

## ATTACK ON VERDUN IS PROGRESSING

### GERMANS CLAIM CAPTURE OF MAIN POSITIONS AT ST. MIHIEL

### AUSTRIANS GAIN GROUND

German Official Report Admits Russian Have Concentrated Superior Forces

By Associated Press.  
Berlin, Oct. 31.—A wireless to Brussels—information given out by the press in official quarters today is as follows:  
"Military experts of the German newspapers consider that yesterday's developments around Verdun were of the greatest importance and say that there is promise of their resumption with renewed strength. In the fight south of Verdun, the French are straining every effort to crush and drive out the army which at the end of September penetrated as far as St. Mihiel and which for a month past has been fighting hard to hold the ground gained."  
"The Germans have now captured the main position and their forces are operating from the direction on Toule. The French attack on Pont-a-Mousson also was without results. Attention can be again directed to the original object of this campaign."

Effect of Turkey's Entry.  
"The opening of naval hostilities by Turkey promises to divert the attention of the Russian forces which have been campaigning in Poland where they were able to concentrate superior forces against the armies of Germany and Austria. Nothing new has been reported from Poland. Austria announces officially that the Russian advance against the Austrian positions against the region of Turka has been repulsed. (Turka is in Galicia, twenty-eight miles southwest of Sambor.) Special dispatches to newspapers from the Serbian front report that an entire Serbian regiment under Colonel Ivanoff walked into a trap at Visegrad. They had been informed previously that the Serbians still occupied this place; this was not so and the regiment was quickly resistance and surrendered without resistance."

German military authorities deny a false statement in the press regarding the German sixteen-inch guns which are being circulated in Germany and abroad. The test of these guns began six years ago and German artillerymen have been trained in the use of them for several years past. The secret of these guns was preserved with remarkable success.  
Germans Attacking Warsaw.  
According to official information given out to the press in Berlin today, there is no news from the western arena of the war. The only German news from the Polish front is the authoritative confirmation of the prevailing impression in Berlin that the German onslaught on the Warsaw fortress was in full swing when the retirement of the German forces was ordered. It is pointed out that the German attack scarcely had been directed against the fortified position after Russian forces had arrived at points south and west of Warsaw.  
"These naturally must be the first object of attack. An official announcement given out in Vienna says that the total number of Russian prisoners interned on October 28 was 648 officers and 73,169 enlisted men, not counting those in transit on this date. The report says further that strong Russian forces have crossed the River San, south of Nisko and that they were repulsed after hard fighting. The Russian attacks on the Stry and Sambor likewise have been repulsed. In this engagement an ammunition depot exploded. Austrian forces are pushing forward on the southern flank and gaining ground. They carried several fortified positions on the heights on the northeast of Turka in Galicia, twenty-eight miles to the south of Sambor."

## KEMPS STATEMENT ON COTTON PLAN

### CHAIRMAN OF BANKERS' COMMITTEE EXPLAINS PRINCIPLES OF PLAN

### APPROVAL IS UNANIMOUS

Price Already Advanced and Wichita Believes Further Advance Is Certain  
By Associated Press.  
Dallas, Texas, Oct. 31.—The first effect of the state and country-wide efforts to relieve the cotton situation were shown in Texas this week in a rise of nearly one cent per pound, according to a statement issued here tonight by J. A. Kemp of Wichita Falls, chairman of the executive committee of the Texas Bankers' Association, which has undertaken to help the Texas situation. Middling in Texas today was generally within a fraction of seven cents, compared with six cents a week ago and Mr. Kemp said the important factors in the state committee's work are the providing of a loan fund, the agreement by Texas merchants that eight cents is a fair bottom price, agitation for fifty per cent acreage reduction, and substitution of feed crops next year.  
Unanimous Approval.  
Mr. Kemp said:  
"The practical unanimity of approval by bankers, national, state and private in Texas, of the resolutions adopted by the executive committee of the Texas Bankers' Association is certainly gratifying to the committee. Many hundreds of notices of approval by these Texas banks have already been received by the committee. The effectiveness of constructive work with regard to cotton situation was told in daily advance in the price of cotton during the past week. Within the action of the Texas bankers is but one of the several contributing causes. It is a fact that the entire country and especially the South looks to Texas, the greatest cotton producing state in this country, for leadership in determining those things which are for the best interests of the cotton industry."  
"The committee has no doubt but that similar action to that taken by the Texas Bankers Association will follow in Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, North and South Carolina, Oklahoma and Tennessee. This committee feels it is of great importance to our state and the South that the fundamental principles of the resolution adopted by the Texas Bankers Association should be thoroughly understood. The committee believes that all four of these principles are essential to the proper handling of the situation. It further believes they are of immediate importance in the order named and this order is:  
The Four Principles.  
"Providing a loan fund sufficiently large to take care of the entire estimated surplus of this season's crop. The rate of interest and the charges on the loan should be responsible and the time of the loan run so that the cotton back of it will not be forced on the market but will be absorbed as the world demands it. This first principle will be accomplished by the cotton loan fund plan which was approved by the federal reserve board at Washington on October 24, which this committee believes will be completed and made available within the coming week."  
Eight Cents Minimum.  
"The second principle is that part of this country's crop, which the world needs, shall bring a fair price to the South, and the committee unanimously agreed that a minimum price would be eight cents per pound, basis middling, and with the operation of the cotton loan fund, the committee believes it will very shortly bring eight cents a pound. It is immediately important to the South that the cotton which sells for less than a reasonable price shall remain in the ownership of the South rather than the spinners of the North and East and abroad. If some farmers are so foolish as to insist on selling their cotton at unusually low prices, then the committee believes that this cotton should be absorbed by the country merchants who are carrying the farmers, and that these merchants will be able to obtain a fair and reasonable price for the cotton so taken over. In this way, while the farmer himself will not get the benefit of the advancing prices, the immediate community will get that benefit."  
Acreage Reduction.  
"When the first two essential principles have been worked out, that is, be carrying over of this country's surplus crop so that it will not be a menace to the crop which must be sold and the marketing of that crop which shall be sold at a reasonable price, then the third and fourth fundamental principles covered by the resolution must be considered. These are the reduction of cotton acreage or the 1915 season to at least fifty per cent of the acreage of 1914; and the substitution of good crops which are bringing high prices in that acreage where cotton is eliminated."  
Further Advance Predicted.  
"When the work of this committee started, cotton was selling around six cents a pound. We stated that we believed that it had hit bottom; that the tide would turn and that it would move upward to a reasonable price."

## NURSE AND KIDNAPED CHILD ARE LOCATED

### Julia Krausky Says She Could Not Bear To Be Separated From Little Girl

By Associated Press.  
Muskegon, Okla., Oct. 31.—Julia Krausky, the missing nurse girl, together with Virginia, the four-year-old daughter of Harry Gerhart of St. Louis, were found by the police here today at a small rooming house where they had been living since Wednesday. She admitted her identity; she had come here from Tulsa where she claims to have communicated with Gerhart's uncle.  
She gave as her motive for kidnaping the child that she was so attached to the baby that she could not bear to leave her and return to Tulsa without the child. She claims to have once been told by the Gerhart grandmother that if the child was not treated right to take her away from St. Louis. She disclaims an recent communication with the grandmother in Texas. The girl and child are being held pending instructions from St. Louis.

## DECLARE WAR ON TURKEY

### UNOFFICIAL ADVICES SAY WAR DECLARED BETWEEN TURKEY AND RUSSIA

### GERMANS ARE BLAMED

Turkey Claims German Officers of Ships Attacked Russians Without Orders  
By Associated Press.  
Washington, Oct. 31.—War has been officially declared between Turkey and Russia, according to a private message transmitted today from Constantinople to the United States through the channels of the American government. It was dated late yesterday.  
By Associated Press.  
London, Oct. 31.—An official message has been received at Rome from Constantinople according to a dispatch to the Central News Agency that the Russian fleet has attacked the Turkish fleet near Sebastopol in the Black Sea. Details of the battle are lacking.  
RUSSIAN FLEET ATTACKS TURKISH  
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London, Oct. 31.—The Turkish ambassador at Athens says that the Russian fleet has attacked the Turkish fleet near Sebastopol in the Black Sea. Details of the battle are lacking.  
RUSSIAN AMBASSADOR AND STAFF LEAVE  
By Associated Press.  
London, Oct. 31.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company from Athens says that the Russian ambassador and his staff have left Constantinople. It is believed in official circles in Athens that the question of peace in the Balkans depends solely upon the attitude of Bulgaria. Greece, although resolved to preserve neutrality, is closely watching her interests.  
REPORTED RUSSIAN EMBASSY IS RECALLED  
By Associated Press.  
Petrograd, Oct. 31.—The semi-official Russian news agency says that because of the attack by the German-Turkish warships against the Russian coast on the Black Sea, the Russian government enjoined the same day the Russian ambassador at Constantinople to announce to the sublime Porte the rupture of diplomatic relations with Turkey and his departure with all the members of the embassy and consulates. The protection of the interests of Russian subjects has been confined to the Italian government.  
OTTOMAN GOVERNMENT SAYS ATTACKS NOT ORDERED  
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Washington, Oct. 31.—The Turkish minister of finance informed the French ambassador at Constantinople yesterday that the raid of Turkish ships on Russian seaports took place without the knowledge of the Ottoman government and presumably under the influence of German officers and crew. This information was conveyed in a dispatch today from the same day to the American government. Mr. Morgenthau added that the Russian ambassador received instructions at three a. m. yesterday to demand his passports and made an effort to see the grand vizier when illness prevented him. The Russian, French and British ambassadors, according to the same dispatch, are preparing to leave Constantinople together tonight. On receiving instructions to leave Constantinople the Russian ambassador immediately placed the interests of Russia in the hands of the Italian ambassador. Ambassador Morgenthau's dispatch made no mention of any declaration of war or of internal conditions in Turkey. He probably will take over the French and British embassies.

## BRITISH CRUISER SUNK BY GERMAN SUBMARINE IN THE STRAITS OF DOVER

### By Associated Press.

London, Oct. 31.—The British line cruiser Hermes was sunk by German submarines in the straits of Dover today. This official announcement was made tonight. Virtually all the men were drowned.

## ITALIAN CABINET HAS RESIGNED SAYS REPORT REACHING LONDON

By Associated Press.  
London, Oct. 31.—The Italian cabinet has resigned, according to a dispatch from Rome to the Reuters Telegraph company.

## TURKEY HAS FORMALLY ANNEXED EGYPT GERMAN STATEMENT SAYS

By Associated Press.  
London, Oct. 31.—Turkey has formally annexed Egypt, according to a German official statement which has been received from Berlin by the Marconi Wireless Telegraph Company.

## OFFICIAL WAR BULLETINS FLATLY CONTRADICTORY

### GERMANS CLAIM PROGRESS IN CAMPAIGN ON COAST

By Associated Press.  
Berlin, Oct. 31.—A report received here today from German army headquarters says:  
"Our army in Belgium yesterday occupied Ramscapelle (two and a half miles east of Nieupoort) and Preischon and our attacks on Ypres are progressing. Vanvoerde, Chateau Hollencke and Wambekke have been stormed. Further south, we also have gained ground to the east of Soissons. The enemy has been attacked and during the day chased from several strongly fortified positions, to the north of Vailly (about ten miles east of Soissons) which was stormed during the action, the enemy is retreating across the River Aisne and suffering severe losses; we captured 1000 prisoners and two machine guns."

### FRENCH OFFICIAL REPORT TELLS OF GAINS AND LOSSES

By Associated Press.  
Paris, Oct. 31.—The French war office today gave out the following official announcement:  
"The day of yesterday was marked by an attempt at a general offensive on the part of the Germans along the entire front from Nieupoort to Arras and by violent attacks delivered at other points of the line of battle. From Nieupoort to the canal of Labasse there were alternate movements of advance and retirement. To the south of Nieupoort the Germans who had taken possession of Rapikettelle were driven out of this town by a counter attack. To the south of Ypres we lost some points of support, Hollenbeke and Zandworde, but we progressed to the east of Ypres in the direction of Paschendale. Between Labasse and Arras all the attacks made by the Germans were repulsed with heavy losses for them."  
"In the region of Chaulnes we advanced beyond Libon and we took possession of Lequerey in the Santerre district. In the region of the Aisne also, we have made progress on the heights of the right bank downstream from Soissons, but we were compelled to withdraw in the vicinity of Vailly. We have advanced in the region of Souain and there has been a violent engagement in the Argonne. In the Wever district we again have won ground in the forest of Papprest."

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## GERMAN ATTACKS ALONG COAST RENEWED WITH EXTREME VIGOR SATURDAY

By Associated Press.  
London, Oct. 31.—The Germans' attempt to reach the French channel ports were resumed with renewed energy yesterday. The Germans undertook generally offensive tactics from the coast of Nieupoort to Arras and while they made progress at some points they were repulsed at others and in some cases were compelled to give ground. Near the coast their advance was checked by an extension of the flooded area. Today the battle rages with the fury that marked the opening of the last phase of this campaign and on the Belgian coast the boom of big naval guns, which are bombarding the invaders' flank could be distinctly heard. The allies have brought up land and sea forces in an endeavor to check this second effort of the Germans to establish themselves on the French coast from which they hope to menace England.

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Reports that Lille has been reoccupied by the French and that Ostend has been evacuated by the Germans lack confirmation and are considered premature but around the city fighting of a most desperate character has been going on and the villages surrounding Lille have been taken and retaken time after time.

On the whole therefore it would appear that the situation on this most important battle front remains much as it was when the Germans through exhaustion a few days ago ceased their heavy artillery fire for report. The French report tells of various advances and losses, but these usually so far as distance is concerned can be marked in feet or yards and the advance made a few days ago by the British and Belgians, of 1200 yards, was considered remarkable.

Throughout the great battle front there has been a repetition of attacks and counter attacks which at times caused a pronounced thinning of the line. The Germans made particularly violent attack east of Soissons on the Aisne and according to the German report drove the French across the river.

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## ENGLAND AND RUSSIA'S DEMANDS ON TURKEY

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London, Oct. 31.—Both Great Britain and Russia have presented the following demands to the Sublime Porte:  
An explanation of Turkey's naval action in the Black Sea; the dismissal of German officers from Turkish ships, and the dismantling of the cruisers Goeben and Breslau, said to have been purchased by Turkey from Germany.  
Failing to receive satisfaction of these demands, diplomatic relations with Turkey will be severed by Great Britain and Russia. The reply of the Porte has not yet been received, but hope still is expressed officially that it may be of a character to prevent the further extension of hostilities.

## FAILURE OF GERMAN ATTACK FROM EAST, PRUSSIA CLAIMED

By Associated Press.  
Petrograd, Oct. 31.—The following official communication was issued from general headquarters tonight:  
"On the East Prussian front the plan of breaking through the center of our fortified positions around Bakalarzewo, protected by the enemy has failed, during five days of unsuccessful attacks. The German suffered heavy losses; in many places the great accumulation of German dead in front of our trenches caused a moderation of our fire. Our troops have progressed in several districts on the East Prussian front. Beyond the Vistula we occupy strongly the towns of Gostynin, Lenela, Lodz and Ostrovec. In Galicia the fighting continues without any essential change in the situation."

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### JAPAN'S ATTITUDE TOWARD RELIGION

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### GOVERNMENT'S VIEW LIBERAL

Finds That Something Like Church is Necessary To Promote Loyalty Among People

By Associated Press. Karuzawa, Japan, Oct. 31.—The Right Reverend H. St. George Tucker, bishop of Kyoto and missionary of the American Episcopal church, delivered an interesting address to the American missionaries during their retreat in the mountains here.

Japan wants religion, the bishop said, but only as a means to an end. Ever since the war with Russia the people had felt the need of something beyond human power.

The liberal attitude taken by government officials had a wonderful effect on the people, especially in the smaller places. The national fear of Socialism, he said, had impressed the people with the fact that loyalty cannot stand idealism, and idealism was impossible without religion.

Effect on Confucianism. "Does this interest signify a move towards Christianity?" he asked. On the one side there was an attempt to revive Confucianism as a basis of morality—an attempt that had been unsuccessful. On the other hand there was reverence for shrines and sacred places, as was seen in the addresses of government officials, and in the moral trend of Buddhist sermons.

Bishop Tucker endeavored to find out the reasons on which Buddhist preachers addressed their audiences in the Kyoto district and was told that the subject of one preacher was the very practical matter of "How to Behave in Railway Trains."

On the whole, Bishop Tucker was convinced that the main attitude towards religion was utilitarian. Religion was wanted not for the sake of truth, but because it would be good to Japan. Expediency rather than truth was the quest. They did not ask what religion was true, but what religion would best fit in with Japanese ideals and civilization. The chief use of religion was to promote loyalty. The religion that would do that best was best, independently of its reality. And so the missionary found too often that his converts came to the church not for the sake of salvation, but for the sake of his country. Bishop Tucker concluded:

Not Christian Idea. "The Japanese idea of God is not the Christian idea, but it is nearer the Christian idea than before. There is a growing conception of one supreme God of universal power, the idea being undoubtedly due to the influence of Western thought."

"When the Japanese sincerely become Christian they are as firm believers and as good people as the Christians of other lands. But for this they have to be taught to grasp the Christian idea of God and welcome truth because it is truth in itself independently of what the human mind may think of it."

### WICHITA FALLS WOMAN HOME FROM ENGLAND

Mrs. J. E. Folland who has been on a visit to her parents in England for the past year, returned to New Orleans on the steamer Antillon, where she was met on her arrival by Mr. Folland who accompanied her back to Wichita Falls, where they will make their home with Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Martin at 1315 Twelfth street.

### TO SAIL IN SMALL BOAT CORPUS CHRISTI TO FRISCO

By Associated Press. Corpus Christi, Texas, Oct. 31.—Captain Adolph Fritsch is expected to sail in a few days in his attempt to make the trip from this port to San Francisco in a small boat. The "Lone Mariner," as Captain Fritsch is known, has almost completed his sail boat, the "Corpus Christi," which is 35 feet long and 11 feet wide, and when the vessel is outfitted will start alone on the long voyage. He is confident of reaching the Golden Gate by the middle of next February, in time to attend the opening of the Panama-Pacific Exposition.

### RECIPROCAL INSURANCE CONCERN NOT LEGAL

Attorney General's Department Holds Reciprocity Cannot Write Life Insurance

By Associated Press. Austin, Texas, Oct. 31.—A reciprocal insurance concern organized under the act of the last legislature, cannot write life insurance according to an opinion today by the attorney general's department to the commissioner of insurance and banking and it was held further that life insurance is not a contract of indemnity within the meaning of the law under which reciprocals are organized.

### RUSSIANS DRIVE BACK AUSTRIANS AND GERMANS

Dispatch From Petrograd Tells of Victories in Eastern Theaters of War

By Associated Press. Washington, Oct. 31.—Stubborn fighting continues on the east Prussian front between the Russians and Germans, and the Austrians suffered heavy losses near Pailow on October 29, at the hands of the Russians, who took 1000 prisoners, according to a foreign office dispatch received today at the Russian embassy. The text of the dispatch from the foreign office at Petrograd follows:

"On the east Prussian front a stubborn fighting continues. The attacks of the Germans near Bakalarjowo are being steadily repulsed by our troops. On the left bank of the Vistula the German rear guard under our pressure fell back to the line from Lodz to Varipost. Among other military booty we have captured ammunition columns, heavy artillery and aeroplanes. Near Tarnow, the retreating Americans were intercepted on October 29 by our troops, who had crossed the Vistula to the south of Josefow. Under our cross fire the enemy suffered heavy losses and we took 1000 prisoners. In the Carpathians the main activity of the Austrians is directed to the country around Tourka."

### WICHITA QUARTET AT THE VICTORIA THEATRE

A delightful feature of the program at the Victoria Theatre Friday night was the quartet music furnished by Messrs. Van Voy, Murchison, Hill and Wright, who introduced "In Kentucky," the words of which was composed by T. A. Bradley of this city. The song made quite a hit with those present, both on account of its rhythm, the splendid melody and the pleasing way in which it was rendered by this quartet of splendid singers.

### WICHITA FALLS WINS FROM BURKBURNETT

Wichitans Retrieved Victory in Second Half—Forward Pass Used Advantageously

Special to The Times. Burkburnett, Texas, Oct. 31.—Wichita Falls high school football team defeated Burkburnett this afternoon by the score of 26 to 13. The Wichitans retrieved victory in the last half by successful use of the forward pass after the first half had ended 13 to 6 in favor of Burkburnett. Wichita Falls used the forward pass to excellent advantage, making many substantial gains with it. Caldwell Roberts did excellent work in receiving the passes and was good in all departments of the game. Harold Erwin was used at fullback for Wichita Falls for the first time and showed up to excellent advantage in that position. The game was unsatisfactory in some respects, there being some squabbling which culminated in a fight on the side lines and the Wichitans felt that they should have had even a wider margin of victory.

The Line-Up:

Burkburnett	Quarter	Mathis
Cannon	F. Back	Erwin
Gilbert	R. Half	Tevis
Green	L. Half	Taylor
B. Gilbert	R. End	Ward
Wagoner	L. End	Roberts
Hale	R. Tackle	Behtley
Collins	R. Guard	Williams
Collins	L. Guard	Carrigan
Griffin	Tackle	Low
Walling	Center	Coleburn
Harmon		

Subs—Burkburnett, McWhartar, H. Jackson; Wichita Falls, Warner. Touchdowns—A. Gilbert, A. Green, Roberts 3, Erwin 1.

### AUSTRIA-HUNGARY'S COMMERCE STOPPED

INDUSTRIAL ACTIVITIES OF ALL KINDS CRIPPLED BY WAR

### TOTAL COLLAPSE THREATENED

Moratorium is Inadequate Relief Measure—Agricultural Outlook Somewhat Better

By Associated Press. Vienna, Oct. 31.—Austria-Hungary's industry and commerce have been brought to a sudden standstill by the war. Exports have ceased, manufacturing, with few exceptions, have been shut down and merchants and storekeepers are without customers. The army has absorbed the great majority of the workers, and of the remainder many thousands have joined the ranks of the unemployed.

Agricultural interests are in a somewhat better position, with prices of corn and cattle steadily advancing. Although the majority of the farm laborers have been called to the war, the harvest for the most part had been gathered before they left. But the land proprietors and peasant farmers are now confronted with the difficulty of finding labor for the autumn field work and sowing, which cannot all be done by the women and the few old men left at home.

Finding the ordinary moratorium insufficient to protect the business and financial interests of the monarchy, the government has been forced to resort to other expedients to prevent total collapse of the industrial and mercantile fabric. War credit banks and loan institutions have been founded to finance necessitous business enterprises, and a system of official supervision of insolvent firms has been inaugurated to prevent an overwhelming number of bankruptcies.

The first of the war credit banks is being opened in Vienna, with a capital of \$1,200,000 divided into shares of \$200. The purpose of this bank is to lend money to manufacturers and merchants to enable them to meet current obligations in bills and acceptances and other commercial paper falling due, and its operations are limited to Vienna and Lower Austria.

Financial Relief Measures. For smaller manufacturers and the middle classes of merchants and traders a chain of local institutions is being organized under the administration of the Austro-Hungarian Bank, the state bank of the monarchy. These loan banks will issue non-interest bearing treasury bills which will be legal tender in all public offices, and also in the Austro-Hungarian bank and in general for all payments not specifically required to be made in currency. Their chief object is to tide business houses over the war by granting loans on merchandise and inland commercial paper.

In cases where a business house is temporarily insolvent a special provisional system of official supervision has been instituted to enable the business to be continued. On the application of either the trader or his creditors, the courts are empowered to appoint experts to act as guardians or trustees, to superintend the carrying on of the business in the general interest of the creditors so as to prevent unnecessary bankruptcies.

The greatest commercial interests in the country have already been forced to appeals to the state for aid. The sugar industry has been especially hard hit and it is expected that the refinery will take up nearly one-half of the issue of the loan banks. They have lost for the time their best foreign customers—Great Britain and India—and now they are at their wits end to know how to dispose of the enormous stocks suddenly accumulating on their hands.

### EUROPEAN MOTOR BUS IS SEEING SERVICE IN WAR


Are Used Both For Conveying Soldiers and For Transporting Supplies To Army

By Associated Press. Paris, Oct. 31.—A battle scarred motor bus, its identity hidden under a thick coat of mud, thundered through Paris the other day. Though unrecognizable to the eye, it was unmistakable to the ear. It was the first reappearance since the outbreak of the war of the Paris motor bus, and the cheers that broke from the sidewalk when plies of army bread were perceived through its broken windows showed that the war had raised the institution in public esteem. It has never been looked upon as a thing of beauty but now that it is carrying bread and meat to the trenches along the R... pedestrians and light sleepers view it in a new light.

There are 1,100 of these motor buses in the service—900 carrying food and 200 conveying soldiers to the front. Only four of them have been lost in two months' hard and risky service and only five have needed repairs. Besides these motor buses, it is estimated that there are between 20,000 and 30,000 motor cars of other types in the service of the army. A certain number of heavy vehicles especially built from army specifications have been purchased each year after their efficiency had been demonstrated in competitive tours. One of these tours was in progress at the time the war began and everyone of the fifty

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Said the accommodating merchant to the prospective customer. A very attractive offer, isn't it? But did he also say, "If you do not pay I will have to make it up on the price I charge the man who does pay, or did he remark that "I will add 10 cents to every dollars worth you purchase, in order that I may be able to pay the extra expense caused by charging it. Well, maybe he don't have to do that, but we would. That's one reason we believe in the cash system. So will you sooner or later.



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...Girls...

In larger sizes you will find here a most attractive selection of girls' and misses' coats made in the best styles of Zibelines, Diagonal Cheviots, Baby Lamb Fur Cloth, Astrochon fur cloth and Chinchilla. Rightly priced **\$1.50 to \$10 00**



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### Ladies' Fleeced Ribbed Union Suits

A medium weight cotton fleeced ribbed union suit in all sizes, white, grey and cream, a special value at, suit 35c and ..... **50c**

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For girls, age 2 to 15, grey, white and cream, fleeced ribbed union suits, very pleasing quality, suit 25c and ..... **35c**

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Extra heavy fleeced lined and cotton ribbed union suits for boys in all sizes. Not the ordinary kind but an unusual value at, suit ..... **50c**

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Sizes 34 to 46, Men's Union Suits in fine cotton and mercerized wools, a very fine quality and will please you at per suit **\$1.49**

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### EXCEPTIONS MADE OF MUTUAL PROTECTION CORPORATIONS

By Associated Press. Austin, Texas, Oct. 31.—In an opinion today by the attorney general's department that it would be unlawful for ordinary business corporations chartered under the laws of this State to hold their stockholders' meetings outside of the State. It was further held, however, that corporations whose members reside in various States and that are conducted for mutual protection instead of for ordinary business purposes, such as the order of the Woodmen of the World, etc., may hold stockholders' meetings without the State as well as within it.

Suits and overcoats cleaned and pressed at J. Gupton, the Tailor, Phone 1067.

### FORT WORTH CANNING PLANT IS REOPENED

Fort Worth, Texas, Oct. 31.—After shutting down part of the time and then all of the time the canning department of one of the packeries here has resumed operations with prospects for a continued period of increased activity. Most of the goods will be shipped to points in Europe and the work is due to war orders.

# Fancy Japanese Baskets

We have just received the finest assortment ever shipped for this market direct from Japan. See them in our show window—any one of which will make a beautiful birthday or Xmas present. Make your selection while the line is complete. **THIS WEEK—**

**A 25 Per Cent. Discount on all Furniture and Home Furnishings**  
Many articles in odd pieces, such as Chiffoniers, Dressing Tables, Chevals, Wood Beds, Etc., that will go at a 50 per cent. discount.



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The Store That Keeps Its Word

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We will both lose if you fail to figure with us On Your Wants

### AT THE CHURCHES

**First Presbyterian Church**  
(Corner 10th and Bluff)  
Sunday School 9:30 a. m. Morning worship 11:00 o'clock. Subject: God's Message to a Backslidden Church. Evening worship, 7:30 o'clock. Subject: Promised Blessings. Monday 3:00 p. m. Westminster Guild. Monday 3:00. Social at Mrs. J. A. Kemp's, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society. Wednesday 7:30 p. m. Midweek service. Friday 7:30 p. m. Choir practice. Sunday, Nov. 1st. Welcome to new members. J. L. McKEE, Pastor.

**First Methodist Episcopal Church**  
(Corner Seventh and Lamar)  
All regular services as usual. Sunday School at 9:45. You are cordially invited to be present in the Sunday School. Classes for all ages. We have had a splendid average so far. Let us keep it up. Epworth League at 6:30. We have a splendid organization of young people. Other young people who are not attending similar services are especially urged to come and enjoy this helpful association. Preaching at 11 and again at 7:30. The sermon subject for the morning will be "Crossing Bridges," or "Borrowing Trouble." The evening service will be under the leadership of Mrs. Smith. Mrs. Smith will probably speak on some experience in settlement work. If this subject is used it will give a glimpse of life not familiar to all and will be of interest. Regular prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:30. Revival services are in progress at Paul Memorial Chapel and will continue throughout the week. We will welcome any who may desire to help in this meeting. Come and get good out of it and lend your aid.  
CHAS. CLARK SMITH, Pastor.

**Christian Church**  
Bible School at 9:30, W. J. Bullock, superintendent, good teachers and teachers and classes for all ages. We invite you to this school Sunday. Junior meeting and Christian Endeavor at 6:30. C. W. B. M. Monday afternoon at 2. Preaching both morning and evening by Mr. W. J. Clark, who comes with others from Cincinnati, Ohio to conduct the Bible school of methods during the week. We are expecting a large number from outside the city to attend this school. We hope also to have all the teachers and officers of the different schools in the city. It will be worth more than it will cost. The work will begin at 3:45 Monday afternoon. One hour for lunch and evening session will commence at 7:00, continuing until 9:15. There will be no morning sessions.  
F. F. WALTERS, Pastor.

**First M. E. Church, South**  
(Corner Tenth and Lamar)  
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Epworth League at 6 p. m. As I will only have three more Sundays in this charge, I would be glad if our Misses would make a special effort to be present.  
J. W. HILL, Pastor.

**Lutheran Church (Mo. Synod)**  
(Corner Eleventh and Holliday)  
Sunday School (German and English classes) at 9:00 a. m. Bible Class at 9:45 a. m. German morning worship at 10:30. Ladies' Aid Society at 2:30 p. m. Everybody is cordially invited to worship with us.  
G. M. BEYER, Pastor.

**First Baptist Church**  
9:30, Sunday School. We have set

our marks for 750 for December the 6th and we will all have to work hard to get them. We expect each member of the church to be there on time. There is nothing you can do to help the school more than to come and bring some one with you. 11:00. Preaching by the Pastor, subject "God's Approval." 7:00. Supper at the church and at Walnut Street Mission there will be Sunday school as usual. 6:30. B. Y. P. U. J. D. Harp, president. 7:30. Preaching by the Pastor. 3:00. Monday Woman's Alliance at the church. Subject "Missionary." Tuesday there will be an all day meeting of the ladies at the church in the interest of State Missions. This is the last meeting before the State Convention. Every woman in the church is expected to be present. 7:00. Wednesday Prayer Meeting and the quarterly business meeting. After the business meeting the Pastor will hear the second lesson in the New Testament History. This is proving an interesting study and everyone is invited to attend the class. W. L. ROBERTSON, Supt. of S. S. W. W. BROWN, Fr. Assist. Supt.

**First Evangelical Church**  
(Corner Fifteenth and Broad St.)  
Sunday school in both languages at 10 a. m. German reading service at 11 a. m. P. A. meeting at 7 p. m. English preaching service at 8 p. m. The monthly business meeting will be held on Wednesday at 8 p. m. Everybody is cordially invited to attend these services.  
C. ERMEL, Pastor.

**Fourth Street Baptist Church**  
Usual services at the Fourth Street Baptist church. Preaching morning and evening by the pastor. Sunday school at 9:45. L. H. Lawler, Superintendent. Sunbeam band at 3 p. m. Miss Gean Stengel, leader. B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m. Hudson Nicholson, president. Woman's Alliance Monday 3 p. m. Midweek prayer meeting Tuesday 7:30 p. m. To all these services anyone is cordially invited.  
T. E. CANNEDY, Pastor.

**Christian Science**  
Services are held in the church edifice, corner Ninth and Lamar, as follows: Lesson sermon Sunday at 11 a. m. Subject, "Everlasting Punishment." Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Testimonial meeting Wednesday at 8 p. m. The reading room at the same address is open daily except Sunday and holidays from 2 to 5 p. m.

**Church of the Good Shepherd**  
Holy Communion 7 a. m. Sunday school 9:30. Holy Communion and sermon 11. Evening prayer 7:30. You are cordially invited to attend the services of this church. Seats are free.  
FRED T. DATSON, Rector.

**Lutheran Trinity Church**  
We shall celebrate the anniversary of the Reformation on this Sunday. German morning worship and sermon on the Reformation at 10 a. m. Sunday school at 11:30. The choir will meet in the afternoon at 3. Everybody is cordially invited to worship with us.  
F. A. BRACHER, Pastor.

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### LONG ROWS OF GRAVES MARK RECENT FIGHTING ON MARNE

Total of 70,000 Buried in Vicinity—Some Germans Still in Neighborhood

By Associated Press.

Esternay, France, Oct. 28.—Parties of German soldiers separated from the main bodies of troops during the German retreat from the Marne are still hiding in the woods in this vicinity. The French armies passed on and there are too few soldiers left in the part of France to hunt down the German stragglers. They live upon the country but otherwise commit no depredations.

Along the whole countryside peasants who have returned point out burial places of those who fell in the fierce fighting in this neighborhood and for sixty miles to the East. The dead were buried by 800 Paris firemen, assisted by 500 civilian laborers. It is said that the tally kept by the firemen shows that 70,000 dead were buried, about 30,000 of them French. The greatest slaughter was in the marshes near Soissons. Fifteen thousand dead are buried in long trenches at the bottom of a wooded hill.

French and Germans are buried separately. On the long mounds above the French trenches have been set up rude wooden crosses; a few wild flowers and sometimes larger stones have been placed at either end. Caps of French soldiers, showing the name of the regiment, have been placed on the crosses or the stones. The trenches in which the Germans are buried are unmarked.

The son of General von Foltke is buried near Esternay.

Champillon, about two miles southeast of Coulmiers, is the farthest place south-reached by the Germans on their march for the investment of Paris. The village did not have more than twenty-five houses. All were burned. Twelve inhabitants have returned and among other repairs have patched up the schoolhouse. Six children are being taught there.

Scattered over the plain near Perre-Champillon are small piles of empty cartridge shells, pieces of broken rifle artillery cartridges, fragments of uniforms and various other wreckage from the fighting. In an open space about two miles long, by a mile wide, were some thickets where the German quick rifers had been concealed. On the ridge behind were placed German long range guns, which were doing great damage to the French. It was here that three regiments of Turkos asked to be allowed to charge the height on which was the artillery. Nothing was known of the quick rifers in the bushes in the middle of the field. The three regiments started. When they were within easy range the German quick rifers opened upon them. Only about half a regiment succeeded in getting forward and taking the machine guns. Reserve were then brought up and another charge resulted in the capture of the German guns on the hill after tremendous hand to hand combat.

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### WHEAT CROPS OF FRANCE NOW SAFELY HARVESTED

Yield Is Not Enough For Needs of Country—Best Crop Suffers From Germans

By Associated Press.

Paris, Oct. 29.—The wheat crop, which at the beginning of the war gave the authorities anxiety, has been safely garnered. The agricultural department estimates the yield at 60 to 80 million metric hundred weight, which is more than ten per cent below the yield of 1913. France consumes 80 million hundred weight, and since to million hundred weight is required for seedling, the shortage will be from 10 to 30 million hundred weight. "With the duty on cereals suspended this shortage will be easily made up.

The best root crop, which is very important in the north of France, furnishing the raw material for a great many sugar refineries, has suffered from the German occupation. The refineries may be unable to work for some time. In consequence there has been an advance of 3 cents per pound in the price of sugar and the public has been warned that a further advance is possible.

Next to the beet crop, the most important product in the region of the military operations is champagne. All of the champagne province was temporarily in the hands of the Germans and the heavy fighting of the battle of the Marne extended over the entire length of the wine growing country. The damage to the crop seems to be less than was expected. Around Espernay in particular the vines seem to have been intentionally spared by the Germans as well as the French, but in other regions the terrible artillery fire that raged for days worked great havoc among the vineyards.

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### TALKS TO MEN UNDER FIRE

The lieutenant kept near the men, talking continually. When the fight actually commenced he exposed half his body a number of times, for the moral effect, I think. It was nearly two hours later, a little after nine, when the engagement took place. By this time I had become quite accustomed to seeing in the dark and could make out the wood held by the Germans. That also explained why it was impossible to rather in the wounded after night. The distance was so short it did not grow dark enough.

All at once three shells, one after the other, fell rather near, and after an interval of a few minutes three more. These were "little coal boxes," making a hole in the ground about four feet in diameter and three feet deep. The second three seemed very near, and the lieutenant, sensing uneasiness among his men, stood upright beside the trench and said in an easy voice: "They have not found us yet, have they? He had hardly finished speaking when the one fell that did the damage. My hearing was already numbed by the sound of the others. I remember I was sitting in the bottom of the trench when it came. The man killed must have been standing up, as the piece struck him. It tore a hole through his left side, all but carrying his arm and shoulder away. None of the others was scratched. They were in the bottom with me."

### ON JOB 40 YEARS, THIS LONDON OFFICE HOLDER

Official Has Unique Record For Service—Reappointed By Each New Executive.

By Associated Press.

London, Oct. 29.—Lord Mayors of London come and go year by year, but Sir William Soustou, who has just been appointed for the fortieth time Lord Mayor's private secretary, seems to go on forever. He has a unique record. Reappointed each year by successive chief magistrates, he knows more of the quaint and ancient cosmopolitan of the city and the complicated machinery of London's civic hospitality than any other man. He has had to superintend the organization of official welcomes to most of Europe's crowned heads, the raising of many huge mansion

### MONTH'S POSTAL RECEIPTS SHOW SMALL INCREASE

A small increase in receipts of the Wichita Falls postoffice in October just ended over the corresponding month a year ago are shown in the figures compiled last night. The receipts for the month just ended were \$5,111.82, compared with \$5,045.27 a year ago, the increase being \$66.55.

### ITALY MUST ACT SAYS NATIONALIST PARTY ORGAN

Rome, Oct. 31.—The Idea Nazionale, new organ of the Nationalist party, says Italian inaction after the attitude of the Turkey would be simply absurd blindness.

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President Wilson, without waiting to find out what the results of next Tuesday's election is going to be, has issued his Thanksgiving proclamation, setting apart Thursday, November 26th, as the day to offer up thanks.

It would be fine if this European war could be saddled onto the Turks to fight to finish with the balance of the world as disinterested spectators—or perhaps it would be better to encourage them and see that both factions got all the ammunition they would need.

Less than one week ago cotton, the best grade, was selling on the streets of Wichita Falls for less than six cents per pound. At least, that was the price offered, and there might have been a few bales sold at that price. Yesterday, however, the price quoted was seven cents per pound, representing a clear gain of about one cent per pound, or 15 per cent.

Roger Sullivan is the Democratic nominee for United States Senator in Illinois, but this is not sufficient to convince some very prominent Democrats of National reputation that he is entitled to and should receive the solid Democratic vote for that high office. Senator Owen of Oklahoma is stumping Illinois, it is said, against Sullivan, and in favor of the Progressive Republican candidate, President Wilson, while he was opposed to Sullivan before he was selected as the Democratic nominee, recognizes that a majority should rule, and says Sullivan should be elected. Illinois is a Republican State, and it is only once in a great while that the State goes Democratic.

If Sullivan is elected in the face of strong opposition in his own party, it will be almost a miracle, and will also add to the President's popularity as a Democrat—of the kind who believe that the success of the party as a political organization depends largely upon the support given its nominees.

HELP BOOST THE PRICE OF COTTON.

It looks like cotton at present prices is a good investment. In fact, bottom has been struck, and it looks now as if there was but about one chance in a thousand for the price to slump back beyond what it now is. There, fare, cotton at present prices is a good investment. Banks locally are loaning \$25.00 per bale on cotton when property warehoused and insured. Anyone having \$100 in money as margin to invest can buy a bale and hold it for a year and make good interest. The chances are the investor will make more than \$10.00 per bale if he buys now while cotton is selling at from 6 1/4 to 7 cents per pound. The price will go up steadily; it may reach 10 cents before one year. With a general move to invest in cotton, together with a reduction in acreage, will prevent any further break in price and stimulate all business. The Times' attitude to all is to buy not only one bale, but as many bales as you have money to put up to 10 per cent margin, place it in a warehouse, have it insured and hold it. It is a safe investment, and one carrying with it almost a certain chance of making good money on the investment. At any rate, it is a good risk.

DR. HILL TO LEAVE US.

The people of Wichita Falls, generally, regardless of their church connections or as to whether they have any such connections or not, will learn with regret that Dr. J. W. Hill, who has served the congregation of the M. E. Church South so well for the past

three years, is soon to sever connection and go to a new field of labor, which is to be in the city of San Antonio. In speaking of this change, the Texas Christian Advocate says:

Rev. J. W. Hill, our own North Texas Gulliver, for the first time in his wandering life in these parts goes to the West Texas Conference and is stationed at Laurel Heights Church. He is one of our most versatile and able preachers, with an unbroken record of success through many long years in the North Texas Conference, and the congregation down that way will find him a man of warm heart, a mind that sparkles from every angle and with a smile for all whom he meets. It will hardly be like the North Texas Conference without him, but we congratulate these people on having him for their preacher and pastor.

In taking his departure from this city, Dr. Hill will carry with him a full measure of love, confidence and esteem of our people, and while it is customary for this church to change the field of work for its pastors every two years, Dr. Hill will be greatly missed. Besides being a scholar, a logical and forceful reasoner, he is also a gentleman who it is always a pleasure to meet and greet. The San Antonio church, of which he is to become the pastor in charge, is to be congratulated.

INCOME TAXPAYERS.

That only forty-four millionaires paid the tax on their annual incomes of \$1,000,000 and over is far less surprising than that only 101,718 persons in the entire United States should figure in the returns as having incomes of from \$5,000 to \$10,000.

An income of \$1,000,000 or more argues the possession of an enormous fortune. It cannot be all received in the way of salary or in payment for personal services. Behind it stands property that is not easily concealed. But a very large class of persons with small savings derive incomes of from \$5,000 to \$10,000 from trade, professional practice, investments or by the way of salaries.

For the estimates presented at the time the income tax law was passed, there existed no reliable data. The government was adopting a new form of taxation in regard to which necessarily no accurate basis of information was available. In the \$5,000 to \$10,000 income class, for example, the estimates called for 178,000 taxpayers, whereas only 101,718 were found.

Instead of assuming that a large proportion of the population willfully evaded their responsibilities to the state or filed fraudulent statements with the internal revenue collectors, it is reasonable to believe that, through the habit of exaggerating individual wealth, congress was led into miscalculating the resources of the country liable to taxation. Until the government can demonstrate that fraud has been committed on a wholesale scale, not merely in a few casual instances, it would be absurd to draw a blanket indictment charging perjury of criminal misrepresentation against tens of thousands of unnamed citizens.—New York World.

C. C. HUFF APPOINTED FEDERAL BANK ATTORNEY

is Named at Meeting of Reserve Board Friday—Will Continue As Council for Katy

Another honor has come to a Wichita Falls man. C. C. Huff, who was recently made general counsel for the Katy lines in Texas, has been appointed counsel for the regional reserve bank at Dallas. Announcement of his appointment was made yesterday. Mr. Huff's duties in his new position will not interfere with his work for the Katy. The appointment is one that would be considered a high honor for any lawyer in the district.

Frank Kell of this city, who is one of the directors in class B of the bank at his request was given the one year term.

In appointing the class of service each class made its assignments. In Class C, E. O. Tenson, chairman and Federal Reserve agent, was appointed for three years; Felix Martinez, two years; W. F. McCaleb, one year; Class B, J. J. Cuberton, three years; Marion Sansom, two years; Frank Kell, one year; Class A, E. K. Smith, three years; B. A. McKinney, two years; Oscar Wells, one year.

CONNIE MACK ASKS WAIVERS ON PITCHING TRIAL

By Associated Press. Philadelphia, Oct. 31.—Connie Mack, manager of the Philadelphia Athletics, announced today he had asked for waivers on Pitches Plank, Bender and Coombs.

Connie Mack said he had no attention of retaining any of the three pitchers for the season of 1915. Mack said he wanted it understood he did not think their usefulness as pitchers was over.

"I am for the American League in victory or defeat," he said, "and I am going to keep those players for our league if possible. I would not have asked for waivers at this time, but for the fact that one of the men told me he had been dickering with the Federal League. The offer was so large I was afraid the Philadelphia club would not meet it, so I suggested that perhaps some other American League club would."

Plank, at home at Gettysburg, admitted over the telephone it was he who had been made an offer by the Federal League.

BISHOP SMITH DIES IN ST. LOUIS OF HEART FAILURE

By Associated Press. St. Louis, Oct. 31.—Bishop Chas. W. Smith of St. Louis died of heart failure here today, while attending a meeting of conference claimants of the Methodist Episcopal church.

What is a Girl Worth to Texas?

(By Quentin D. Corley, County and Juvenile Judge of Dallas county.) Horace Mann said that every boy saved was worth \$10,000, but he didn't say what a girl was worth.

Texas thinks enough of her boys to provide a large training school for them at Gatesville, where over 400 boys are learning discipline and are being educated and properly trained mentally, physically and morally.

There has been some merited criticism of Gatesville in the past, but under its present superintendent, Mr. A. W. Eddins, this school is being conducted properly and is proving its worth by its results.

Thousands of dollars spent for boys but not one cent for girls in Texas records. I do not condemn the expenditure of this money for the boys. In fact, I heartily approve of it and if I had the say I would spend more for there is much in the statement of Horace Mann, but as much as I approve this, I very much deplore the fact that Texas has not spent one dollar so far for her girls.

I think a girl is worth at least as much as a boy, if not more, for the mental, moral and physical states of our future civilization rest more with the mother than with the father. I think that Texas should have an institution where her delinquent and incorrigible girls could be properly trained and brought to a realization of the error of their ways and sent out of said institution fully equipped to merit the trials and temptations of life with a determination to overcome them.

Other states have such institutions and they are doing great work and if the girls school would be as successful as the boys' school is, it would be worth many times more than its cost and maintenance.

Texas can have a girls training school, if her citizens want it bad

enough to help raise \$25,000. The legislature, last year, passed a bill creating the Girls' Training School, and appropriated therefor \$25,000, to be available, however, when a like sum of \$25,000 was raised by donations from individual and counties.

The board of control and finance committees of said school have been working to raise this necessary \$25,000. They first asked the various counties of the state to give one half of one cent for each inhabitant of their county and a majority of them have done so, quite a number of the other counties have signified their intention of doing so at an early date.

We now have about \$12,000 raised and in order to raise the balance over the part the counties are to give, we have set aside the week of Nov. 8th to 14th for a campaign to be waged for same. In many of the cities of Texas, the women are thoroughly organized to conduct a successful campaign in their city. They have gotten all the religious societies, social and federated clubs and other groups interested in the work.

There is a city chairman and a vice chairman in each club or society. This kind of an organization means success in that city where same is organized.

In several cities the moving picture shows have agreed to give a percentage of their profits for one week during that week of this campaign.

If you live in a city where there is no one in charge of such a campaign, and you feel like you want to help in your city in this way let me know and I will furnish you literature that will be of great interest and assistance to you.

Texas needs this institution very much and every good citizen ought to boost it for it will be worth many times its cost.

TOO MUCH EXPECTED OF RUSSIA AT FIRST

New York Sun.

As too much was plainly expected of the Russians in the first two months of the war, it is clear now that far too great importance is in many quarters being attached to the fact that Russian armies are now standing on the defensive far within the Polish frontier and relatively near to Warsaw, the capital of Russian Poland.

What has happened is this: On or about Aug. 20 the right wing of the whole Russian military force, which mobilized back of Warsaw and on a line from East Prussia to Lemberg in Galicia, stepped over into East Prussia and rapidly west and reached the fortifications of Koenigsberg and approached the line of the Vistula toward Thorn and Graudenz.

After ten days of prosperous invasion, in which the Russians succeeded in persuading the Germans to weaken their battle line in France to reinforce their troops in the East, the left wing of that army, which consisted of the right wing of the whole Russian army, was routed at Tannenberg on Sept. 2, and lost heavily. As a consequence of this defeat the whole Russian right under General Rennenkampf was compelled to retire rapidly, to evacuate all of East Prussia. In fact, it was not until this army passed the Niemen that it recovered fully from the effects of the Tannenberg disaster.

But about Sept. 25 Rennenkampf again took the offensive, drove the German out of Russian territory to the Niemen and the East Prussian frontier in the struggle which have been named the Battle of Augustov, and presently was back on his old ground inside East Prussia and about Gork and Wirballen, east of Koenigsberg. There he now is, still on the offensive, so German official reports concede, but apparently checked, at least temporarily, by the German reinforcements in turn.

Meantime, starting about Aug. 25, the Russian left, far down the Galician frontier, moved west through Galicia, defeated the Austrian center before Lemberg on Sept. 1, the right at Halicz a day later, and finally about Sept. 8 crushed the left at Tomaszow and Rawa-Ruska and drove the whole routed Austrian military force west across the San River, captured Jaroslavl, invested Przemysl and proceeded on toward the Cracow forts.

When the Russian advance reached Tarnob, fifty miles from Cracow, they found the remnants of the Austrian army drawn up behind the Donec River prepared to meet them, and they found also strong German forces on the same line. While the Russian left was preparing to force the line, the last so far as an Austrian Galicia was concerned, the situation in the center to the north and east developed and began to exercise a powerful influence upon the Galician operations.

All along the world has been kept in complete darkness both by the Russians and the Germans about the situation in the two centers. Plainly neither the Germans nor the Russians mobilized in the center as promptly as on the wings. This was because on both sides of the frontier there are fortified lines which would hold back any invaders. The German line stretches from Thorn on the Vistula, through Posen to Breslau. The Russian follows the Narw and Vistula River front in East Prussia to the Galician boundary.

Late in September, it would seem, the German center, which had taken position behind the Warta River in Russian territory east of Breslau, began a vigorous eastward movement along a front which rested on Lodz, taken by the Germans in August, and stretched south to the Vistula east of Cracow. Their objective was the Russian center, standing before Warsaw and Ivangeord, both on the Vistula, with the Vistula barrier fortress behind them.

Before this advance and for reasons still debatable, the Russians slowly fell back, avoiding a battle until they stood on the Vistula line. This

withdrawal, as explained by the Russians, was to compel the Germans to move far away from their base and the railroads of Germany and across a country ill suited for the transport of heavy artillery and served by highways inadequate for motor transport.

On a line selected by their general staff, the line of the Vistula, with Warsaw on one flank, Ivangeord on the other, both fortresses, the Russian withdrawal paused. Along this line of retreat the Russians are now being fought, the Russians on the defensive, the Germans trying to cross the Vistula. About Warsaw the Russians declare they have again resumed the offensive and defeated the German advance. The Russian line is now being claim to have reached the Vistula between Warsaw and Ivangeord, on the railroad, and to be about to cross the river. Both statements may be true.

Meantime, as the German center pushed east it passed the front of the Russian left before Tarnob in Galicia and that had to come back to keep in line with the center. Therefore it fell back to the San River, which gave it a front conforming to its center being on the Vistula. As the Russian left withdrew the Austrians about Tarnob, reinforced by the Germans, moved east again and undertook to relieve Przemysl, which had been invested but had not yet fallen. Reports differ as to whether it has been relieved.

What it is necessary to recognize is that the Russians have so far met with no disaster. Their right has indeed recovered lost ground in the north. Their center has merely retired on its first line of defenses, and whether it has in a strong offensive position. Their left has abandoned a small part of the territory it conquered in Galicia to bring its line into conformity with that of the center.

On the other hand, the march to Berlin has checked the Russian advance. The Russian advance has been transformed first into a retreat and then into a defensive stand far within Polish territory in the center, although the right wing is still in hostile territory. As the Russian left has been reinforced by the Germans, moved east again and undertaken to relieve Przemysl, which had been invested but had not yet fallen. Reports differ as to whether it has been relieved.

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Free And Independent Poland

One Certain Result Of War

(Giulietto Ferrero in Chicago Tribune.)

We are passing from surprise to surprise. After seeing a heroic and unconquerable army emerge from the factories and mines of Belgium and we about to see in the far east of Europe Poland issue forth alive from the monstrous sepulcher in which it has been lying for more than a century.

One would say so. The three empires that were the executors of Poland have become all at once its fondest friends. War had scarcely been declared before the report that Russian Poland had revolted was circulated in Austria.

All at once the German and Austrian newspapers announced that Germany and Austria proposed to free Russian Poland from the Muscovite yoke. Immediately the Austrian and German government began trying various means of courting the Poles.

The czar in his turn replied with a master stroke. In a solemn proclamation he promised that if Russia were victorious he would do nothing less than reconstitute under his scepter, the Kingdom of Poland, its own administration, its own laws, its own education, its own religion.

There is no doubt that of the three Poles the Prussian is that which in the last thirty years has had to maintain the severest struggle. There is one reason and it is simple. Prussia has never been content to rule the Poles, but has even sought to Germanize them.

The rapid growth of Prussia in the last two centuries is partly due to the fact that she has succeeded in Germanizing the scattered Polish population she has gradually subjugated. Many of those who are now faithful and fervent Prussians are grandsons and great-grandsons of Poles, whose ancestral religion and customs the Prussian administration has changed.

Many of the cities of Eastern Prussia—Danzig and Koenigsberg for example—were founded by Poles. There is no doubt that if Russia approached more closely to the west, the old Poland she had met a more stubborn resistance, but the Germanization of the Poles, is so to speak, a historic necessity for Prussia.

So the Poles can hope for nothing from Germany, and they know it. Germany may in these days consent to the appointment of some arch-bishop who is beloved of the Poles, but if she wins she will resume the Germanization of the Polish people, and reduced vigor. Arrangements and agreements are not possible.

But can Poland hope from Austria the miracle of a partial national resurrection? It would seem so. Austria is an old empire that has rapidly deteriorated in the last few years, principally because of her failure to satisfy simultaneously the national aspirations of the Germans, the Czechs, the Hungarians, the Italians, and the Southern Slavs of which she is composed.

But supposing that she should issue victorious from this vast conflict, would she have the power to satisfy, in addition to those that are already worrying her so much, the national aspirations of the Polish people, increased in numbers by the annexation of part of Russian Poland. The confusion of that Tamerlane Babel which is the Austrian empire would be increased.

Russians remains. An ocean of blood and hatred lies between Russians and Poles. Russia, also, like Prussia, has ferociously persecuted the Poles; she has tried to Russify them by force; she has persecuted their language, their religion, their national traditions.

Russia is so vast and so populous that she can without any loss, even at advantage to herself, renounce the useless claims of Russifying Poland and can without the czar's crown into an imperial tiara and a royal diadem.

She will inevitably be driven to do it, however feebly the Poles may be willing to do it; for it is not possible to assume that while engaging in such a gigantic war on behalf of the Slavs of the south, who are, as it were, the cadets of the great empire, she should persist in persecuting those of the Slavic people who first were civilized and to whom the history of Slavic culture gives the right to be considered the firstborn.

Summing up, an understanding between Germany and Poland seems impossible. Austria has been more friendly or less hostile to Poland, but it does not appear that she can do much in the future for the benefit of the unfortunate nation. Russia has been bitterly hostile, but she might, if she would, roll away the heavy stone from the sepulcher, which Poland was immured alive at the end of the eighteenth century.

This is so true that several years ago, at the close of the war with Japan, the idea of conceding autonomy to Poland was already discussed in Russia, but Germany prevented it. I learned from one of the high functionaries of the Russian court that Germany informed St. Petersburg government of the proposal and that any concession of autonomy to Poland might make to her Polish subjects would be considered by Germany as a casus belli.

The behavior of the Poles who are subject to Russia is very uncertain. Will they yield to Russia in this struggle and become reconciled to the preme hour and become reconciled with the great Slav power that is holding out its hands to them? Or will they try to embarrass it by revolutionary attempts, as the German newspapers are repeating?

EFFECT OF WAR ON FINANCES OF NATIONS

(Literary Digest)

Discussing the cost of the European war, Mr. Ferrin in Moody's Magazine, declares that the loss of life and capital already promises to be so vast a scale that no one could predict what it will be. Nor could its effects in different parts of the world be predicted, since all countries are now closely bound to one another. Accepting the figure \$50,000,000 a day, which a French economist has evolved as the money cost of the war, he declares that the outlook is for "figures that stagger the imagination" and then asks: Who is going to pay for it all? Unless by revolution and repudiation the burden should eventually be shifted to the holders of government bonds it is the common people who will have to pay these frightful bills. Mr. Ferrin thinks repudiation not wholly impossible, especially if a decisive defeat should come to Germany.

All the powers at the outbreak of the war adopted emergency measures to strengthen their resources. The cost will eventually show itself in the funded debts of the nations at war, and will be a "millstone around the neck of the whole world for generations to come." The nations at war already had colossal debts—France, \$6,283,000,000; Germany, \$5,000,000,000; Russia, \$4,550,000,000; Austria, \$3,750,000,000; the United Kingdom, \$5,500,000,000; Belgium, \$750,000,000. When to these crushing burdens has been added the war's cost, it will become a grave question what the chances are for the common people to pay the interest on the debt and have something left over for themselves to live on. While the nations which eventually win might recuperate their shattered finances from the indemnities that will be imposed upon the vanquished, it must be remembered that the conquered nations will not be in a position to pay the victors' debts and their own liabilities; so that repudiation would seem to be the only alternative, unless they resort to the step all neutral nations hope for—abolition of their armaments. Last year Germany spent on her army and navy \$350,000,000—a sum which would pay 3 1/2 per cent interest on twice her present debt.

Mr. Ferrin estimates that an international agreement by which armaments and navies were made unnecessary would result in a total savings in military expenditures of a sum sufficient to pay not only to pay the interest on the cost of the present war but to "leave something over toward the redemption of the war created debt." Complete disarmament, he does not regard as at all likely, but he believes it possible that such reductions may be made in armaments as to enable the warring nations to obtain in the savings thus effected funds for the interest on the cost of the war. In case this is not done, the people of these countries "should not be blamed if they prefer repudiation to starvation." Mr. Ferrin then discusses some of the economic results of the war on our side of the Atlantic.

"The business boom of this country which many market writers predicted would follow on the heels of the declaration of war in Europe has not yet materialized, but according to all logic some stimulation of our industries should soon be seen. With practically all the able bodied men in Europe on the firing line, some one will have to provide the warring countries with food and other products and we seem to be the only country in a position to do so.

"On the debit side of the ledger are the items of our trade with Germany and Austria-Hungary. During the calendar year 1912 our exports to Germany exceeded \$200,000,000 and our imports from there were \$186,000,000. Our exports to Austria and Hungary were \$24,000,000 and our imports from there \$18,000,000. This trade will be lost while the war lasts for it is inconceivable that with Great Britain's overpowering navy or guard any merchant vessels will get through to the ports of the dual alliance.

"Of far more importance than anything else is the destruction of capital by the war. The cost of our civilization, according to the English statistician Muthall, was 740,000,000 pounds that of the Franco-Prussian war, 318,000,000 pounds; of the Crimean war \$95,000,000 pounds, and of the war between Russia and Turkey, 190,000,000 pounds. In this war, as yet, of about 6,000,000 men were engaged in the present war, if the full strength of all the fighting nations is called out, 16,000,000 men will be engaged in the war lasts many months it is likely to cost more than all the war of the last fifty years put together.

"The destruction of capital will not only be enough to cut off the foreign market for our securities for years to come, but will cause a continuous movement this way of our securities already held there. This, however may be a blessing in disguise, for it

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"With the favorable trade balance which the war seems likely to give us we may be able to take back from Europe at attractive prices all its floating supply of stocks and bonds and turn ourselves from a debtor to a creditor nation."

COL LYON PROMOTED TO BRIGADIER GENERAL

By Associated Press. Oct. 31.—Following the military policy of the Texas National Guard which is announced annually on November 1, the governor today announced in an order issued by the adjutant general's department the retirement of Brigadier General Percy Townsend of Corsicana, a "rigid" commander of the guard. This policy, announced by the governor, results in the promotion of Col. Cecil Lyon of the Fourth Infantry to brigadier general of the Texas National Guard. It also results in the promotion of Lieut. Col. Charles Percy Townsend of Corsicana, W. Simon of Galveston to be colonel, Major J. E. Buchert to be colonel, Lieut. Col. El Paso to be major, and Lieut. Col. Charles H. H. Stevenson of El Paso to be major, all of the Fourth Infantry.

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The banks report many applications for loans on cotton and a considerable amount was loaned yesterday at \$25 on the bale.

SEVEN CENTS WAS PRICE PAID AT FORT WORTH

By Associated Press. Fort Worth, Texas, Oct. 31.—Cotton prices soared here this morning on the opening, buyers getting orders late last night to pay seven cents a pound for all orders today.

COTTON SELLS AT 7 1/2 CENTS AT TEXARKANA

By Associated Press. Texarkana, Texas, Oct. 31.—Cotton sold here this afternoon at 7 1/2 cents per pound.

DANGER OF FOOD SHORTAGE

REMOTE, GERMANY DECLARES

Says She Has Enough On Hand To Last For Year Without Making Importations

By Associated Press. The Hague, Oct. 31.—Crop returns have never been so great an interest to the German public as they are this year, because it is realized that upon the amount of food in the country depends in a large measure the ultimate result of the war.

Efforts are now being made to establish in accurate figures the quantity of food in the country. So far final returns are obtainable only in the case of Prussia.

Table with 4 columns: Year, wheat, rye, oats. Rows for 1911, 1912, 1913, 1914.

The table shows that this year's crops have not been as good as they were in 1912 and 1913.

Other crops of the present year are: Summer barley 1,705,000 tons; Winter barley 70,000 tons; Summer wheat 360,000 tons; Summer rye 64,000 tons.

Much had been expected of the potato crop, but it is certain now that it fell short of expectations.

The following table gives the potato crops of Prussia for the last four years:

Table with 2 columns: Year, million tons. Rows for 1911, 1912, 1913, 1914.

Prussian animal industry shows the following figures: Pigs 18,97 million heads; Cattle 12,30 million heads; Sheep 3,83 million heads; Goats 2.18 million heads.

To these quantities must be added the crops and live stock of the remainder of the empire, and the large stores taken in the Belgian, French and Russian territories occupied by the German armies.

German authorities generally assert that there is enough food in the country to last over a year, and that the new crop, while not sufficient, perhaps, to carry the country another year without imports, will meet all demands likely to be made upon it.

GREAT RACE HORSE KILLED IN SERVICE FRENCH ARMY

Paris, Oct. 31.—James Hennessy's chestnut race horse, Lord Loris, which had brought its owner a fortune in purses, was killed while serving at the front as an officer's mount.

Local News Brevities

Enamelware sale Monday. North Texas Notion Co. 720 Indiana. 47 11

Women's pin money exchange at P. B. M. Company from Thanksgiving until Christmas by the Wesley Girls. 47 6 e o d

See the nice line of trimmed hats on sale Monday, November 2. Former prices \$3.50 and \$4.00 for \$1.50 and \$2.00. \$2.50 for \$1.00. Olive A. Child, 810 Scott avenue. 47 11 c

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About District Parsonage. Iowa Park, Texas, Oct. 30.—Notice to Boards of Stewards and members of M. E. Church South at Henrietta and Wichita Falls.

At a meeting of the committee appointed at the last District Conference to locate the new district parsonage, it was decided to ask the churches at these two locations to confer with our chairman, Mr. W. E. Forgy, of Archer City, and present such claims and inducements as they see fit relative to the location to be made. Please confer with Mr. Forgy not later than November 16. Secretary, C. H. CLARK, W. E. FORGY, W. F. MANNING, C. H. CLARK.

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Our scientific examination of the eyes will remove all doubt as to whether or not glasses should be worn. We know how. Dr. DuVal, the Progressive Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat Specialist. 47 11 c

George W. Akin and Charles Moler, receivers for John W. Dyson and Co., brought in a good well on the Horton-Walker lease last week. The well is reported to be showing for 100 barrels or better. The oil comes from a sand at about 1600 feet.

Dr. H. A. Waller, dentist, room 207, Dr. & K. Bldg. Phone 528. 23 11 c

Skirts cleaned and pressed 50 cents. Phone 1067. Gupton, the Tailor. 47 11 c

In testing eyes for glasses we do not use drugs or "dope" of any kind, so our patients are put to no inconvenience or annoyance whatever by our examination. We know how. Dr. DuVal, the Progressive Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat Specialist. 47 11 c

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Notice. The undersigned banks of Wichita Falls will not be open for business Tuesday, November 3rd, 1914. (Election Day), same being a legal holiday. All paper maturing on that day will become legally due and will be presented for payment Monday, November 2nd. Customers are respectfully requested to be governed accordingly.

First National Bank. City National Bank. First State Bank & Trust Co. Wichita State Bank. National Bank of Commerce. 46 21 c.

DOCTORS

Hartsook & Stripling EYE, EAR, NOSE AND THROAT 608 Kemp & E. Bldg.

W. W. Silk and others, who are drilling on the Crow lease, have struck oil sand at 500 feet, but expect to keep drilling until 1050 sand is reached.

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Real Estate Transfers. Loyd Weaver to R. N. Sansbury, lot 5, block 10, Floral Heights; \$550. Lee McDowell to Samuel Kruger, lot 8, block 11, Floral Heights; \$475.

O. A. Wittenbach to T. P. Morrow, lot 3, block 31, Electric; \$480. J. H. Shaw to T. C. Vandoosen, 80 acres out of James Walker survey No. 238; \$10 and other considerations.

Erwin Feed Co. is in the place to buy your cow feed. Bran \$1.45. Cotton seed meal \$1.35. Cold pressed cake \$1.25 per 100. Nothing better for milk producing. 44 11 c

Our services are not ended with a sale of glasses. Our patients are always welcome to return for any further attention, for we guarantee satisfaction to all wearers of our glasses. We know how. Dr. DuVal, the Progressive Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat Specialist. 47 11 c

Rev. L. F. Barton of Dallas will preach at the First M. E. Church South, this morning. Rev. Barton arrived last night. Rev. J. W. Hill will preach at the evening service.

Gun repairing by a gunsmith; key fitting by a locksmith. Nuckoll's Gun Shop. 816 Indiana. 42 11 c

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Farm Loans. We have made our arrangements to make farm loans. No expense to borrower. See us. Anderson & Patterson. 42 11

Pioneer Lodge, No. 49 K. of P. meets Tuesday night in new hall. T. A. Bradley, C. C. 47 21 c

Automobile Registrations. Automobiles have been registered as follows: 1034, O. M. Stedham, Electric, Buick, 1035, L. W. Newton; Wichita Falls, Ford.

PANAMA PACIFIC EXPOSITION VIEWS At the High School Auditorium Wednesday at 4 o'clock

Panama Pacific International Exposition Views and California Scenes by Mrs. Anna Campbell, who is making a tour of the middle and eastern states through to New York showing the exposition views and lecturing on child welfare. The children will attend from the various schools of the city. Parents and citizens of Wichita Falls should take advantage of this opportunity. One half of proceeds go to the mothers' clubs of the city. Children under twelve five cents. Adults ten cents. 47 11 c

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RAILROADS ADMIT CONTRIBUTIONS TO T. B. M. A.

By Associated Press. Austin, Texas, Oct. 31.—Fifteen of the leading railroads of the State, who were made defendants in the suit of the State against the Texas Business Men's Association, have filed answers in the suit, in which they admit that they have paid \$42,802 in all to the association. These railroads, however, do not admit that they were members of the association. Assistant Attorney General Luther Nickels who has charge of this case said that while other lines not included in this number have paid in money to this association, it has not as yet been admitted.

FORT WORTH BASEBALL TEAM IS REORGANIZED

By Associated Press. Fort Worth, Texas, Oct. 31.—The Fort Worth team in the Texas League will be reorganized with Paul Lagrave as manager; he succeeds Walter Morris, for four years president and manager. Also it is probable Kid Nance will be bench manager next year. Walter Morris has moved to Dallas to make his home.

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GHOSTS AND GOBLINS

ABROAD LAST NIGHT

Groups of Grotesquely Masked Figures Paraded Streets and Mischievous Spirits Abroad.

Ghosts and goblins were abroad last night and early in the evening groups of grotesquely masked figures paraded the streets and all sorts of mischievous antics in celebration of Halloween. In every part of town portable objects which thoughtless owners had forgotten to put under lock and key were carried off by mischievous spirits. Torpedoes on the street car tracks made the progress of the cars sound like an attack on European battlefields with rapid fire guns.

No serious damage or destruction of property by Halloween celebrants had been reported up to a late hour last night and no arrests had been made on this account.

Halloween has been celebrated since the early days of the Christian era. In those times there was a day for nearly every saint. There were so many saints, according to one account, however, that a special day could not be set apart for each one and in order to give every saint his due of honor a day was set apart for the honor of all saints not otherwise provided for. This was called All Saints Day or All Hallows from which comes the term Halloween. The day soon took on the character of some of the holidays of the pagan Romans from which it comes to us today. It is supposed in some countries of Europe to have a great deal to do with mating and for this reason owners on Halloween are sought even to this day.

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one peck of Irish or Sweet Potatoes... \$1.25
15c box Coco for... 10c
Tomato pulp, 6 cans for... 25c
Fresh Eggs, per dozen... 25c
Sour Pickles, per dozen... 10c
Dill Pickles, 7 for... 10c
E-Z-Stove Polish... 10c
Armour's Grape Juice, 80c size 40c, 25c size... 25c
New Peas, 3 cans for... 15c
1 pound English Peas, 3 cans for... 15c
New Peas, per pound... 15c
Lemons, large size California, per dozen... 20c
Corn, 3 cans for... 25c
Compound, 5 pound pail 50c, 10 pound pail 95c, 50 pound can... \$4.10
Fat Mackerel, 3 for... 25c
Heinz Tomato Catsup, 25c size for... 20c
New Peas, per pound... 15c
Lemons, large size California, per dozen... 20c
Corn, 3 cans for... 25c
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Tomatoes, 3 pound, two cans for... 25c
Raceland Salmon, 2 cans for... 25c
Dry Shrimp, 2 cans for... 25c
Heinz Chow Chow, per pound... 20c
Heinz Sweet Relish, per pound... 20c
Two Post Toasties... 25c
Crystal White Soap, 6 bars for... 25c
Clean Easy Soap, 6 bars for... 25c
15c box Coco for... 10c
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North Texas Is Undergoing Some Great Changes In A Business Way

For instance, I have opened a gigantic grocery business at 1908 1-2 Eighth Street. It is known as Kelly's Big Store. Would appreciate it if a few of Wichita's substantial citizens would call 1351 and get my prices on a few items.

That would mean an order in every case.

KELLEYS BIG STORE

Phone 1351 A. W. KELLY, Prop.

Important Train Service

VIA MKT Effective Sunday, November 1st

Table with 2 columns: Location, Time. Rows for Leave Wichita Falls, Texas; Arrive Whitesboro, Texas; Arrive Dallas, Texas; Leave Wichita Falls, Texas; Arrive Elk City, Okla.; Arrive Wellington, Texas; Arrive Forgan, Okla.; Leave Wichita Falls, Texas; Arrive Newcastle, Texas.

Arrangements have been made with the street car company for the first car leaving the car barn to arrive Eighth and Ohio streets at 5.50 a. m., allowing 20 minutes for connection with train leaving at 6.20 a. m.

Request your ticket to read "KATY." RANDOLPH DANIELS, Asst. Gen. Passenger Agent. W. G. CRUSH, General Passenger Agent. DALLAS, TEXAS

CRIME INCREASED BY ILLINOIS PAROLE LAW?

Judge Declares Law Makes Prison Mere Temporary Lodging Place For Criminals.

By Associated Press. Chicago, Oct. 31.—The Illinois parole law as a factor in increasing crime in Chicago was attacked from two sources today; the October grand jury in its final report and Judge Martis Kavanaugh, a veteran of the bench, in an address to the Irish Fellowship Club. Judge Kavanaugh declared that of all the cities in the world, Chicago has the weakest protection against lawlessness. Under the provisions of the parole law, the judge said the prison became a mere temporary lodging for criminals. The grand jury report remarked that criminals had been paroled as many as six times.

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STARVATION IN GERMAN TRENCHES

JOURNAL FOUND ON BODY OF GERMAN SOLDIER TELLS WHY HE DIED.

NOTHING TO EAT FOR DAYS

French Artillery Fire Kept Germans in Trenches Until Starvation Killed Them.

By Associated Press. Paris, Oct. 16.—(By mail)—Here is the story of a German private, found dead in a trench from starvation, and this story in the form of a diary of a soldier, apparently kept up to the last day, was found upon him. It begins with the advance of the crown prince on the Marne after the battle of Charleval and the fall of Longwy. It covers the battle of the Marne and the greater part of the campaign in the Aisne. The journal reads: "Yesterday was a day of rejoicing. Our first army has pushed back the French, defeating a division of English cavalry and is before the gates of Paris. In Russia our troops have taken 150,000 prisoners. The joy would have been greater if we had something to eat. "Finally they gave us just enough to put a sharper edge on our appetites. Then we went toward the Marne. The French let us come to the very edge of the stream when their artillery opened fire. It seemed to us that it opened the gates of hell at the same time. We could not advance and we had no orders to retire; we could only watch the carnage around the bridge. The battle lasted nearly all night. We were obliged to dig ourselves in to escape the terrible artillery fire. This morning (Sept. 7) French flying machines obliged us to keep to our trenches. We were lucky enough to dig up some raw potatoes, which comforted us a little. A great battle was announced for today (Sept. 9). We have been in the trenches four days. The rest would be agreeable if there were no matter of men and horses and if the flies did not pester us terribly. "The great battle did not come off (10) but today a great battle is on our right wing. "At two o'clock today (11) we were ordered to leave the trenches. Two French army corps have pierced our lines. We had nothing to eat until ten o'clock when we got just a morsel and then went until 8 o'clock in the morning. "Today (12) we had a little bread with sauce; we are suffering terribly. Finally we arrived at Louvain where we hoped to eat but they made us dig trenches in the rain. "Today (13) we remained stuck in the trenches, eating nothing all day. We can't leave the trenches because of the shower of shrapnel. This afternoon we had our first repast for several days, consisting of rice with a little meat and bread and morsel of bacon. The French artillery gave us a little respite but toward night it reopened the hellish fire which continued very late in the night at a rate of a shot every ten minutes just sufficient to leave us no repose. "It is a dog's life we are leading. Today (23) we were ordered into the first line of trenches; the shells simply rained on us and we were unable to leave our trenches for anything. We were all nearly famished. "Today (26) the French guns have swept off half of our company. It is two days since we were served meager rations of rice and coffee. Cold winds have added to our suffering. Many of the men are so cramped with rheumatism that we are obliged to lift them out of the trenches. "Today (Oct. 4) we have eaten again and the rations were more generous but it seems impossible to satisfy our hunger. "This morning (Oct. 8) it does not rain but a tempest blow and makes us feel our hunger all the more. They say there are plenty of provisions in the rear. The question is to get them to use in the face of the French artillery which makes life impossible and makes us stay in the trenches. Hunger is terrible; I suffer from the cold also. I don't think I can last much longer. "BRUSSELS NOW DECLARED TO BE PART OF GERMANY

By Associated Press. Paris, Oct. 16.—(By mail)—It appears, says a commentator in the Figaro, "that legal time in Brussels is henceforth to be German time. They have not yet rendered obligatory the use of the German tongue in the streets; they have simply annexed the city. On the civil registers, kept by the clerks, one can read: 'A. —. Born September 17 at Brussels (Germany)'"

By Associated Press. Dallas, Texas, Oct. 31.—Whether the Texas League will be composed of eight teams next year and matters relating to salaries will be the principal questions discussed here tomorrow at Baseball League. There are unconfirmed reports that Austria and San Antonio will withdraw from the league next year. Officers and directors will be elected.

By Associated Press. Washington, Oct. 31.—The \$40,000 dormitory at the Masonic home here was to be dedicated today by the Grand Lodge of Masons, Judge Woodson E. Norvell of Tulsa was to be chief speaker. The dormitory, which is said to be one of the finest buildings of its kind in the country, will accommodate 100 boys and 25 men.

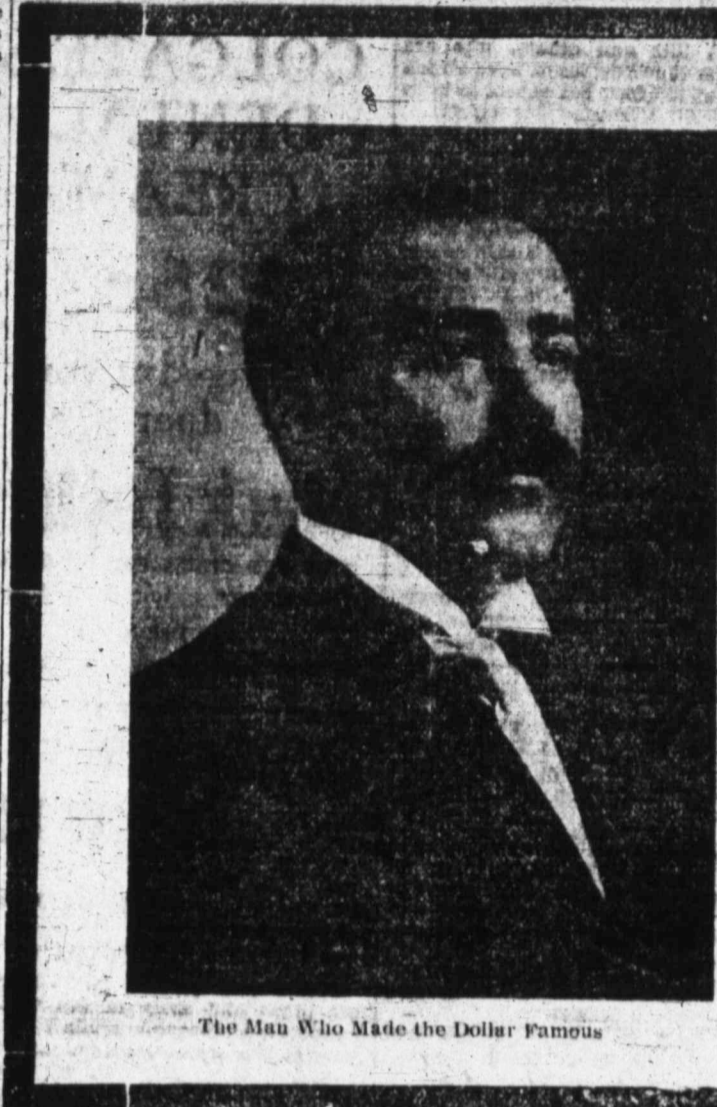
By Associated Press. San Antonio, Texas, Oct. 31.—United States Marshal Rodgers today removed the headquarters of the marshals force of the western district of Texas from San Antonio to Austin, leaving one deputy in charge here. The transfer was made upon request of the marshal, being authorized by Attorney General Gregory. San Antonio has been headquarters of the marshal's force for the last twenty-five years.

By Associated Press. Galveston, Texas, Oct. 31.—A group of officers of the Greek army arrived here this morning stating they were commissioned by their government to purchase 3,000 head of horses for the Greek army. They will leave tomorrow for Oklahoma where purchases are to be made.

By Associated Press. Arlington, Texas, Oct. 31.—A Dallas Fort Worth interurban limited struck an automobile at stop 14 this morning. The car was demolished and the owner was rendered unconscious; the other occupants were uninjured and refused to give their names but said they were from Oklahoma and were returning from the State Fair. The injured man is in a critical condition.

By Associated Press. Laredo, Tex., Oct. 31.—Nine priests who were deported from Mexico, arrived here this morning and took the train for San Antonio. They were from Zamora, State of Michoacan, where they had been in jail for two months past.

By Associated Press. Texarkana, Texas, Oct. 31.—Demand for ten per cent increase in wages, snappers in a local glass factory, one of the largest in the South and which reopened last night, this morning went on a strike. The blowers refused to join the strike. Officials said they would close the factory rather than meet the demands.



The Man Who Made the Dollar Famous

By Associated Press. London, Oct. 31.—A dispatch from Rotterdam says: "Eschen, a Belgian town on the Dutch border north of Antwerp has been occupied by German soldiers who are preparing winter quarters. Six submarines which arrived at Antwerp by rail are now being fitted and docked."

By Associated Press. London, Oct. 31.—The Petrograd correspondent of Reuters sends the following: "The Russian gunboat Kubanets put up a fight against the Turkish torpedo boat which entered Odessa harbor, finally driving the Turkish boat out. The torpedo boats entered the harbor and fired several shells. Some of the Russian's boats superstructure were struck. The Turks tried to use torpedoes but without success."

By Associated Press. Harvard 7, Michigan 0. Virginia 29, Vanderbilt 0. Kansas 16, Oklahoma 16. Amy 41, Villa Nova 0. Michigan Aggies 75, Akron College 0. Alabama 58, Tulane 0. Princeton 7, Williams 2. Navy 16, North Carolina Aggies 44. Yale 49, Colgate 7. Cornell 18, Holy Cross 3. Chicago 9, Wisconsin 0. T. C. U. 14, Baylor 28. Texas 70, Northwestern 0. Carlisle 2, Syracuse 24.

By Associated Press. Oklahoma City, Oct. 31.—Four indictments were returned by the grand jury in session here were made public today charging A. E. Kelsa, Oklahoma City election inspector with changing votes for Robert I. Williams, F. E. Herring and Al Jennings, Democratic candidates for governor, to votes for J. B. A. Robertson in the primary election August 4.

By Associated Press. Washington, Oct. 29.—The department of agriculture today quarantined the entire stockyards at Chicago to prevent shipments of cattle except for immediate slaughter because of shipment of stock diseases.

By Associated Press. Chicago, Oct. 31.—As a precaution against the spread of the foot and mouth disease among cattle the shipment of cattle and sheep from the stockyards here, except for slaughter purposes, was prohibited today by the bureau of animal industry. It affects those animals which are sent here to be fed and fattened or for use on dairy farms.

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Wilson Endorsed A Progressive But It Was a Mistake

By Associated Press. Washington, Oct. 21.—Intending to endorse M. B. O'Leary, Democratic candidate for Congress from the Illinois district now represented by Republican Lester Mann, someone made a mistake and President Wilson wrote a letter endorsing J. C. Vaughn, the Progressive candidate. The error was discovered today and a telegram was sent to Mr. Vaughn, informing him that the president was for Mr. O'Leary and asking him to make no use of the endorsement.

Staff Officers Not Surprised at Teddy's Statement

By Associated Press. Princeton, Oct. 31.—War department officials expressed interest, but not surprise today at Col. Roosevelt's statement to Princeton students that he had seen plans of two empires engaged in the European war for seizing New York and San Francisco. How the colonel had seen the plan members of the general staff, who might have knowledge destined to be disclosed, they pointed out, however, that it was the practice of world powers, including the United States, to make preparations for the eventualities war might bring.

PROHIBITION UNPOPULAR WITH NORWEGIAN PEOPLE

By Associated Press. Christiania, Oct. 29.—The Norwegian press is making an almost unanimous appeal to the government to rescind the prohibition ordinance which was passed in the first excitement of the war to stop the sale of strong alcoholic beverages. Nominal 80 per cent of the Norwegian people is represented in the membership of "Teetotal Societies" and next to Finland, Norway ordinarily has the smallest per capita consumption of alcohol in the world. It is the working classes who are most largely represented in the teetotal membership. The appeal for rescinding the prohibition act is based primarily on assertions that after more than two months of prohibition, prohibition has not worked. Persons who could afford it have indulged extensively in the importation of strong liquors from Denmark and Scotland. Individuals have combined to form "private stock companies" and have brought in thousands of gallons every week, each person taking a keg or two for private use. Among the other classes complaint is made that the prohibition law has created worse conditions, promoting the concoction of such word drinks as "self-murder"—the name given to denaturized alcohol flavored with oil of pepper—and the cheapest kinds of so-called sweet wines, made from chemical products which never save grapes.

The police reports in Christiania show that the average number of arrests for drunkenness has been about the same as before the ordinance was passed, and in the meantime the government loses a revenue of \$260,000 a month. Outside of the Teetotal Societies the demand for rescinding the law has gained such headway that it is said the government may rescind it.

The government has already rescinded the special law forbidding distillation of alcohol from potatoes. This is ordinarily an extensive industry in Norway, but at the outbreak of the European war it was thought necessary to stop it in order to con-

serve the food supply. As a matter of fact it was found that the potatoes used for the distilling process could not be kept long, there not being enough frost cellars for their storage. The breweries, which had also been forbidden to malt their barley, have recommenced their operations.

Another Monday of Unusual Bargains

Awaits those who visit our store early For tomorrow we have arranged an unusually attractive window—a display that cannot but appeal to the economical buyer. Many valuable articles are included.

Cassaroles worth \$4, \$5 and \$6, numerous pieces of handsome Cut Glass, Gold and Silver Pencils, Gold Handled Knives, Solid Gold Cuff Buttons, Solid Gold Birthday Pendants, Sterling Silver Tea Strainers, worth \$2.50, Silverware, etc.

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Jewelers and Diamond Merchants 725 Ohio

ITALIAN MINISTER OF TREASURY RESIGNS

Rome, Oct. 31.—Signor Rabal, minister of the treasury, has sent his resignation to Premier Salandra. Efforts were made at the council of ministers to have him withdraw his resignation, but he declined to do so.

CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS IN NORWAY ARE HINDERED

By Associated Press. Christiania, Oct. 29.—Some of the great construction companies in Norway have had to stop work as payments from England have been cut off. Several of these companies have been harnessing Norwegian water falls for electric power. The Nitrogen Products and Carbide Company for instance, has been erecting machinery to develop 100,000 horse power but after having spent a few million crowns it has entirely ceased operations, throwing about a thousand men out of work. Mining companies, exporting ore to England, Belgium and France, have also stopped as their market at present is closed. About 3000 hands in this industry are idle. The great industrial factories are kept going as before the war and there is even a greater demand for workmen than there are men to fill the places. On the government railway, under construction, where wages are as high as five dollars a day, they cannot get hands enough.

WANT HIGHER FREIGHT RATES ON LIVESTOCK AND MEATS

Washington, Oct. 31.—Increase in freight rates, ranging from twenty to forty per cent on dressed meats, live stock and packing house products are being prepared by the eastern railways for submission to the interstate commerce commission. The prospect today was that the proposed new rates would be suspended when pending an investigation.

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ST. BENOIT—A hamlet of northeastern France, in the Woivre district, nine miles from the Lorraine border, 22 miles southeast of Verdun and about the same distance southwest of Metz. The place originated from an abbey founded there in 1129. The ruins of the ancient structure have been removed. The village has a population of but a few hundred people and has no industries of any size.

CONFREY—A village of extreme northeastern France, 15 miles west of Metz and 21 miles east of Verdun, at the confluence of the Lion River with the Orne. In 1816 the town had a population of 100 and today its inhabitants do not number more than 600. Its sole importance is due to its location at the junction of railroads from the east and west, north, northeast and south. Fairs are held there semi-annually.

HEARLAIN—A village of northern France, seven miles north of west of Lille and a few miles from the Belgian border, with a population slightly exceeding 500. The place has no commercial status but carries on a limited trade in coal mined in the district.

There is also plenty of employment for sailors in the merchant marine, and wages are raised considerably because of the danger of floating mines. Two Norwegian steamers have thus far been blown up by these machines. The fishing fleet has kept at work in the North Sea and had very good catches.

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ACTION OF NEUTRAL COUNTRIES IN FORBIDDING EXPORTS WILL BENEFIT U. S.

COPPER MADE CONTRABAND

This Metal Declared Unconditional Contraband in New List Announced By England

By Associated Press. Washington, Oct. 31.—Copper shipments hereafter will be considered absolute contraband of war by the British government, according to the revised contraband list...

Formal protest has been lodged with the British government, through Ambassador Page, against the detention of the American steamer Kroonland, copper laden, en route to Greece...

FRENCH GOVERNMENT WILL RETURN TO PARIS

Unofficial Announcement of Intention of Government to Return Made Yesterday.

By Associated Press. Paris, Oct. 31.—Unofficial announcement was made today that the government will return to Paris from Bordeaux on November 30...

TSING TAU BOMBARDED BY COMBINED FLEETS

By Associated Press. Tokio, Oct. 31.—The navy department announces Japanese squadrons assisted by English warships and masked by mist, approached and effectively bombarded the forts at Tsing Tau on October 28...

A. & M. Overwhelms Louisiana—Score 63 to 9

A. & M. WINS FROM LOUISIANA STATE BY SCORE 63 TO 9

By Associated Press. Dallas, Texas, Oct. 31.—Fast end running and good interference enabled the Texas A. & M. team to defeat Louisiana State University here today, 63 to 9...

COLGATE LOST TO YALE 49 TO 7

By Associated Press. New Haven, Oct. 31.—Colgate lost to Yale today 49 to 7. The rugged passing game completely baffled the visitors...

HARVARD DEFEATS MICHIGAN 7 TO 0

By Associated Press. Cambridge, Oct. 31.—Harvard defeated Michigan by a score of 7 to 0 here today in a football game almost devoid of spectacular plays...

KEMP'S STATEMENT ON COTTON PLAN

(Continued from page 3)

That prediction has been amply vindicated and cotton is now selling around seven cents a pound. The committee believes it will continue to advance...

GERMAN MINE FIELD OFF COAST OF IRELAND

By Associated Press. Washington, Oct. 31.—Official warning of a German mine field off the coast of Ireland was received today from the British admiralty...

TURKISH STOPS COMMUNICATIONS WITH ENGLAND

By Associated Press. London, Oct. 31.—It is officially announced in London that the Turkish government summarily shut off communication with the British embassy at Constantinople last Friday...

LORD MAIRNE HAS BEEN KILLED IN ACTION

London, Oct. 31.—Lord Mairne, forty years old, second son of the Marquis of Lansdowne, Conservative member of the House of Lords, has been killed in action...

MATERNLICK SAYS GERMANS MINED BRUSSELS BUILDING

Paris, Oct. 31.—Maurice Maternlick, the Belgian author, in a signed article in the Figaro, reviewing the phases of the war in Belgium, still expresses fear for the fate of the grand palace (market place), the Hotel de Villa (the town hall) and the Cathedral of Brussels...

SIXTEEN ARRESTS WERE MADE LAST NIGHT

Up to one o'clock this morning sixteen arrests had been chalked up at the police station, mostly of folks who had celebrated Halloween too thoroughly...

REFUGEE SHIPS TORPEDOED BY GERMAN SUBMARINE

London, Oct. 31.—It is officially announced that the refugee ship, Admiral Ganteaume, says a Bordeaux dispatch, was torpedoed by a German submarine and did not strike a mine, as was at first thought.

PRINCETON AND WILLIAMS PLAY TIE

OKLAHOMA AND KANSAS PLAY TIE

By Associated Press. Lawrence, Kan., Oct. 31.—The University of Kansas and University of Oklahoma played a 16 to 16 tie here today, either team seemed able to hold an advantage for any length of time...

MISSOURI RAILROADS ABROGATE PRIVILEGES

By Associated Press. Jefferson City, Mo., Oct. 31.—The trunk railroads of Missouri today filed with the Missouri public service commission schedules abrogating all special freight privileges and special rates covering commodities not already fixed by statute...

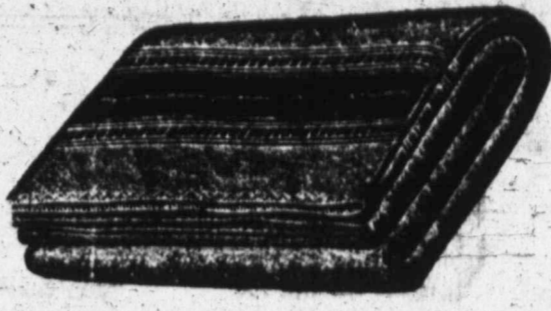
TEXAS DEFEATS SOUTH WESTERN BY 70 TO 0

By Associated Press. Austin, Texas, Oct. 31.—Lacking but one touchdown of tying the highest score they had ever made, the University of Texas today defeated Southwestern, 70 to 0. The Southwesterners were unable to cope with the speed and weight of the Texas eleven.

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CONSTERNATION IN CONSTANTINOPLE

Turkish Embassy in Petrograd Hopes "Misunderstanding" Will Be Cleared Up

By Associated Press. London, Oct. 31.—The correspondent of the Morning Post in Petrograd sends his paper the following: "The statement published here that the guns of the cruiser Goeben were turned on the Sultan's palace in order to make him yield to the German demand is probably untrue."

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FRENCH OCCUPY ISLAND CLAIMED BY GREECE

By Associated Press. London, Oct. 31.—A Stefania agency dispatch from Rome says: "A semi-official note has been issued stating that the island of Saseno was occupied yesterday by Admiral Paris of the Italian navy, who disembarked one company and a company of infantry. The ownership of this island which commands the entrance to the harbor of Avigona, has long been a matter of dispute between Greece and Albania."

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Belgian King Appeals to Americans to Aid His People

By Associated Press. London, Oct. 31.—Albert, king of the Belgians, has asked the American people through the American commission for relief in Belgium to help feed his starving people during the coming winter. The king's message written under fire in the battle before Dunkirk follows:

Article by Wichitan is Reproduced in Magazine in Germany

The name of W. H. Cousins may be added to the list of those who are making Wichita Falls famous. Articles by him have not only been published in American trade journals, but recently have been translated into German and published in the "Apothekar" at Berlin, a magazine which is read by such of the Berlin druggists as are not engaged in shooting Frenchmen. The two articles appeared in the "Practical Druggist" and were considered worthy of reproduction abroad, a fact of which Mr. Cousins feels quite proud.

FRENCH TAKE VILLAGE AT POINT OF THE LANCE

Paris, Oct. 31.—A semi-official announcement made in Paris today follows: "In one of our attacks delivered this day before yesterday a village strongly held by the enemy's artillery, supported by artillery was taken by a detachment of French mounted cavalry belonging to two dragoon regiments. The men charged with their lances in their hands. The enemy left in the village more than 200 dead and abandoned 200 of their wounded."

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MONDAY. The Cocoon and the Butterfly. A Charming Two Part American. Mabel's New Prank. The Cutest kind of Keystone Comedy. The Million Dollar Mystery. Trapped by the flames is the title of this, the 18th part of this great serial and by far the most sensational yet shown. Only four more of this story and all filled with interest of the keenest sort. VICTORIA THEATRE. Times Want Ads For Results

Personal Mention

W. L. Ponder and family have been in Dallas attending the fair. G. M. Small and family left yesterday for a short stay at Dallas. Charles Parker and wife have returned from a short visit at Jolly. Miss Rose Riesenbergh of Sherman, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. L. Art. T. L. Watson of Elgin, Texas, is the guest of his sister, Mrs. W. O. Basford. Mayor Ben Schwieger of Burkburnett was in the city on business yesterday. Mrs. W. L. Guthrie was called to Amarillo yesterday by the illness of her mother. J. A. Basford of Omaha, Neb., is in the city visiting his brother, W. O. Basford. Judge Harvey Harris left yesterday to spend Sunday with relatives at Burkburnett. Chas. E. Basford and Mrs. Geo. W. Taylor of McAlester, Okla., are in the city visiting relatives. N. P. Giles and son, Albert of Oklahoma, were here yesterday en route to the Dallas Fair. Misses Corryn and Addelle Allday of Atlanta, are visiting their brother, T. E. Allday and family at 2607 Ninth street. Guy Riley with O. W. Bean & Son is laid up with a severe injury to his knee sustained while getting out of a delivery wagon. Dr. C. R. Hartsook left yesterday for a six weeks' absence during which time he will hear lectures in Chicago and New York City. W. R. Duke has returned from Dallas, where he attended the convention of officials of the Southwestern Life Insurance Company. George Wilson, who has been employed in the Chamber of Commerce office has accepted a position in Superintendent Sullivan's office at the Northwestern. J. W. Musgrave of Baylis, Ill., is visiting his sons, George and Henry, two of Wichita county's prosperous farmers, whose farms are located north of the city. Mrs. G. M. Orr and baby left for their home at El Paso Saturday, after a visit with her sister, Mrs. T. E. Cannedy, wife of the pastor of the Fourth Street Baptist Church. Fred Gates, Frank Blair, J. W. Pond, Lee Smith and A. G. Deatherage will comprise a hunting party which will leave today in automobiles for a week's hunting in Matador county. Mrs. J. D. Beggs went to Fort Worth Saturday morning to attend the unveiling of the monument to her father, R. W. Lee by the Woodmen of the World. While there Mrs. Beggs will visit with friends and relatives. Mr. Beggs will join her from Abilene. G. W. Byers passed through the city yesterday on his return to Byers from a business trip to Fort Worth and Dallas. He says that the new bridge over Red River near Byers is being used even more than its builders had hoped. He says there is much sentiment at Byers for a better road to Wichita Falls and he believed the people of Byers are ready to meet the people of Wichita Falls half way on a new road.

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CRIMINAL INDICTMENTS AGAINST STANDARD CO.

New Jersey County Grand Jury Returns Bills Under Seven Sisters Law

By Associated Press. Jersey City, Oct. 31.—It was reported here today that criminal indictments had been voted by the Hudson county grand jury against the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey and the Gulf Refining Company which have been engaged in a rate war on gasoline in Hudson and Essex counties within the last few months. The indictments, according to the report, were two in number and were voted last night. It was said they would not be handed into court until next Monday and that they were found under the so-called "seven sisters" laws which were placed on the statute books through the efforts of Woodrow Wilson when he was governor.

COMMUNICATION WITH TURKISH TERRITORY INTERRUPTED  
By Associated Press. New York, Oct. 31.—The Commercial Cable company today announced that communication with Turkey in Europe, Turkey in Asia and the Turkish island was interrupted.

Circumstances may indicate that possibly you need glasses in order to give you better and more comfortable vision, and to relieve a strain which you notice in reading or doing close work of any kind. The approach of eye-strain is hardly noticed, however, in its earlier stages. Some persons frown, wrinkle the eyebrows, squint or have other nervous habits, which are among the first indications of eye-strain. In such instances the person's eyes are likely to tire easily. This is the best time to call for an examination in order to ascertain whether or not glasses should be worn.

Dr. J. W. DuVal  
Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat

When You Have Forgotten:

The virtues of your deceased friends or loved one, go out to the cemetery and read thereon, engraved with skilled hands, the name and dates of the one you knew so well. You forget their failures and their human frailties, while you remember their good deeds, their kindly acts of love and tender sympathy. Their virtues stand out before you in visions of gold to remind you of higher and better things. Should there be no such SACRED TABLET to bring you these tender memories, let us place one for you. You will be better and happier for duty well done.

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Dick Potter's Wife—Edison drama.  
The Belle of Breweryville—Lubin comedy.  
The Show With the Pictures

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Lubin two-reel special, with John Smiley.  
BILL'S BOY  
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Vitagraph, with Dorothy Kelly and James Morrison.

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Our service is just as convenient as your phone. It matters not the price of the article you desire, we will deliver it with pleasure. Make your wants known, we are here to give you the best possible service, and we feel there is no better way than to save you the trouble and annoyance of coming to town for the little things you may need in our line.  
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ARMY RECRUIT CONFESSES TO HORRIBLE CRIME

St. Louis, Oct. 31.—Scott Stone, a United States army recruit at Jefferson Barracks, near here, who was arrested yesterday afternoon at the request of the state's attorney of Champaign county, Illinois, late today made a written confession that he had murdered his wife and four children near Petona, Illinois, on September 28. He killed them, according to his confession, by dynamiting his home. He himself fled from the house after he had lighted the fuse that set off the explosive. Fire followed the explosion.

In the ruins of the house the bodies of Mrs. Stone and two children were found but the bodies of the other children were never recovered. The motive of the crime, according to the confession, was that he might go away with another woman, a woman in Champaign whose name he gave as Lucile. Her last name he said, he could not remember. An order for the arrest of the woman was made from St. Louis today.  
Marriage licenses have been issued as follows: Warren D. Cottrell to Nancy E. Lewis, and John J. Gallagher, Graham, to Deborah Parkinson, Graham.

STYLE  
Is one of the things you pay for when you buy a suit of clothes, and if you don't get your money's worth. Style in a suit must be the style of the man or it looks like an accident.  
A sweat-shop, hand-me-down may be made of excellent material, well sewed, but it was made for nobody in particular and fits the same way. There must be individuality to clothes or there is no style to them. They must be cut to conform to the individual build of the person who is to wear them. Our business is making clothes for YOU. The suit you get from us is made for YOU. In our cleaning and pressing department is where your dollar does its duty and brings you a hundred cents' worth of service. We do it right and save you time and money.  
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EUROPEAN WAR MAPS  
Large on rollers for wall and small folding for pockets. Revised, showing all points of war in large type. See our window.  
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#### Serge and Satin Dresses \$12 50 to \$25 00

—Serge and satin in combination; new coat style, braid-trimmed, navy and black.

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—Short coats, tunic skirts, velvet and button-trimmed, the right thing for juniors.

#### Misses' Velveteen Frocks \$15 00

—New ripple skirts, long waist and belt effects, navy, red and black.

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—All the new plaids and Scotch mixtures, just the coat for right now.

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—New Scotch weaves, full wide bottom, strictly tailored effects.

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—Plain backs; full flare bottom, collar and cuffs of plush, black and navy.

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## IN THE SPHERE OF WOMANKIND

### ENJOYABLE MISSIONARY PROGRAM FRIDAY EVENING

An interesting program was given Friday evening at the First Baptist Church in the interest of the Missionary Society, the entertainment taking the form of a sketch. "The Voices of the Women and Children," a call of the heathen nations to the Christian peoples. The parts were taken by a number of young ladies whose performance was very creditable and the program was full of interest. A free will offering for missions was taken up. Those taking part in the program were: Misses Runa Brown, Lou Ella Morgan, Inogene Brown, Isabelle Hawthorne, Lucy Smoot, Celia Statton, Elizabeth Miller, Emma Carter, Delia Stone, Hazel Miller, Helen Davis and Mrs. Bell.

### KLONDIKE SOCIAL FRIDAY PROVES QUOTE A SUCCESS

The Klondike Social given Friday evening on the lawn of the First Presbyterian Church under the direction of Rev. Howard M. Frank, returned missionary from Alaska, was a glorious success, declared so by all who attended. A number of ingenious amusements had been planned and the crowd snowballed, coasted down Mt. McKinley, hunted and romped in the light of a huge bonfire. The congregation of the church was well represented, and a number of side friends enjoyed the evening also. A large pot of steaming tea with crackers were the camp refreshments which were provided and in every way Rev. Frank proved himself a capable and unique host.

### WEDDING OF CHILDRESS COUPLE OF INTEREST HERE

The following clipping from the Childress Post will be of much interest here, as both bride and groom are well known, the groom having lived here formerly, as stated, while Miss Fines has been a visitor with friends here:

"Monday at high noon, in the city of Mineral Wells, Miss Callie Fines and Mr. R. R. Robertson, both of

this city, were united in marriage. While they have not yet returned home, their numerous friends are looking for them almost any day. The bride is the only daughter of Judge and Mrs. A. J. Fines of this city and has long been one of the best known and most popular young ladies of Childress. She possesses many beautiful traits of character, besides she is a woman of rare accomplishments. Having grown up here from infancy, she is widely known and greatly beloved. The groom is one of our enterprising young business men and has made his home here for the past six or seven years coming to this city from Wichita Falls, where he was reared. For a number of years he was connected with the Denver road, but for the past two years has been conducting the Robertson Grain and Coal Company, of which firm he is now the senior member. By his industry and business ability he has built up a prosperous trade and counts his friends by the score."

### D. A. R. MEETING AND PROGRAM FOR SATURDAY

The Daughters of the American Revolution will meet Saturday, Nov. 7, with Mrs. Bruce Smith. Recent events of national interest will be the topics given in answer to roll call and the lesson will cover the time of Washington's administration. Mrs. Maer will furnish special music. Mesdames Jackson, Watts and Burnside will be out of town during the week in attendance upon the State convention of the D. A. R. at Houston but are expected to return in time for the meeting.

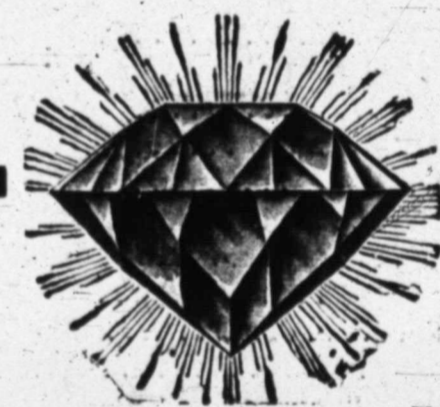
### MISS STOKES ENTERTAINS PATHFINDER CLUB FRIDAY

Miss Tula Stokes was hostess to a social session of the Pathfinder Club Friday afternoon. In accordance with the Halloween season the house was charmingly decorated in a color scheme of yellow and black, with the usual black cats, witches, bats and pumpkins predominating. In the music room a pumpkin, pendant from the

chandelier, held the fate of all, written on vari-colored leaves; these when drawn and read aloud furnished much amusement, some being deemed quite appropriate. Features of the afternoon were the vocal solo by Miss Hazel Hunter and the beautifully interpreted "March of the Indian Phantoms" by Miss Florence Sammons. The projected subscription to the club women's funds for the school for delinquent girls was brought before the club by Miss Nolen and discussed in a short business session. A delightful two course luncheon was served by the hostess, assisted by her mother, Mrs. J. B. Stokes and sister, Miss Zula and in the menu were Halloween motifs and colors were featured. The decorations of the dining room were especially clever and pleasing to the eye. A large pumpkin with smiling face electrically lighted, occupied the center of the table, resting on a bed of fruit. At intervals around the outside of the table, small paper mache jack-o'-lanterns were arranged. The curtains and walls were ornamented with cats and witches, the dainty napkins which accompanied the service of the luncheon plates were embossed with black cats and pumpkins. Miss Pauline Mears and Mrs. J. B. Stokes were the guests of the afternoon, the club members present being: Misses Emma Smith, Hazel Hunter, Florence Sammons, Grace Nolen, Alice Burnside, Nina Barwise, Mrs. Burnside and the hostess, Miss Stokes.

### BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR PEARL BEARD SATURDAY AFTERNOON

Saturday afternoon little Miss Pearl Beard was hostess to quite a number of little friends in celebration of her eighth birthday. A number of games were played until late in the afternoon, when the small guests were invited into the dining room, which was very prettily decorated with pink carnations, the table being also adorned with pink ribbon streamers, ice cream cake and grape juice were served and all engaged in the ceremony of cutting the birthday cake. The dime was cut by Helen Howard and the thimble by Alice Young. Mrs. Beard was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. G. B. Nuckolls and Mrs. Rex Beard. The guests at this delightful children's party were Aileen Haynes, Alice Young, Helen Howard, Leoda and Ola Jones, Mina Swartz, Evamae Cockrell, Vada and Marshall Rose, Marie and Jack Chandler, Maudie Jones, Lottie Pettit, Gladys and Gracie Cox, Lillian Haley, Laura and Mae Burns, Irma Holston, Malcom Merchant, Billie and Gilbert Lee Callahan, Buster and Paschal Coats and the little hostess, Pearl Beard.



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SOCIETY

MRS. P. A. MARTIN HOSTESS TO THE SEW SO CLUB

Thursday afternoon Mrs. P. A. Martin was hostess to the Sew So Club. The club members spent the afternoon in the usual pleasant manner, having with them as guests Miss Boone and Mrs. Yeager. Hot chocolate and cake was served late in the afternoon, the club then adjourning to meet next week with Mrs. E. W. Nicholson. The members present were: Mesdames Nicholson, Jamison, Williams, Coffield, Howery, Fonville Urban, Baggett, Fitzgerald, Boone, Naylor and the hostess.

NOTICE TO THE MEMBERS OF THE CIVIC LEAGUE

Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. A. Kemp, the membership contest which the league has been carrying on for the past month will end. A full attendance of the membership is desired at this meeting and it should be considered the duty and pleasure as well of each member to bring one or more ladies with her. With an enlarged membership much more effective work can be done along civic lines and it is the aim of the Civic League to make this coming year count for more than ever before. Let every member be present Tuesday and bring others with her.

THURSDAY SEWING CIRCLE WITH MRS. BELL THURSDAY

Mrs. J. M. Bell was hostess to the Thursday Sewing Circle in regular session Thursday afternoon. Needlework as usual formed the chief diversion of the afternoon. Mesdames

Clifford and Livingston Fain were the guests of the club, the members present being: Mesdames Montgomery, Gardner, Hartsook, Waggoner, Murph, Huggins, Bell and Miss Beryl Murph. The club will meet in social session next week with Mrs. Huggins.

WICHITA TRAVEL CLUB REVIEWS FORMER STUDY

The Wichita Travel Club met in regular session Thursday morning with Mrs. J. L. McKee, with Mrs. R. T. Bolyn as leader. The roll call was answered with impressions gained from the study of Japan, and the lesson was conducted in the form of a query on the previous study of Japan. Mrs. Hamlin gave an excellent paper on "Education in Japan" and Mrs. McKee made a brief but interesting talk on the music of the nation. The members present were: Mesdames Bolyn, Datson, Shelton Smith, Faunt LeRoy, Alexander, Hamlin, J. W. Akin, George Akin and McKee.

"NORTH POLE PICNIC" AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Tonight is a special night on the calendar of the First Presbyterian church. Dr. Cook of North Pole fame will be present in the person of Rev. H. M. Frank returned missionary from Alaska to conduct an evening of fun and frolic in true Alaska style on the church lawn. The cooler the weather, the better. People are requested to dress as for a winter outing. The novel features of entertainment will be snow games, snowballing, coasting and shooting big game in the Arctic. Campfire refreshments will be served after the fashion of the north. A candle, a cake of soap and an icicle is supposed to make a light lunch for

an Eskimo but for the guests to-night, something warmer will be served. A bonfire will furnish light and heat. Everything is free. A warm welcome to all. Presbyterian folks are especially urged to come.

THURSDAY BRIDGE MEETS WITH MRS. WADE WALKER

Mrs. Wade Walker was hostess to the Thursday Bridge Club in regular session Thursday afternoon. Five tables of players enjoyed the game until late in the afternoon, the favor a hand painted plate, going to Mrs. Toney in the cut. The approach of Halloween had given the hostess the motif for the artistic hand made score cards and the same idea was carried out in the dainty napkins and service of the salad plate which came at the close of the game. Those present were: Mesdames Frank Blair Cullinan, DuVal, Cravens, Dent Zundelowitz, Reese, Eugene Sherrod Bruce Smith, McGregor, Stanforth Wynne, Wintrey, Dibrell of Seguin Burnside, Niles, Walter Robertson Jones, Toney, Huff and Miss Sherrod.

MUSICIAN'S CLUB HOLDS CHORAL PRACTICE THURSDAY

The choral members of the Musician's Club met Thursday afternoon in the parlors of the First Presbyterian Church for practice. Thirty of the members were in attendance and an enthusiastic rehearsal held. It is the purpose of the club to give a concert at Christmas and rehearsal for this are now begun. The chorus will meet again next Thursday for practice, preceding the regular program.

ART LITERATURE CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. BAKER

Mrs. H. L. Baker was hostess to the Art Literature club Tuesday afternoon. Roll call was answered with notes on American scenery and the very interesting Bayview lesson on Indian Education was ably led by Mrs. Leicham. Mrs. Pridden read an excellent paper on the founding of Philadelphia and the club was taken through the changes of a quarter of a century by Mrs. Rountree, who has a paper on that topic. Mrs. DeBerry led the parliamentary drill, which is a feature of the club. After listening to the report of Miss Childers on the training school for delinquent girls in Texas, the meeting was turned over to the hostess, Miss Kathleen Stone. Other was introduced, also Mesdames Nolan Bullock, who entertained the club with a number of piano duets. Miss Stonecipher then favored with solo music in her usual masterly style, while the hostess, assisted by Mesdames Little and McCloy, served a delicious and artistically arranged salad plate. The members and a guest present were Mesdames Childers, a homecipher, Mesdames Scruggs, McElroy, Nolan, Little, Bean, Burgess Gebhart, Harris, Robertson, Blanker ship, DeBerry, Rountree, Leichman Pridden.

HALLOWEEN PARTY FOR NEW BRIDGE CLUB TUESDAY

A Halloween bridge party was enjoyed by the members of the New Bridge club, guests and a number of out-of-town guests Tuesday afternoon at which time Mrs. C. P. Moore entertained at the home of Mrs. Fran' Cullinan. The rooms were darkened and a weird light was furnished by candle-light, jack o'lanterns. On the hangings of the rooms and every conceivable place black cats and witches were rampant and streamers of yellow and black crepe paper hung from chandeliers and doorways. On each table salted almonds were placed in boxes, on which saucy black cats were perched. The color motif was carried out in the refreshment course of pea salad, primento sandwiches, olives and orange ice, which was the final hospitality of the afternoon. The host of the game found Mrs. H. Harr' Weeks winner of the club prize, an ivory clock for the boudoir; Mrs. Claude Woods scoring high among the guests, the favor being a perfume bottle in an ivory container, while in consolation, a black cat, with skeleton face, fell to Mrs. Dent. Ever a novel hostess, Mrs. Moore's hospitality was unusually enjoyable on this occasion. The out-of-town guests present were Mesdames Telling of Fort Worth, Clarkson of Fort Worth, Terrill of Dallas and Barry of Abilene; other guests were Mesdames Woods, and Stanforts. The club members present were Mesdames Greewood, E. L. Smith, T. B. Smith, Fenton, Jones Cullinan, Marcus, Larkin, Fred Weeks, Harry Weeks, Avis, Dent, Cravens Whitney, Griffin, Loeb and Miss Dent.

MISS GLADYS BURGETT HOSTESS TO WESLEY GIRLS TUESDAY

The Wesley Girls met Tuesday afternoon in regular session with Miss Gladys Burgett. The usual routine of meeting was carried out and music was a feature. The hostess served delicious hot biscuits with butter, coffee, salad and cake to the following members: Misses Alta Ruffner, Il Cook, Hazel Robson, Muriel Hickman Zola Roersson, Myrtle Humphries Grace Nolen, Mesdames John Chambers, Woodruff, Lester Jones and Rhea Howard.

LADIES OF M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH, IN ALL DAY SESSION

The ladies of the M. E. Church South, held their usual monthly all day meeting Monday at the church. The meeting was marked by a splendid attendance and an unusual amount of interest. At the noon hour a tempting lunch was enjoyed. Messrs. Sulder and Montgomery and Dr. Hill being present as guests. The "week of prayer service" was observed in the program of the afternoon instead of at a later date as originally intended. After a business session and a generous free will offering which was to go to the Yashki School in Thomasville, Ga., and the Rio School in Brazil, the program was opened by the singing of a hymn by the society and a prayer by Mrs. Hutton. The devotionals were led by Mrs. Butler, reading from the fourteenth chapter of the Gospel of John.

SOCIAL CALENDAR FOR THE COMING WEEK.

Monday, Nov. 2—The Ladies Aid of the First Presbyterian Church will hold an informal tea at the home of Mrs. J. A. Kemp, to which all the ladies of the church are invited. The regular monthly business meeting of the Home Mission Society of the M. E. Church, South will be held at the church at 3 o'clock. The Westminster Guild will meet at the First Presbyterian Church at 3 o'clock sharp. Social meeting of the ladies of the First M. E. Church will be held with Mrs. H. J. Bachman. Regular meeting of the Guild of the Good Shepherd at rectory. The Central Presbyterian Missionary Society will hold a missionary program at the home of Mrs. J. F. Reed. The C. W. B. M. will meet in regular session at the First Christian Church.

Tuesday, Nov. 3—All day meeting of the ladies of First Baptist Church. Little Sisters meet with Miss Ann Frear. Mrs. John B. Chambers will be hostess to the Wesley Girls. Mrs. Eugene Sherrod will be hostess to the Tuesday Bridge Club. The L. A. to B. R. T. will meet in regular session at 2:30. The Art Literature Club will meet with Mrs. C. W. Bear. Miss Marion Crabbe will be hostess to the B. O. P. S.

Wednesday, Nov. 4—The New Century Club will meet with Mrs. S. J. Ashmore. The New Idea Club will meet with Mrs. E. V. Friberg. The Delphian Society will meet in morning session with Mrs. Arthur Lyons. Apt. 14 Kemp Kort. Mrs. A. H. Britain will entertain the Old Maids. The Rowena Circle will meet with Mrs. Randall, 1600 Holiday.

Thursday, Nov. 5—The Mayflower 42 club will meet with Mrs. Walker, 1517 Sixteenth street. The Thursday Sewing Circle will meet with Mrs. Huggins. The Sew So Club will meet with Mrs. Nicholson. The Wichita Travel Club will meet with Mrs. J. L. McKee in morning session. The church practice and regular meeting of the Musician's Club at First Presbyterian Church.

Friday, Nov. 6—Mrs. T. W. Roberts will entertain at Auction Bridge. Miss Audrey Ferguson will entertain the girls in Miss Cora Coons Sunday school class in Wichita Grove No. 1087 will meet in new Odd Fellows Hall. The Unity Club will meet with Mrs. H. B. Patterson. Mrs. W. L. Dillard will entertain the Merry Wives and the Progressive Crochet Club.

Saturday, Nov. 7—Miss Kathrine Miller will be hostess to the Entre Nous Club. Mrs. Walter Garner will entertain the Just So Club. Daughters of the American Revolution will meet with Mrs. Bruce Smith.

A prayer by Mrs. Hartsook followed and another hymn. The Gulf Coast work was discussed by Mrs. Jenne and queries were held on the mountain work, the Pain Annex and Bethlehem House by Mrs. Montgomery. The rescue work and the Virginia C. Johnson Home in Dallas were the topics of an interesting talk by Mrs. W. Snider. "Rescue the Parish" was then sung, followed by "Wesley Houses" by Mrs. Chauncey. Queries on foreign work closed the program. During the business session it was decided to hold a "birthday party" the second Monday in November at the home of Mrs. E. P. Johnson. The fourth Monday was set as the date for the return of the times, which were given to each of the ladies the first of the year, to be increased in any manner possible. The meeting will take place at the church.

SURPRISE DINNER FOR DR. R. C. SMITH SATURDAY

In celebration of their twenty-sixth wedding anniversary, Mrs. R. C. Smith arranged a surprise dinner Sunday for Dr. Smith, inviting a number of his professional friends. The able decorations carried out the idea of the Halloween festival and a delicious course dinner was served. The guests enjoying the affair were: Dr. Burnside, Walter Walker, H. P. Walker, Hartsook, Stripling, Moore, Daniels, Guest, Amazon and the host.

CLASS MEETING FRIDAY WITH GRAYCE SHAMBURGER

Friday afternoon of last week the girls of Miss Cora Coons class in the Junior department of the First Christian Sunday school met at the home of Miss Grayce Shamburger and formed an organization. The hostess was elected president; with Miss Audrey Ferguson secretary and treasurer and the selection of the class name was deferred until the next meeting which will be held with Miss Audrey Ferguson. Those present at the initial meeting were: Misses Cora Coons, Audrey Ferguson, Magde Peck, Inez Lancaster, Hortense Horton and the hostess. Tempting refreshments were served at the conclusion of the meeting.

ANNOUNCEMENT RECEIVED OF WEDDING AT ABILENE

The following announcement has been received here: "Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Morris announce the marriage of their daughter, Ruby, to Mr. Alex J. Miller, Wednesday, October 21st, 1914, Abilene, Texas. The family of the bride formerly resided here and she has many friends who will learn of the announcement with much interest.

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SOCIETY

ENTRE NOUS CLUB MEETS WITH MISS GUSSIE PITCHFORD

Miss Gussie Pitchford was hostess to the Entre Nous Club Saturday afternoon. The usual diversions were enjoyed and a business session was held, the girls planning for their "phantom party" to be given on Halloween night. The hostess assisted her mother in serving a delicious refreshment course to the following: Miss Bessie Gibson and Mrs. Charles Bennett, guests and Misses Doris Coonan, Mary Leith Taylor, Genevieve Mudd, Sibel James, Alice Butler, Inez Smith, Katharine Miller, Edith Yates, Juanita Hammersley, Ethel Sands, Ramie Pardo, Lucille Holden, Miss Katharine Miller will be hostess to the next regular meeting of the club.

INTERESTING MEETING OF WESTMINSTER GUILD

The Westminster Guild of the First Presbyterian Church met Monday afternoon in regular session. Good attendance was enjoyed and much interest manifested in the study course for the coming winter. The program committee, Mrs. Newton Maer and Miss Beavers, will arrange the programs at a meeting some time this week, the study of Church History to be taken up. In addition to the study course the Guild will take up various phases of church and charitable work as opportunity presents itself. A request is made that all members attend promptly at 3 next Monday afternoon in order that the program may be carried out in time for those who so desire to attend the tea to be given at the home of Mrs. J. A. Kemp.

MRS. KERR HOSTESS TO CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN AID

The Ladies Aid of the Central Presbyterian Church met with Mrs. A. F. Kerr Monday afternoon. The devotional was led by Miss Carter and roll call answered with Scripture quotations. The lesson was taken from "The King's Business" pages 31 to 32. The sum of twenty dollars was made by the circus day lunch as reported at the business meeting and this will be forwarded to Miss Lowrance in North Carolina, to aid in the education of the mountain girls. Plans were made for the Halloween party to be given Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. J. C. Pressley on Broad street, to which all the members of the church and their friends are invited. The members present were: Miss Carter, Mesdames Neford, Oldham, White, Kidd, Kerr, Smith, Reed, Hardwick, Pressley, Phil Kerr and the hostess. Society meets next Monday with Mrs. J. F. Reed. A missionary program will be carried out and refreshments will be served.

NEW IDEA CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. T. E. DOBSON

Mrs. T. E. Dobson entertained the New Idea Club very delightfully Wednesday afternoon with Mesdames Thrallkill, C. C. Smith and Frank Montgomery as special guests. The afternoon was spent in the usual manner and the hostess served in a tempting luncheon, consisting of fried chicken, hot biscuits, Waldorf salad in timbales, stuffed olives coffee, followed by junket, candied cherries and rosettes. The members present were: Mesdames Bachman, Newton, Simon, Carey, Harry Thornberry, Goodale, Shaw, G. E. Friberg and the hostess.

MRS. BOONE HOSTESS TO THE DELPHIAN SOCIETY

The Delphian Society met Wednesday morning in regular session with Mrs. T. R. Boone. Roll call was an award with notes on architecture and art in Egypt and a very interesting paper was read by Mrs. Jones of "The Growth of Art and Architecture." An interesting topic of the morning was "Thebes described by Homer as the hundred gated," by Mrs. H. A. feature of the program was Mrs. Moore's rendition of the second part of "Uarda" by Ebers. Mrs. Moore will give the entire book from memory and her delivery is considered beautiful. At the conclusion of the program the hostess served a delicious refreshment course. Two new members were welcomed into the society, these being Mesdames Lyon and O. E. Maer. Other members present were: Misses Carver and Ritchie, Mesdames Boone, Carver, Grayson, J. G. Jones, Newton Maer, Moore, Robertson, Silk, Smith and Turner.

MISS CARRIGAN HOSTESS TO OLD MAIDS WEDNESDAY

The Old Maids met in regular session Wednesday afternoon with Miss Ann Carrigan as hostess. Mrs. Fred Weeks and Mrs. J. C. Straus were club guests, completing three tables of players for several games of bridge. The hostess had provided a souvenir, a deck of cards, which was cut for Miss Edith Carver, being fortunate. A luncheon course of creamed chicken in patty cases sandwiches, pickles and fruit were served at the conclusion of the game. The members present were: Misses Carrie Kell, Eddie Carver, Genevieve Carver, Lillian McGregor, Agnes Reid, Ann Freear, Lillian Avis, Jewel Kemp, Mrs. Alex Britain and the hostess.

NEW CENTURY CLUB MEETING WITH MRS. WHITNEY

Mrs. D. G. Whitney was hostess to the New Century at her pleasant country home north of the city Wednesday afternoon. The lesson on Washington was ably led by Mrs. Ashmore and Mrs. Gardner gave an instructive paper on the international peace agitation. Mrs. Barnard had an interesting paper on "A Trip to Mount Vernon" and the musical program for the afternoon was furnished by Mrs. Ashmore. The topic for the round table talk was "Public Buildings" and several minutes were spent in a very profitable discussion.

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The hostess served delicious pressed chicken, sandwiches and hot chocolate at the conclusion of the program. Guests of the club were: Mesdames Tyson, F. C. Wilkey of Chattanooga, Boone and Miss Evans. The club members present were: Mesdames Montgomery, Watts, Snider, Smyre, Burnside, Adams, Ashmore, Gardner, Barnard, Silk, Walker, Addicks, Lee and the hostess.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN MISSIONARY SOCIETY MONDAY

The Missionary Society of the First Presbyterian Church met in regular session Monday afternoon. The devotional exercise was led by Mrs. Kemp, who was also leader of the lesson. The second chapter of "The Child in the Midst" was the lesson for the afternoon, those taking part in the program being Mesdames Hunt, Beavers, Patterson, Mears, Potter and Miss Jodie Hayes. It was the pleasure of the society to have with them Miss Pitman, a returned missionary who made an interesting and enlightening talk on the children of Mexico, their life and education. Her talk was illustrated by photographs. Mrs. Fowler made a talk on "Train up a child in the way he should go." A food number was in attendance to enjoy the unusually interesting program.

FIRST CHRISTIAN LADIES ENTERTAINED MONDAY

The Ladies Aid Society of the First Christian Church was entertained very pleasantly Monday afternoon at the residence of Rev. F. F. Walters with Mesdames Walters, Downing and Bacon as hostesses. The decorations and souvenirs carried out the Halloween idea and were quite artistic. After the business session and a very substantial offering a social time was in order. Delicious refreshments were served and all present declared the afternoon a most pleasant one.

GUILD OF GOOD SHEPHERD MEETING MONDAY AFTERNOON

The Guild of the Good Shepherd met Monday afternoon with Mrs. Datson at the rectory. The usual matters of business were brought up for discussion, the coming bazaar being one of the chief items of interest. The members present were: Mesdames Varner, Posenpohl, McElroy, Wain, Sammons, Japhet, Bibb, Stewart, Fontaine, Shaw, Scruggs, Allen, Gates, Blair, Shutt and Datson.

MRS. MEARES ENTERTAINS WITH OYSTER SUPPER

Sunday evening Mrs. Zula Meares was hostess to a number of friends with a delightful oyster supper. The guests included Misses Minnie Young, Claude Varner, Edna Black, Beryl Fields and Mrs. Dickson.

MISS MEARS ENTERTAINS SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS

Tuesday afternoon the second year junior girls of the First Presbyterian Sunday school met at the home of their teacher, Miss Pauline Mears. The supplemental work in their hand books was prepared for and pictures cut out. Music by various of the girls was employed and games played following the completion of the business. A refreshment course of sandwiches, pickles, tea, cake and candy was served to the following: Misses Pauline Taylor, Minnie Bray, Eldora Bunnenberg, Evelyn Burks, Eileen Bates, Ruth Yates and Dorothy Warren.

GRANDMA BROWN ENTERTAINS WITH TEA TUESDAY P. M.

Grandmother Brown entertained very delightfully Tuesday afternoon with an "old ladies" tea at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. F. Priebe. The rooms were very prettily decorated with cut flowers, arranged artistically in vases, and ferns, and the guests spent the time with pleasant conversation. Refreshments of sandwiches, pickles, wafers, chocolate and fruit were served by Mrs. R. C. Priebe and the Misses Priebe, granddaughters of the hostess. The elderly ladies and others not included in the range of "grandmother" present were Mesdames Friberg, Hutton, Burgess, Bradley, Humphries, Hartsook and the hostess.

FIRST M. E. LADIES ELECT OFFICERS MONDAY

Monday the ladies of the First M. E. church held an all-day meeting in the parlors of the church. The morning was devoted to preparing for the rummage sale to be held the latter part of the week. The garments to be offered for sale being renovated, buttons sewed on and repairs made. Some engaged in a quilting bee and at 12 o'clock a delicious dinner, picnic fashion, was enjoyed. A special business meeting was held in the afternoon, an election of officers being necessitated by the departure of Mrs. G. W. Corhill. Mrs. Fred Snyder was elected president, Mrs. J. I. Simon vice-president, Mrs. J. B.

Dollard secretary, Miss Altha Friberg, secretary and Mrs. T. E. Dobson reporter.

B. O. P.'S MEET WITH THE MISSES COFFIELD TUESDAY

Election of officers was the chief feature of the business meeting of the B. O. P.'s held Tuesday afternoon with Misses Mary and Annette Coffield as hostesses. Miss Marion Grabtree was elected president, Miss Opal Shaver, vice president, Miss Annette Coffield, secretary; Miss Rhea Gardner, treasurer; and Miss Tula Stokes, press reporter. Some time was spent in arranging the program for the Sunday evening service of the league, which will be conducted by the B. O. P.'s. Sewing was then engaged in for some time and instrumental selections by Miss Murphy were enjoyed. A refreshment course was served by the hostesses late in the afternoon. Mrs. Murphy and Miss Wyatt were the guests of the afternoon. The club members present were Misses Beryl Murphy, Rhea Gardner, Mabel Williams, Opal Shaver, Tula Marshall, Marion Grabtree, Anna Belle King, Una Cook, Cora Belle Miller, Tula Stokes, Mesdames Hardy and Kelly and the hostesses.

MISS HICKMAN HOSTESS TO STANDARD CLUB TUESDAY

The standard club met in regular session Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. E. Patterson with Miss Hickman as hostess. A short business session was called at the beginning of the meeting and Miss Kathleen Stonecipher elected a member. The round table discussion was next taken up and interesting talks made on current events of the day. The lesson was from Scott's "Talisman" viewed from a literary viewpoint. Mrs. Harrington ably discussed the origin, Mrs. Langford the setting and situation of the book and Mrs. Fitzhugh grouped the characters. Miss Hickman carried out the plot development in an interesting and highly instructive manner and Miss Rainey classified the scenes according to their dramatic effect. Miss Alder compared the characters with fiction and history, and a talk by Mrs. Patterson on "the origin of the Dead Sea" was heard. The meeting was much enjoyed, the program being enthusiastically carried out. The club will meet next November 10, with Miss Alder at the home of Mrs. C. J. Barnard on Broad street.

AUSTIN MOTHERS MEET IN INTERESTING SESSION FRIDAY

The Austin School Mother's Club met in regular session Friday afternoon. The attendance was larger than usual and a lively interest was manifested in the proceedings. The short but earnest devotional was followed by a discussion of plans for enlarging the membership and the first and third Fridays in the school month were decided upon as permanent meeting days. Mrs. Campbell of California will show stereopticon views of the Panama-Pacific International Exposition at the

high school auditorium Wednesday afternoon at four o'clock. This will be given as a benefit for all of the Mothers Clubs of the city. A paper of deep interest to every mother and teacher was read by Mrs. Davis on the cause for lack of co-operation between parents and teachers and the reason for the lack of obedience and courtesy to the teachers on the part of pupils. This paper was written by Miss Downs of San Antonio. A vocal solo by Miss Agnew completed the program, the mothers serving refreshments of tea and wafers.

MR. AND MRS. JOHN CHAMBERS CELEBRATE FIRST ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. John Chambers celebrated their first wedding anniversary Friday evening with an informal party. The guests included for the most part the members of the house party which was chaperoned by the host and hostess this past summer. A number of informal amusements had been planned, Victrola music and instrumental selections by Miss Murphy were enjoyed. Sticks of white gum were passed and the order given to chew the gum and then form some animal from it. The results were very laughable, for the main part, some displaying the art of a sculptor. The decorative attempts had been confined to the dining room where the Halloween and the cotton and paper wedding ideas were combined. Small-pumpkin boxes were filled with bonbons and constituted plate favors, and the napkins also featured the Halloween motif. Refreshments of chicken salad, wafers, olives, cake and coffee were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Hugh James. The host and hostess received a number of gifts of books and other articles, appropriate for the cotton and paper wedding. The guests enjoying the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. John Chambers

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IN THE SPHERE OF WOMANKIND

EDMONTINE FRIBERG CELEBRATES 7TH BIRTHDAY

Saturday, October 24 Mrs. G. E. Friberg entertained a number of little folks, the occasion being the seventh birthday of her daughter, Edmontine. Cut out black cats decorated the walls of the different rooms, a token of the approach of Halloween, and the same black cats cut merry capers on the window hangings. Several games for the amusement of the small guests had been arranged, one of the most pleasing being a "cat contest." A large cat, minus a tail, was pinned on the wall and the object was to furnish the cat with a tail. The first prize, a box of stationery went to Clarence Friberg, while little Miss Mildred Bachman, who received the booby prize, a miniature Halloween toy. At the conclusion of this game the children were invited into the dining room where a large white birthday cake, bearing a lighted candle for each year of the little hostess, occupied the center of the table. The guests then gathered round the table with Grandmother Friberg at the head and were served ice cream and cake. Mrs. Friberg was assisted in entertaining and serving by her three daughters, Misses Altha, Estelle and Nettie. A number of very pretty little birthday remembrances were received by the little honoree. The guests were: Anna Hyman, Alleen Anderson, Margaret Brown, Mildred Bachman, Helge Snider, Johnnie Owens, Sybil Patterson, Eva Fry, Mary Blair, Rebekah Jenne, Beulah Gardner, Howard McCarty, Ernest Friberg, Clarence Friberg, Walter and Clit Friberg.

HALLOWEEN SOCIAL AT POND HOME FRIDAY EVENING

The Junior and Intermediate Departments of the First Christian Sunday school entertained with a Halloween party Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pond. The conventional ghostly attire for the night when spirits are supposed to walk abroad was affected by the majority of those playing host and the handsome Pond home had been gaily decorated for the occasion, a multitude of jack-o'-lanterns, black cats and witches being used in every room. The fire places were banked with pumpkins and festoons of black and orange crepe paper hung from chandeliers. The dining table was centered with a large pumpkin vase, banked around with fruit and pumpkins and cats were found in every nook and corner of the room. Here delicious pumpkin pie, doughnuts, chocolate, sandwiches and olives were served by those in charge of the entertainment.

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ment, superintended by Messdames Carr, Pond and Walters. Music by the Pond orchestra was especially enjoyable and other music, both instrumental and vocal, was also a feature. A nominal fee was charged for the entertainment and about ten dollars was realized, there being an unusually large crowd in attendance. The junior department is supporting an orphan in India and took this means to raise funds toward that mission. The affair was a success from every standpoint and a thoroughly enjoyable evening was spent by all.

PROGRAM FOR B. W. M. W. ALL DAY MEETING NEXT TUESDAY

An all day meeting of the Baptist Alliance will be held Tuesday, Nov. 3 at the First Baptist Church, at which time the state mission program of the B. W. M. W. will be carried out. The session will open at 9:30 with the following program: Devotional exercises, Mrs. Halph Hines; Our State Mission Work, Explained, by Mrs. W. L. Robertson; State Mission Women Workers, Mrs. I. A. Parris; the state evangelists and their work, Mrs. J. B. Jones; associational missionaries, Mrs. Wood; special music, Miss Katherine Cook; Colportage work, Mrs. Shumake; some women who are employed and what they are doing, Messdames Cook, Shyre, McGinnis, Barringer and Carter; letter from the president of the B. W. M. W., Mrs. Slayton; prayer, followed by adjournment for lunch, picnic table. Afternoon session opens at 1:30; devotional service, Mrs. W. E. Miller; round table on attendance, led by Mrs. R. C. Smith; 3 p. m., organization of mission study class, led by Mrs. R. C. Miller.

MISS CARRIGAN HOSTESS TO UNITY CLUB FRIDAY

"Prospect" one of Browning's short-story poems formed the study for the Unity Club meeting Friday afternoon with Miss Ann Carrigan as hostess. The roll call was answered with the usual timely and interesting events, and Mrs. Greenwood had an interesting paper on "The Religion of Browning's Poetry." The lesson, as led by Mrs. Darnell, proved very fascinating. Mrs. Langford giving "Tennyson's 'Crossing the Bar' in comparison with 'Prospect.'" "Thanatopsis" was read by Mrs. R. L. Miller. The usual social time was enjoyed at the conclusion of the program and Mrs. John Donald of Lawton was the guest of the club. The members present were: Messdames Anderson, Carrigan, Darnell, Gessline, Greenwood, Kemp, Hunt, Maer, Langford, Montgomery, Miller, Patterson, Robertson, Young, Zundelowitz, Miss Kemp and Miss Carrigan.

MRS. BRAY ENTERTAINS HER CLASS FRIDAY AFTERNOON

The girls of Mrs. Bray's Sunday school class in the First Christian Church were entertained very delightfully by their teacher Friday afternoon. The afternoon was spent most pleasantly with crocheting and conversation and the hostess served delicious refreshments.

MISS CLOPTON HONORED AS DUCHESS OF CARNIVAL

An unusual honor has been conferred upon Miss Mabelle Clifton that of Duchess of Wichita Falls, to represent this city at the Cotton Carnival at Waco. She will be an attendant upon the Queen of the Cotton Palace and will take a prominent part in all of the festivities of the Cotton Carnival as befitting the Duchess of Wichita Falls. Miss Clifton is at present in Frederick but will be here Tuesday on her way to Waco.

HEED THE WARNING Many Wichita Falls People Have Done So

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MOVEMENT STARTED TO MAKE COLORADO NAVIGABLE

By Associated Press Austin, Texas, Oct. 30.—Considerable impetus is being given the movement recently launched here to make the Colorado River navigable from its mouth as far north as Austin. Representative George W. Mendell Jr., announces he will introduce in the Thirty-fourth legislature a bill which would provide for an adequate appropriation to carry on the work to a successful termination. Efforts also are being made by interest Postmaster General Burleson and Attorney General Gregory to the end that financial aid may be secured from the national Congress.

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PLAN TO PROHIBIT SHOOTING AT LAKE

MOVEMENT ON FOOT TO MAKE IT REFUGE FOR WATER-FOWL

TO PROTECT DUCKS AND GEES

Believed It Would Make Better Shooting On Other Bodies of Water. In This Section Local sportsmen view with favor a proposal that Lake Wichita be made a refuge for waterfowl and that shooting on the lake be prohibited throughout the year. It is believed that if this is done ducks and geese would swarm to the lake by the thousands and would make a longer stay in this section. While most of the ducks that have been killed in this section this season have been shot at the lake it is believed that if the fowls were protected on the lake it would make better shooting on the small ponds and creeks in this part of the country for a longer period. The lake being owned by a corporation whose consent to convert it into a refuge it is believed would be gladly granted ought to make the matter easy. Whether it could be done by Congressional enactment or by an act of the legislature or an order of the state and federal bureaus is a question that has not yet been looked into.

REPORT OF WORK OF PROBATION OFFICER

HAS HANDLED CASES OF OVER 700 CHILDREN IN FOUR TEEN MONTHS

ALL KEPT FROM REFORMATORY

Report Shows Benefits of Law in Keeping Children Out of Jail and State Institutions. The troubles of 700 children who under the old system would have been sent to jail and brought into contact with hardened criminals, have been settled out of court by Juvenile Probation Officer C. C. Shelton during the past fourteen months, according to his report, just filed with County Judge Felder. Out of all this number of cases, not a single boy or girl has been sent to the reformatory, this punishment being avoided in every instance. The report shows that eight boys and two girls have been tried for delinquency during the period mentioned. Mr. Shelton found good homes for seven foundlings, three of which were under two years of age. He also sent four boys who had run away from home, back to their parents. The report says: "Good Results Attained. "It may seem strange that we have not seen proper to send some of our delinquent children to the reformatory, but acting upon your advice and being much of the opinion myself, that every effort should be exhausted before taking such a step we have succeeded in keeping the children at home where, aided by their parents they have been brought to a realization of their duty. Thus the state and county were saved a great expense; some of the children are now going to school in other states and others are fast becoming model children. The conduct of the obstreperously inclined children has improved to a great extent. "Too much credit cannot be given to this most beneficial law which

FOOTBALL TEAM WILL TRY TO REGAIN LOST HONORS

Will Play Vernon Team Here Next Saturday—Fort Worth Here Thanksgiving

VALUE OF THE SILO IS SEEN IN WILBURGER COUNTY

(Vernon Record.) That the introduction of silos into Wilburger county has stimulated interest in the fattening of beef cattle for market is indicated by the fact that large shipments have been received here within the last few days and will be finished off on ensilage. C. S. Smith, one of the well known stock farmers of the north side, has bought eighty head of one and two-year-old beef cattle from J. T. Williams, and D. L. Green bought 110 head from Mr. Williams. These have been shipped from the Williams ranch at Estelline. H. E. Key and J. C. Wilson of Fargo have received a car each and Creager Brothers of Oklahoma have received four cars of cattle from Fort Worth, and will finish them on ensilage. Farm Loans. We have made our arrangements to make farm loans. No expense to borrower. See us, Anderson & Patterson. 42-11

GERMANS, CLOSE TO VICTORY RETREAT IN YSER BATTLE

Belgians Just About To Fall Back When Enemy Abandons Its Attack

By Associated Press London, Oct. 30.—Telegraphing from northern France under date of yesterday, the Times correspondent says: "A high officer of the Belgian army is authority for the statement that at one time during the early part of last week when Germans, if they had sustained for a few hours longer their fierce assault on the Belgian positions, they would have gained a decisive victory on the Yser. The Belgians were actually on the point of retreat, partially owing to trouble with their supplies of ammunition. To their amazement the Germans at the critical moment hastily retreated and took a position for the rear. The reason the Germans took retreat is unknown.

WOMENS

### AT THE THEATERS

#### INTERESTING VAUDEVILLE AT LYDIA MARGARET MONDAY

Manager Wren makes the announcement that henceforth he will receive his bookings for vaudeville direct from Chicago, thus assuring some excellent acts for the Lydia Margaret. Some "real good" vaudeville has been contracted for and one of the first acts appearing is Kinzo, a Japanese juggler, straight from the Flowery Kingdom. The little Jap is undoubtedly the best appearing in vaudeville at the present time. This act will open Monday. A dainty little offering is that of Thos. J. Keogh and Miss Ruth Francis, entitled "The Ward Heeler," a sketch brimming over with funny sayings and amusing bits of comedy that "go" with the audience. There is a little story interwoven, which allows Mr. Keogh to appear in two different and distinct characters and Miss Francis to figure as a pretty society miss. Mr. Keogh is particularly amusing as Dennis O'Brien. Dennis O'Brien is a politician and Mr. Keogh sings a comedy song with telling effect, entitled "Insanity."

#### MONDAY'S PICTURES WILL INCLUDE LITTLE BILLY JACOBS IN A TWO PART JUVENILE FEATURE, "THE BATTLE OF MARY PICKFORD IN "THE DARK HORSE."

#### "MILLION DOLLAR MYSTERY" AT VICTORIA MONDAY

The narrow escape of the conspirators after their desperate attempt to capture Norton, as set forth in Episode Seventeen, only made them more determined to solve the secret of the vanished millions. A news item in the society section of one of the daily papers catches the Countess Olga's eye and she hastens to appraise Braine. It is a notice of a masked ball, which a certain Princess Parlova is to give, and in it the Countess sees an opportunity for a grand coup, which will achieve the object of their long cherished desires. To her surprise and delight Braine tells her that the Princess was formerly a member of the Black Hundred, and, although she has long since been inactive, must still be true to her oath if called upon. He gives Olga a mystical signet ring, which will identify her as a member of the secret order and compel the Princess to accede to any request she may make.

Armed with this ring and a note from Braine, the Countess goes to Princess Parlova's apartments and demands that the Princess write invitations to the masked ball to Norton and Florence and also give her four blank invitations for herself, Braine and two of the gang. And the Princess, not daring to refuse, yet knowing that some evil thing is planned, is compelled to grant her demands. It is with feelings of gratification that Norton and Florence receive their invitations, for a function of the Princess Parlova's is bound to be one of the social events of the year and it pleases them to be numbered among the guests. While they are wondering just why they had received them, the Countess Olga arrives and is promptly told of their good fortune. She suggests that they go with her to a costume party at once, as the date for the ball is at hand and effective and original costumes are not always easy to be had. So the two accept the courtesies of her car and are soon set down before the shop of a dealer in this kind of garments. Meanwhile Braine, who has been notified by the Countess Olga that they are at the customer's, arrives and, when they have gone, enters the shop and obtains two suits exactly like those which they have engaged.

A few nights later, at the ball, Florence and Norton, and Braine and the Countess Olga, their respective disguises the duplicates of each other, present themselves to the Princess Parlova, with the other guests. The princess, seated in a sort of glorified sedan chair, receives the homage of her guests and gives the signal to the musicians for the dancing to begin. Soon afterward, Norton and Florence, chatting in all out of the way corner, are approached by two of the masked dancers, one of whom asks Florence for the privilege of a dance. An instant later she is whirled away on his arm. When the dance is over, Braine whose garb is identical with Norton's, approaches, and in a whisper asks her to follow him. "I have discovered something important," he mumbles hurriedly. "Come where we can talk." And suspecting nothing wrong, Florence follows him to another part of the house, where she suddenly finds herself again in the power of the conspirators. While she is thus held in duress, Braine and the Countess come to say their good-nights to the Princess, and calling Florence's car are hurried away to the Hargreave mansion. There, once the unsuspecting chauffeur has passed around to the back of the house, the conspirators retrace their steps to another auto that is waiting for them just outside the grounds. Norton becoming convinced that something is wrong, hastens to the Hargreave house, where, after a hurried colloquy with the chauffeur, he and Jones again set out for the Princess Parlova's home.

Meanwhile, Florence is in desperate straits. She has been bound tightly to a chair and numerous threats have been made to force her to reveal the hiding-place of the Hargreave fortune. At last one of the conspirators shows her a deadly clock-work bomb, which he sets going, and threatens to leave beneath the chair in which she is bound, unless she reveals the precious secret. And Florence, quite ignorant of the treasure's whereabouts, begs and pleads and asserts her ignorance of its whereabouts in vain. Just as Norton and Jones reach the house there is a tremendous explosion. The bomb has gone off prematurely, and in instant panic seizes the conspirators and the other guests. Smoke and flame, shrieks and cries of alarm and the dust of the shattered walls fill the house, and into this pandemonium Norton plunges in search of Florence. Undaunted by falling beams and blinding gusts of flame, he finds her, frees her and drags her to a window. The flames are nearly upon them as Jones throws

him a rope, by which he lowers Florence to the ground. That done, he essays to descend himself, but the fire reaches and burns through the rope down which he is sliding and he plunges heavily to the ground.

#### "THE PRIMITIVE INSTINCT" AT THE GEM MONDAY

Engaged in experimental work, Dr. Walker neglects his wife and child. Elena comes to the conclusion that he no longer cares for her. Jack Tremont, an artist once a suitor for Elena's hand, learns the state of affairs. He urges the woman to elope with him, but Elena turns a deaf ear to his pleas. Her husband's neglect becomes unbearable. A sudden impulse rashly causes Elena to decide to leave him. After putting her child to sleep one evening, Elena places a note, giving the reasons for her step, on the nursery table. Meeting her husband while leaving the house, Elena informs him she intends to visit a friend.

The woman hastens to Jack's studio, but finds he has just left. Deciding to wait, she makes herself comfortable in an easy chair. A painting depicting a primitive man attracts Elena's attention. The woman falls asleep while gazing at the picture. Elena dreams she sees the cave man win a mate in combat with a rival savage. Later, the primitive woman, believing herself neglected, becomes angry at her mate's interest in the fashioning of new weapons and prepares to run away with his rival. Realization of his love comes when she sees him in heroic combat with a ferocious lion that menaces the safety of their child and herself. Elena awakes with a start. The moral of her dream strikes home. The woman hastens from the studio just before Jack's return. In the meantime, a lamp accidentally upset, sets fire to the nursery. The baby's screams bring Dr. Walker to the scene. After rescuing the child, Robert subdues the flames with his naked hands. Elena's letter is consumed in the fire.

The wife returns home and learns what has transpired. Realizing the depths of his father love, Elena, her heart filled with happiness and gratitude, kisses her husband's blistered hands.

#### "TREY O' HEARTS" NO. 6 AT MAJESTIC WEDNESDAY

The power life-boat containing Alan, Rose and Barcus is running along the lee of the mainland. They are looking for some place to land. Alan is in the bows, sights and calls attention to a bright white light on a point some distance ahead. A moment later the engine dies. Investigating the cause for the engine trouble, Barcus finds the gasoline tanks empty. They carry Rose ashore, leaving Barcus on guard. Alan runs up the beach, and beyond the point of the light-house finds a small fishing village with a railroad station. The agent and telegraph operator are about to shut up for the night. There is one other man in the station—the smuggler messenger, who has brought ashore Judith's telegram to her father mentioned in No. 5. He recognizes Alan, but keeps out of sight. Alan asks for trains, and is informed that none leave till morning. Alan takes off his money-belt and extracts a sizable wad and tips the agent. Judith's messenger sees all this. Alan sends a telegram to Digby, asking him to arrange a special train to await him at Providence and a motor car on the waterfront at New Bedford. Then, learning that there is a hotel in the village, he secures a flask of brandy and returns to Rose and Barcus, dogged by Judith's messenger. Alan, with Barcus assisting, gets Rose to the hotel. He then goes out to charter a fast power-boat. The proprietor of the hotel introduces him to a rough-and-ready ruffian who has such a boat. While they are talking outside the hotel, Alan sees a rocket go up from the highest point in the vicinity and asks the meaning of it. He can get no explanation, and suspects that it is a signal to Judith and her gang with their allies. Judith on the schooner spies the rocket going up on the mainland. The smuggler captain agrees with her interpretation of the signal and crowds on sail.

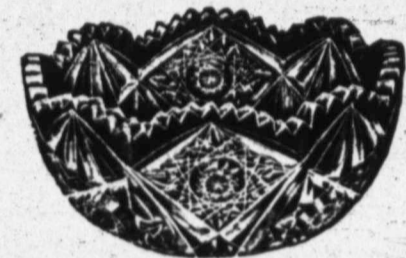
Alan, in alarm, calls Barcus and tells him his suspicions. They rush to the wharf. Barcus grabs Alan and hurries him to the motor-car. On the way they are halted by a policeman, who grabs Barcus. The latter goes to the mat with the cop, shouting to Alan to go on. Alan feels that this is the only course left to him. Two minutes later Metrophat drives up in the high-powered touring-car, something heavier and faster than Alan's. He arrives just in time to rescue Judith. She directs him in pursuit of the fugitives.

#### "RED WIDOW" AT WICHITA THEATRE NEXT SATURDAY

"The Red Widow," a musical comedy organization heralded as one of New York's most successful offerings is to be the attraction at the Wichita Theatre next Saturday. The piece tells in a ludicrous manner, the many complications and vagaries into which a wealthy American falls in trying to make himself agreeable to a woman in red. "The Red Widow," while clad in her bird's nest, will offer opportunities to the feminine portion of the theatre-goers for viewing some of the most exquisite creations of the dressmakers' art, gown building that has been brought up to this very day by the purveyors of fashion, will supply this attraction with each new model as soon as evolved. Of course the ladies all love to see beautiful apparel and some may desire to copy the up to the minute styles and a word to the management will permit of inspecting the coveted attire. In addition to pleasing the ladies visually they and their escorts will be charmed by the

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Agents of European governments have been in Wichita Falls within the last week looking for supplies of cotton linters for use in the manufacture of gun cotton. None was bought here, however, as the linters here are not of the quality required. An immense quantity of cotton linters is being bought in this country for making gun cotton. The war departments of these countries furnish about the only market for this class of cotton at present and the price is depressed to a very low figure.

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#### INTERESTING RELICS ARE UNCOVERED AT HENRIETTA

(Henrietta Review)

The dynamiting of the walls of the old school house that remained standing after its destruction by fire, brought to the recollection of several old residents the fact that its cornerstone had been laid with due ceremony—and of course led to its opening with care. The contents were not perfectly preserved and showed that "the weather" had somehow crept through some minute crevice into the hollowed stone. Some of the paper deposits which C. W. Easley remembers to have been personal bank checks, cards and the like, had come to powder.

Partly preserved but very tender, is a copy of the Henrietta Shield, published by A. S. Mercet, dated June 20, 1884, which was probably the approximate date of the stone laying. There was also a flourishing handbill, announcing a big to do in Henrietta. This was the laying of the new Clay

#### PANAMA CANAL SHIPMENT OF GOODS EXPECTED HERE

What is believed to be the first shipment of goods that has passed through the Panama Canal to be received by a Wichita Falls firm is expected here this week by Carroll, Brough, Robinson and Gates. It consists of four or five carloads of "First Pick" and "White Pony" canned goods packed for Carroll, Brough, Robinson and Gates in California. The shipment left San Francisco October 12 on the steamship Pleiades. This steamer reached the canal just after the slide, but is now through and is due to reach Galveston tomorrow. From Galveston the shipment will come by the M. K. & T. to Fort Worth and thence to Wichita Falls over the Fort Worth and Denver.

#### TAKES HIS AUTOMOBILE TO THE SHOW WITH HIM

(Electra News.)

At about twelve o'clock last night one of Electra's prominent citizens lost control of his car, and after a diligent search for it with the assistance of friends and the night watchman, finally located it in the lobby of the Crown-Theater.



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Quaker Oats, per package	10c
Aunt Jamima Pancake Flour, per package	10c
Aunt Jamima Buckwheat flour, per package	10c
Cream of Wheat, per package	15c
Hominy Grits, per package	10c
Pearled Hominy, per package	10c
Post Toasties, 2 packages for	25c
Grape Nuts, 2 packages for	25c
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PER 5 LB. PAIL	75c
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PER QUART	10c
YOUR SAVING IS 25 PER CENT	

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Pumpkin yams, per peck	30c
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Fancy Cooking Apples, per peck	30c
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Fancy onions; 7 pounds for	25c
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### AMENDMENTS TO CONSTITUTION

Three Will Be Voted Upon—State Tickets Named By Nearly All Parties

Delivery of the ballot boxes and election supplies for Tuesday's election has been completed and all is in readiness for the "battle of the ballots," the stereotyped phrase for the election in states where the strength of the parties is more evenly divided. In Texas and in Wichita county this year, however, the Democratic opposition is so light that it would stretch the imagination to call the election a battle.

The Democrats, Progressives, Republicans, Socialists and Socialist Labor parties have candidates for state officers. All of these except the Socialist Labor party have candidates for congressmen at large. Only the Democrats and Socialists have candidates for congressmen in the Thirtieth district. The Democrats are the only party having candidates for representatives in the state legislature from the 10th district and for state senator from the 29th district. The Democratic candidates are without opposition to county and precinct offices, the other parties having failed to file nominees for those offices.

Three Proposed Amendments.

Three important constitutional amendments are to be voted on Tuesday. One is for an amendment of Section 1, Article 3 of the Constitution of Texas, providing for the initiative and referendum. The second is for the amendment of Section 24, Article 3 increasing compensation of members of the legislature and extending the length of the regular session of the legislature. The third amendment proposed would provide for authorizing counties bordering on the Gulf of Mexico to build sea walls.

Election day is a legal holiday and the banks and saloons will be closed all day. Over seven thousand ballots have been printed in compliance with a provision of the law setting the ratio of ballots to poll-taxes paid but it is doubtful whether more than a third of this number will be used as many Democrats think they have done their duty when they vote if the primary. Democratic leaders however, are anxious that as many Democrats vote as can get to the polls conveniently, and as this county's representation in the state and district conventions is determined by the number of votes cast for the Democratic nominees in the election it is important that a large vote be polled.

The polls will be opened at eight o'clock Tuesday morning and must remain open until seven o'clock in the evening in compliance with the state election laws.

The candidates whose names appear on the ticket for state and county officers under their respective party headings follow:

**Democratic Party.**  
For Governor—James E. Ferguson  
For Lieut. Gov.—W. P. Hobby  
For Comptroller of Public Accounts—H. B. Terrell  
For State Treasurer—J. M. Edwards  
For Commissioner of Gen'l. Land Office—J. T. Robinson  
For Attorney General—B. F. Looney  
For State Supt. Public Instruction—W. F. Doughty  
For Commissioner of Agriculture—Fred W. Davis  
For Railroad Commissioner—Earl B. Mayfield  
For Associate Justice Supreme Court—William E. Hawkins  
For Judge Court Criminal Appeals—W. L. Davidson

For Associate Justice Court of Civil Appeals Second Supreme Judicial District—R. H. Beck  
For Congressman at large (two to be elected)—J. H. McEnroe, J. H. (Cyclone) Davis  
For Congressman 13th District—John H. Stephens  
For Senator 29th District—W. A. Johnson  
For Representative 101st District—Edgar P. Hancy  
For Judge 30th Judicial District—Jo W. Akir  
For District Attorney 20th Judicial District—Leslie Humphrey  
For County Judge—Harvey Harris  
For County Attorney—T. B. Greenwood  
For District Clerk—A. F. Kerr  
For County Clerk—M. P. Kelly  
For Sheriff—G. A. Hawkins  
For Collector—B. M. Bullard  
For Tax Assessor—John Robertson  
For County Treasurer—T. W. McHam  
For County Supt. of Public Instruction—R. M. Johnson  
For County Commissioner Pre. No. 1—J. P. Jackson  
For Justice of the Peace, Pre. No. 1, place No. 1—J. P. Jones  
For Justice of the Peace, Pre. No. 1, place No. 2—W. J. Howald  
For Constable Pre. No. 1—W. W. Allen  
For Chairman, Democratic Executive Committee for Wichita County—T. R. (Jan) Boone  
President, Chairman Voting Precinct No. 13—E. Vonder Lippe

**Progressive Party.**  
For Governor—F. M. Eldridge  
For Lieut. Gov.—Geo. F. Kepple  
For Comptroller—T. S. McBride  
For State Treasurer—J. N. Winters  
For Commissioner of Gen'l. Land Office—I. W. Carhart  
For Attorney General—U. S. Goon  
For State Supt. Public Instruction—H. A. Baker  
For Commissioner of Agriculture—I. C. Stiles  
For Railroad Commissioner—O. S. Newell  
For Associate Justice Supreme Court—Noah Allen  
For Judge Court Criminal Appeals—J. M. Woods  
For Congressman at Large (two to be elected)—J. E. Williams, H. L. McQuiston

**Republican Party.**  
For Governor—John W. Phillip  
For Lieut. Gov.—John Hall  
For Comptroller of Public Accounts—Austin Callan  
For State Treasurer—John C. Gibbons  
For Commissioner of Gen'l. Land Office—E. R. Miesner  
For Attorney General—G. E. Elgin  
For State Supt. Public Instruction—B. F. Crows  
For Commissioner of Agriculture—J. W. Eason  
For Railroad Commissioner—W. F. Connor  
For Associate Justice Supreme Court—J. Walter Cocks  
For Judge Court of Criminal Appeals—O. S. York  
For Congressman at Large (two to be elected)—Chas. A. Warcken, E. S. Diggs

**Socialist Party.**  
For Governor—E. R. Meltzer  
For Lieut. Gov.—W. S. Noble  
For Comptroller of Public Accounts—J. L. Hicks  
For State Treasurer—W. J. Bell  
For Commissioner of Gen'l. Land Office—Peter Fitzpatrick  
For Attorney General—Henry Faulk  
For State Supt. Public Instruction—Emma G. Kealey  
For Commissioner of Agriculture—J. C. Smith  
For Railroad Commissioner—G. A. Ambrecht  
For Associate Justice Supreme Court—E. Dellinger  
For Congressman at Large (two to be elected)—Reddin Andrews, Nat B. Hunt  
For Congressman 13th District—Rev. C. T. Griffith  
For Senator 29th District—W. T. Flowers  
For Representative 101st District—Chas. McMurray

**Socialist Labor Party.**  
For Governor—K. E. Choate  
For Lieut. Gov.—Carl Schmidt  
For Comptroller—N. S. Wilson  
For State Treasurer—Robt. Strach

For Commissioner of Gen'l. Land Office—G. H. Royal  
For Commissioner of Agriculture—Adolph Joppich  
For Railroad Commissioner—Frank Mafarana

**VERNON FOOTBALL TEAM NEAR STATE CHAMPIONSHIP**  
(Vernon Record.)

The Vernon high school football team went on the field at the Fair grounds last Saturday afternoon with a perfect record this season and played the Mineral Wells team, one of the fastest in the State, the locals retaining their perfect record by administering a shutout to the visitors. It was the first time Mineral Wells had tasted defeat this season and the dose was a bitter one, for like Vernon, the lads from the health resort had designs on the state championship. But Vernon's 13 to 0 victory here last Saturday eliminates Mineral Wells. While holding her opponents scoreless this season, Vernon has piled up 161 points. But two teams, North Fort Worth and Denton, stand between Vernon and

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**300 POUND BOY, AGED TEN YEARS, LIVES AT MEMPHIS**  
(Hall County Herald)

A large sample of a boy came in from the south Wednesday and will make this his home. He was Ernest Ashcraft, aged 10 years and weighing exactly 300 pounds. The boy was accompanying his parents. Several daughters were also in the family all of normal size. The family will make their home near Lakeview in this county. There was another boy in the family four years older who died not long since. He weighed over 500 pounds at the time of his death. Both boys have been quite normal and the one now living has never been sick.

**GRANDFIELD MINISTER TO MOVE TO THORNBERY**  
(Grandfield Enterprise)

Rev. J. L. Nisbett has been sent to the Wichita Falls circuit for the coming year, and his home will be at Thornberry near Wichita Falls. The family will move about the middle of November.



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Possibly no other one item claims so much of your attention as the children's school dresses, then these items will help you. We are now showing a splendid blue serge dress made up in the very latest styles at **\$3 95**

Also a special assortment of children's gingham and Galitea dresses in all the latest styles at **\$1 98**

**Children's Satine Bloomers**  
In a good grade well made and values you usually buy at 50c, will be offered you Monday special at **39c**



## Special Notice

Ladies visiting our store this week will be served

**Dainty Deserts**  
Demonstrating

"Burnett's Delicious Flavoring Extracts" and

**COLOR PASTES**  
Recipes Under the direction of Recipes Given their representative— Given Mrs. Lenz.

**Children's Minneapolis "M" Union Suits**  
With the knit in tapes and two rows of horn buttons, the best union suit made, sizes 3 to 14 **50c**



## Free! Look Boys! Free!

Beginning Monday morning we will give absolutely free with each

**Boys' Suit or Overcoat**  
made by either the

**"Hercules" or Widow Jones**

A Genuine Pigskin Rugby Football. Suits \$5.00 and up to \$12.50. Age 6 to 18 years. See these in our front show window today

## Our Shoe Department

Is the largest and most complete in North Texas, showing nothing but the season's

newest creations. And had you ever stopped to think how nice it was to know when you went into a store to buy a pair of shoes that you would be shown nothing but the season's very newest styles, with all the lasts for a proper fit?

**LADIES' Waists**  
A genuine clearance of All Styles of Waists in Silk crepes, messalines and all over nets of more than a dozen styles, values in the lot from \$7.50 to \$10.00, at only **\$5 00**



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**Ladies' Waists**  
Here is another offer for absolute clearance and consists of both summer and winter styles in values up to \$2.25, all in one lot, your choice **98c**

## No Longer Possible to go to Paris To get Designs For American Gowns

New York, Oct. 31.—"American gowns for American women" has been the slogan of patriotic Americans for years, but the women undisturbed by the opinion of others, still worshipped at the shrine of Parisian designed clothes. This resulted in clothes made in this country, but copied as closely as possible after the models imported from Paris.

The United States is not the only country that has tried to wrest from Paris the enormous amount of money spent each year by its countrywomen. The Queen of Holland requested the dressmakers of her country to design costumes inspired by their Dutch environments, but—the first thing all the worth-while people in this profession did was to hurry to Paris for inspira-



A Basque Dress Showing a Flaring Skirt With Applied Bias Bands

tion, resulting in Paris gowns for Holland gowns. Likewise, the Italian Queen tried to stimulate the Italian dressmakers by wearing only gowns made in her own country, but for all that they were distinctly Parisian in cut and style.

The present war has given the designing and making of gowns here in the United States a new impetus, and one of the leading New York stores recently advertised an exhibition of suits and gowns made and designed in their own American workrooms. These costumes were shown on trained manikins and in most artistic surroundings. The result was wonderfully successful, although they were, in truth, so essentially under the Parisian influence that one could hardly call them truly American make.

No doubt in the course of a number of such endeavors—while Paris is shut off by a wall of war—the home influence will be more apparent.

The gown which seemed to me most American was an evening gown of yellow brocade, the color of a California poppy. A wide girle of pink velvet girdled the waist. The pink was of the color of the poppy petals at their base.

A charming dancing frock for the young girl, with waistline so short that it just escaped being pure empire, was made of white chiffon. Triple flounces bound with satin formed the skirt. The satin binding causing each flounce to stand out. The waist was made with a rounded low neck, which came out well toward the shoulders and was finished with a heading of its own. A three-inch frill fell from just below the heading. The sleeves were a mere drift of chiffon, bound on the edge. Would gracefully around the bodice just below the ruffie, not confining the fullness, was a velvet ribbon of grayish blue. It crossed in the back and was caught together in the front. Strands of pink climbing roses were becomingly placed over one shoulder.

The street and afternoon costumes were full short, perhaps ankle length and even shoe-top length. In all were shown the new silhouettes which has replaced the fashionable bouffant effect so popular last year. This silhouette flares at the bottom of the skirt or tunic, the flare coming at the sides. At the back and front the skirt should be flat to the figure. In order to successfully obtain this effect, and the proper fullness, which is shown in the skirts, the fullness at the back is box-pleated in two or more large box-pleats which are pressed very flat. At the sides or front the skirt is gathered or shirred.

A stunning tailored suit for a young married woman suitable for luncheon or afternoon bridge, shows the clever combination of the new black braid with velvet. The skirt has the full ripply appearance which is so smart without being really full. The coat is cut on the straight lines of a French soldier's uniform. This is called a Cairns shape.

yellow plaid. The model was called Rob Roy, because the idea was taken from the Scotch Highlander's tartan. The coats, both for evening and for every-day wear, were strongly influenced by the Cossack coats. These are tight fitting at the shoulders and flaring at the bottom, usually trimmed with a wide band of fur. The fashionable fur-cloth, or velvet, can also, be used for the bandings. These are, of course, very much less expensive. For the evening coats wonderful brocaded materials, Oriental in designs and



A Dress Developed in Velvet and Fur Cloth

Oriental in weave, are used, heavily padded and interlined but usually with the outer lining of a rich and heavy satin in plain color.

The wider skirts which are coming to the fore are often trimmed with graduated bias or circular bands, stitched onto the skirt. Such a skirt may be seen on the illustrated model. With this skirt is worn a basque waist, having a U-shaped yoke reminding one of a man's starched shirt bosom. A frill of pleated chiffon is worn next to the neck within the collar of the material which stands up stiffly in the back.

The fur-cloth, of which I have spoken many times, is not only used for trimming, but, also, for the whole costume and for the separate skirt. Often it is combined with other materials, such as velvet or broadcloth. The costume illustrated is of velvet and fur-cloth. Velvet is used for the waist, which has a vest and collar of rich brocade, with cuffs of fur-cloth. A wide girle is made of the fur-cloth. The skirt has a tunic of velvet while the underskirt is of the fur-cloth. A snappy little tunic, with a jaunty fancy feather at the side, is the finishing touch to a stunning costume.

## "THE RED WIDOW" ONE OF THE SEASON'S BEST

Play-Coming Here Next Saturday is Making Only Larger Cities of State

In spite of the fact that "The Red Widow" has called a large number of its dates in the Southwest, this excellent production will be in Wichita Falls next Saturday, matinee and night. An effort was made to cancel this city also, but Manager Jim Marlow of the Wichita Theatre insisted on its coming here and was able to get dates for this city in place of Oklahoma City. "The Red Widow" is State and is one of the best attractions of Wichita Falls will get to see this season, as very few meritorious shows are coming south. It is considered one of the seasons best shows and Manager Marlow hopes to see it well supported when it comes to this city. The story is that of an anarchist girl known as the "Red Widow," and of her experiences in Russia. There is plenty of music and action and a round of thorough entertainment. "The show is by the authors of the "Pink Lady," the well known musical comedy, but is said to be much better than that production. Seats will be on sale Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Peery will entertain a few relatives and friends at a six o'clock dinner this evening at their home on Tenth street.

Invigorating to the Pale and Sickly  
The Old Standard general strengthening tonic, KROVIER'S ASTERILESS CHILL TONIC, drives out malaria, cools the blood, and builds up the system. A true Tonic. For adults and children. 5c

## PRIZES AWARDED TO YOUNG FARMERS

ANNUAL MEETING OF BOYS' AND GIRLS' CLUBS HELD HERE

## EXCELLENT EXHIBITS ARE SEEN

Young Woman Raises 1687 Pounds on Tenth of Acre—Many Attend Session

The boy and girl farmers of Wichita and Archer counties did themselves proud during the past year, judging from the exhibits of their work, which were brought to this city yesterday. A large number of the members of the boys and girls clubs were here, being guests of the Chamber of Commerce at dinner and receiving prizes for their exhibits. Not all the prizes were awarded yesterday, however, there being some on which sufficient data has not been received.

Carl Jackson, the boy who won the prize for the largest yield of cotton, made a total of 3986 pounds—over two bales—on two acres, a record which will be duplicated by very few of the adult farmers in this county.

The "baby beef" prize, a new feature of the young farmers work, went to William Thornberry who exhibited an eight months calf weighing 735 pounds. The best yield of milo maize was 72 3/4 bushels per acre, made by James Vaughn.

Good Work is Shown. Generally speaking, the reports and yields showed painstaking and industrious effort on the part of the boys and girls and while the records of their fathers and mothers in these same departments of labor, are not available, there are probably very few of the adults who did as well in proportion as their children did.

The clubs met in the Odd Fellows building on Seventh street yesterday morning and heard an instructive and interesting talk by Dr. J. L. Malone, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church. At noon all were taken to a downtown restaurant where dinner was served, the young people being guests of the Chamber of Commerce on this occasion. In the afternoon they returned to the exhibit hall where the awards were made by J. W. Campbell, district agent and announced as follows:

- Best yield of milo maize—James Vaughn, 72 3/4 bushels per acre.
- 45 Bushels of Feterita.
- Best yield of feterita—Lee Schmitz, forty-five bushels per acre.
- Best yield tomatoes—1687 pounds on one-tenth of an acre, Miss Eva Schulz.
- Best yield cotton—Carl Jackson, 3986 pounds of seed cotton on two acres.

- Best report on cotton growing—Percy Hall first, James Vaughn second, Clyde B. Davis, third.
- Best yield of corn—Anton Schmitz, twenty-five bushels.
- Best baby beef—William Thornberry, eight months calf weight 735 pounds.
- Best ten acres of maize—Raymond Shaw first, J. B. Holly, second.
- Best general display of vegetables—Miss Ada Vaughn first, Miss Bertha Schulz, second, Miss Cynthia Howard, third.
- Best exhibit of tomatoes—Miss Zola Cooper.
- Best display of eggs—Miss Oia Carson first, Miss Camilla Fuller, second.
- Best coop of chickens—Miss Emma Muegrave first, Miss Ruby Skiles, second, Miss Pearl Ford, third.
- Best stalk of cotton—Allen Crawford.
- Best sample of cotton bolls—Chas. Willis.
- Best cotton staple—Roy Cassidy.
- Best display of feterita—Leo Smith first, Roy Cassidy, second.
- Best display of turkeys—Miss F. Schulz first, Miss Pearl Ford, second and third.
- Best display of corn—Addie Cooper first, Bob Cooper, second.
- Best display of pumpkins—Clyde Davis first, E. Davis, second.

## BEACHY TELLS WICHITAN AVIATION UNPROFITABLE

"Keep Out of It; It Doesn't Pay" Flyer Who Received \$1,000 Tells Student

"Keep out of aviation; it doesn't pay" was the advice given by Lincoln Beachy, the aviator who has been receiving \$1,000 a day for his flights at the State Fair to a Wichita student, according to the Australian-American. The American says: "While in Dallas Oluff D. Beachy, a student of the University, asked the aviator if he would advise young men to follow his footsteps. At that time Beachy did not have time to discuss the subject, but told the aspirant for aviation honors that he would write him later.

"Yesterday Beachy received a letter in which the aviator said he had a brother and another man working for him both of whom held licenses in the Aero Club of America, but still they were employed in the capacity of mechanics. In conclusion he says: "Look up the list of other aviators and find how rich they became. Take my advice and keep out of it."

Hats on sale \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00 Monday, November 2, 1914. Good materials and good styles. Olive A. Child, 810 Scott. 47 11 c