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Associated Press. Petrograd, Dec. 5.—The most tragic ment of the fighting about Lodz hus far, it is reported here occurred between Tusszyn and Brzeziny southeast of Lodz. Heavy German forces which had penetrated to Tuszyn were surrounded and ebliged to cut out their way to Brzeziny to unite with the main body of Germans. The Russians tried counter attack after counter attack to prevent the junction but the Germans cut a passage at the point of the bayonet for a distance of fifteen miles. This battle is called the bloodiest and most pitiless fight of the war. Ninety per cent of the German officers were put out of ction and many regiments had less han 100 men left. The fighting lasted thirty-six hours. The Germans fell in rows, but their comrades pushed forward over the bodies and hurled mselves against the Russians. dilitary critics here say the loss of in prisoners equal their dead and wounded and place Austria's fighting strength at two-thirds of what it was at the beginning of

A smaller percentage of Austrian prisoners is said to be falling into Russian hands and this is accounted for by the assertion that since the nd Austrian retreat from Poland the Austrian artillery is always with-drawn from the field before the final issue of a battle. This amounts to beginning a retreat before being actual ly defeated. The critics point out the large proportion of Austrian officers, including colonels and lieutenant colonels, among the prisoners, as indicating the demoralization of the Austrian army and the loss of its lighting spirit. Of the last 50,000 Ausoners 600 were commission

GOOD GAIN SATURDAY

By Associated Press. New Orleans, Dec. 5.—Cotton made a decided show of strength today standing at one time nine points up on the most active months and clos-ing at a net gain of 7 to 8 points. The chief source of strength was the emand from the short side.

FOREIGN BUYERS MADE THEIR PRESENCE FELT

New York, Dec. 5.—Houses with foreign connections were good buyers of cotton today and prices ruled high er in the absence of any aggressive selling. The close was steady at a net advance of two to eight points. The market opened steady to a decline of two points to an advance of four points. There was a little southera selling. Active months sold about while December and January con were quiet enough to suggest a much reduced interested and held within a point of the opening futures. The close was a shade off from the best under realizing.

GOVERNOR HUNT ASKS

retary Bryan Refuses To Comment verner Hunt's Message To Him

By Associated Press.
Naco, Ariz., Dec. 5.—F. M. Abrams refused today to answer a summons to featify in a land office hearing on account of the danger of being struck by bullets fired by snipers in the trenches of the Mexican combatants across the line. Special Agent Gibbs of the land office was compelled therefore to adjourn the hearing to Abram's hotel. E. A. Folsom, county coroner, announced he would empanel no more coroner's juries in the case of victims of Mexican snipers' bullets. It would be endangering the lives of men to summon them be declared. A message from Governor Hunt stated he had wired to the state department at Washington today demanding more protection for the citizens of Naco and other border spoints.

HOUSTON HEIGHTS POST-OFFICE IS ROBBED

By Associated Press.

Houston, Texas, Dec. 5.—Yeggmen rebbed the postoffice safe in Houston Heights last night, securing over \$3,000 in stamps in original packages and some cash. Nitroglycerin was used. This is the second such visit to the

WHITE SLAVE CASE AR-RESTED

TERRIFFIC AN ATTEMPT TO BLACKMAIL OTHER CHANGES DEMANDED FIGHTING

From Rhode Island Millionaire

By Associated Press.
Chicago, Dec. 5.—Miss Jessie E. Providence, Rhode Island, multi-millionaire under the white slave act, was arrested here today charged with attempting to bribe government officials to aid her to blackmail Alexander out of \$50,000. Alexander, sixty-five years old and married, was arested at Providence yesterday. The public had its first view of the woman when she was not efficient simply because of the arraigned before United States Commissioner Mason, who held her in the bribery charge also and as a witness against Alexander. She is thirty-two years old and a brunette, described by one of the government agents who resisted the bribe offer as "brilliant brunette beauty." She is of medium eight and weight, and as she appear ed in court, handsomely gowned.

Bench and bar, it was said, have been clamoring for a year or more for scrupulous consideration of motives ehind claimants under the Mann act to discourage the use of the law by the unscrupulous for blackmailing pur poses. The district attorney's office, it was said, had this object in mind in recent investigations. District Attor ney Kline is quoted as attaching great importance to this case because of the beauty of Miss Cope, her reputed so cial prominence in California, where Alexander was alleged to have met her. and the wealth and prominence of the man in the case

Kline, Mitchell L. Egoe, his first as sistant, and two department of justice representatives manifested studied reluctance when Miss Cope first brought her charges against Alexander. In the end, according to a formal statement issued by Egoe, she proposed in a writ ten agreement that if the government officials would assist her in exorting \$50,000 from Alexander she would give them half of it to be split among them. The other half she said she would keep, paying her attorneys out of it.

COL. ALEXANDER ATTEN-TIVE TO MISS COPE

By Associated Press.
Los Angeles, Dec. 5.—During the months they were here Col. Alexander Shorts Seeking To Cover Send Prices to the statement today of Mrs. E. Zuber, proprietress of the spartment house in which Miss Cope resided. "Col. Alexander came often. Miss Cope always received him in the drawing room," he said, "her mother generally was present also. Before leav ing Miss Cope said she expected to be married. Mrs. Cope also said her laughter was engaged to Col. Alexan-

PROCLAMATION DELAYED

Danger From Bullets of Snipers Stops Court at Naco, Arizona

Washington, Dec. 5.—In the absence of official advices Secretary Bryan refused to comment tonight on Gov Hunt's message announcing his decis ion to postpone the proclamation of Arizona's new anti-alien employment law pending further communication from the state department. Formal protests against the Arizona law were odged with the department today by he British and Italian ambassadors and a message was sent to Governor aunt asking if he had authority to postpone action. Mr. Bryan listened with interest to the text of the gov rnor's reply as carried in Associated Press dispatch from Phoenix but ninimum of 80 per cent of the emn the state to be citizens of the

The British protest attacks the law in violation of the 14th amendment o the constitution of the United hall deny "to any person within its urisdiction equal protection of the aws." The Italian protest cited the mercial treaty between Italy and he United States ratified in 1871 which provides that citizens of each nation resident in the other shall have liberty "to do anything or neces ary for trade upon the same terms s natives of the country." In reply he state department notified both mbassies it had taken steps to obtain omplete information as to the alien

180,000 BUSHELS GRAIN TO SUFFERING BELGIANS

By Associated Press. Philadelphia, Dec. 5.—With 200,000 ushels of grain, the British steamer Satiscin sailed today for Rotterdam. The grain is being sent by the Ameri-can Commision for Relief in Belgium,

BEAUTIFUL WOMAN WITNESS IN GENERAL WEAVER SAYS BIGGER FORCE IS NEEDED IN DEFENSE.

> Had Plan To Get \$50,000 With Some Changes Guns Would Be Adequate Against an At-

By Associated Press.
Washington, Dec. 5.—Ten thousand more men and 564 more officers for Cope, accusor of Charles Alexander, a the coast artillery were declared necessary by Brigadier General Weav er, chief of that service, who ap peared today before the House military affairs committee considering the army appropriation bill.

tacking Fleet

"I think we have the best coas defense material in the world," said Weaver, "but I think it is General Weaver said the defenses." necessity of manning the coast fenses in Hawaii, the Philippines and the canal zone had depleted the available force of coast artillery troops in the United States. Questioned by Chairman Hay, General Weaver said the guns now on the coast defense were of a pattern designed in 1890. He asserted, however that the superior range finding facilities of the coast defense service, its heavier projectiles and a longer range which might be secured by altering the pres-ent carriage would put the defense on equal terms with any attacking fleet. He declared that the supply of ammunition on hand for the coast defense was in his opinion, "reason ably prudent." General Weaver said the department's plans had not so far taken into consideration in coast defense work the great siege guns now in use in the European war.

ITALIAN PAPER HEARS BRITISH ATTLESHIP APPARENTLY IS MISSING

ustralia Cruiser of 19,200 Tons Lat Reported Pursuing German Cruiser

By Associated Press.

Berlin, Dec. 5.—Information gives out today to the press by the German fficial press bureau says that according to a report received by a Italian newspaper the Australian battle cruis er Australia apparently is missing. The Australia is a dreadnought cruiser of 19,200 tons. She was built in 1912 and is capable of traveling 26 knots an hour. The Australia carried eight 12-inch guns, 16 4-inch guns and three 21-inch torpedo tubes. The Australia last was reported in Hawaiian waters last September when the Wat on Navigation Company steamer Wil helmina, who picked up a wireless message from the dreadnought saying she was to full chase of the German cruiser Nurnvurg.

Former Chief of Detectives Is One of Those Charged With

By Associated Press.
Chicago, Dec. 5.—States Attorney Hoyne's sensational crusade against alleged police corruption reached climax here today when John J. Halpin, a captain of police and until rewould not discuss the matter. The state department is not advised as to he full scope of the anti-alien law the police department and Walter out it is known that it requires a O'Brien, a former detective with the rank of sergeant, were indicted on charges of bribery and operating con-The indictments fidence games. The indictments charge Halpin with three bribery oftenses and three offenses in connection with the operation of confidence games. The indictments were based largely on alleged confessions by Barney" Bertshe and the Ryan broth ers. Frank and James. The Ryans for years conducted a string of clairvoyant parlors out of which it is alleged they fleeced many victims of

housands of dollars. The indicted men are charged with protecting them in return for money considerations ranging from \$2000 to \$4000 a week. Bertshe is said by Hoyne to have confessed that he was the go-between who paid the Ryan money to Halpin. He was one of five men wounded in a pistol fight with Detective Egan and Monaghan in the theatre district a month ago and alleges that the police fearing that he was about to divulge what he that he was about to divulge what he knew were trying to remove him. The bribery charges against Halpin accuse him of accepting specific sums ranging from \$200 to \$1000 for protecting the Ryans from arrest in connection with their alleged swindles.

MUCH CREDIT FOR RUSSIAN VIC-TORY IS GIVEN TO

Said To Have Required Three Days to Clear Field of Dead and

By Associated Press.

Petrograd, Dec. 5.—The center of the field of operations in the eastern arena has moved to the south of Lodz in Russian Poland. The German effort centers at Szczerczow twenty miles east of Tiotrkow with that town the objective. Heavy fighting is reported also on the line from Glowno sixteen miles northeast of Lodz to the Vistula River. The strength of the German forces opposing the Russian left wing is estimated at five corps, each corps occupy. ing the Russian left wing is estimated at five corps, each corps occupying a front from eight to ten miles in extent. There are indications that owing to exhaustion of the troops composing the German center, most of these regiments which lost a large proportion of their fighting strength have been withdrawn and that fresher troops are holding the line during a temporary cessation in the battle. News dispatches attribute the Russian success at Lodz chiefly to the endurance and tireless aggression of the Siberian troops. At one place an

a long time would be required to re store traffic. Meanwhile British sub the Siberian troops. At one place an unsupported Siberian battalion is re-ported to have charged a battery of jects and other foreigners in interior heavy German artillery and to have bayoneted the gunners. The dead and wounded are reported to be so The blackened ruins of the village of Turpin are packed with charred bodies of Germans who took refuge from Siberian bayonets only to fall under the fire of a Russian

battery er began with a charge of the Siberians at Rzgow, a town six miles south ians at Rzgow, a town six miles south of Lodz. The Siberians, after a long march entered prepared trenches and immediately asked permission to attack Rzgow, where the Germans were entrenched in a slight rise of the ground. The Siberians delayed and attacked the German positions from two sides. The unexpectedness of the Pussian assault apprecad the German Russian assault surprised the Germans and the first trenches were quickly taken, though the Germans soon recap-tured them. In the next few hours these trenches were taken and re-these trenches were taken and re-

on being disloded at Ragow the Germans retreated northward. A cross surmounted by a helmet and another cros son which rests the Siberian cap, blood stained and bullet marred, now marks the field where thousands of dead lie side by side.

A NEW REVOLUTIONARY

El Paso, Texas, Dec. 5.—A new revo-lutionary movement has been started in Mexico, according to copies of a proclamation received here today and signed by Jose Sanzar and Emilio Campa, two former federal generals. They were reported at the head of troops in Central Chihuanua and about to attack Casas Grandes, a strategical point southwest of Juarez and west of Chihuanua City.

Chihuahua City.

The proclamation denounced both the Carranza constitutional government and the convention government of Villa. It was said that the convention form would be abolished by the new party. Support in all parts of Mexico was claimed. The document was dated at Vado de Peidra, Chihuahua on Noember 25. This was a few days after vember 25. This was a few days after General Salazar escaped from the jail at Albuquerkue. New Maxico, where he was held on a charge of perjury. Both he and Campa had been chiefs under the Huerta government, together with General Pascual Grozco, who previously had headed a revolution against Madero, Orozco is reported in New York conferring with Huarta agents, and it is asserted attempting to purchase arms and ammunition. Together with the menace of the hear revolt Carranza asserts the Obrama troops and Gonzales troops are atom to begin an aggressive movement.

"CONSTELLATION" AGROUND IN CHESAPEAKE BAY

and a consequence of

MEXICAN RAILROAD LINE THREATENED

TRACK FROM VERA CRUZ TO CAPITAL THOUGHT IN DANGER

Said To Be Preparing To Blow Up Tunnels Thus Putting Line Out of Commission.

ler at Mexico City saying reports were current that General Carranza was to interior mills as well as other ship ments of British goods. He is unde stood to have made no specific reque of the United States and his action was in line with the establishment policy of communicating to the depart ment'all reports from Mexico City. Grave concern was expressed, how ever, over the threat of Carranza to put the only line between Vera Cruz and Mexico City out of commission. I this were done by destroying tunnel

Mexico would lose that means of

Several Other Craft Are Also Disable In Gale That Causes Much Damage.

London, Dec. 5.—The British cruise Venus ran ashore in a storm today, striking with her full force. Her fore-mast and a portion of the bridge was carried away. The warship was rup-ning for a port in the south of Eng-land when the storm broke. Another victim of the gale which still rages along the coast is an unidentified steamer which ran ashore near Mercy.

The Norwegian steamer Water 1283 tons foundered off the Lisard at midnight (Friday.) Three persons were saved. The remainder of the crew are missing. The Boothe steam-ship company's 'liner Atonie, bound from Liverpool to Para, was disabled by the storm now sweeping over Eng-land and is in distress fifty miles north of the Lizard. The captain of a local steamer received the signal "want immediate assistsance," but was unabl to help the Antoine, his own vessel being short of coal. The Antoine is 3760 tons net register.

COMMANDS IN ENGLISH TO AUSTRIAN SOLDIERS

By Associated Press
Berlin, Dec. 5.—The English are not the only soldiers in the present war who are hearing their commands in the English language. According to a letter from an Austrian Heutenant, serving in Galicia, there are in his regiment a number of Ruthenians who returned to Austria from the United States to fight; and as the men understand almost no German, he says, the stand almost no German, he says, the commands are given in English.

PANAMA STEAMSHIP TRADE AFFECTING ROADS SERIOUSL

Crisis Is Near In Pacific Coast Trans portation Affairs, Says Rail-road President.

By Associated Press.
San Francisco, Dec. 5.—Competition between the trans-continental rail ways and the steamship companies using the Panama Canal has become so keen that President Willim Sproul of the Southern Pacific Company in an authorized interview here tonigh "The commerce of the Pacific cos

is in the throes of a transportation crisis. It was assumed in advance that the steamship lines would reach out successful for bulk cargoes and imperishable foodstuffs such as grain unrefined sugars, potatoes and the like but within the week one of the companies has announced that it is in the market for fruit and vegetables By Associated Persa.

Washington, Dec. 5.—The century old frigate Constellation, being towed by the naval tug Onland from this city to her regular station at Newport, Rhode Island, grounded today near Thimble Shoals in Chesapeake Bay, according to a telegram from Capt. D. Streigner, setting commandant of the Norfolk savy yards. The Constellation is at another the mesons of the Norfolk savy yards. The Constellation is at another the mesons and of the Norfolk savy yards. The Constellation is at another the mesons of the situation.

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FORCES LINING UP FOR **NEW BATTLE IN POLAND**

Germans Again Prepare To Stem Russian Advance— Fighting In West Shifts To Alsace

By Associated Press.

London, Dec. 5.—Although fighting of a more or less serious character has been taking place both on the eastern and western fronts there have a dispatch from British Charge Hoeh been no material changes in the positions of the belligerents during the last 24 hours. It would seem as though on both fronts the armies have been engaged largely in making preparations for new battles. Here or there heavy cannonades or infantry attacks have occurred all of which, however, were more in the nature of feelers to try to find out the enemy's strength, than serious design in the way of offensive or for the purpose of a

In Poland the Germans whose daring stroke to penetrate the Russian center apparently has ended in failure with heavy losses, according to the latest reports from Petrograd, are forming a new line extending from Kutno in the north to Cracow in the south. The right or southern wing of this army which rests on Cracow is commanded was not cleared for three days. Most of the Germans showed bayonet STORM ON ENGLAND'S COAST by General Dankl. He is supported on the north by the army under General Hetzendorf which is based on Czenstochowa while the new army which was sent from the west fills the gap between this force and General Mackenzen's army, which after extricating itself from the Russian meshes, is now in a new position extending from Kutno southward. The Eighth East Prussian army apparently has taken up the northern part of the line. Thus it will be seen that an entirely new battle is about to be fought, for the Germans are determined at all costs to keep the Russians out of their territory.

The English correspondents are confining themselves to reports of the previous battle around Lodz which is described as the most san-

guinary of the war. On the western front interests tends to shift

from Flanders to Lorraine and Upper Alsace. There has been little fighting in Belgium and the French have taken some old German trenches, giving rise to the belief that the Germans have decided to fall back to new positions.

Operations of more serious importance are taking place on the borders of Alsace-Lorraine. In Upper Alsace the French apparently have made considerable progress and they also are making desperate efforts to severe the communications of the German force which has been holding St. Mihiel for many months. Everywhere, however, siege warfare prevails and for the most part gains made extend not more than a hundred

In the near east similiar conditions prevail and nothing has occurred which might be termed a battle. Naval, so far as northern waters are concerned, has been postponed on account of severe winter weather.

CABINETS HAVE RESIGNED IN SERVIA AND PORTUGAL

By Associated Press

Rome, via London, Dec. 5, 9 p. m .- A telegram from Nish, Servia, to the Stephanie News Agency announced that the Servian Cabinet headed by Nikolai Paczitch resigned today and that Premier Paczitch is forming a new ministry.

London, Dec. 5, 12:58 p. m.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company from Lisbon says al the members of the Portuguese cabinet resign-

GREAT TUNNEL ON DANUBE

Amsterdam, Dec. 5.—The great tun-nel near Tychpetchar (Tekija) has been blown up by dynamite, thus shat-tering communication between Servia and Roumania, according to advices from Nish, Servia, to the Rotterdam Courant. The passage of Russian transports along the Danube, the dispatch states, has therefore been impossible.

GERMAN WIRELESS

Berlin, Dec. 5 (by wireless to Say ville)—Among the news given to the press today by the German official press bureau was the following:
"The Russian newspaper Novoe Vremya demands the occupation of irrespective of Sweden and Norway interests. Reports from Rotterdam say the English war loan is in the market below the Issue price. The French Socialist Pierre Bonmier in a letter to the Socialist Heroe, strongly condemns the verdict handed down by a French court martial on the German military surgeons Collins and Wohlfert who were sentenced to a year's imprisonment for alleged piliage. He calls the verdict a deed of infamy. Eye witnesses of the entrance of the French and English troops into Cameruns, a German colony in western equaltorial Africa say that the British caused the German women to be captured in their apartments by armed negroes and that they were driven through the town. A great number of professors

AMERICA'S CERISTMAS SHIP

have protested against the charge that the Germans are conducting a barbar-

Gifts For Fatherless Children of France Assured When Jason Ar-rives in Port.

Associated Press. Marseilles, France, Dec. 5.—Some thing of Christmas cheer was assured the children of Marseilles whose fathers have been kiled, wounded or are on the firing line, when the United States naval collier Jason, came into port today and unloaded fifty wagon loads of gifts. The townspeople mass-ed upon the quays to watch the land-

SACRAMENTO CHURCH IS:

Mutilated Body of Little Girl is Four By Playmates Janitor is

By Associated Press.

Washington, Dec. 5.—Secretary Daniels will appear before the House naval committee next Wednesday he announced today and until that time today tried to force a passage through the Dardanelles, according to a distance of the Dardanelles, according to a Berlin. will make no answer to critics of naval material or personnel. He refused today to comment on a published report that submarines of the Atlantic fleet were in poor shape and that only serviceable craft of this type was stationed north of the canal zone. Rear Admiral Fletcher, commanding the Atlantic fleet and Rear Admiral Badger also will be heard by the House committee next

29TH INFANTBY WILL BE STATIONED AT PANAMA

By Associated Press. Washington, Dec. 5.—The 29th in fantry will be sent to the Panama Canal zone as part of the permanent day as soon as their quarters have

Monday

SHORTY AND SHERLOCK HOLMES

As gentleman in society, cowboy on the plains or in fact any roll this knight of the screen is called on to perform he seems so well fitted for the part that the observer for-gets he is only a Motion Picture actor and in tomorrow's picture we show him as detective in which there is quite a good deal of rich comedy throughout the entire two parts, but in the windup Shorty completes the job that makes Sherlock Holmes look like thirty cents.

ZIP, THE DODGER

A rattling good Keystone Comedy up to the usual Keystone Comedy.

ONE OTHER GOOD PICTURE

Empress

LMORTALITY GREATER IN BLOODY TRAGEDY SCENE BATTLES OF CURL WAR

Sacramento, Cal., Dec. 5.—Blood proportion to numbers engaged, apdripping on a church carpet from the proached the mortality of several conbelify tower frightened half a dozen flicts of the civil war, declared Genlittle girls today into a panic stricken search which revealed the body Kentucky, commander in chief of the
of their chum, Margaret Millings, United Confederate Veterans, in an
lying mutilated in the basement.
David Fontaine, janitor of the church, who spoke at the unveiling of a monuwas arrested. The Millings girl ment to the soldiers and sailors of the agreed to meet the others at the Confederacy, cited the battles of Chichurch to make doll dresses as a part kamagua, Spottsylvania and Franklin of their Christmas activities. She ar- as notable examples of his contention.

BRITISH SUBMARINE

Daring Attempt to Run Straits of Dar-dannelies Reported to Have Failed.

patch from Constantinople to a Berlin newspaper. The submarine's pres-ence was discovered, however, and the vessel apparently was hit by shots from Turkish vessels.

Nine teachers took the examination for licenses conducted by Superintendent Johnson at the high school building Thursday, Friday and Saturday. One was applicant for a permanent certificate; the others were applicants for first and second grade certificates.

NO INDICATION OF OPENING OF CAMPAIGN BY CARRANZA

tian Carranza consulted at length Carranza today reiterated his deternination to protect the lives and property of foreigners in the territory

DOMINIAN REPUBLIC'S
PRESIDENT SWORN IN

Dec. 5.—Juan Jimines, who is pro-claimed president of the Dominican publics yesterday by the national gress, took the oath of office to day. Quiet prevails throughout country. The inauguration of Presi dent Jimines gives the republic its first regularly elected president since the assassination of President Cacres

PROMINENT CARDINAL REPORTED DEAD AT ROME

London, Dec. 5.—The Central News has received a dispatch from Rome correspondents that Cardinal Angelo Di Pietrfo, doyan of the Sacred College, died this morning.

New York, Dec. 5.—William G. public today by the public reserve King, superintendent of the New York Cotton Exchange today sent a letter to Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo requesting that cotton not being contraband, be excluded from the 1230,912,000; gold reserves against all treasury denoting contraband. McAdoo requesting that cotton not being contraband, be excluded from the
treasury department's order prohibiting the publication of cargo manifests
until thirty days after vessels have
cleared. Mr. aing contended that the
order was an injury to the cotton

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adoo and Warren Harting of the
local reserve board, by J. A. Kemp.
In his espacity as chairman of
executive committee of the Texas
there association, has been taking
active part in the work for relief

Yesterday afternoon Mr. Kemp re-sived a reply from Charles S. Hamn, governor of the federal reserve oard, stating that instructions had een issued to expedite the matter in every way possible. Just how soon the plan can be put into working order is not yet known, but the action of Henry Lindsley of Dallas, in tenta-tively calling a meeting of the Texas mittee in charge of the loan for Tuesday of this week at Dallas, is expected to bring earlier action.

If the meeting is held Tuesday, Mr. Kemp will call the bankers' executive nittee at the same time, and will also issue invitations to a number of prominent Texas jobbers to meet on that date for a more general discusion of the cotton situation.

Mr. Kemp is anxious that the fund be made available for borrowers as soon as possible, as he fears that to delay action until December 15 would make it necessary to work out the de-tails and get the plan started during the holiday season, when it would be very difficult to get the members of the committee together and when the tendency for delay would be more pronounced. Mr. Kemp stressed these facts in his telegrams of protest and urged that everything possible be done by the Washington officials to secure action very shortly.

The meeting of Tuesday at Dallas is contingent upon the arrival of some documents from Washington, which have been mailed to Mr. Lindsley at Dallas. These documents are understood to be application blanks and other forms to be used in getting the plan started.

dr. Kemp's messages to Messrs McAdoo and Harding were as fol-

"Hon. W. G. McAdoo, Secretary of Treasury, Washington, D. G.: Today's Washington dispatches indicate cotton pool committee will defer action until December 15th, with further statement of belief that much of fund may never be used. The cotton market is already somewhat demoralized and ferences and delays without definite action. Your attitude in undertaking to commercialize this commodity on basis of eight cents per pound has met with hearty approval of the executive committee of Texas Bankers' Association composed of leading bankers of this State, of which I am chair We have gone on record unequivocally as saying we believe the commercial value of this comodity should not be less than eight cents per pound thereby justifying the loan value of six cents per pound. This is a growing sentiment in Texas, the State that grows one-third of the cotton crop grown in the United States. The loan pool has been of wonderful aid in stimulating values sentimentally. Your own prompt official action when emergency currency was needed helped business then, but immediate action by this cotton com-mittee should be had now. Please use your influence with committee against delay to December 15th and for immediate action.

"J. A. KEMP, Chairman Executive, Committee Texas Bankers' Associa-

"Hon. W. P. G. Harding, Chairman Cotton Loan Fund, Washington, D. C .: Observing press reports published in today's papers indicate that cotton loan fund will not be available until after a meeting of State chairmen from the various States called for December 15th, I feel the gravity of the situation warrants me in taking the liberty of sending you this mes-sage. Some six weeks ago I was made chairman of executive committee Texas Bankers' Association composed of the leading bankers of the

FOR THE HOLIDAYS

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REAL VALUES ROR LITTLE KRUGER BROTHERS

HEADQUARTERS FOR CHRIST-MAS BUYING

istance in stablizing the price cotton, having in mind a proper co operative spirit with the sponsors for this cotton loan fund, which had been substribed to by the leading bankers of New York, Chicago, St. Louis, Kansas City and other cities. We have commodate the actual needs of those Interests that are holding cotton under the belief that they would soon be able to obtain relief promised through this fund. Such delay as is through this fund. Such delay as is indicated is likely to result in serious disaster in my judgment. The sentimental effect of this proposed fund has been wonderful in alding those of us who have been endeavoring to prevent the sale of cotton at sacrificial prices, but it will cease to be of any value and may become a serious menace unless some way can be found by which it can really be made available immediately.

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"J. A. KEMP, Chairman Executive Committee Texas Bankers' Associa-

Mr. Kemp also wired Festus J. ing. Wade of St. Louis, originator, of the lay.

loan plan, telling him what he had wired Messrs, McAdoo and Harding. The following replies were received: "In absence of secretary of treas ury, your telegram was referred to me I have given it to Mr. Harding who has charge of cotton fund matters.

"C. S. HAMLIN, Governor." "State chairmen have been request ed to call meetings of committees and appoint local committees in advance of their meetings here December 14. Matters being pushed as rapidly as

"W. P. G. HARDING, Member Federal Reserve Board." "Fully concur in your views. Very glad you sent telegrams. "FESTUS J. WADE."

BREAD LINE ESTABLISHED

IN HOUSTON LAST NIGHT By Associated Press.

Houston, Texas, Dec. 5.—A bread line was established in this city for the first time last night and hundreds availed themselves of it. Mayor Camp-bell has taken up the question of bor-rowing money in advance of the sale of recently voted bonds and inaugurat-ing improvements without further de-

THE PAMPHLET "FACTS" NOW BEING INVESTIGATED

tain About State-

Denver, Colo., Dec. Facts con his corporation had had written by his corporation had had written by an un-named writer, was investigated by the federal commission on industrial relations today. Mr. Welborn acknowledged that several paragraphs should be qualified; that of the truth of others he had no evidence and repudiated responsibility for still other statements. Chairman Walsh questioned Mr. Welborn regarding a statement in the pamphlet that at some time in the mines of the company from 90 to 99 per cent of the miners of the truth of the ungent need of immediate protection.

CHICAGO WILL CONDUCT

Clivy DANCING SCHOOL

Chicago, Dec. 5.—Municipal dances inaugurated this week have been so successful that it was announced to day a dancing school operated under direction of the municipal dance hall committee will be open next week.

Competent instructors will be employed to teach all the newest dances.

Mr. Welborn said at the Rouse mine 99 per cent of the miners had signed the statement but that 40 per cent went out when the strike and Primero mines, he said, 90 per cent signed, but considerably less than that percentage remained at

Regarding a statement in the pany had investigated men hired for cerning the struggle in Colorado for industrial freedom." a pamphlet is sued by "the coal managers" and which J. F. Welborn, president of the Colorado Fuel & Iron Company said which the guards were employed, because of the urgent need of immed-

before the strike was called signed papers asserting satisfaction with working conditions and opposing the DEFENSE IS FAVORED

favoring the creation by Congress of a council for national defense were adopted by the Civic Federation. The duties of the council would be "to consider, decide and report to Con-gress what legislation is necessary to provide for the national defense without waste or unnecessary expense.
The speakers included David Starr
Jordan, chancellor of Leland Stanford University, Franklin Roosevelt, assistant secretary of the navy and

when the nations of the earth were crumpling each other because of their "perfect equipment." Col Thompson on the other nand advocated a navy that would be able to hold the sea for a year against any invader "that would give us time to make ready our army for the field." Mr. Roosevelt said there would be resentment against the classification as "militar

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this is Sunday again. Go to

Just eighteen more days in which to-do your Christmas shopping, and then six more days of grace before the ills will have to be paid.

Since June 1st of this year, 201 mar Wiehita county. During the same perlod 101 divorce suits were filed.

he will have no opposition for a second term, or at least, should have none.

Mr. Ferguson, it seems, has not weakened the least bit on his farm tenantry plank, and those who are the following on the business outlook chines and machine tools and project

that after he becomes governor one of and comercially: the first things he will do is issue a he El Paso convention platform touchwill be greatly disappointed if the farm rental land plank of the State

things: "After working the better instead of storing it in a good ware- are keeping mill hands employed who surance, in a great many instances the few poles under it for months, causing a damage so great that no reasonable advance in price can possibly offset be until after the new legislature has there can be no doubt but that the inthere can be no doubt but that the inbeen in session for about two weeks,
and if any legislation bearing on the
liquor question, either in favor of or
against it, is to be enacted it will have
to be done during that time. GovernorElect Ferguson has gone on record as
saying that he will veto everything
along that line that is put up to him,
and most people are now about convinced that the new governor-to-be is
a man who means just what he says,

there can be no doubt but that the injury is great—greater by far than what
lithethat what
it would cost to house and insure it
until ready to market. The Times is
not particularly boosting for anybody's
varehouse, or for any insurance company. In truth, cotton, in most instances, can be propertly housed and
protected on the farm on which it is
raised as well, if not better, than in a
vinced that the new governor-to-be is
a man who means just what he says,

stances, it is left exposed to the

there can be no doubt but that the injury is great—greater by far than what
liquid as few days ago, there have
been heavy inquiries for pig in Pittsburg. Chicago and New York, resulting in relighting a couple of furnaces
and stiffening the prices. Steel companies are willing to sell freely for
the first quarter of next year at the
best prices they can get. Several steel
concerns report November orders for
finished products less than in October,
but the Steel Corporation's rate of
orders did not change much except for
an increase last week. The ingot proof the people's toil. We demand a re-

> MONEY GETTING EASIER-THE BUSINESS OUTLOOK

All Types, Sizes and Prices

The Philadelphia Record, one of the many able papers in this country, has

message to the legislature urging that shown by the fact that the Philadelbody to enact into law the plank in phia banks have retired all their clearing house certificates and \$4,000,000 ing on that matter, and considering of emergency circulation. In Boston the last clearing house certificates that a majority of the Democrats of were retired a week ago. The New Texas, by voting for Mr. Ferguson for York Stock Exchange has been reovernor, who adcocated that a law opened for bond transactions, and time money rates ranged from 41-2 to farm lands should be made, it is the per cent, which is a quarter of 1 per cent less than the week before. The volume of trade shows little this recommendation and enact a law

farm lands should be made, it is the per cent less than the week before. The volume of trade shows little change; bank clearings last week we were that will, fully cover the matter. As to whether such a law would be constitutional or not is a matter for the courts to determine, and that will be done afterwards. Most people, even some of those who voted for Mr. Ferguson, had an idea that the regulating of farm lands by law was merely a vote-catcher, and there is no doubt but that it was. It was one of the principal isses in the recent gubernational campaten and pulled over to Mr. Ferguson more than 75 per cent of the less has continued, and last very unions which took many buyers out of New York. Buying by retailers is on a very union week. New York of Buying by retailers is on a very union week of the president the President that the President will give his attention to the plant of the party platform that we have a very union week. There is a fair business in New York. Buying by retailers is on severy uneven reports. The volume of trade shows the very unions week, but the better grade of coton goods. In the better grade of coton goods. The people trusting to the demand for men's fabrics, and a fair amount of business in dress goods. Manufacturers are very unever reports. There is a fair business in New York. Buying by retailers is on the president that the President the President that the President the President that the President w week there was an encouraging in-

proach of winter is stimulating retail distribution. Without much change in the amount of business done, there is in many directions a marked improvement in trade sentiment, and increas ing confidence in an early revival 'of activity. While the orders from for o a banker of this city regarding the eign governments do not make up for handling of cotton, says among other the duliness of domestic trade, they in the go a good way toward offsetting it. They are bringing money this way and easing the financial situation, and they

cofton is left on the ground with a December 7, and London reports inthe belligerent nations are gettting

a man who means just what he says, at a real business administration. If he does this he will have no opposition for a second and structural shafts. The New York the substance of the people."

Central has placed an order for 25.

Can any honest Democrat in Conlast year, along with the gress put his hand on his beart and

close to him in a political way say and condition of things financially tiles continue to come from foreign service. It is as true now as it was

Cotton exports were much in excess of previous weeks. Speculation has been dull, and, while prices for December have vadyanced a little, those for more distant dates have declined. The Boston wool market continues strong, though the sales last week, 3,000,000 pounds, were much less than in preceding weeks. The dry goods markets have been quiet, partly due to the occurrence of Thankagiving session that would be even more of previous weeks. Speculation has curb day, which took many buyers out of costly. Wheat prices have varied within narrow limits. Corn has shown no-striking feature. Lard futures have

AN'UNFILLED PLEDGE

(Baltimore Evening Sun. No just person will deny that Presi dent Wilson has done his utmost to redeem the pledges made by his party ductive capital. The destruction to in the platform upon which he was buildings and railroads is not consider. elected. He has esteemed it almost as a matter of personal honor that his party should keep faith with the the pledge was made in behalf of the party in Congress. Largely by his efforts and the exertion of his powerthe principal pledges have been redeemed in the long Congress. The tariff has been revised downward and a Pittsburg reports that it has not the country of a malady it has long yet felt the improvement in pig iron. endured and where the Republican but, besides the large purchases in party failed after many insincere ef-

ers are making very low bids to get say that "the profligate waste of money came into power as it went on when the Republicans were in power? The whose approximate cause was the price commanded year to pay for six months of a whose approximate cause was the power. The Federal treasury has been the vic-The Federal treasury has been the vicinity of the federal treasury has been the vicinity of locality and raiding. Public lift that boy had fired and missed, buildings have been provided for villages where they were not needed, just and 1,000,000 men already would not have been postponed, in order to repair the fences, it may BICYCLE TIRES in order to repair the fences, it may be, of a Congressman in a close dis-trict. Riders are put upon big bills as aforetime and there is shameless as aforetime and there is shameless extravagance. Every dollar that is the first fountain of all taxation—which is not needed for the purposes of government honestly and economically administered is a dollar taken wrongfully. And millions of dollars are so taken. Senator Aldrich, the Republican leader for years, declared that by the application of proper business methods to the affairs of the government, \$800,000,000 could be saved annually without impairing the Western Auto Supply Co.

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rally around the President to redeen the party pledge for economy and re

COST OF SIX MONTHS OF WAR.

Yves Guyot, a French economist estimates that six months of the pre ent war, excluding Turkey and Japan will cost \$17,000,000,000. The human In this is estimated the loss in pro

of from \$2 a day expense for a sol dier up to \$15,000,00 for a battleship more than the coined stock o gold in the world.

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arles M. today for arted Mr.

By Associated Press Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 5.—Auburn 7, Carlisle 0. Such was the outcome of the gridiron battle here today between the elevens from the Polytechnic institute and the famous indian school of Carlisle, Pa. For three quarters of the game the teams fought bitterly with the tide of battle ebbing and flowing and with but little advantage to either side.

Early in the final period Auburn after advancing the ball well down the field by a series of line plunges, essayed a forward pass. Hairston shot the ball to Kearley who reached the six yard line before he was downed. On the next play Hairston catapulated through the Indian line for a touchdown and Loiselle kicked

Carlisle then braced and introduced a series of lateral and forward passes but that intercepted one of the latter and the game ended with the ball in Auburn's possession on Carlisle's 35 yard line.

Amsterdam, Dec. 3.— Intercept and introduced military authorities at Antwerp, says the correspondent of Pys in that city, have prohibited the photographs of the display of photographs of the ruins under penalty of a maximum fine of \$1250.

WILL AUCTION OFF BALE OF COTTON AT CONCER

At the benefit concert Tuesday night at the Wichita Theatre for girls training school a hale of cotton will be auctioned off, the proceeds to go to the training school fund. The bale of cotton will be donated by James B. Marlow, manager of the theatre.

be at Harrington's drug store tomor- he thinks, the government will be ab row from 3:30 to 6 p. m., to distri- to meet the great demand for the rev bute the tickets. They will be dis-tributed only to responsible persons. All those selling tickets must report to Mr. Machlin at the theatre by six o'clock Tuesday evening. The win-ner will be announced as soon as the proceeds are counted. There is great interest in the concert. A splendid

Amsterdam, Dec. 5.-The German

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Natt T. Wagner, who assisted in the organization and has served as assistant cashier of the National Bank of Cemmerce since its organization, has resigned that position and after spending a short vacation in Muskoge, Okla, will seturn to this city and engage in the bond business. Mr. Wagner has made many friends since coming to Wichita Falls, all of whom will be giad to learn that he and Mrs. Wagner will continue to make their home nere.

Pioneer Lodge No. 49 K. of P. meeta Tuesday night, 7:30, in new hall, Hen-derson building. Initiation in rank of Knight. T. A. Bradley, C. C. 77 2t c

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light and a lamp that will give you called out of town last week. Mayor this and burn less current at the same Britain and Judge Martin have been time, use the Edison Mazda lamps, secured to speak on the subjects of Seld only by the Stokes Electric Co. the Girls' Training School and the

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County Clerk Kelly says that, not-locate the withstanding the scarcity of revenue flexes, re-stamps, he is receiving and recording the rest. It is expected that a substantial sum will be netted for the fund by this auction.

Harrington, the leweler, has donated a ten dollar ring or lavailler to be given to the young lady who sells the given to the young lady who sells the the amount in cash that is required to most tickets for the concert. C. B. have the stamps put on. In this way Machlin, director for the Choral Society which is giving the concert will be at Harrington's drug store tomorpowers. The law with the next week or so, be thinks, the government will be able row from 3:30 to 6 p. m. to district the same the great demand for the reversity of the concert of the concert will be able to the concert.

ing Tuesday night at T. A. Bradley, C. C.

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in place of Mr. Chas. J. Templeton, who will be unable to be present, and Mr. T. J. Benninger will sing in place a message of peace by the wom called out of town last week. Mayor 77 1tc Choral Society.

There is now on display at the Col For rent, one store building. Maer building. \$12 Scott avenue. Be vacant December 1st, 1914. Price \$50 per month. See W. N. Maer, care Cravens. Maer & Walker. 66 if c Furniture repairing, upholstering.

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present at Miss Ussery's class at of the fluids or the interchange of a like Clus Tuesday night. 77 it p nerve currents.

County Clerk Kelly says that, not-thstanding the scarcity of revenue flexes, readjust them, and nature does a new parts to be in receiving and recording.

Cal on your osteopath occasionally for examination. K. & K. Bldg. Room 288. Phone 1487.

pose of startling the natives, but the general attorney denied this.

Outside of the fact that the trip was made in Mr. Huff's private car, there was nothing of importance at the

meeting of the stockholders of Sorted articles, the Wichita Falls & Northwestern Railway Company was held Saturday Railway Company was held Saturday at Altin, Okla., and was attended by Frank Kell and J. A. Kemp of this city and C. C. Huff of Dallas.

The trip was made in Mr. Huff's private car, which he has acquired since he became general attorney of the Katy. Being of a generous nature, Mr. Huff permits General Superintendent Anderson to use his car most of the time, but yesterday he was in it himself. He was accused of bringing it here solely for the purpose of startling the natives, but the

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PLEA FOR END OF STRIFE

By Associated Press. Chicago, Dec. 5.—"There is only one way a woman can get anything, by begging for it;" in these words Rosika Schwimmer of Hungary told an adi once at a peace meeting here today how she hopes the women of the world will end the war in Europe.

SAYS WOMEN MUST MAKE

the nations not at war that they de

JAPANESE IN HONOLULU BEING CALLED TO COLORS

By Associated Press. Honolulu, Dec. 5.—The exodus Japanese has begun to assume noteworthy proportions. Thousands of the veterans of the Russo-Japanese war are preparing to return to the colors. Word has reached them that they may expect to see service with the allies, the British, in Egypt, Africa and India.

Robbers early last night cut the screens from the windows at the Cottage Hotel on Indiana avenue and HUFF, MARTIN & BULLINGTON entered a room occupied by Mr. Mathers, storekeeper for the Fort Worth & Denyer. They took a bill book containing some papers which are of no value to any one but Mr. Mathers. At a later hour two men were discovered cutting the screen of a window at the house of May Howard in the that district. An inmate of the place fired several shots at the men who made their escape. Earlier in the evening a hand grip was stolen from he Oklahoma Bar on Seventh street

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Mrs. Bethwick Lawrence of England ordering an article delivered at a certain address and asking that the delivery boy be sent with change for a suggested that neutral nations insist that belligerents cease fighting. The address and asking that the delivery boy be sent with change for a ten dollar bill. The boy was sent to phone 487.

Two changes have been made in the original program for the Benefit Concept to be given on Tuesday night by the Wichits Falls Choral Society. Mrs. The Constant of the Michits Falls Choral Society. Mrs. The Constant of the Michits Falls Choral Society. Mrs. The Constant of the Michits Falls Choral Society. Mrs. The Constant of the Michits Falls Choral Society. Mrs. The Constant of the Michits Falls Choral Society. Mrs. The Constant of the Michits Falls Choral Society. Mrs. The Michits Falls Choral Society Mrs. The Michits Falls Choral Societ

the boy had no money he let him go

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Personal Mention

O. D. Green, agent for the Katy at Nocona, arrived last night to spend the day with friends here.

Col. F. B. Baillio, historian of the Texas Press Association was here yesterday in the interest of the West-

ern Newspaper Union.

Charles Pogenpohl, manager for the Western Union Telegraph Company-here, returned yesterday from Dallas, where he went to meet a party of Western Union officials from the

Mrs. Rebecca Malone left yesterday for her home at Memphis, Tenn., after a visit with her son, W. C. Malone

Dr. J. L. McKee returned Friday from Missouri, where he went to look after some work on his farm. Mrs. James Jones of Archer City was here yesterday for the funeral of Mrs. T. M. Bennett.

Mrs. Carrie Threet, mother of Mrs. T. M. Bennett and Burton Threet, a prother, were here from Archer City vesterday for the funeral of Mrs.

H. L. Hunter left Saturday for a trip to Southern Missouri points. He will be absent about a week. Judge L. L. Hage of Austin, is here visiting his daughter, Mrs. John P.

G. W. Eagle is in Denison attending the Methodist Conference and visiting his daughter, Mrs. A. L. Ford. Bentley Bacon went down to Fort Worth yesterday on a short business

T. G. Leicham and wife arrived yeserday for a visit with Mr. Leicham's parents, C. F. Leicham and wife, and other relatives here. They are from shop, California.

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BIDS OPENED FOR NEW

proval Before Announcement Made

Bids for the new Catholic church at the corner of Ninth and Holliday were opened yesterday. It is announced that the bids were within the limit that had been fixed. The matter has been referred to Bishop Lynch of this diocese and an an-nouncement that a contract has been awarded is expected probably some time this week. It is expected that work will be started within the next

IGNORANCE, NOT MALICE,

been received in connection with an item in Friday's Times relative to the appearance of some Mexicans in court.

Believing that out of your Angie-Baxon sense of fairness, you will either referred to in the item and is in itself very aufficient refutation of any ins derogatory in the item. The com-anication follows:

ditor Times:
Dear Sir—I take the view that you ere actuated by ignorance of the rather than malice, when you te the article in yesterday's Times atitled "Tamale Venders' War Is Set-

First, I am not a Mexican, having en born in Barcelona, Spain, of re-ectable Caucasian parents. The fact that I married an American lady neith er raised nor lowered me socially, more than any man is raised when he

The entire article displays a lack of knowledge that is distressing when one thinks of the writer's position— that of a public educator.

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Again, I was not "haled into police

court," but it was at my instigation letter itself plainly indicates that publish this communication or make writer does not belong to the class other suitable acknowledgement, I am

Very truly yours, M. ORDONEZ.

MRS. ADAIR WILL NOT BRING BELGIANS TO PANHANDLE

y Associated Press. Amarillo, Texas, Dec. 5.—Mrs. Cor delia Adair, millionaire owner of the J-A ranch, who is here from her home in London, this afternoon denied reports that she is to bring 1,000 Belgians here for colonization. She said: "I cannot understand how such reports became circulated. My heart bleeds for the homeless Belgians, but I had not thought of bringing them

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The Wichita Valley district, which will have a large representation, has dready made hotel reservations.

The visit to Austin is a sequel to some incidents of last summer when the special session was being held and when representatives of the Farmers' were at Austin trying to secure favorable legislation. Some legislator intimated that J. L. McConkey of this city, who was among those present, was not a farmer at all and that the union did not represent the farmers' interests. It is to show the legislators what kind of men really constitute the union that the trip will be made.

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favoritism, and none of the little ones were known to the judges who were Messrs. J. R. Moore of Virginia, H. C. Holland of Paris, Texas, and Ben Neatherly of St. Louis. The wards were as follows:

Youngest baby exhibited-Vernon Richardson, aged 27 days. Prize, bassinette donated by Brin & Dolman. Handsomest baby under six months -Kathrine Riley. Prize, one dozen photographs donated by Beatty &

Handsomest boy, six to eighteen months—Jewell Bird; prize, swing donated by Freear Furniture Company Prettiest girl, six to eighteen months—Mildred Burton; prize, silver set donated by B. T. Burgess. Handsomest boy, eighteen months

to three years—Frank Blair; prize, ring donated by Kruger Bros. Prettiest girl, eighteen months to three years-Camille Avis; prize, set of furs and cap donated by Kahn and P. B. M. Jane Sampe tied with the

prize winner, the judges drawing slips for the prize.

Handsomest boy, three to four years—Neal Kearby; prize, ring donated by . S. Fonville.

Prettiest girl—Mary Inge; prize, necklace donated by J. L. Art. In the three to four year class the judges had a very hard time reaching a decision. For the boy's prize they hesitated long between Neal Kearby and Kemp Maer, the former getting the honor at last. For the getting the honor at last. For the girl's prize there were six little ladies among whom the judges could not decide and they finally decided to draw, little Miss Inge being the fortunate contestant. The other five were Jeannette Walker, Mildred Gildhouse Virginia Barron. Kathrine

Weeks and Baby Ash. The baby show was but one fea-ture of the "fair" which netfed the Guild a very substantial sum. Mrs. Lindsay Bibb was chairman of the

baby show committee,
Ben O. Neatherly, one of the
judges in the show, has been a judge
judges in the shows recently. He said that the babies here were the prettiest he had ever seen and that t was a most difficult matter to deermine the prettiest.

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LUSITANIA CARRIED 9,000 SACKS CHRISTMAS MAIL

By Associated Press.
New York, Dec. 5.—Rigid precautions against bombs were exercised today by Cunard line officials on the sailing of the steamer Lustiania for Liverpool. She carried 1190 pas-sengers all of them unknown person-ally to the officials were made to prove their identity. Among the passengers was Howard McKlennan of Princeton University who was commissioned by the University to investigate the condition of Belgian refugees with a view to determining the advisability of sending some of them to this counnding some of them to this coun-The Lusitania carried 9,000

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By Associated Press.
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Smith conferred with Chancellor Robert Lansing at the state department
on the difficulties of shipping of cotton with copper and contraband ar-

"I am going to recommend to our shippers," said the senator afterwards, "that there be an organized shipment of cotton from Galveston, New Orleans and Savannah on neutral ships leans and Savannah on neutral ships with turpentine and rosin as their ballast. If the shipments are made through Holland there will be no difficulty in reaching Germany and Austria where there is a great demand and I think our cotton men should be particularly careful not to load their shows with the control of the shows with the sho their shops with any contraband and controversy will be avoided."

HIGH SCHOOL DRAMATIC CLUB OFFERING PLEASES

The High School Dramatic Club presented their first production this year, a comedy in four acts, entitled "The Professor's Predicament," The title role was taken by Mack McGinley, who has featured in amateur performances

trayed. The various students in the cast were fitted to their parts and as amateur offerings go, "The Professor's IN NEUTRAL BOTTOMS Predicament" ranks high. The club showed excellent training having showed excellent training, having peen schooled in their parts by Miss Jenks of the College of Music and Art. The cast of Friday night's play

> Arthur Helcomb, LL. Ph. D., Pro essor of Physics, Harvard University Harold Dexter, member of Boston Exchange—Will Bonner.
> Richard Newell, Thomas Warren,
> Yale students—Robert Noien, Homer

Homer Featherstone, Staples, a man of mysters

Felix Simpkins, not such a fi he looks—Homer Boger, John, a servant—Walter Hall. Mrs. Fancy Winthrop-Daisy

Pansy Staples, supposed daughter of Staples—Louise Montgomery. Alice Barrington, Constance Haver-myer, seminary students—Thelma Kahn, Marion Dobson. Jane Whitman, a trains er-Lorna Shaw.

Act II.—Glen in the White House, White Mour tains: afternoon. Act III.—The same; evening.
Act IV.—The garden in front of the

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Ty Cobb Maintained Lead in Batting in American League

By Associated Press.
New York, Dec. 5.—Ty Cobb of Detroit was the premier American League batsman during the past season with an average of .368, twentygium regarding charges recently pub-lished in connection with the relief work. Mr. Whitlock said:

four points ahead of Eddie Collins of Philadelphia, who was second. Tris Speaker of Boston and Joe Jackson of Cleveland were tied for third place, with an average of .338. Levilelt of Cleveland was fifth, but was in only 32 games. Baker of Philadelphia was sixth, 319; Hoblitzel of Boston, seventh, .319 and Crawford of Detroit, sighth, .314.

Cobb played in 97 games and was at bat 345 times, getting 127 hits; of these 22 were two baggers, 11 three baggers and two home runs. He walked 57 times, struck out 22 times and stole 35 bases.

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B. Colquitt, who was here today, said he had not decided on his residence after his term ends. He intimated it

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for tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock at the Chamber of Commerce rooms. At this meeting organization of the company will be perfected and steps

A meeting of the stockholders of taken to get the concern actively unthe company which is to manufacture der way. Not all of the stock has the Ziegler gas stove has been called been subscribed as yet, but it is hop-

Defects In Mechanics Lien Law. And Their Dangers, Cited In Article

suggestions with a view of determine er of Mr. Logician. ing whether or not our statutes need amendments in reference to regis-

We will first direct attention to those instruments designed to create a mechanic lien and those designed to release same. But first, as to the law of registration in general.
In general, instruments are entitled

to record if properly acknowledged or proved; this is the rule. The specific exceptions are patents, land grants from the sovereignty and chatte mortgages. Mechanic liens are also now an exception by court construction. When the lien is sought to be fastened upon the homestead, privily acknowledgement is still required of the wife; but this is only to bind the wife to recognize the lien. The contractor can fix his lien by filing ar unacknowledged or unproved instrument, but is unable to enforce it against the homestead if the wife sees fit to object. The writer has wondered why mechanic lien notes are not regarded by investors as being the equal of vendor Hen notes and he now suggests the probable cause as being faulty registration Had the court required the same strictness as to registration in the one case as in the other, then the security would have been the same. The creation of the lien can now be had by the flling of an unacknowledged or unproved instrument and as the law is silent as to how same may be released, it follows as a logical sequence mat the court would require no greater formality n the release. Hence the disparity etween the two classes of security Why is this so? And how can the defect be obviated without the law peing so amended as to put the creating power back under the genera rule for registration?

Most lawyers ignore this exception and prepare their instruments under the general rule, both as to creation nd release. But can they entirely afeguard their clients' investments in this way? That is the vital ques

Take notice to the tangle that two equally honest and upwright young. lawyers might get in under the pres ent state of the law in the follow

ing suppositious case: You have a client here who wishes o make an investment and you tel' him that you know of some mechanic lien notes for sale secured by some desirable lots in Dallas and that you have investigated the title, especially as to the instrument creating the lier immediately to stimulate recruiting and its registration. In short, you for the London Scottish. There are and its registration. In short, you recommend the investment as safe and profitable one. Relying on your opinion, your client parts with his money and takes an assignment of the said notes. A clumsy forger not necessarily a clever one, learn of this transaction and gets busy. He goes to Dalian and hunts up the owner of the lots on which your clear holds a lien and offers to buy same the forger about your clients the forger about your clients lien. The forger replies: "Oh, well. I expected that I shall attempt to make the installment payments, they place. On the contrary it is good are, as you say, little more than the that we should tell them. One of the things which as a nation we have do, I will give you a good price for the lots if you will quit claim your inferest in the entire property." The owner being overpersuaded does so. The forger hastens to the clerk's of quent speeches or anything of that fice in Dallas and files with the clerk, who is a stranger to him, a formal risks which our soldiers were run release to which he has affixed your ning which made our recruits join the clients' name and that only and shortly thereafter has same returned to him which he then promptly de-stroys. About this time a young Dallas attorney has a client who wishes to buy just the kind of property now held by the forger and the fates having brought together the forger and the lawyer, the latter offers the property in question. After looking at the lawyer's opinion of the title. When he comes to the quit claim deed, he hesitates, but the forger soon satisfier him as to how that came about. Ther he reaches the unacknowledged re lease and he hesitates still more. He gets down his law books and soor finds that the lien can be created by the filing of an unacknowldged and unproved instrument and finds that the law is silent as to the manner of release. Having a logical turn of mind any way, he concludes that the formality required to create the lier should prevail to release it, and ac cordingly he passes the title and his client passes over the money for the full value of the property and takes possession and the forger takes to

client or the Dallas lawyer's client which lawyer is to blame, one both or neither; 3, has the writer correctly stated the law? As an aid in arriving at a correct lecision as to the culpability of the lawyers concerned in the hypothetical case stated, the writer cities you to Dickens as an authority. Some

the woods.

tal creations as a man in business who shook hands daily with Mr. Common Sense and not just semi-occasionally. The writer believes that in matters of conveyance involving property interests the lawyer should be on intimate term with Mr. Common

The next article will be on ex-officio

M. F. YEAGER,

THIS IS ASQUITH'S REPLY TO VARIOUS CRITICISMS AND

Length By Bonar Law, Conser-

Press" was discussed by Bonar Law, leader of the Conservtive party in his address before the House of Commons at the recent opening of the special war session and Premier Asquith was asked for a statement on the government's position in regard to the sup pression of war news

"There is a general feeling which share," said Mr. Law, "that the press is more muzzled than is neces-sary for military reasons and secondly, if that be so, it is disadvantageous from the point of view of every other interest in this country. It may be that to a large extent the govern-ment is powerless. Our army in France is only part of a great force and it would be quite right that we should not do anything that by any possibility could injure the operation wishes of the government responsi-ble for the chief part of the force. I quite admit that, but I would like to impress upon the government that there can be no other reasons for keeping back information as to what our soldiers are doing. It is bad in every, way. It is bad for recruiting. One of the honorable members opposite spoke of the action of the Londo Scottish. I think we are all proud of them, but they are not the only regiment. The effect of their action was

expected that I shall attempt to losses when such losses have taken most reason, so far as the civilian quent speeches—or anything of that kind—it was the knowledge of the

"Personally I should have prefer-red, if it were possible, to have accredited reporters at the seat of war. That may be impossible, but I do hope the government will try to give all the information that can be given apart from military considerations and they will tell the House frankly the principle upon which they are acting in regard to the whole matter. I am quite sure that nothing could be we have any, from the poeple of this country. I do not mean that it may not be right to delay publication of incidents, perhaps for a considerable lime for strategical reasons, but I am sure it would be wrong for us to do what may have been right in the ase of Japan, to conceal disasters ject with us would be to prevent a panic, and in my belief one thing which would cause panic would be if the people of this country got the idea that they do not know the whole

Censorship and Recruiting.
The press throughout England has attributed slackness in recruiting very largely to the strict censorship. Consequently Mr. . Law was voicing an sequently Mr. Law was voicing an opinion which has been current in the United Kingdom for many weeks. "What is the principle which ought to govern us?" Mr. Asquith remarked in his reply. "You should be ready to divulge everything, whether favorable or adverse, subjectionly to military considerations." can say with the utmost confidence





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concealment and temperary postpone uals. Whatever is done must be respondents used to furnish us in lield which is necessarily more curment—whatever has been withheld done by coajoint action and after due wars gone by, special adventures has been withheld simply because, in consultation between the allied and heroic achievements of this or

be divulged lest it give the enemy an advantage he would not otherwise have.

"While I quite agree that from the point of yiew of recruiting in which I take a personal and a direct intertenant with a point of yiew of recruiting in which I take a personal and a direct intertenant with a point of yiew of recruiting in which I take a personal and a direct intertenant with a point of yiew of recruiting in which I take a personal and a direct intertenant with a war which extends over a hundred miles, with telephone, telegraph and other means of communication the obligations of the Japanese. One historian claims that Ualan or Kusaie Island in the East Carolines was inhabited by the Japanese of descriptive writing, admirable as it is in its way and a great stimulus and incentive to patriotic feeling, is a the ruins of an old castle resembling fever.

the opinion of our military and naval advisers and ourselves, it was lexpedient that for the moment it should be divulged lest it give the enemy an advantage he would not otherwise the consultation between the allied and heroic achievements of this or that regiment, in this or that stricken field, yet when you are dealing with a war which extends over a hundred or even two hundred miles, with a madvantage he would not otherwise the consultation between the allied and heroic achievements of this or that regiment, in this or that stricken field, yet when you are dealing with a war which extends over a hundred or even two hundred miles, with the consultation of the most have regard to the regiment, in this or that stricken field, yet when you are dealing with a war which extends over a hundred or even two hundred miles, with

tailed than ever before."

ISLANDS PLEASES JAPAN

parts of Japan. The remnants of the system of fortifications shows it to be an exact copy of the type constructed in the early Tokugawa period. It was at this epoch that many Japanese warriors and publicists went to the Soi Seas, having been expelled from the Empire on account of their adoption of Christianity.

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LIQUOR BIG ELEMENT IN THE VICE PROBLEM

lation

month study and investigation of the vice problem of Wisconsin by the executive anti-vice commission resulted in radical proposals for law and enforcement and better social condi-tions summarized in an exhaustive report filed today with the secretary of state. The greatest cause of com-mercialized vice, the report said, is the use of intoxicating liquors. Con-tributory causes are public dance halls, road houses, poorly lighted parks and public places, lack of responsibility by parents, non-enforcement of law by public officials, lack of public amusement and recreation facilities and automobiles. The committee found that the wage question has no material relation to a girl's downfall.

VIOLATION OF SWISS

French Claim Discovery of Documents Proving Charge Against Germane.

By Associated Press. Paris, Dec. 5.—Proof that a violation of the neutrality of the Switzer-land was included in Germany's original plan, has been found, says the Matin, in the shape of an ordinance survey map discovered among papers en dead German officers. The maps are similar to those used by Swiss officers, the Matin says, except that either side. So far as the usual line all the names are in Italian and information of a special nature printed on them, shows that they were intended for the use of an Italian army marching across Switzerland to attack France.

SIX KILLED IN RAIL WAY COLLISION NEAR MAPLES

Associated Press. Naples, Dec. 5.—In a railway collision today near Cassino six persons were killed and fifty were injured.

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BLINDED SAPS USED TO REACH ENEMY'S TRENCHES FOR

Operations For Three Days From No Described

London, Dec. 5.—The press bureau today issued a report by an eye wit ness at the front convering military operations during the three days from November 26 to November 29 inclusive. This report is summarized as

"General inactivity is recorded along the English front with the Germans pressing the attack in one quarter against the Indian troops who have been extending their trenches in an effort to get in close quarters with the enemy. There has been some shelling of our front line south of Lys but this form of annoyance diminishes daily along the whole front. Sniping, however, is carried on almost incessantly. There seems to be little doubt that the Germans are employing civilians to dig trenches. Some civilians have been seen and shot while engaged in this

"The change within the past few days in what might be termed the atmosphere of the battlefield has been marked. The noise of cannonad-ing has decreased to such an extent that for hours at a time nothing is heard but the infrequent boom of one of the heavy guns of the allies. The occasional rattle of machine guns and the intermittent fire of snipers or est activity is found in local attacks with hand grenades and short range howitzers. The enemy virtually has ceased his efforts to break through he line by assault and is devoting his energies to the same type of operations which have been familiar to the allies since the beginning of the battle of the Aisne.

"Subterranean life is the rule in the neighborhood of the firing line Even those men not actually engaged in fighting live in underground quar

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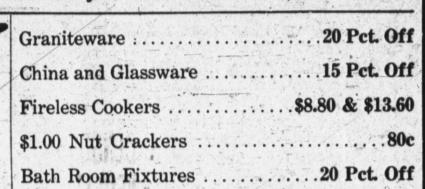
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Some of the quarters called 'bunk holes' are quite elaborate and comfortable and contain many conveniences not found in the trenches on the firing line. They communicate with the firing line by zig-zag ap proaches which make enfilading im Attacks are made on the firing line by blinded saps which are structed by a special earth borer. When this secret tunnel reaches the enemy trench an assault is delivered amid a shower of hand grenades. The tormers endeavor to burst their way hrough the opening and then try to work along the trench. Machine guns are quickly brought up to repel a counter attack. Most of this fighting takes place at such close range that the guns on each side cannot be fired at the enemy's infantry without great risk of hitting their own men. ombs have come to take the place of artillery and are being used in those used by the Germans are call-ed 'Jack Johnsons.' The smaller pictured in the Daily Express as folbombs and grenades thrown by hand. unpleasant particularly in the enclosades are thrown constantly by sides and every trench assault is first preceded and then accompanied by showers of these murderous mis-siles. This kind of fighting is very deadly and owing to the difficulty of observations it is at times somewhat blind. This difficulty has in a measure been decreased, however, by use of the hyperscope an instrument which works very much like the periscope on a submarine. It permits an observer to look out over the top of a parapet without raising his head above the trench."

COTTON LOAN AVAILABLE

Chairman Lindsley Receives Telegram From Washington to That Effect.

By Associated Press.
Dallas, Texas, Dec. 5.—Texas' share
of the \$135,000,000 cotton loan pool will be available by the middle of this King and his chief secretary and the week. This telegram was received to-day by Heary D. Lindsley, chairman of the Texas loan distributing com-mittee, from Washington. Mr. Lindley said he will call a meeting of the Texas committee here Tuesday, pro-yided a letter mailed from Washington today by W. P. G. Harding of the federal reserve board giving details of the plan reaches Dallas then. The state committee will appoint sub-com-mittees at the Tuesday meeting.

HOSTILE AVIATORS DROP

dropped four bombs late today near Freiburg, in Baden, not far from the Swiss frontier. The intention of the same way, he follows the forsulator apparently was to destroy the railroad bridge there. An official statement was issued today denying the Colonial sids to the colors at a more record that the Krunn plant a French to quote particulars of our Indian and Colonial sids to the colors at a moment was issued today denying the report that the Krupp plant at Essen had been bombarded by a hostile avi-

ing. It was also decided that the asso-ciation should be incorporated under and army.

GETS THROUGH LARGE AMOUNT OF WORK EACH DAY DUR-ING WAR

Steady Stream of Messengers Bring Dispatches and Messages To

enormous quantities. The short range By Associated Press.
London, Dec. 5.—The part which

activity and a mastery of detail such as might alarm even a great financier. comprise the present daily routine of

His Majesty the King.
Often soon after six in the morning, the King is busy in his study, and by the time, his advisers and helpers appear, he has conned the dispatches and documents of the early delivery, mastered their contents and perhaps made numbers of marginal notes in readiness for the forthcomingconference.

"The very sight of the contents of the numerous dispatch boxes would intimidate most men. Admiralty, war office, home omce and India officeall contribute their daily quantum, while from the government comes a tremendous amount of pressing business which cannot be settled without the King's sanction; but, happily, con-MIDDLE OF THIS WEEK troversial matters have sunk into oblivion and there are no difficulties of this sort to contend with.

Many Papers To Review,
"All the blue dispatch boxes are taken to the palace by the recognized special messengers of the various offices. Every box is fitted with a patent lock to which only two keys are provided, one for the use of the other for the minister or official from whom the box comes. Then there are the dispatches from the foreign powers-those from France and Russia being now particular heavy-brought over almost daily by the 'silver greyhounds' or King's messengers; and last, but by no means least, the mo mentous and weighty dispatches which are continually arriving from the front, supplementing the many cypher messages from the commanders of

"The problems continually arising anent tife war are many and great, but nothing is too intricate for the King, who insists on going into ev-By Associated Press.

Berlin, Dec. 5.—Hostile aviators dropped four bombs late today near grapped four bombs late today near army are all known to his Majesty. ment's notice.

All Movements Followed. "With regard to the ever changing panorama as evinced by the long struggle between the allies and the San Antonio, Texas, Dec. 5.—Either Galveston or Houston will be made the principal concentration point for mohair growers of the United States. This decision was made by the executive committee of the National Mohair Growers association which ended a three day convention here this morning. It was also decided that the association are civil and active heads of the navy

ment are kept locked and with the CHIEF BENDER SIGNS ment are kept locked and with the and day. The exact position of all war craft, with names of vessels and gun complement and other details is shown on one plan, while another shows the seat of war, with trenches, forts, towns and disposition of all Bender, Himself, Declines to State WICHITAN MENTIONED IN

troops, clearly designated. "His Majesty is also extremely solicitous as to the creature comforts of his fighting forces and making continual inquiries as to the supply of is: "I will tell the Queen."

With Which Team He Has Contracted.

food, clothes and the little extras that go to the maintenance of their health bert Bender of the Philadelphia American era are included, but in making his and spirits. The slightest hint to any can League champions today signed special article of apparel is accepted a contract with the Federal League. and his Majesty's invariable reply. Bender declined to say what team he when anything outside the scope of will play with or discuss the matter, the capable players in that position the Admiralty or war office is named but in baseball circles it was positively His choice was Brawley of the Ausstated he will wear a Federal League

uniform next yeaer. Bender was not under a contract with the local American League team and an effort recently has been made to dispose of his

ALL STAR SELECTION

The first all state high school team to be named in Texas has been picked by a Fort Worth sporting writer. selections the Fort Worth writer mentions Victor Jungk of this city, full back on the local eleven, as one of

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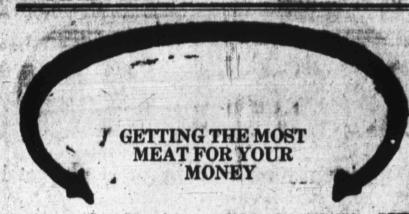
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Facilities and Increase in

Special to The Times.

Fort Worth, Texas, Dec. 5.—The following signed article, discussing an of Turkey and Portugal to the ranks increase in railroad rates, was given of the beligerents, the area of hostilities have been extended to approximate.

an increase in freight rates now before the raffroad commission is of more im-portance to the farmer than to any other class of citizens, for he pays directly or indirectly the greater por-tion of the freight revenues and we want to ask permission of the press to express our views on the subject. "The Farmers" Union in convention assemblied at Fort Worth last Janu-ary declared 'Our rathroad facilities

should be improved and our milesge increased, as the set of resolutions. of which the paragraph above quoted is a part, was adopted as the platform of a majority of the members elected to the 34th legislature, it fairly reflects the will of the people, as well as represents the views of the farmers of the state, and, if in the wisdom of the railroad commission, an increase in rates is necessary to accomplish this result, then an increase should be

For Revenue Increase.

"We have at present approximately 2,500 miles of railroad in Texas in the hands of receivers and during the calendar year 1914 less than 50 miles of new track was laid. It is quite clear that to improve our facilities and in-crease our mileage there must be an endar year 1914 less than 50 miles of new track was laid. It is quite clear that to improve our facilities and increase our mileage there must be an increase in net revenue, which can only be obtained by an advance in rates or a reduction in expense of operation. We leave with those who have authority to deal with the problem the reponsibility of determining which course should be pursued.

"We are perfectly willing that capical invested in railroad property should receive as good compensation as capital invested in agriculture, which, as a general average, is about five per cent per annum, and we want employes on railroads to receive as

emplayes on railroads to receive as good wages as employes on the farm, who get an average of about seven good wages as employes on the farm. South America occupies the happlest who get an average of about seven cents per hour, board and washing, and work thirteen hours per day. The farmer should not be expected to pay a better wage to capital and labor employed in hauling his products to market than he pays to these same agencies employed on the farm, but he is willing to pay them as well. We do

ing and manufacturing railroad equip-ment and supplies is not entirely with-in the jurisdiction of the railroad com-mission or the legislature, and relief can only be obtained by an increase in rates. If, in the judgment of the com mission, such a course is necessary, we want to say a few words concerning the class of commodities that should bear the burden of increase.

Lines of Least Resistance "The freight rates of the nation have been built up along lines of least life out of the rates and with unre-strained greed they have eaten the and cunning, are represented at every colved, and they will be at Austin the plowshare have an unequal burden

"The farmer is seldom represented

"The farmer is seldom represented at rate hearings, as his organizations have never had the finances to employ counsel to develop his side of the case, and as a result, the products of the plowshear have an unequal burden of the freight expense. A glance at the freight expense. A glance at the freight expense. A glance at the freight tariffs abundantly prove this assertion. Cotton, the leading agricultural product of this State, already bears the highest freight rate of any necessary comodity in commerce, and the rate on agricultural products as a whole is out of proportion with its a curable disease, which requires treatment. The ORRINE treatment can be used with absolute confidence, it destroys all desire for whiskey, beer or other intoxicants. Can be given in the home. No sanitarium expense. No loss of time from work. Can be given secretly. If after a trial you fail to get any benefit from its use, your money will be refunded. ORRINE is prepared in two forms. No. 1. secret treatment, a powder to RINE is prepared in two forms. No. 1. secret treatment, a powder to RINE No. 2, in pill form, for those who desire to take voluntary treatment. Costs only \$1 a box. Come in and talk over the matter with us.

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Owned By Warring Nations Than Any Other

out from the headquarters of the Farmers' Union in this city today:

"It is the poncy of the Farmers' Union to meet every economic issue squarely, and it is the duty of the organization to promote and protect the interests of the men who follow the plow, and numbers, out of a total land surface of 51.500.000 square miles (expenses the control of the square of 51.500.000 square miles (expenses the control of the square miles (expenses the control of the carth must be classed as technically beligerent, says the London Daily Chronicle.

In round numbers, out of a total land surface of 51,500,000 square miles (explow, and we sail do so in every in surface of 51,500,000 square miles (ex-stance where the busines of the farmer cluding the unimhabitable regions in is vitally affected. The application for the Arctic and Anarctic.) 30,000,000 square filles is occupied by the eleven beligerent powers and about 1,000,000, 000 of the 1,860,000,000 human beings on earth are directly involved in the

Apportioning the area and popula-tion between the two opposing groups, it will be found that there is a vast prepanderence of both on the side of British and her allies, which own 27,-500,000 square miles and have about 840,000,000 people under their rule, 160,000,000 people to the credit of Ger-many, Austria-Hungary and Turkey. If the affected areas are analysed by continents, it will be found that in Europe 3,040,000 square miles out of a total area of 3,850,000 and 380,000,000

people out of 475,000,000-or nearly 80 er cent in both cases—are at war. In Asia the belligerent area amounts to 9,300,000 square miles (leaving out of account the interior of Arabia—a po-litical no man's land, of about a million square miles,) the total area of the continent being about 16,500,000 square miles. Hence over 56 per cent is at war. Of the population of Asia 475,000,000 out of 980,000,000—say 40 1-2 per cent—must be classed as belligerent.

South America occupies the happie

not advocate a reduction of wages as a solution of the present difficulty, but think the farmer is entitled to earn as much for his labor as any other class of industry.

"Perhaps the regulation of expenses in operating railroads and in constructing and manufacturing railroad equipment and supplies is not entirely within the jurisdiction of the railroad comfine the jurisdiction of the jurisd freight without disturbing the rates on staple farm products. This is one instance in which we do not relish a back to the soil movement and would like to see it confined as nearly as possible to the city limits.

What le a Fair Rate? "We do not know what constitutes basis for rate making and have never heard of anyone who did claim to know much about it, but if the prosperity resistance. The merchant, the manufacturer, the miner, the miller, the lumberman and the cattlemen have had their traffic bureaus thoroughly or anised, and in many instances they have pursued the railroad without mercy and with the power of organized tonnage they have hammered the life out of the rates and with unrelated to the rate on hogs remain life out of the rates and with unrelated to the rate on meat as at present and the rate on meat strained greed they have eaten the bear the increases, for any farmer can vitals out of our transportation system and since we have had railroad own meat, and a farmer who will not commissions, these interests, with skill try to raise his own meat ought to be earing in which their business is in and brick can much better bear an increase than the cotton and flour. We would prefer that the rate on plows recommission, carefully preserving their main the same, and machinery, planes interests. cannot hope to possess bear the bur-den of increase.

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VILLA ORDERS RETURN OF PROPERTY TO AMERICANS

By Associated Press.
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appeals on the application of exparte Percy McDowell or Landham through his parents, Al Landham and easons, in a new play entitled "The wife, for a writ of habeas corpus to Beauty Shop," a musical comedy that obtain the release of the boy from the training school at Gatesville, the boy being only thitreen years of age. Attorneys for the relator Mays & Mays of Fort Worth declare that the law attempts to regulate boys at al-

> to legislate the mud off a boy's feet and the freckles off his face." alleged the boy was given not less than two years in the reformatory by court in Bastrop county without first ascertaining whether or not his parents were able to take care of him. The court has set the matter for hearing next Wednesday.

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GERMANY PLEASED WITH ITALIAN DECLARATION

der Intention to Take Hand in Paliti cal Readjustment of

Berlin, Dec. 5.—Commenting on the declaration of Premier Salandra in Italian Chamber of Deputies today (Friday) a Berlin newspaper says that Italy's attitude in reserving for herself the right to take a hand in the political readjustment of Europe so far as her own interests are involved should make a great impres-

sion in Europe

"Premier Salandra made it clear," said the newspaper, "that Italy's neutrality is self-imposed and voluntary on her part. For this reason. Italy has reserved the right to act ndependently should developments threaten her position as a world power through intended territorial gains then her policy of aloofness maintained up to the present time would no

"For the friends and Italy," the newspaper continues, "this announcement comes as no surprise. The Salandra attitude is sure to have the support of a majority of the Italian parliament for this national patriotic policy. The allies realize fully that the Italian Kingdom should be excluded from any European set-

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OR a nice box of Silk Hose—a large range of colors and prices, including the new shaded hose. Fownes celebrated Kid Gloves in all colors, short or 16-button length.

IN THE SPHERE OF WOMANKIND

One of the most enjoyable affairs ABILENE VISITOR HONORED of the season was the supper dance given by the girls Thursday evening at the Elk's Club, complimenting the young men. Small tables were placed along the sides of the ball room where supper was served. On each table was a candle the holder ornathe supper service the lights were turned out and the candles lit, the pretty effect. The menu consisted Dobson's hospitality were: Mesdames of sandwiches, olives, potato chips. not chocolate and mints. The especially designed booklet programs were in the Elk colors, favored by the Pickett. girls as their color scheme and bore on the cover the occasion and date, ilso "The Girls Honoring the Boys." Sixteen dances and four extras were marked, the girls filling out the programs. The grand march was led by Miss Genevieve Carver with Linn Boyd and Mr. and Mrs. Natt Wagner Special music was furnished by Katz Orchestra and a feature of the evening was the demonstration of the newest ballroom steps by Miss Ussery who is teaching dancing at the Elks Club with Mr. Gober as her partner. A list of these enjoying this extreme y delightful affair as the guests of young ladies includes: Messrs and Mesdames Natt Wagner, Abe Marcus, Morris Marcus, Loeb, Jones, Wade Walker, Mark Walker, Bessey, Cessel, O'Donahue, Earl Clayton, Mcregor, Reese, Artley, Fred Weeks larry Weeks, Piner Avis, Brainard of Electra, A. E. Myles, G. D. Anderson, Greenwood, Woodruff, Gardner, Strib Moore, Mesdames Reid, Fenton. Carver, and Orth, Misses Genevieve arver, Ann Carrigan, Lillian Avis. Lillian McGregor, Juia Calllicut, Eddie Carver, Agnes Reid, Mabel Simpson, Orveta Wyatt, Mary Orth, Flor-ence Sammons, Ussery, Kathryn Hindman, Janie Roseborough, Alice Burnside, Messrs. Fain, E. Fain, Thom as, Griffin, Linn Boyd, Merrill Blair McGregor, Bonner, Brown, Woodruff, Hickman, McMahon, Baum, Burns Avis, Barnard, Wilson, James of Electra, Sullivan, Humphreys, Swift,

Gober and King MISS THOMPSON HOSTESS TO

PATHFINDER CLUB FRIDAY Miss Tempie Thompson was hos ess to the Pathfinder Club Friday afternoon at the home of her aunt. Anderson. Roll call was study has been dispensed with until after the holidays. Needlework was the diversion of the afternoon and a vocal selection by Miss Hazel Hunter was much enjoyed. The hostess served a tempting luncheon course in the afternoon. The guests were: Miss Abbie Thompson and Mrs. F. M. Kell, club members present being Misses Burnside, Simmons Hazel Hunter, Delia Stone, Nina Barwise, Tula Stokes, Grace Nolen, En ma Smith, Mesdames Burnside and Beckman and the hostess. The club will meet next Friday with Mrs. Burnside at which time it will be their pleasure to hear a talk on ar by Mrs. Darnell.

MESSRS. McMAHON AND MILLSAPS HOSTS AT DINNER

Thursday evening Messrs, Millsaps and McMahon were hosts to a number of friends at dinner at the home of Mrs. H. L. Baker. Mr. Millsaps was absent, being ill at Mineral Wells and this was the only untow ard feature of the otherwise perfect occasion. Carnations were the favored flowers and the color scheme of pink, white and green was derived rom the tint of the flowers and foli Baskets of pink and white carnations centered each of the three anquet boards and dainty miniature carnation cups held salted almonds at each cover. The places were mark ed by dainty place cards in the pre vailing color motif and a sumptuot six course dinner was served. string orchestra dispensed sweet music for the diners and at a later hour the Wichita Quartette favored with a number of selections. The guests enjoying the delightful hospitality of Mr. McMahon and Mr. Millsaps were: Messrs. and Mesdames Frank Culf nan, T. P. Adams, Mack Thomas, O'Donahue, Earl Clayton, Everett Jones, Mesdames Lowenstein, Fred Harrington, Fitzhugh, Baker, Misse Janie Roseborough, Stonecipher, Kath leen Stonecipher, Dr. Mackechney Messrs. Hill, Wright, Van Voy and Murchison.

LUNCHEON FOR MRS. HUFF OF DALLAS THURSDAY

One of the delightful social affairs of the week was the progressive luncheon given Thursday by Mrs. M. L. Reid and Mrs. T. T. Reese honoring Mrs. Charles Huff of Dallas. The luncheon tables were set tete a tete and were very pretty with their centerpieces of carnations and ferns The usual dainty place cards were noticed and tiny cups in the carnation tints were filled with salted nuts. For the honoree's souvenir of the occasion was a corsage cluster of the fragrant flowers repeating the floral motif. The guests included the honoree, Mrs. Huff, Mesdames Noble, Snider, Guest, Anderson, G. D. Anderson, McGregor, Carrigan, R.

DANCE COMPLIMENTING YOUNG | E. Huff, Wade Walker, Kell, Lang-MEN THURSDAY EVENING ford, Addickes, Donald and Gray.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON

Mrss. George Dobson entertained informally Thursday afternoon in honor of Mrs. J. B. Pickett of Abilene, inviting several friends to spend the afternoon. Crocheting and conmented with purple ribbon and during versation were the chief diversions enjoyed and the hostess served delicious jello with nuts, hot chocolate soft candle glow producing a very and wafers. Those enjoying Mrs. Shoemaker, Neal, Walsh, Reeves, Jaden, Schafer, Misses Hayden and Mary Lee Dobson, the honoree, Mrs.

MRS. W. J. GRISHAM ENTER. TAINS TUESDAY EVENING + Complimenting Mrs. S. C. Turner of Waxahachie, who has been her guest for a fortnight, Mrs. W. J. Grisham entertained Tuesday evening at forty-two. The rooms in which the tables for the game were placed were made especially attractive by the lavish use of carnations and roses, mingled with the favored fall flowers, chrysanthemums. A number of interesting series of the chosen game were played and at a late hour a delicious refreshment course of a salad with the usual accompaniments, ice cream, fruit cake, coffee and nuts was served. During the service of refreshments music by the string orchestra was enjoyed. The guests assembling to honor Mrs. Turner in-cluded: Messrs. and Mesdames R. O. Harvey, Perton Gwynn, Wade Walker, Bolding, E. P. Greenwood, Frank Griffin, T. P. Adams, Mack Thomas. T. T. Reese, T. B. Noble, Daniels, Jones, Strib Moore, Cullinan, Hartsook, Mesdames Langford, Lowenstein of Houston, Miss Roseborough of Marshall and Mr. McMahon.

KEWPIE CLUB ORGANIZED LAST FRIDAY AFTERNOON

Friday afternoon at the home of Miss Lilly Fowler the Kewpie Club was formed, the members being girls of ten to twelve years. The girls will sew, having that as their object primarily and will also enjoy a short musical program at each meeting. Thelma Taylor was elected president, Sadle Addickes, vice president, Lenore Thompson, secretary, and Marie Berry, treasurer. The following program was arranged for the next Duet, Sadie Sadie Addickes: dickes and Marie Berry; piano solo Thelma Taylor; violin number, Cecelia Addickes. At the conclusion of the meeting the hostess served refresrments of banana ice cream and cake. Those present were: Misses Marie Berry, Sadie Addickes, Thelma Taylor, Lenore Thompson, Pauline Taylor and the hostess.

D. O. D.'s MEET WITH

MISS STAYTON FRIDAY Miss Celia Stayton was hostess to Friday afternoon. After spending a very pleasant afternoon engaged in fancywork with occasional musical selections by various of the members, all enjoyed a delicious luncheon of sandwiches, olives, potato chips, cake and tea. Those present were: Misses Daisy Stewart, Lillian Bell, Beryl Bruce Greenwood. Mrs. A. H. Car-Murph, Carrie Romig, Mrs. Berry and

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS

HONORS BRIDE FRIDAY At the home of Miss Irma Wheeler on Friday afternoon the members of Mrs. Grey's Bible school class entertained with a shower for Mrs. Martin, a bride of a few weeks and a member of the class. The calss colors of gold and purple were lavishly used in the decorations. Little Sibyl Hancock as Cupid's messenger pre sented a wagon load of beautiful and useful gifts to the honoree. Delicious reireshments of chocolate and cake were served to the following guests: Mrs. Martin, the honoree, Ruby McDonald, Carrie Moore, Audrey Thompson, Nellie Carter, Kathrine Bartle, Ruth Heath, Florence Forgay Willie and Bee Stewart, Nell Bonnie Bullock, Christine Hursh, Sudie Randolph, Mrs. Grey and Mrs.

MAGGIE PELTS ENTERTAINS POLLY ANNAS SATURDAY

The Polly Annas Club met Friday afternoon with Miss Maggle Pelts. The club is preparing a box for the orphans home as a Christmas gift and this formed the occupation for the entire afternoon. The hostess' mother, Mrs. Cummings, served a delic ious refreshment course of hot choco late with whipped cream, angel food cake and nabisco wafers to the following: Misses Cora Coons, Audrey Ferguson, Grayce Shamburger, Maggie Pelts, Inez Lancaster, Hortense Horton, Zula Mae Simonton.

MRS. FERGUSON ENTERTAINS FOR MRS. M. M. MURRAY

SOCIAL CALENDAR FOR THE COMING WEEK.

Monday, Dec. 6-The Ladies Aid of the First Presbyterian Chargh will hold a short sesn, preceding the meeting of the Missionary Society. The Guild of the Good Shepherd will meet at the rectory. The Westminister Guild will meet t the First Bresayterian Church. The C. W. B. M. will meet at the First Christian Church at 2:30. The Woman's Alliance of the First Baptist Church will hold a missionary program. Monthly business meeting of the ladies of the M. E. Church, South.

Tuesday, Dec. 7-The New Bridge Club will meet with Mrs. Nat Inge. Miss Lillian McGregor will be hostess to the Little Sisters. The Standard Club will meet with Mrs. N. M. Clifford. Miss Opal Shaver will be hostess to the B. O. P.'s. The Art Literature Club meet with Mrs. Kerr. will Miss Agnes Reid has issued invitations for a progressive seven o'clock dinner.

Wednesday, Dec. 8-Miss Avis will be hostess to the Delphian Society. The Modern Crochet Club will meet with Mrs. C. S. Mudd. Mrs. L. W. Newton, 1618 Eleventh street will entertain the New Idea Club. The New Century Club meets with Mrs. W. W. Silk. The Old Maids meet with Miss Genevieve Carver. Mrs. Frazier will entertain the

Monroe Sewing Circle. Thursday, Dec. 9-Thursday Forty-two Club will meet with Mrs. R. E. Huff. The 500 Bridge Club will meet with Mrs. Frank Blair. Mrs. T. E. Dobson will entertain the Mayflower 42 Club. The Thursday Sewing Circle will meet with Mrs. C. B. Montgomery. The Wichita Travel Club will meet in morning session with Mrs. J. L. McKee. Choral Department of the Musician's Club meets at 2:45 for practice. Kryl and Company Lyceum attraction will appear at the

high school auditorium. Friday, Dec. 10-The Kewpie Club will meet with Miss Sadie Addickes. Miss Annette Coffield will be hostess to the D. O. D,'s. Mrs. Burnside will entertain the Pathfinder Club. Austin Mothers Club will hold a social meeting at the school. Unity Club members entertain their husbands at dinner at the home of Mrs. A. H. Carrigan. Saturday, Dec. 11—Young Woman's Guild of the Episcopal Church will meet at the

H. A. Allen Robert Thorburn, Stimp son, Lyons, Sanders, E. L. Smith and Mrs. Merrill.

UNITY CLUBSENTERTAINS FOR NEW ORGANIZATION

The Unity Club kept open hous

Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs

J. A. Kemp, having as their guests the new clubs, the Standard Club he regular session of the D. O. D.'s Wichita Travel Club and the Delphian Society. These clubs were organized through the Unity Club which feels a deep interest in them. A few well chosen words of we ome were spoken by Mrs. Newton Maer, president of the Unity Club followed by a violin number by Mrs. rigan sang the "Cradle Song," giving for an encore "Play the Game of For the entertain-Make Believe." ment of the guests a seriesof tableau vivants had been arranged, fifteen innumber, each to represent the title of a book. The children of the Unity Club took part in these tableaus which were staged on the broad stairway and some very presty pictures were arranged with the following children as actors: Kemp Maer, Pierce Langford, Elizabeth Miller, Virginia Robertson, Elizabeth Carrigan, Flora Bruce and Arch Greenwood, Marietta Hunt. Cards were passed and fo the perfect tally in guessing the title of books represented the trophy, book went to Miss Minnie Young. O the conclusion of this contest the guests were invited into the dining room. Here the club colors, pir and white and the club flower, carna tions were very much in evidence the flowers being used in vases abou the room and to center the attractive tea table. Mrs. Darnell and Mrs Maer presided at the tea urns at op posite sides of the table and a delic ious salad course was served. The affair was a most enjoyable one for both the hostesses and their guests ROWENA CIRCLE MEETS WITH

The Rowena Circle met in regular ession Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. E. L. Richardson. The usual short business session was held and the lesson study taken up. Miss Carlton gave a sketch of Ivanhoe brief but comprehensive and the so cial hour followed, during which time all engaged in pleasant conversation The hostess served a delightful refreshment course in the dining room which was prettily decorated in tertained very informally Friday evening. Dancing was indulged in and Five Hundred was also played. The hostess served a tempting salad course to the following: Mrs. Murray course to the following: Mrs. Murray, not chocolate. The pleasure in this the honoree, Messrs. and Mesdames meeting was somewhat tempered with

MRS. RICHARDSON

sadness and regret that the hostess. whom all have grown to love so in this congenial circle must leave to make her home in another state and this meeting came in the nature of a farewell. were: Mesdames Robertson, Deather age, Dunaway, Ryan, Wallace, Brooks, Watson, Hallowitz, Laggett, Decker, Renfro, Shuler, Jenne, Zetzsche, Randall, South, Misses Parker, Carlton and Johnson and the hostess. Mrs Richardson. The circle will meet next on Dec. 16 with Mrs. Renfro, 710

MRS. McDOWELL HOSTESS TO THURSDAY SEWING CIRCLE

Scott.

The Thursday Sewing Circle in their regular meeting Thursday afternoon varied somewhat from their usual program. The usual needle-work accompanied each member but on arriving they found that the hostess, Mrs. McDowell had provided other diversions. A large comfort was ready to be tacked and soon all were busy at the task. The comfort was the combined gift of the Wesley Girls who furnished the material and the sewing circle who completed it to an invalid as a Christmas token in a way. Later in the afternoon a de licious salad was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Silk to the following members: Mesdames Huggins, Murph. Montgomery, Gardner, Bell, Waggoner, Pressley and Miss

MRS. SEHMAN HOSTESS TO MONROE SEWING CLUB

Mrs. F. Sehman was hostess to the Monroe Sewing Circle Wednesday ifternoon. Several hours were spent the usual pleasant manner by the lub members, who were busily occupied with their Christmas sewing. The hostess served a delicious salad course ollowed by a dessert, to the following: Mesdames J. T. Williams, McConnell, Bradshaw, Frazier, Faulks, Taylor, Chauncey, Brody, Miner and Miss kurzman.

Mrs. M. M. Murray of Galveston,

The regular monthly business meetng of the Missionary Society of the M. E. Church, South, will be held Monday afternoon. Election of officers will be held and it is of vital importance that every member be present. Devotional will be led by Mrs. J. T. Fleming.

The Thursday Forty-two Club will neet with Mrs. R. E. Huff. Members. are requested to come at 7:45 as several business matters must be at tended to.

The Christian Woman's Board of Missions will hold it's regular monthly meeting Monday afternoon at 2:30 at the First Christian Church. All ladies of the church are extended a invitation

Bohumir Kryl and Company, the world famous cornetist with his two daughters will appear at the high school auditorium the night of Thursday, Dec. 10. Kryl is one of the strongest numbers on the lyceum course and is expected to prove a

great attraction. A social meeting of the Austin Mother's Club will be held Friday fternoon at the Austin school. All nothers who have children attendng this school are extended a most ordial invitation to be present.

Mrs. C. C. Huff returns tonight to er home in Dallas, after a visit with friends and relatives here.

The members of the senior class of the high school made up a box party at the performance of "A Proessor's Predicament" Friday night at the Wichita Theatre. The members of the junior and sophmore class also made up a theatre party to attend this initial performance of the High School Dramatic Club.

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BOMBARDMENT OF ANTWERP DESCRIBED

MRS. R. T. BOLYN GETS LETTER ONE DIVORCE SUIT TO EVERY FROM COUSIN IN BELGIAN CAPITAL

TWO MARRIAGE LICENSES

ROADS BLACK WITH REFUGEES 150 ARE SEEKING DIVORCE

People Treated Better By Germans, However, Than They Had Expected To Be

The experiences of an Antwerp family during the siege of the Belgium capital by the Germans are interestingly told in a letter from Mrs. Louise Von Rossum, a cousin of Mrs R. T. Bolyn of this city. The letter which bears the date of November

"My Dear Cousin: No doubt you we lived during this awful bombardment. When it was announced the and fled; our entire family, however. remain in this city and we found refuge in our cellar. I, with my servant, left home to go to my daughter at 2 o'clock in the morning amid direful rumbling of cannon and surrounded by danger. The first thing that my eyes beheld when I got into the street at that hour was the crumbling of one of the largest build ings of the city, brought about by the German guns. On arriving at Marguerite's house, we looked through the roof window over the town and saw mountains of smoke and fire which could not be extinguished on account of the destruction of the water pipes-whole blocks were burned

"My brother's two boys are at the front and now as we are cut off from all communication with the outer world we know nothing of their fate and the suspense is weighing heavily on their parents. My sister's daugh ter, Mrs. Rhinemund and little daughter have taken refuge in London where she has been received into to them every courtesy and hospital wealthy English family who extend ity, refusing to accept pay. It is estimated that over 300,000 people fled from this city the last moment to Holland, the roads were black with refugees—some walking, some in au tos some in dog carts, some in wheelbarrows; mothers with children on their arms; some with their cows and sheep, and so crowded were the roads that if one feil that was the last of

"Several hundred children were born on the road and many old peo-ple died before they reached Holland When the Germans had won the victory they entered the city to the strains of triumphal music and sing-ing, but when they beheld the ghastly result of taeir work they stopped "People are slowly returning now

to their homes, but provisions are sc. scarce that they are afraid to remain. We, however, have enough stored in will admit that our treatment at the hands of the Germans has been far better than we had any reason to expect. We are cut off from all news except such as the Germans choose to give us and we can send letters on through some one in Holland.

"The American consul has done very effective work here and it was through his courtesy that I was enabled to send a telegram to my son in New York. My sister, Cornelia who was summering in Switzerland at the beginning of the war, has not returned and we hear by indirect means, she is now at a bathing resort in Germany.

"What will the end be? Beautiful Belgium with her magnificent cities, castles and art treasures, I is a harrowing scene but what could our little country do against such powerful odds. Please write as soon as possible to the address enclosed

"LOUISE VON ROSSUM."

THOMASON RECOVERING FROM BULLET WOUND

Hip a Week Ago While Standing at A Busy Cor-

G. J. Thomason, the real estate man was able to be out Friday for the first time since he was hit by r stray bullet Saturday afternoon. The wound is still very painful and it will be several weeks before Mr. Thoma son can walk without a limp. The accident happened a week ago Saturday. Mr. Thomason was standing in front of the National Bank of Comnerce talking to a man and had his back to the street. Suddenly he fel: something strike him on the hip followed by a stinging sensation. He turned his back to the man with whom he was talking to have the lat ter look for any missile that had struck him but his companion saw no mark. Later Mr. Thomason walkhome and still feeling the stinging sensation he made an investigation finding a bullet hole in his hip. A physician was called and probed the wound but the bullet was not located. It had struck the hip bone and had evidently been deflected

downward. It is believed the builet came from the direction of the flat district but how far it had come there was no way that could be told. No report of a shot was heard. Mr. Thomason reported the matter to the sheriff's department which investigated but so far has been unable to find definite clews.

MARRIAGE A TWO

RECORD HERE

201 Marriage Licenses and 101 Divorce Suits Since June 1-Court

ried in Wichita county will appeal to the courts to dissolve the marital tie, if the ratio of marriage licenses issued to the divorce suits filed is of significance. Since June 1 of this year 201 marriage licenses have been issued by the county clerk. During are anxious to hear from us and how the same period 101 divorce suits have been filed. This, however, will not include all the divorce suits on town would be bombarded most all the docket for the coming term in citizens became panic stricken the district court. Forty-nine cases fled; our entire family, however, were carried over from the last term making 150 on the docket.

An examination, it is expected. would show that a great majority of those seeking divorce are persons who were married at other places and have moved here. At the same time a large number of marriage Hcenses are issued here to couple from Oklahoma and other points who

to not reside here after marriage. The December term of the Wich-ita county district court will open tomorrow morning with 417 cases on tne docket, a number of which were carried over from previous terms. The grand jury is called to meet at 1:30 p. m. Those drawn for the grand jury are: J. T. Boyd, W. L. Browning, J. R. Brewer, W. H. Cousins, J. D. Cooper, W. A. Freear, Ed Friberg, H. G. Karrenbook, W. C. Myers, T. W. Roberts, D. E. Thom 18, J. B. Heath, Bob Cook, J. S. Brid well, W. P. Billingsly and J. A. Fish-

BROTHERS WILL

mprovements at Plant Being Rush ed To An Early Comple-

The opening of Ball Brothers ja actory will take place very shortly, probably before another two weeks have passed. Completion of the improvements which have been under way for some time past was being usbed at the plant during the week and it will not be long before this lant will be turning out jars again. In installing the improved mathinery, it was necessary to make a number of changes which required onsiderable nent makes for economy in operation, requiring five men to do the vork that eight were formerly need ed for, but this reduction in force will e offset by the additional help required to handle the increased amount

f finished product. Two jar making machines have been installed. These have a numer of "heads" which pull the melter sand out of the furnace tank and shape and blow it into jars, almost automatically. With the machinery formerly in use an operator was re juired to handle the machine for each peration on each jar, but the improved machine makes the process argely automatic

A great many jars of last season make are still in the warehouse and t is estimated that the warehouses will be full again after the plant has been running about three months By that time, however, the shipments next season should begin, ac to Superintendent T. cording

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ELKS LODGE OF SORROW WILL BE HELD TODAY

Memory of Departed Brothers Will Be Recalled at Service This Afternoon

Elks in this city and throughout the United States will this afternoon observe the annual memorial day of the order and observance here will take the form of exercises at Wichita Theatre. The program for these exercises has been previously published in The Times. It includes a memorial address by A. H. Britals, eulogies on departed members

appropriate music The first Sunday in December is observed each year by Elks lodges wherever they are found, as an oc casion upon which tribute is paid to members who have died during the ast year. Two members of the local lodge have died during the past year Alex Kahn and L. H. Mathis.

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We will offer while it lasts about 300 yards of oil cloth—the best, either in plain white or fancy—sold everywhere at 20c and 25c the yard, Bankrupt sale 10c 5 yards to a customer. None sold to merchants.

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morning. The sale will start at.

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See this \$4.00 Bargain Window

Today.

The Success Of A Sale Is In The ValuesOffered Our \$4.00 Window and our \$18.50 Dia nond window of last Monday were the

most successful value giving sales ever carried to a successful conclusion in Wichita Falls. We are going to duplicate that success tomorrow by offering bargains just as good, if not better, as were offered last week. If you were here last Monday, come again, if you did not come, don't miss this sale, it is probably the best opportunity you will have to buy Christmas gifts at very much less than their actual value.

Cut Glass Is a Feature

In the selection this week we have placed many of the finest pieces of Pearpont Cut Glass, selling regularly up to \$18.00, the line includes cut glass vases, bowls, toilet bottles, nappies, fruit dishes, cake plates, cream and sugar sets and one beautiful seven piece water set. We also offer silver candlesticks, silver vases, ivory toilet sets, gold handle umbrellas, silver mounted tea pot, genuine Sheffield silver spoons, seven beautiful cameo rings regular value \$12.00, one beautiful massive mantle clock value \$17.50, several solid gold la valliers set with stones, solid gold rings, bracelets, brooches, etc., and not a single article in the entire lot of a value less than \$8.00, and from that up to \$18.00. Every article in this entire selection is suitable for a Christmas gift and you make a serious mistake if you do not attend this sale Monday and buy all you can. Our guarantee as to merit and value goes with each article sold.

The Finale of Value Giving Is Reached In These Two Window Sales Monday

Diamonds Set in Rings, La Vallieres, Brooches, Cuff Links, Ear Screws, Values From \$30.00, \$40.00, \$50.00 and up to \$65.00 for \$18.50

Genuine Diamond La Vallieres, solid gold mountings, values up to \$45 00

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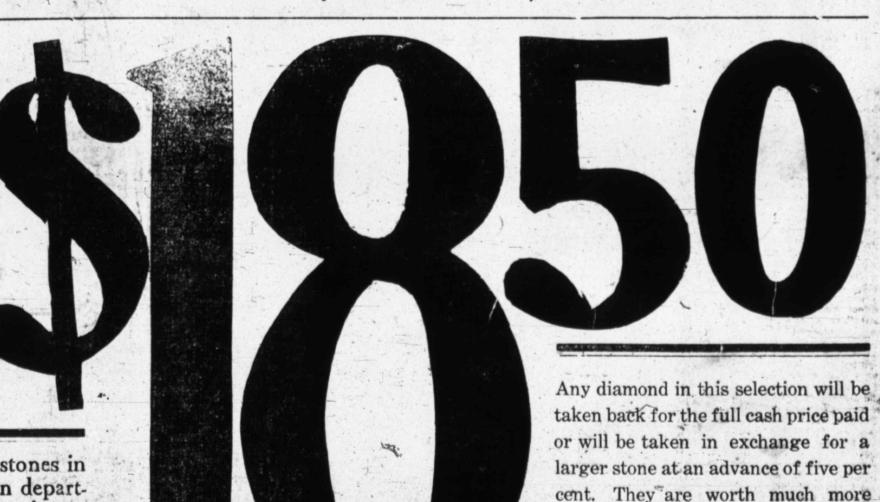
Gentlemen's rings set with fine white diamonds, plain and fancy solid gold mountings, values up to \$60 00

Gentlemen's Studs in solid gold mountings, values up to \$50

Ladies' Ear Screws, beautiful white stones in good sizes and

Diamond stick pins, diamond cuff links, diamond brooches, diamond charms, in values ranging from \$30.00 to \$55.00 and \$60.00. You will miss one of the greatest diamond bargain events of the Christmas season if you do not attend this sale Monday.

We carry the argest line of Diamonds and precious stones in the city. Many of them come to us through our loan department, and we are therefore able to give our customers advantage of the very lowest prices. If any buyers wish larger stones. than any of those shown in our \$18.50 collection we can offer. some very extraordinary bargains in gems of all sizes.



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AN DUTLINE OF COTTON LOAN PLAN

MR. KEMP GIVES INFORMATION TO STATE WAREHOUSE EXAMINER

MONTHS AT SIX PER CENT

Loans Will Be Made On Basis of Six Cents—Detailed Statement Monday

T. S. Miller of Austin, state warehouse examiner, was in the city yes-terday, being in this section of the State inspecting a number of warehouses which were built under the law passed at the special session.

Mr. Miller said he had received a
number of inquiries on his trips about the cotton loan plan recently consummated and he called upon J. A. Kemp for information regarding it. Mr. Kemp dictated the following statement of the matter:

"Replying to your inquiry concerning the handling of the proposed cot-ton loan known as the St. Louis pool' would say that I have not now before me the entire details of the plan which are being worked out, but it, is understood that this money is to be borrowed through the banks, based on cotton at six cents per pound, basis middling, at a rate of six per cent, the loans to mature in twelve months, with privilege of repayment at any time sooner than that date. The cotton will be the sole security. The banks will not be required to indorse the paper. There will be re-tained out of the loan three per cent. netting the borrower \$29.10 on one bale of cotton based on a 500 pound bale. This three per cent is retained to cover the actual expense of administering this fund and to cover any loss that might be sustained on the cotton itself which only the more strongly emphasizes the fact that our cotton should not be sold at less than eight cents. The banks making the how, as above stated, will not be required to indorse them. All of this three per cent will be returned to the borrowers except the actual amount required for expense of flandling the loans, provided of course there is no loss on the cotton; it is estimated by the board that oneeighth of one per cent will cover all expenses. The secretary of the treasury is going to require that all officers who administer this fund shall do so without charge.

"Mr. Henry D. Lindsley of Dallas is chairman of the committee in Texas and he will doubtless get out Monday a statement giving all the de-tails of how applications should be made. I shall be pleased to have you confer with me further if I can serve you in this matter. I would suggest that you correspond with Mr. Lindsley as he will no doubt be able to furnish you with complete information the early part of next week."

LESS COTTON MOVEMENT AMONG COTTLE FARMERS

Special to The Times. Paducah, Cottle County, Texas, Dec. 5.-The farmers of this county are preparing to organize their respective committees into what is known as the 'Plant Less Cotton" organization. For the past several months it has been suggested by some of the leading men of this county and the county press that the farmers plant less of the fleecy staple next year, but no steps were taken until recently to put the matter into the form of an organization or do anything other than suggesting that the farmers should reduce the acreage. If this organization is carried to success, which it will surely be, every farmer will sign a pledge to reduce the acreage of his cotton.

Leading citizens of each community have been appointed to call meetings to perfect the organization locally, and after this is done there will be a general assembly at Paducah for the purpose of completing the county or-ganization. The form of the pledge has been gotten out, which is a matter of putting a man on oath that he will do what he agrees to do. There is no specific amount in the form as to how much each man shall reduce his acreage, it being left up to him to decide, but each will be prevailed upon to reduce it at least one-half of the 1914

The farmers generally are realizing the necessity of taking steps of this kind, and, for most part, are very en-thusiastic over the proposition. Each seems to be willing to reduce his acreage, provided his neighbor will, and it will be the mission of this organization when completed to see that "his neigh-bor" signs up for a reduction. The Commercial Club at Paducah is

taking the matter up with other commercial clubs of this part of the State and Southwestern Oklahoma and pre-vailing on them to perfect a like or-ganization for their respective counties. The movement is one that can be spread to all parts of the South, and, if successful, will greatly aid in arighting the financial conditions that now exist and would exist if we should raise another large cotton crop.

What to do for a Bad Headache

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the man at the fountain to little of Hicks Capudine in water. This is so successremoves the cause of whether from heat, cold, ousness. You can also 25s and 50c bottles to



Genuine Cut Glass bowls, 8 inches in diameter, \$7.50 value, cut to \$1 95



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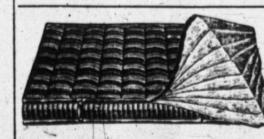
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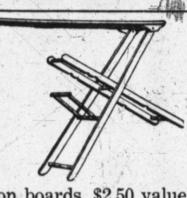
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Cotton mattress, \$7.50 value Royal Plush bottom for \$3 00



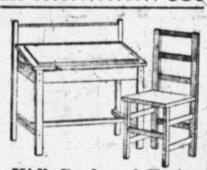
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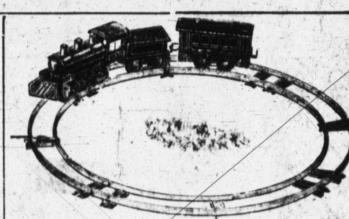
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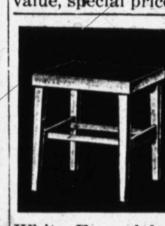
Child's Bed, \$10.00 value for \$3 95



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Kids' Cho Cho Trains Engine, tender, coach and track; \$1.50 value, special price 50c



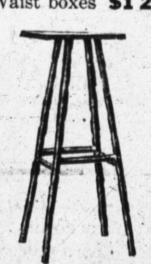


Bissell's Carpet Sweeper . . . **\$2 95** Kid's Doll Beds Just like cut, \$2.50



values on sale

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AT THE THEATERS

recent years will be at this theatre vented by Ensign Summers of the Wednesday night. On Friday Ray United States nevy. mond Hitchcock is coming in "The

Bought-and Paid For" is a powerful drama. It has been here before when pleased a large audience. "The Beauty Shopen is Teaturing Raymond, Hichcock is a Cohan and Harris pro duction and is a great big musical omedy. "The Wizard of Wiseland while carrying a smaller number of chorus girls is a bright and breezy musical comedy, Leing a roar from start to finish. It has been making big hit in other Texas towns wher. has been showing.

TREY O' HEARTS" AT THE MAJESTIC WEDNESDAY

Following their narrow escape from he train wreck on the bridge, Alan Rose and Barcus scurry off and lose themselves from the sight of those aboard Trine's special. in this venture they are aided by the fall

Meanwhile the freight train crew discover the less of the eatoese is a stop at a telegraph station report and receive instructions Here the presence of Judith aboard the train is discovered; she is booted off into the night, passing, in her man's clothing as a tramp.

Alan, Rose and Barcus emerge from the gulley onto a wagon road. With the hope of securing horses, they hall horseman named Hopi Jim, a half breed cattle rustler and general bad He is riding north to hold up the California Limited. Hopi directs the party to Mesa, a typical Western frontier town. Arriving here, Alan purchases three saddle horses and a trail outfit. They take lodgings in

When Trine's special arrives at the telegrah station the engine is un oupled; the Pullman is left. Judith omes aboard and goes into confer once with her father and Marrophat While this is going on Hopi Jim ap proaches and proceeds to hold up the party. Trine manages to secure his services as a guide in the proposed ursuit of Alan, Rose and Barcus, Ju dith expects to head this expedition out her dislike for Marrophat causes her to hesitate. However, Hopi se sures horses for the party and Judith s brought into the plan. Incidentally topi informs Trine of his meeting with Alan and his companions and o their intention of visiting Mesa Trine's party direct their march in his direction. While all this is de veloping, Hopi has been casting longing eyes toward Judith. Judith to exasperate Marrophat, encourages too

rine's party arrives at Mesa. Alar rears them coming and rouses Bar us and Rose. They steal down the back stairs and escape on their mounts. When Judith, Marrophat Hopi and Texas, the latter a friend of Hepl's, break in the door, they find they have drawn a blank. Rush ing out, they mount their hoses and give chase, As Alan's party enter the oothills, Rose's horse stumbles and falls; Rose is thrown to the ground. Alan, following behind, catches he from the ground and lifts her to his saddle without stopping. Judita: party, having gained on their victimopen fire. This is returned. Hopl's horse is dropped and his friend, Tex as, is shot from his saddle. The pur suers naturally pause. Alan, Rose and Barcus turn into a canyon and

Hopi, after he has secured another horse, suggests a short cut and a to annihilate the fugitives He leads them through the mountains e a trail which overhangs the trai which Alan and his party are follow ing. At the appropriate momenths boulder is to be rolled down on the fugitives. But Judith can't see Alar rushed to death; her love overrides She manages to warn Alan be fore it is too late. Alan, Rose and Barcus make a detour and go on Ju dith, in the meantime, parts company definitely from Marrophat and rider on alone. Hopi Jim, after relieving Marrophat of his valuables, pursue Judith. Marrophat returns afoot to Mesa to await Trine in his motor

Alan, Rose and Barcus, by dint o orced marches, penetrate-the moun tains to the desert beyond. Judith's rail has paralleled that of the fugi tives, but on higher ground. About daylight Hopi comes up with Juditl and attempts to kiss her. There is a terrific struggle. Alan sees it from below and recognizes Julith. Await ing his chance, Alan shoots and brings Hopi down. However, Hop has tied Judith to her horse; the horse bolts with Judith unable to prevent. Alan is horror stricken. He knows that Judith is his enemy, that he should hate and avoid her. the sight of her in such a perilous position, induced a conflict of emo tions difficult to explain. Should he go to her rescue? He turned to his They slept soundly.

PERILS OF PAULINE" AT THE EMPRESS WEDNESDAY

With the new episode of "The Perils of Pauline"—the eighteenthshown at the Empress Wednesday that popular Pathe star, Eleanor Woodruff again enters the story, Jack Standing, too, is much in evidence in this new episode, which is un-doubtedly the most thrilling of all dealing as it does with a timely sub-

WICHITA THEATRE HIS WEEK Panzer and Crane Wilbur are by no Three good shows in a bunch are deal of interest centers around Miss woodruff in the role of an internative week. "Bought and Paid For one tional spy, who is bent on securing in the role of an international spy, who is bent on securing in the packground, but a given and the packground, but a given in the packground in the pa biggest dramatic successes in the plans of a new submarine in

Miss Woodruff joins forces with Beauty Shop" and on Saturday the Owen (Paul Panzer) and they plan offering will be the "Wizard of Wise-fand." The latter will give an after while at the bottom of the sea, so noon matinee and a night perform that Owen may be successful in his ance. These three shows offer a variety who is aboard and that Mile. De that will make all of them pelasing Longeon may render the new inven-to the play going public here, tion useless to Americans and sell tion useless to Americans and sell own figure.

The plot, flendish as it is, comes near working out in a manner altogether favorable to the plans of the onspirators, but the gallant ensign conceives the plan of shooting Pauline out through the apertures intended to be only for torpedoes. She reaches the surface, where Harry is waiting for the reappearance of the submarine. They reach the shore with news of the submarine's prelicament and the boat is speedily resued. The spy is found out. The submarine lying at the bottom of the sea is said to be very clever piece of stagecraft. The surface scenes showing a real submarine are also

very good. We will soon learn the fate of the conspirator, however, as Pauline has ut two more episodes to run.

ALICE JOYCE AT THE GEM MONDAY IN "THE VIPER"

Alice Joyce plays the part of the nillionaire's daughter in this two part

drama. "The Viper," is Frank Crane, s clerk employed by Putnam, a million-Mary, the millionaire's daughter, falls in love with Crane and marries him despite her father's object The girl soon discovers her tions. husband to be a drunkard and a good ort nothing. Having lost heavily at the gaming table, Crane attempts to burglarize Putnam's safe. aught in the act by the butler. scaping from the man's clutche

rane slays the man. Mary is led to believe Crane dead. later she remarries. Crane, however, has fallen in with a band of smug-Learning their plans he at empts to betray them. The outlaws pursue the wretch with the intention of killing him. How Mary discovers that Crane is alive, and how the cur meets his just deserts before the very eyes of the wife he has victimized. bring this to a smashing climax.

NEW VAUDEVILLE BILL AT THE LYDIA MARGARET

The Lydia Margaret closed th week last week with a large attend ance while the attractions for the er proved to the patrons that some o the performers were capable of draw ing large salaries and really belong ed on the interstate circuit. booking for the coming week has been received and judging from same It is the cool of the dawn when the patrons will witness some more aigh class entertainments. The bill skits, the opening one being Harry Sylvester and Maida Vance in a

most original and clever comedy with songs, entitled "Get Out of My Thea tre," the first half of this week. This s without doubt one of the most gingery vehicles in vaudeville today and with its clean and wholesome omedy, will prove one of the best laugh producers ever seen, at the Lydia Margaret. Miss Maida Vance does not have to make the slightest oretence at it, she's clever and that's about as much as any woman can possibly be in the part she takes.

Bettina Bruce & Company present comedy sketch in one act entitled 'Cupid M. D." It tells a simple story of the length to which a young lady vill go that she may gain the affeclons of a young man she loves. In this case the young man is a doctor and the young lady in desperation over his departure for a distant city leigned sickness and called on her over to treat her. On his arrival a most flumorous scene is witnessed as ie attempts to prescribe for her supposed illness. Having been in the louse earlier in the day he knew of er plot and in treating her ease prought out some very amusing in-

idents. The photoplays for Monday preent some of the most noted stars. King Baggot with Arline Pretty in The Turn of the Tide," a two reel story of the sea. A Sterling Juen le

WUCH FUN IS PROMISED WHEN "BEAUTY SHOP" COMES

According to the ever truthful press gent, gloom will go a glimmering when Raymond Hitchcock appears at he Wichita Theatre next Friday light. Mr. Hitchcock is to be pre ented here by Cohan and Harris, who have handled the destiny of this star for the past seven seasons, in a new play entitled "The Beauty Shop" a musical comedy that is guaranteed to annihilate melancholy if the prescriptions of Dr. Arbutus Budd (Hitchcock's role in the piece) are arefully taken.

"The Beauty Shop" is really one of the most enjoyable entertainments in which this inimitable comedian has ever appeared. Its book and 'yries by the same authors who wrote 'The Red Widow" sparkle with wit, et tell a coherent story that is developed in a sane and legitimate way while its musical score appeals by reason of the whistly melodies and haunting harmonies upon which it has been mounted. As Dr. Arbutus Budd, a unique type of the modern New York beauty specialist, whose sympa-'hetic susceptibilities are played upon by the fascinations of fashionable

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Grand Benefit Concert

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Wichita Falls Choral Society

TUESDAY, DEC. 8th

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AT THE CHURCHES

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All the regular services at the usual lours. Sunday school 9:45. Classes for all ages and fine average attend-The Baraca class will meet in the pastor's study during the winter months. Epworth League at 6:30. There were thirty young people present last Sunday evening and still there s room. We will gladly welcome any young people who are not affiliated with other young people's associa-tions. Preaching in the morning at in the evening at 7:30. Subect for the morning will be the fourth in the series on the religion of childhood, "The Instinctive and Intelligent of the Sunday school are requested Periods." Following this series of series of meet at 9:30 Saturday to practice observe as Communion Day and the body is cordially invited to worship pastor will be glad to baptize any who with us. nay desire and especially the children religious parents. If you wish to resent your children for baptism on hat day please communicate with the ermon will be, "Patchwork Religion." not be in a hurry to leave after disissal. Your presence is worth while.

Christian Church. December 6, 1914. Evening program, :00 o'clock. Christian Woman's Board Missions in charge. Organ Prelude Mrs. R. E. Strange; Hymn 360, "Hark he Voice of Jesus Calling," audience; Scripture reading (Isa. 35.) by our resident, Mrs. J. L. Downing; Hymn 402, "Oh Where are the Reapers," udience; Prayer, Mrs. T. F. Courtney Song, by the Juniors and Intermedi ites; The Call of Our Day, Mrs. F. F. Walters; Solo, Miss Agnew; What We Could Do: In India, Mrs. Ola Hamn-In Jamica and Porto Rico, Mrs L. Miller-In Africa, Mrs. R. F. ewart-For American Student Life Mrs. T. T. Reese-For China, Mrs. Iris Hancock-For the Negro and the Indian, Mrs. E. Kilander-For Our Mountain Schools, Mrs. Oren Karr-For Our Cities, Mrs. W. J. Buliock Quartet, "When the Lord Shall Call his Own," Mrs. W. R. Duke, Mrs. Ola do not command lamlin, Mrs. F. B. Grey, Mrs. J. W. g; Offering; Doxology; National Benediction by all, (Psalms 67:1-2,) us; and cause his face to shine upon That we may be known upon the earth, and thy saving health among Bible school 9:30. F. Walters will give an address conerning C. W. B. M. work at 10:40. 00 Sunday afternoon.

Central Presbyterian Church. Corner Eleventh and Bluff Streets.) Preaching 11 o'clock a. m. and 7:30 day. Dr. Reed and Rev. F. L. McFadhave charge of this department you are not attending services else where we invite you to worship with

FRED L. McFADDEN, Pastor.

First Evangelical Church. Corner Fifteenth and Broad Sts.) Sunday school at 10 a. m. German reaching service at 11 a. m. English preaching at 8 p. m. Celebration of the Lord's Super at both services, con ducted by Brother J. Wellner, P. E. Y. P. A. meeting at 7 p. m. All are cordially invited to atend these ser-

C. ERMEL, Pastor.

Fourth Street Baptist Church. There will be held the usual service Fourth Street Baptist Church Preaching morning and evening by the pastor. Sunday school-L. H. Law ler, superintendent-at 9:45. While we have a good school, we also want Sunbeam Band at 3 p B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m. Woman's liance Monday 3 p. m. Prayer meetng and monthly business meeting Tuesday 7:30 p. m. A cordial inviation to these services.

First Baptist Church. (Roscoe C. Miller, Pastor.) We are expecting to make Sunday great day by your help. The Bible meet at 9:30. Every acher is expected to be in his or her place on time. The school is growing and we want to make it all it ought to be. At 11 Rev. J. P. Boone, a for-mer pastor, will preach. The present pastor hopes that every member will be there to greet Brother Boone. Bring your friends with you. Sun-beams at the church at 3, and the Walnut Street Misison at 3. B. Y. P. 6:30. Preaching at 7:30 as usual Woman's Alliance Monday at 3 p. m. at the church and every lady in the church is requested to be there. Prayer and business meting Wednes-day evening. Class in New Testament history following. After the preaching services Sunday evening the hand of fellowship wil be given to all the w members who have joined the church the past month; come and meet them and get acquainted with them. There are some great things being planned for the church in the near future. Come and hear what

W. L. Robertson. Sunday School Superintendent. BARRON, Church Clerk.

Christian Science. Services are held in the church edifice, corner Ninth and Lamar, as follows: Lesson-sermon Sunday at 11 a. m.; subject, "God, the Only Cause and Crentor." Sunday school at 9:45. Testimonial meeting Wednesday at 8 States to stay during the decade be of the United States and their children.

First Methodist Episcopal Church. | public is cordially invited to attend the services and visit the reading

> The Church of Christ, on Bluff street, between Eleventh and Twelfth: Bible school at 9:30. Lord's Day worship, 11. A very cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend these

Lutheran Church (Mo. Synod.) (Corner Eleventh and Holliday Sts. Sunday school, German and English classes, at 9 a. m. Bible class at 9:45 German morning worship at 10:30 a. m. Ladies Aid Society will meet at 2:30 p. m. All the children nons, Sunday, December 20, we will for the Christmas program. Every

C. M. BEYER, Pastor.

First Presbyterian Church. (Corner Tenth and Bluff Sts.) Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Morning worship 11 a. m. Evening worship Matt. 9:16.) A cordial invitation is ex- 7:30 p. m. Monday 2 p. m., call meet ended to all. We apreciate the pres- ing of the Ladies Aid Society. Monence of a number of strangers lately day 3 p. m., Woman's Missionary So nd wish that you would tarry long ciety meeting. Monday 3 p. m., West enough to get acquainted. Please do minster Guild. Monday 7:30 p. m. not be in a hurry to leave after disnesday 7:30 p. m., mid-week prayer service; special program. Friday 7:30 m., choir practice. Sunday, Decem ber 13, welcome to new members. J. L. McKEE, Pastor.

FORMER PASTOR TO PREACH AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. J. P. Boone of Dallas and ormerly pastor of the First Baptist Church of this city, will be here today and will fill the pulpit at the First Baptist Church at the 11 o'clock ser

WORDS FROM HOME.

Statements That May Be Investigated. Testimony of Wichita Falls Citizens.

When a Wichita Falls citizen comes the front, telling his friends and neighbors of his experience, you can rely on his sincerity. The statements of people residing in far away places Home endorsement is the kind that Cond; Conclusion, Mrs. J. L. Down backs Doan's Kidney Pills. Such testimony is convincing. Investigation God be merciful unto us and bless of a Wichita Falls resident. No stronger proof of merit can be had.

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Washington, Deca -The number of people of European birth and par entage who live in the United States is strikingly brought home in a state ment prepared by the National Geo graphic Society, which is keeping its membership of nearly 350,000 informed concerning the geographical phases of the war in Europe. This statemen is as follows:

"One person out of every seven in the United States was born outside of our borders. We have today 13,500, 000 people of foreign birth with us And nearly all of them are from Eu rope. They constitute a population approximately equal to the combined or of Norway, Sweden, Denmark and population of Belgium and Holland, Switzerland.

"We have in this country one-sixth as many Canadians as there are in Canada, a half million more Germans than are in Berlin, enough Irish to populate four cities like Dublin, enough taffans to people three Romes. We have almost as many Russians as there are in Petrograd, and twice as many Austro-Hungarians as there are in Budapest.

addition to our foreign born population we have nearly 19,000,000 children of immigrants in the United States. Counting these, we have as the children of many Germans in the United States cant in numbers. as there are in Bararia and Alsace-Loraine together; more Irish than there are in Ireland, and more than half as many Italians as there are in

their chidren, and more than dupli- and 2,045,000 Italians. The figures

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are to be started at Electra and other points in the oil fields in this discording to reports received here. The River Company alone, it is reported will start fifteen strings in January. Very little new work, however will e undertaken before the first of the

WARREN D. COTTRELL DEAD FROM DIPTHERIA

Park Wednesday announcing the is also charged with performing an eath of Warren D. Cottrell at Cozard, illegal operation.

his home a little more than a month ago with his bride, formerly Mrs. Lewis also a resident of Iowa Park. His death Park. His death was caused by diptheria. Mrs. Cottrell sent the fol-

lowing telegram:
"Cozard, Neb. Dec. 2: Ben F. Tay-More Than Thirty Strings of Tools for, Iowa Park, Texas. Mr. Cottrell died last night from diptheria. Let-ter follows. Signed Mrs. Cottrell."

Mr. Cottrell was for many years s resident of Iowa Park. He sold his More than thirty strings of tools property there several months ago and bought a farm in Iowa to which he moved with his bride recently. trict after the first of January, ac- News of his death was a shock to his many friends.

> DOCTOR ON TRIAL FOR MURDER OF YOUNG GIRL

Houlton, Maine, Dec. 5 .- Lionel E. Dudley, a young physician of Presque Isle, was put on trial in the supreme ourt today charged with the murder September 4 of Mildred Sullivan, a 17 A telegram was received at lowa year old girl of Houlton. Dr. Dudley

SOLICITOR'S MEETING WITH GEN-EROUS RESPONSE IN CAN-VASS FOR FUNDS

More than \$1000 has been pledged y Wichitans for carrying on the ing the winter and the committees hope to increase this amount to \$1500 by the end of this week. Two committees one including J. C. Hunt and H. L. Hunter, the other W. J. Bullock and C. C. Knight have been

out during the past week and have received numerous pledges. Last year about \$500 was pledged and all of this was not called for. This year, with indications pointing to a much greater need for funds, it is hoped to have at deast \$1500 pledg ed, with the expectation that it will not be necessary to call for the pay-ment of the full amount. There is no doubt, however, that a very considerable sum will be required, as conditions in this city, while no worse than in other communities, are going to require much more help than was needed last winter.

All who subscribe to the fund are given placards announcing their membership and all are expected to refer applicants for aid to the organization tself, so that only the really needy

may be supplied. In publishing the committee from on Thanksgiving Day, The Times inadvertently omitted the names of the members from the Church of the Good Shepherd (Episcopal); this church is represented by H. O. Cravens and Miss Emma Childers.

The same committees will be a work this week and will make an effort to see everyone whom they hould be a contributor to the

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