damaged, while the Turks assert that the Russian flagship suffered severely and tulnahl, seventy-five miles beyond the that the other Russian warships were Egyptian frontier, an official Turkish



SIR WILLIAM ROBERTSON Sir William Robertson, who began his military career as an enlisted man, has been made a lieutenant general of the British army on the continent.

Big German Army in Poland. The advance of the Germans from Thorn into Poland is being made in great force. The greatest German strength is to be concentrated on this line. Fighting of the most desperate heavy losses have been suffered by

both sides. It is now a race batter the Russian army invading Eas. Nussia and the German force striking at Poland. It is believed generally the kaiser expects to relieve the pressure upon East Prussia by striking a crushing blow with his forces advancing along the Vistula and from Kalisz. A victory for the Russians about Soldau would be followed by a quick rush into East Prussia which would force an abandonment of the determined offensive in Poland for the defense of the northern province.

Germans Shell Libau.

"German cruisers and torpedo boat destroyers bombarded the naval harbor here for more than four hours.' says a Libau. Russia, corespondent. "Several factories were damaged and a petroleum reservoir was shelled and destroyed by fire. The railway station and some houses in the poorer parts of the town also suffered. The steamers at the entrance to the harthirty persons were wounded.

Losing Guns in Mud.

Many heavy guns have been lost by the Germans in the floods in Flanders. The official French com munique in stating this declares that the artillery fire from the coast to the Lys has slackened somewhat. Snow is again falling in Flanders and the bad weather prevented any infantry attacks being made by the Germans. The Germans followed up their advantage at Chauvancourt in the region of St. Mihiel and have re-

Repulse French at Verdun.

The German troops have repulsed a French attack in the neighborhood of Verdun, France, according to an official communication issued by the German general army headquarters.

Fight On In Belgium. Undeterred by winter weather and floods, the Germans still are making an effort to break down the Allies' defense along the Franco-Belgian frontier. There have been almost continuous artillery fights, with occa sional infantry attacks, but apparent-

The line from the coast to Nieuport, compelled them to evacuate part of their trenches.

At other points the big guns again have been busy, and Reims has been subjected to another rain of shells. German Attacks All Repulsed.

For the most part the opposing armies have been content to shell each other at long range, but the Germans have made several attacks around Ypres, which, according to the French general staff, have been repulsed with heavy losses. Despite these losses it it not believed that the Germans have any intention of giving up their attempt to reach the French coast, and the Allies are making elaborate preparations to block any further advance in force.

Extensive defense works have been erected along the Yser Canal and the French armies are holding that line better position for either defense or

German Regiment Destroyed.

An entire German regiment was deallied troops again flooded the disthe line to the coast has been in prog- about fifty million feet per day. ress for the last month. That was declared in the latest official state- Mezes Accepts Call to N. Y. College. ment issued by the French war office.

Turks Far Into Egypt. Turkish troops have occupied Kalastatement declares.

Turks Push Slavs Back. The general staff of the Russian Caucasian army has issued a communication confirming the report from Turkish sources that the Russians had

received a check near Erzerum. Bombardment Kills 250. A dispatch from Athens says the years. Turks lost 250 men and two guns destroyed in the bombardment of the forts of the Dardanelles. The former German cruisers Goeben and Breslau, which now fly the Turkish flag, have

re-entered the Bosphorus. Allies Take Turkish Forts. The British admiralty announces the successes of operations against the Turkish garrison at Sheikh-Said, on the Strait of Bab-El-Mandeb, at the entrance of the Gulf of Aden, and of the occupation of the Turkish forts at Turba by Indian troops, assisted by the British cruiser. Juke of Edinburgh.

German Cruiser Interned. The German cruiser Berlin has been interned at Trondhjem, Norway. The Berlin, with a crew of 450 men, arrived at Trondhjem and her commander was given the choice of putting to sea within twenty-four hours or of submitting to disarmament. He chose

ELEVENTH DISTRICT RESERVE BANK OPENS

character has been in progress and DALLAS BECOMES ONE OF THE TWELVE FINANCIAL CENTERS OF UNITED STATES.

Prospects of Institution Flattering Nearly \$1,500,000 Pour Into Vaults First Day.

enth district Monday morning, Dallas session, and the governor has repeatbecame one of the 12 financial centers edly said he would not reconvene the of the United States.

opened for business following the re- that body and "through" with it. ceipt of a telegram by E. O. Tenison, chairman of the board of directors. from John Skelton Williams, comptroller of the currency. Mr. Williams said the bank's charter had been exe- Banks in Cotton States Have Overcuted in Washington and was on its way to Dallas. The telegram was au-

At the same time that the uoors of the bank were opened for business the directors and officers of the bank went into session to discuss matters McAdoo announced the completion of of interest affecting the operations of the \$135,000,000 cotton loan fund. In taken up by the directors and discussed in detail, resulting in an agreement that the rate fixed by the feda rate of half a cent lower, making complete the \$100,000,000 portion of of longer period, which means 90 days. Bankers in the district have \$300,000. been complaining against the excessive discount rate since its announcement by the federal reserve board and th directors, desiring to be conservative, agreed upon the half-cent

Flattering Prospects.

The bank opened with most flattering prospects. Members poured into the city vaults nearly \$1,500,000 on amount was deposited by Dallas banks of the system.

Weather Plays Havoc With Germans. ly without either side making any London.-F. Stewart of the Daily News telegraphs from Rotterdam: "The terrible weather of the last few which has been receiving less atten- days is playing havoc with the Gertion since the Germans began their at- mans in the trenches in the low-lying lungs. Several cases of sudden madness also have occurred.

> Cannot Control Gas Well Fire. Tulsa, Okla.-Under the direction

of federal experts an ineffectual attempt is being made to extinguish the Union Stock Yards Open for Business great gas well fire at Yale in the bed | Chicago. The Union Stockyards raging three weeks. Twenty streams disinfected after nine days of quarhours, while six streams of water fight against the hoof and mouth diwere thrown into the hole in order to sease, opened for business at midcool it off, but all without avail. As night Sunday, all parts of the indusa last resort a 20-ton hood, such as is try having been declared thoroughly used to control the famous gas well sanitary and rid of any danger of at Caney, Kan., nine years ago, will spreading the disease. Cattle, sheep be thrown over the hole.

Unable to Stop Gas Flow.

Corpus Christi, Texas .- The enormfrom the Belgian border south to the ous gas flow in the well of the White River Oise and pushing forward ap- Point Oil and Gas company at the estate firm, to be known as the Sanproach works which place them in a White Point field, eight miles north ger Realty company of Dallas, was of this city, continued unabated and chartered with a capital stock of the stroyed north of Bixschoote when the impossible to measure the production Eli T. Sanger and Elihu Sanger. A even in a rough way, but drillers have branch office will be maintained at trict in which the bitter fighting for estimated that the flow has averaged Waco, where property valued at \$227,

> Austin, Texas.-Sidney E. Mezes, Dr. Battle Acting University President president of the university of Texas, has submitted his resignation to the board of regents of the university. The board accepted the resignation with expressions of much regret. Dr. Aezes already has accepted the presdency of the college of the city of New York, and will leave as soon as a successor or temporary successor is secured. The board of regents will thority of the presidency. meet at once to elect a new president. Dr. Mezes has been connected with the University of Texas for 20

Ostrich Versus Turkey.

Chicago as a challenger in the field cendiarism is suspected. occupied by the Thanksgiving turkey. They were grown in the southwest and are mere chicks, as they weigh only 50 pounds each. They were of weight.

Full Crew Bill Defeated.

nounced was 156,593 for and 323,085 smashing all the ladders and crush-

EXTRA SESSION IMPROBABLE

Legislators Replying to Letter of Gov ernor Mostly Oppose Proposition.

Austin, Texas .- According to one of the governor's closest political friends there will be no extra session of the thirty-fourth legislature.

It is understood that of the few replies received by the governor in response to his letter sent to members of the legislature, nearly all of them are adverse to a special session in advance of the regular session next January. Then, too, the attorney general has not changed his opinion, Dallas, Texas .- With the opening of holding that the governor can not call the federal reserve bank of the elev- the thirty-fourth legislature in special thirty-third legislature under any cir-According to schedule the bank cumstances. He is disgusted with

BIG COTTON POOL IS COMPLETED

Subscribed Their Pro Rata.

Washington.-The country-wide et thority to open the bank for business. fort to furnish aid to cotton producers and find a bottom for the cotton market, came to a successful conclusion when Secretary of the Treasury the bank. The rediscount rate was making his announcement Mr. Mc-Adoo declared the success of the plan was now assured.

The secretary's statement came at eral reserve board at Washington was the end of a day devoted to efforts to too high. The directors settled upon secure the subscriptions necessary to 51/2 per cent for maturities of 30 days the fund assigned to banks in non-6 per cent covering maturities cotton-producing states. As it stands the fund is oversubscribed about

Fierce Storm Over Battlefields.

London.-After four weeks of the most desperate fighting there is a lull in the battle in Flanders. With this lull, however, has come little relief for the men in the trenches, as the artillery and rifle fire, to which they have been subjected with hardly the first day. Nearly half of this any intermission, has been replaced by one of those severe storms which banks. The bank at Dallas takes so often accompany November in this ninth place in the ranking of the 12 latitude. In some parts of England the storm reached the proportions of a blizzard; on the sea a heavy gale raged and the battlefields are getting their full share of wind and rain.

Troops Will Leave Vera Cruz Nov. 23 Washington.-Monday, Nov. 23, has been fixed as the date for the Amertempt to get the British out of Ypres, land of Flanders. A great number ican evacuation of Vera Cruz. Secreagain has been subjected to a bom-bardment which is described as a very posure and some have died from that "Both Gen. Carranza and the convenviolent one, while to the south of Dix- cause. The men are being relieved tion at Aguas Calientes having given mude the Germans have been trying, in the trenches far more frequently the assurances and guarantees we rethat it is announced there that the build works to check the flood which vented many cases of inflammation of ministration to withdraw the troops under fire from the Allies' cannon, to than formerly, but this has not pre- quested, it is the purpose of the adof the United States from Vera Cruz on Monday, the 23d of November, All the persons there for whose personal safety this government has made itself responsible have left the city.

> of the Cimarron river, which has been and the packing houses, scrubbed and steam played on the blaze 101 antine in the government and state and hogs will be received for slaugh. ter only

> > New Realty Firm for Dallas.

Austin, Texas.-A \$1,000,000 real with such fury that oil men are un- foregoing figure, all paid in. Alex able to curb it. The gas issues forth Sanger owns \$998,000 of the capital. with such great force that it has been Other incorporators of the 1rm are 500 is owned. The Dallas property of the new concern is valued at \$550,000,

> Austin, Texas .- Dr. William J. Bat tle, dean of the faculty of the university of Texas, was unanimously elected acting president of the university by the board of regents. President Mezes will leave for New York before Dec. 15, and Dr. Battle will

Big Fire at Phoenix. Phoenix, Ariz .- A three-hour fire

enter into the exercise of the full au-

swept the main business block of the city and within two hours had wrought damage estimated at \$300,000. Nine Chicago.—The ostrich has entered business houses were destroyed. In

Waco Cotton Palace Closes. Waco, Texas.-The total attendance at the 1914 Cotton palace which closed fered for sale at 550 a pound, live Sunday night was 258,442, as compared with 299,000 last year.

Houston Fire Loss \$210,000.

Houston, Texas.-Damage worked by fire at the corner of Main street St. Louis, Mo.-The full crew bill, and Congress avenue was much greatrecently voted upon as a proposed er than at first estimated, as several amendment to the constitution of the adjoining store and office buildings state of Missouri, was defeated by a with furniture and stocks were damvote of more than two to one, accord- aged by smoke and water. The total ing to complete returns made public loss is estimated at \$210,000. The city by railroad officials here. This was of Houston also suffered a serious the first time that the full crew bill loss while firemen were pulling down was voted upon by the people in any brick walls. A few tons of masonry state in the Union. The vote as an. fell on an \$8,000 aerial ladder truck ing the machine.

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Domestic Menace.

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ican fashion designers, who, with a at our risk. At dealers or mailed free field for the first time in history, can think of nothing better than to mimic the military uniforms of Eu

Is it not enough that we should have the horrors of the war thrust upon us by the news, filling our imaginations, coloring our dreams? Is it not enough that there should be signs of a military epidemic in all our magazines, articles on strategy, stories of fighting and bloodshed? Must we have the world's nightmare intensified by the very clothes the women wear?-Chi cago Post.

Starting the Day Wrong. There was a gloom on the face

the New England farmer. "What's the matter, Elijah?" asked his nearest neighbor. "Flapjacks given out over to your house?" "Worse'n that," said Elijah. "You

know, 'twasn't apple year, and wife says we can't have any more apple pie for breakfast." "Can't you make out if you have

apple pie noon and night?" "I can, because I've got to," said Elijah, "but, I tell you, it upsets me starting in the day wrong like that.'

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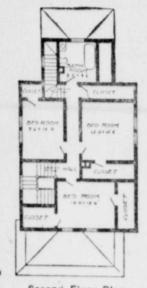
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horoughly well-built "big little" containing seven rooms and a m, all inclosed in a space 26 inches by 41 feet, exclusive of is shown in the accompany-

chitects have learned how to a roof to accommodate several ms. Bedrooms finished off in attic are not exactly a new idea; e or four bedrooms in a roof, pracly all above the plates, with bathand plenty of convenient closets, reduction of modern architecture

essary connections in a satisfactory manner. Enameled bathtubs, wash basins and bowls may be had at reasonable prices from almost all large dealers; and they are not half as ex-

ensive as they were a few years ago. Where hard coal is used the most satisfactory water heater is a range water front. This device used to be called a "water back;" but when the heater is in front of the fire it is thought the oven works better. For this reason most stoves are built with a heater in front of the fire. There is just one precaution to remember in laying the pipes. They must incline MARCH OF PROGRESS all the way from the top of the heater to the highest hot-water tap, and the cool return pipe must incline toward the heater from the lowest part of the hot-water reservoir; otherwise



steam will gather in the pipes and a

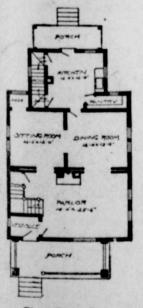
thoroughly well-arranged set of disagreeable kicking will be kept up as long as the water tries to circulate The carrying of hot water in the pipes depends on what is called the principle of the circulation of hot water. Warm water is lighter than cold water, and it quickly finds its way to yout house space to the best ad- the top, so that in practice the water age as it is to invent a machine is continually circulating through the na certain kind of work in a manu- pipes. Where long hot-water pipes ing plant. A few years ago a are used a return is necessary to prethis size and shape would have vent the water cooling too much in three rooms downstairs and a the pipes; but in a small house this is partition somewhere in the loft not necessary. The cooking range lose a set of bedroom furniture. would be in the kitchen directly under he design here presented we see the bathroom; and the pipe to the the old-fashioned shell has been washstand and to the bath would be med into a house of beauty no more than six or eight feet long,



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hecessary for good health in the winter time as well as in warm weather. No one can bathe properly without the necessary accommodations, which include a warm room and plenty of hot water.

In laying out a house it costs very little more to add a bathroom. The expense when building will never be noticed; but this feature will be appreciated as long as the house is occupled. The question, "Shall we have a bathroom?" should never come up. If "This is indeed a happy life." there is any question about it at all, It should be: "Shall we have one or plorer. two bathrooms?"

almost any blacksmith can screw the about when it is necessary to throw pipes together and make the nec- away our straw hata"

outside, and a model of comfort and and would not hold more than possibly

a quart of cold water. It is not necessary to have a city ms in the roof on account of the water supply in order to have running heat in summer; but when you con- water in the house. There must, of sider that north of parallel 42 there course, be a supply under pressure no more than two weeks of uncom- from some source; but this may be had ortably hot weather in a whole year from a tank which is filled by a pump this objection is not very serious. By either from a cistern or a well. Of having the house shaded with large course the supply must be sufficient trees during the afternoon the object for the needs of the family, and it tion disappears entirely, because a should be so thoroughly well arranged low house shaded is cooler than a and connected, and so well adapted to the purpose, that there will be no The bathroom in this little house is shortage, with no tinkering necessary. exceptionally large, being 81/2 feet Water is cheap, whether hot or cold, square, with a good window that is if the arrangements for supplying it free of access. Bathrooms have never are adequate and satisfactory. Perreceived the attention they deserve. sons living in villages or in the coun-Nothing adds more to the comfort of try today may have modern improvea family than a good bathroom that is ments in a better and more satisfacwarm and comfortable. Bathing is tory way than residents of cities had a

few years ago. Modern catch basins, cesspools, septic tanks, etc., have worked great changes. If families do not avail themselves of these modern improvements and conveniences to make life pleasant they are not living up to their opportunities. Because our fathers or grandfathers did without such things is no reason why we should. Life in the country is more satisfactory than living under artificial conditions in town, if we have the things necessary to make home pleasant.

Kissing on Street Proper.

It is not disorderly conduct for two men to frequently kiss a girl when they are bidding her good night at a street corner. At least that is the decision handed down by Justice Dean of the northeastern police district. Charles Lawson and his brother, Harry Lawson, had attended a party in northeast Baltimore with Miss Eva Bova. After the party adjourned they accompanied the girl to the street. They were kissing and hugging each other when they were interrupted by

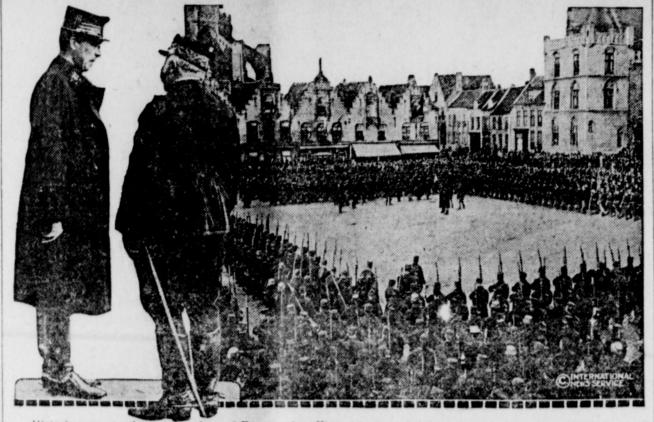
Patrolmen Callahan and Murray and taken to the northeastern police staiton. Justice Dean dismissed the case .--Baltimore Dispatch to the New York

Arctic Placidity.

"Ah, me!" exclaimed the Eskimo; "In what respect?" asked the ex-

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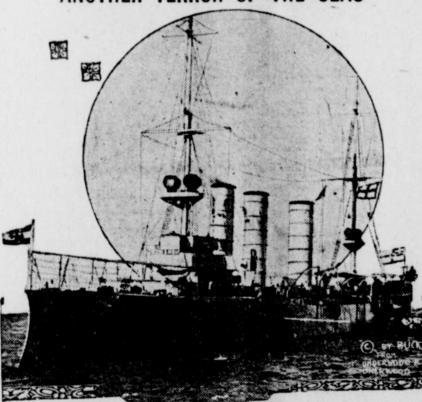
Historic scene in the market place of Furnes when King Albert of Belgium decorated the Seventh regiment of the French army with the Order of Leopold. At the left Albert is shown congratulating the commander of the regi-

FRENCH COLONIALS MEETING AN ATTACK



This photograph was taken outside Dixmude during an attack by Germans on the French colonials entrenched in

ANOTHER TERROR OF THE SEAS



German cruiser Bremen, which, since the destruction of the Emden, is the most sought-for vessel on the seas. She has done immense damage to the merchant shipping of the allies in the Pacific ocean.



This piece of ground, dotted with pits with spikes in them and crossed with barbed wire entanglements, prepared by the Belgians to impede the advance of the Germans, gives some idea of the fields over which the troops in the war zone are expected to charge.

HER LIFE IS IN DANGER



One of the brave American mission aries in Turkey for whose safety great always run the risk of attacks by brig Dec. 1. and; and others, but their peril is greatly increased by the entrance q Turkey into the European war.

FRENCH SAVE BRAVE FORMAN

Colonel Spares Life of Airman Whe Slew Three of His Assall ants.

good sportsmanship among the French | itarium, which will take three months was shown in a letter written by a Ger to complete. The other buildings beman aviator to his parents. Flying ing constructed at the sanitarium are high over the French trenches, the rapidly nearing completion. German pilot was killed and the aviator was severely wounded. The avi ator, however, succeeded in bringin; including a modern sugar mill and his machine safe to earth within the French lines.

He was immediately attacked on all sides, but throwing himself under the wing of his machine for concealment he succeeded in killing three of his as sailants before his revolver was empty When he ceased firing the soldiers rushed up to bayonet him, but their colonel stopped them, saying: "Don't kill him; he is a brave man and ,

worthy enemy!" Thus the aviator's life was spared.

TEXAS NEWS CONDENSED

McLean is shipping out 2,000 bushels of threshed maize every day.

The Hardin County Abstract company of Beaumont has been chartered. capital stock \$5,000.

A new four-stand Murray gin burned at Gasoline Nov. 7. The gin was valued at \$9,000.

The gate receipts of the San Angelo fair were so large that a good surplus has been left after all premiums and other expenses were paid.

At a conference of property tax-

decided to begin paving the business district of Ennis about April 1, 1915. The attorney general's department has approved the following bond is-

sues: Lamar county common school district, No. 52, \$2000; Lamar county common school district. No. 86, \$1800. . . .

One of the large sheet-iron warehouses of W. T. Wilson Grain company containing fifty tons of alfalfa and other feedstuffs, was destroyed by fire at Nacogdoches. The total loss was \$10,000, partially covered by insurance.

lar monthly hearing in granting the petition of coffee shippers to use cotton bags instead of bnrlap bags in the shipment of coffee, gave some relief to the cotton situation.

tion has incorporoted and is ready for business. The charter was so drawn that no one member can hold more than \$500 worth of stock in the association. The amount for which the warehouse is incorporated is \$1,320.

Sidney E. Mezes, president of the university of Texas, has submitted his resignation to the board of regents of the university. The board accepted the resignation with expressions of much regret. Dr. Mezes already has accepted the presidency of the college of the city of New York, and will leave as soon as a successor or temporary successor is secured. Dr. Mezes has been connected with the university of Texas for 20 years.

Dr. B. H. Carroll, aged 70 years, president of the Southwestern Baptist theological seminary, died at his

The enormous gas flow in the well of the White Point Oil and Gas company at the White Point field, eight miles north of Corpus Christi, continued unabated and with such fury that oil men are unable to curb it. The gas issues forth with surh great force that it has been impossible to measure the production even in a rough way, but drillers have estimated that the flow has averaged about fifty million feet per day.

Two massive services of silver were presented to the nation's new superdreadnaught, the Texas, at Galveston. The first was presented by the state's school children. This was the service of the old battleship Texas, renamed the San Marcos, and sunk. which the school children of Texas have replenished and refurnished by contributions. The second servise was the \$7,500 servise purchasd by subscription conducted by the young men's business league of Waco.

John Lester Wroe, a young attorney at Houston, and a member of the state Democratic executive committee, was named by Governor-Elect James E. Ferguson as his private secretary. Mr. Wroe has accepted the position.

Robert T. Neill of El Paso, son of Judge H. H. Neill, and assistant United States district attorney, has been appointed assistant attorney general of the United States by Attorney Genanxiety is felt in this country. They eral Gregory. He will take office on

> It was learned that all chances for another special session of the legislature have not vanished, as the governor dictated a letter to be sent to members of the legislature asking for an expression as to the sentiment in their communities with reference to cotton acreage reduction.

A large concrete building is being Paris, France.-An example of the erected at the Texas tuberculosis san-

> The Ohio and Texas sugar property, about 2,000 acres of land near Brownsville, were sold at auction for \$60,000.

> The Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railway company lost its case for recovery of more than \$61,000,000 as the value of 3,000,000 acres of land in Eastern Oklahoma, embraced within the famous Katy land grant, when the surreme court sustained the decision of the court of claims, which was ad-

verse to the railroad company.

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payers in the paving district, with the mayor and city commissioners, it was

The railroad commission at its regu-

The Ballinger Warehouse associa-

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home in Fort Worth Wednesday morning. Dr. Carroll had been in ill health for some years. He was formerly a pastor at Waco and was well known all over the state. Dr. Carroll was one of the most noted theological authorities and teachers in America. He was a venerable churchman and a leading Baptist of the south. . . .

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The above by T. L. Hecker of the Minnesota Experiment station will interest not only to those who have stave siles but to these who are conetmplating building in the near future. For further information see

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North Plains

Several recieved black marks ft. to 20 ft. for not being at Sunday School See D. K. Hickman, Miami or write

Mr. and Mrs. Elliot visited with Mrs. Pink Seitz Sunday

The literary society program rendered Friday afternoon by the Cowan school children was

Mr. Rasor is having his cake r winter hauled out-

Mr. Heare and family were guests for Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. McCuistian.

Mr. Cowan butchered hogs Mr. Dodson was out to his

place Monday.

Mr. Rodgers has been suffer ing from neuralagea of late. Mr. Smyres and wife spirit

the weeks end in Miami. Wheat that was sown early

now looking fine. Mesdames Dunnivan and Seitz! ere Miami shoppers Monday.

Over The Plains

Bob Gard of Lipscomb county was poisoned last week from eating canned salmons and died a few hours later.

Editor Thompson of the Avard Okla. Tribune is missing since last week. Leaving his town for Canadian and has not been heard of since and according to the Canadian Record he did not come to Canadian and his whereabouts is a Mystery.

A Mexican Fagle measureing 8 feet from tip to tip was killed 16 4tp. tf near Canyon last week. He was attempting to fight a young boy hunting, who shot him.

The Panhandle Swine Breed ers will hold their annual meeting at Chiidress Dec. 11 and 12.

Clarendon has organized a study song music during the of the courts. next few months. All churches 14tf have joined their choir.

Someone broke into the depo-General (ivil and Criminal Practice at Pampa last week and confiscated two gallons of whiskey.

Wheeler county this week. very large dockett is on hand.

capacity of the old one.

Mrs. J. F. Crowley of Shamrock underwent an operation at Clinton Okla, last week and doc tors say she cannot possibly live longer than a week.

We note in our exchanges Sudan grass seed for sale, price takes place and absolutely fair ranges from 25c to 82 per pound to all. Thompson & Hockett too, but where does the difference in grade come in?

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James Dobbs. Medicine Lodge Kans.

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