

Wichita Daily Times

WEATHER FORECAST
Tonight colder, freezing;
Thursday fair.

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McADOO TELLS HOW PANIC WAS AVERTED

SAYS COUNTRY NARROWLY ESCAPED FINANCIAL DISASTER FROM WAR.

NATION'S ECONOMIC STRENGTH

Secretary Recommends That War Tax Be Continued Until Peace Has Been Established.

By Associated Press. Washington, Dec. 9.—Secretary McAdoo in his annual report to Congress today outlined at length the steps taken by the treasury department to restore confidence and support American business, shaken and weakened by the European war. "A catastrophe of calamitous proportions," said the report, "was narrowly averted. It is a tribute to the economic strength and soundness of the country and to the patriotism of its people in every class and walk of life that the shock has been so admirably withstood. A panic of cataplectic proportions might easily have resulted. A difficulty that had, in the past, injured the country would have been incalculable and many years would have been required to overcome its effects."

CO-OPERATION OF BANKERS

By formation of the \$100,000,000 gold pool the \$135,000,000 cotton loan fund, issuance of emergency currency and the deposit of crop moving money in national banks, the situation was relieved and confidence was revived, the report says.

RECOMMENDS SOME CHANGES

"This action," he said, "had a salutary influence, because it was followed by a general loosening up of credits; and while it is not for a moment contended that the immediate effect is attributable wholly to the action of the department, it is, nevertheless, believed to have had a beneficial effect upon the situation."

DISCOUNT RATE FOR RESERVE BANKS FIXED

Washington, Dec. 9.—The federal reserve board today authorized the reserve banks at Atlanta, St. Louis, Minneapolis and Dallas to make a discount rate of five and one-half per cent on thirty day maturities.

CHICAGO CORN RECEIPTS MAKE NEW RECORD TUESDAY

Total of 4,410 Cars Come In, Most Being Intended For Shipment to Europe.

By Associated Press. Chicago, Dec. 9.—The largest single day's receipts of corn ever known to any market were received yesterday in Chicago. Shipments totaled 130 cars. Most of the new grain will be shipped to European countries at war.

CARRANZA TROOPS REOCCUPY DURANGO

ADVICES ARE RECEIVED BY CONSTITUTIONALIST AGENCY AT EL PASO.

DURANGO RETAKEN AFTER VILLA GARRISON THERE WAS EXPELLED BY ATTACKERS.

By Associated Press. Washington, Dec. 9.—The Mexican constitutionalist agency here today announced receipt of advices that Carranza troops have reoccupied Durango, expelling the Villa garrison, and that a large force of Carranza troops is moving on Hermosillo.

COLLINS MAY BE MANAGER OF CHICAGO WHITE SOX

Would Succeed Callahan, Said to Be Slated For Vice Presidency of Comiskey's Club.

By Associated Press. Chicago, Dec. 9.—Reports were published here today from an "authentic" source that Eddie Collins whom Charles A. Comiskey, president of the Chicago American League club purchased from Philadelphia yesterday, would succeed John J. Callahan as manager of the club. Callahan it is said, will be made vice president of the club. Comiskey is known to have a high opinion of Callahan's executive and business ability.

COLORADO COAL STRIKE CALLED OFF LAST NIGHT

Denver, Dec. 9.—The Colorado coal strike was last night called off, effective December 10.

ACCIDENTS ON T. & P. RAILROAD AT TERRELL

Terrell, Texas, Dec. 9.—Two accidents one fatal, have occurred on the Texas & Pacific Railroad in the last twelve hours.

SENTENCE IS PASSED ON FRANK AT ATLANTA TODAY

Young Attiant to Be Hanged January 22, If Decree is Carried Out.

FORMER GERMAN CONSUL IS SENTENCED TO DEATH

Is Convicted of High Treason in Assizes at London, With Extreme Penalty.

NEW YORK CENTRAL TO PASS JANUARY DIVIDEND

New York, Dec. 9.—The directors of the New York Central and Hudson River railroad have decided that the dividend on the stock of that road, usually paid in January, will not be declared at this time, according to announcements made by A. H. Smith, president of the road.

EXPLAINS SENDING OF TROOPS TO NACO

NO AGGRESSIVE ACTION IS MEANT ACCORDING TO WHITE HOUSE.

STRONGER FORCE DEEMED WISE

Due to "Reckless Carelessness of Factions in Failing to Control Direction of Their Fire."

By Associated Press. Washington, Dec. 9.—No aggressive action on the part of the United States is contemplated in the sending of additional troops to Naco, Arizona, according to an official statement which was issued today at the White House. After a conference with the President, Secretary Tamm made the following statement:

WILL NOT DISCUSS SITUATION

The secretary declined to discuss what he termed "the diplomatic side" of the case, referring inquiries to the state department. Secretary Bryan had retired when the army orders became public, but it is known that the army's action followed the exchange of telegrams between the federal government and Governor Hunt of Arizona, in which the latter described the boundary between the Mexican factions across the line as a serious menace to residents of Arizona.

NINE MEN MEET DEATH IN PENNSYLVANIA COLLERY

Cage in Which They Ate Descending Is Wrecked By Dynamite and All Fall.

By Associated Press. Scranton, Pa., Dec. 9.—Nine men were killed and others were seriously injured in the Diamond colliery here today. The men were in the carriage descending to go to work when one of them dropped a stick of dynamite that exploded, tearing the bottom out of the carriage and dropping the men dead and injured, down into the sump at the bottom.

REPORTS RUSSIAN FORCES DRIVEN OUT OF HUNGARY

Invaders Have Been Completely Repulsed, According to Statement From Budapest.

By Associated Press. Budapest, Hungary, Dec. 9.—An official communication issued here today stated that the Russian forces which invaded northern Hungary had been repulsed. The statements follows: "The enemy who entered the countries of Saros and Mienpfin ar everywhere in full retreat. Our troops are already in Galician territory at several points. Only two or three communities in Hungarian territory are in the hands of the enemy."

DIPHTHERIA IS FATAL TO LITTLE RENA HINES ODY

Rena, the eight year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hines, died at the family home, 1911 Tenth street today at 12 o'clock, following an illness of a week with diphtheria. The funeral will take place tomorrow, burial to be made at Iowa Park, the former home of the family.

STRANGE TRAGEDY IN ST. LOUIS TODAY

TWELVE YEAR OLD GIRL KILLED BY MAN, DEACON AT MISSION.

UNUSUAL ATTACHMENT CAUSE

Man's Attention to Child Had Occasioned Comment—Said He Was Trying to Reform Her.

By Associated Press. St. Louis, Dec. 9.—Nannie Stricklin, aged twelve was shot and killed in the front yard of her home here today by Robert Bailey, deacon at a mission who said he "had been trying to reform the girl." Bailey shot himself and was taken to a hospital in a dying condition.

NAVY UNPREPARED, DECLARES FLETCHER

REAR ADMIRAL TELLS HOUSE COMMITTEE OF IMPROVEMENTS NEEDED.

By Associated Press. Washington, Dec. 9.—Rear Admiral Fletcher, commander of the Atlantic fleet, impressively told the House naval committee today that the United States is unprepared to cope with the "most powerful navy in the world."

ONLY ONE SUBMARINE READY

Others Are Being Remodeled or Repaired—Thinks Navy Not Strong Enough.

CIGARETTE CURE CLINIC IS POPULAR IN ST. LOUIS

Twenty-Eight Men and Boys Are Given Treatment at W. C. T. U. Institution.

SAN ANTONIO WOMAN IS NOT THOUGHT TO BE HEIRESS

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Battleships Seen In That Part of Sea By Swedish Captains Saturday and Sunday.

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President Poincaré and Premier Viviani Have Returned to Paris. Others Follow.

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"VERY TIRED AND VERY BROKE"

By Associated Press. New York, Dec. 9.—Myron T. Herrick, retiring American ambassador to France, the only living American who wears the grand cross of the Legion of Honor, arrived here today and announced he is "broke." Mr. Herrick appeared to be annoyed when he heard that he had been mentioned for the 1916 Republican presidential nomination. "I do not want to talk politics," he said, "if any credit is due me for the part I have played I do not want to capitalize it. I am very tired and very 'broke.' I have just learned that the Ohio Society has engaged rooms for me at a hotel, for which I will not have to pay. That is the best news I have heard in a long time."

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GENERAL BEYERS' DEATH ANNOUNCEMENT EXPLAINED

Seen to Fall From Horse and Body Disappear Under Water During Engagement.

By Associated Press. Pretoria, via London, Dec. 9.—The circumstances which led the government to announce that General Christian Beyers, the rebel leader, had been killed today were made public. During an engagement on the banks of the Vaal Beyers endeavored to cross the river under fire and was seen to fall from his horse. His body disappeared under water. General Beyers was the only important rebel leader still at large.

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BULLETIN

By Associated Press. London, Dec. 9.—It is officially announced this afternoon that the German cruisers Scharnhorst, Gneisenau and Leipzig have been sunk in the Pacific.

IMPORTANT ADVANCES BY ALLIED TROOPS REPORTED

Offensive Movement in West Extends Along Almost Entire Line of Battle

RUSSIANS CLAIM VICTORY IN GALICIA

French Official Statement Is One of Most Optimistic Since Long Siege Began

By Associated Press. London, Dec. 9.—Important advances of the allied troops in their new efforts to throw back the German invaders in France are reported today by the French war office.

In the east, according to a statement of the Russian military authorities, a serious defeat has been inflicted on the Germans in the Galician campaign.

The French statement today is one of the most optimistic of any issued since the Germans settled down in trenches across France and the long siege began. It indicates that the offensive movement of the allies is more general than has been disclosed previously. Although the announcement gives few details it refers to the capture of entrenched positions and the blowing up of a French trench by Germans. It tends to show that the engagement now in progress is being contested furiously.

The statement refers to the advantages of the allies from the Arras southward along the Aisne, on the heights of the Meuse, in the Argonne and in the Vosges. Roughly speaking, this takes in all the line from the Belgian border across France and into Alsace. Concerning the battle in Flanders where the Germans have undertaken an attack which may mean a new attempt, there was little further news.

It is reported unofficially from Berlin that Emperor William whose illness was announced yesterday is suffering from pneumonia and nervous depression. The emperor is quoted in Berlin as having told his troops recently that victory would come to Germany because "our nerves are stronger than those of the enemy."

REPULSE OF FRENCH ATTACK AT SEVERAL POINTS CLAIMED BY GERMANS

By Associated Press. Berlin, Dec. 9.—The official statement issued by German army headquarters this afternoon says: "To the west of Rheims a fishery, although flying the Red Cross flag, has been bombarded and set on fire by our troops as we had ascertained by means of photographs taken by our aviators that behind the fishery was hidden a French heavy battery."

"French attacks in the district around Souain and in the villages of Verennes and Vouquers in the eastern part of the forest of Argonne were repulsed with heavy losses to the enemy. In the forest of Argonne itself ground was gained in several places. On this occasion we took a number of prisoners."

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Local News Brevities

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On account of the attraction at the Wichita Theatre Friday evening, the dancing class of Friday night will be held Thursday instead. 80 11 c.

Another L-KO Comedy today. Lydia Margaret. 80 11 c.

Mazda electric lamps at Wichita Hardware Co. 75 cent 11 c.

Dr. W. E. Farris, Osteopath; room 205 K. & K. Bldg. Phone 1487. 56 11 c.

Marriage licenses have been issued as follows: Robert Hunt, Ford county, to Miss Eula Braswell, Wilbarger county; Will Oliver to Miss Eva Kavanaugh; Clarence Kullledge, Blue Ridge, to Miss Annie May McFadden, Blue Ridge; Charles F. Thomas, Waco, to Hallie Green, Waco, both negroes.

At 7:30, 8:45 and 10 o'clock on Friday night the Wichita Quartette sings at the Empress; drop around. 80 11 c.

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Edison Lamps are the best. Sold by Stokes Electric Co., 816 Indiana. 78 11 c.

As pure as virgin Olive Oil. "Cream of Cotton" Shortening. 79 51 c.

One of the best bills of the season closes tonight. Lydia Margaret. 80 11 c.

Dr. Bolding, dentist, office 209 Kemp & Kell Bldg. Phone 206. 51 11 c.

Dr. Prothro, dentist, Ward Bldg. Eighth street. 80 11 c.

Accordian playing done properly and reasonable. Phone 958. 59 11 c.

Real Estate Transfers.
J. F. Elliott et al. to Mrs. Lona Anderson, tract Wichita county; \$600 and other considerations.
Lloyd Harry to J. F. Elliott et al., lot 23, block 3, Truehart plat; \$2,360.
J. F. Elliott et al. to L. Harry et al., tracts Wichita county; \$5,836.
W. D. Gant to L. A. Ash, tract Wichita county; \$2,150.
H. A. Overall to W. L. Thomas, tract; \$1 and other considerations.
W. W. McKinnis to J. T. Montgomery, lots in Electra; \$1 and other considerations.

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We have a nice assortment of Thurmoet bottles for the Christmas trade. Wichita Hardware Co. 75 cent 11 c.

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Notice.
A special meeting of Moose Lodge will be held at the hall in Wichita Falls, Thursday night, December 10, 1914, at 8 p. m. All members in good standing are earnestly requested to be present. 80 21 c.

Dr. H. A. Waller, dentist, room 207, K. & K. Bldg. Phone 206. 53 11 c.

All grocers handle "Cream of Cotton" Shortening. No animal fat. 79 51 c.

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Round Trip Tickets
On Sale December 20, 21, 22, limit January 15.
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Sale of Velvet Corduroys
In red, grey, navy, brown and white, 30 to 32 inches wide, very serviceable for coats, suits or skirts, a regular \$1.00 quality, yard **33c**

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44 inch storm and French, serge, yard **83c**

Christmas Ribbons
The right widths in the right colors you will want for the many Christmas presents you will make. Our stock is complete.

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10c kind for 5c
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Selby White Petroleum Jelly in two sizes—
5c and 8c jar

An assortment of different kinds of Talcum Powder in 10, 15 and 20c kind; choice, can 5c

Give Practical Gifts this Christmas

Pennington's

812 Ohio Ave.

Final Reductions on Ladies' Ready-to-Wear
As announced in last Sunday's paper we have gone through our entire stock of ladies' and children's ready-to-wear and cut the prices so deep that they must sell. Every day this week that department has been crowded with shoppers eager to purchase these stylish fall garments at such low prices. We do not expect to raise the prices but we do expect to close out the most of these garments in a very short while. It will be well worth your while to come in tomorrow.

ATTENDANCE IS SMALL AT TRAINING SCHOOL BENEFIT

From an artistic standpoint the benefit concert given by the Wichita Falls Choral Society Tuesday night at the Wichita Theatre was quite successful; from a financial standpoint the success was less marked, the attendance indicating that there are a few folks in Wichita Falls who care whether the school for delinquent girls is built or not.

It was the first appearance of the choral society since that organization took form, and it proved its worth at the outset. There were solo numbers also that were thoroughly pleasing. During the intermission Mayor Britton and Judge F. A. Martin addressed the audience briefly on behalf of the training school.

The sale of cotton donated by J. B. Marlow was sold at auction, Rev. F. F. Walters serving as auctioneer. The bidding was quite spirited, but J. A. Kemp, bidding on behalf of the five banks of this city, finally secured the cotton at twenty cents per pound. The proceeds will go to the training school fund. The musical program for the concert was as follows:

Chorus "Hail, Smiling Morn."
Chorus "Cradle Song"
Song "Out on the Waves"—T. J. Benninger.
Chorus "Spring Song"
Violin Solo—Mrs. T. B. Greenwood
Piano Duo "Theme and Variations"—Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Machlin.
Song "Suppose"—Mrs. W. S. Robertson.
Chorus "Sweet and Low"
Song "Two Grenadiers"—J. W. Bradley.
Trio "The Heavens are Telling"—(Trio, Mrs. Carpenter, Rev. Datson, Mr. Eichenberger).

One feature of the program was the song "Suppose" sung by Mrs. Walter Robertson and composed especially for this occasion by Mr. Machlin. Mrs. Machlin, as accompanist, played with marked talent. Mrs. T. B. Greenwood's violin solo, as always, was a delightful feature and the song of T. J. Benninger "Out on the Waves" was thoroughly pleasing. Mr. Benninger has sung in some of the local churches but this was the general public's first opportunity to hear him. The bass solo of J. W. Bradley, "Two Grenadiers" was one of the evening's most enjoyable features. (The piano duo by Mr. and Mrs. Machlin was on a party with the other parts which they took in the evening's program and showed splendid musicianship on the part of each. The trio, "The Heavens are Telling" with the parts taken by Mrs. Carpenter, Rev. P. A. Datson and Mr. Eichenberger was a pleasing finale. Those participating as members of the Choral Club were: Soprano—Mesdames W. F. Robertson, Agnew, Strange, Carpenter, Robert Thorburn.
Alto—Mesdames Thompson, Beavers, Darnell, Burgess, Misses Beavers, Pitman, Moran.
Tenor—Rev. P. A. Datson, W. S. Robertson, B. T. Burgess, Martin.
Bass—Messrs. Bradley, Benninger, Strange, Eichenberger.

IN THE SPHERE OF WOMANKIND

AT OUR DOORS.
"Out of a job, out of a job!"
Hark to the fearful refrain,
Coming from lips so hungry and cold,
Hear it, again and again.

"Out of a job, out of a job!"
Echoes the saddest of cries,
Weeping, the mother and children, at
Flings a stone to the skies.

"Out of a job, out of a job!"
Hear it in daylight and gloom,
Even though Belgians suffer for bread,
Charity beginneth at home.
—H. S. HASKINS.

Recipe For Sherry Pudding.
(By Miss Shug Mills)
Six eggs, one-half pint of sherry wine, one glass of sugar, heated high, one-half package of Knox gelatine dissolved in cold water. Cream sugar and yolks of eggs, add sherry and gelatine and cook in a double boiler until thick, stirring constantly. When thick stir in well beaten whites of eggs and cook two or three minutes longer. Break up two and one-half dozen macaroons, chop a cupful of crystallized cherries and pineapple drain liquid from a small bottle of maraschino cherries, cut in half, chop two cups of pecans and almonds. Mix the fruit and nuts well and pour hot custard over them. Set on ice until firm, serve with whipped cream.
(Recipes are solicited. Phone 1611 or send to Times.)

B. O. P.'S MEET WITH MISS OPAL SHAVER
Miss Opal Shaver was a pleasant hostess to the B. O. P.'s Tuesday afternoon. The girls enjoyed the usual round of sewing and conversation with music at agreeable intervals and the hostess, assisted by her mother and Mrs. Harry Douglas, served delicious refreshments of sandwiches, tea, fruit and custard. A number of Christmas plans were made at this meeting.

Mrs. Douglas was the guest of the afternoon, she and eight members present being Misses Pauline Harris, Vera Hickey, Marion Crabtree, Annette Coffield, Betty Murph, Rhea Gardner, Cora Belle Miller, Hazel Friebe, Mary Coffield, Tula Stokes, Dorothy Yeager, Mrs. Jim Elliott and the hostess.

FIRST M. E. AID OFFICERS MEET TUESDAY AFTERNOON
Tuesday afternoon Mrs. F. W. Snyder entertained the officers of the Ladies' Aid of the First M. E. Church in a combined business and social meeting. The chairmen of the various committees were appointed to serve for the coming year, these being Mesdames G. W. Corbitt, H. L. Hunter, E. E. Anderson, Maryann, W. H. Bachman, C. A. Thornberry, Keyes, L. B. Jenne, E. V. Friberg and Miss Hazel Hunter. A light refreshment course was served during the afternoon to Mesdames J. B. Dollard, C. C. Smith, A. E. Anderson, Miss Friberg and Mrs. Snyder.

M. E. SOUTH, LEAGUES MEET TUESDAY EVENING

The regular monthly business meeting of the Epworth League of the M. E. Church, South, was held Tuesday evening in the basement of the church. Reports were made by the four vice presidents, and the social vice president reported the "penny social" to be quite a success. Other matters of business, both old and new were brought up and disposed of satisfactorily. A social time was enjoyed on the conclusion of the business session and refreshments were served. About twenty of the members of the League were present.

PRESBYTERIAN LADIES MEET MONDAY AFTERNOON

The Ladies Aid of the First Presbyterian Church held a short business session Monday afternoon at which time plans were perfected for the Christmas bazaar to be held Saturday at the Anderson-Benn building. The ladies voted to assist the officers of the church in the proposed entertainment for Wednesday evening. The Missionary Society met in regular session following the adjournment of the Ladies Aid. Devotionals were led by Mrs. Kemp, and the lesson, "The Child of the World at Worship" was led by Mrs. G. D. Anderson. Topics on the lesson had been assigned to Mesdames Hunt, Carrigan and Beavers.

MRS. A. F. KERR HOSTESS TO ART LITERATURE CLUB

The Art Literature Club met in regular session Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. A. F. Kerr. Roll call was answered by eleven members, each telling some item of interest about the present European conflict. The history lesson was led by Mrs. Gehhardt and an interesting paper was read by Mrs. Leicham on Harriet Beecher Stowe. The club had as guests Mrs. Charles Leicham and enjoyed an instructive talk from her on California. The conclusion of the program was marked by the service of a delicious salad course. Mrs. Meredith and Mrs. Charles Leicham were the guests of the club members present being: Mesdames Bean, Gehhardt, DeBerry, Filgo, Harris, Rountree, Leicham, Eridgen, Kerr, Pressley and Blankenship.

MRS. SMITH ENTERTAINS PROGRESSIVE CROCHET CLUB

The Progressive Crochet Club met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Fred Smith, 1605 Burnett. The usual crocheting was engaged in for some time and the Christmas grab bag was a feature, each member of the club depositing a gift in the bag and receiving one therefrom. The organizer of this club, Mrs. John Lindsay, presented to each member a dainty lace handkerchief, the members in turn remembering her with a handsome casserole. Following these unusually pleasant features the hostess served a delicious two course luncheon to the following members: Mesdames Boone, Barclay, B. Rigbee, Cabour, Dillard, Debison, D. Rigbee, Hill, Jones, Reed, Smith, Seitz, Thompson, Young, Bates, Oscar Rigbee and guests, Mesdames Ross of Fort Worth, Denison, Lynch and Nix. This will be the last meeting until after Christmas, the club to meet on December 29 with Mrs. C. E. Bates, 1601 Bluff.

SWINE BREEDERS' OF OKLAHOMA IN SESSION

El Reno, Okla., Dec. 8.—The Oklahoma Swine Breeders' Association met here today in annual convention.

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MARGIE HALL
In "The Wizard of Wiseland" at the Wichita Theatre Saturday, December 12, matinee and night.

MISS REID ENTERTAINS AT SEVEN O'CLOCK DINNER

Most beautiful in conception and charming in execution was the seven o'clock progressive dinner given by Miss Agnes Reid Tuesday evening at her home, 908 Burnett. A half dozen

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Men's \$15.00 Suits, now	\$11 50	Men's \$12.50 Overcoats now	\$9 50
Men's \$18.00 Suits now	\$13 50	Men's \$15.00 Overcoats now	\$10 50
Men's \$20.00 Suits now	\$15 50	Men's \$18.00 Overcoats now	\$13 50
Men's \$22.50 Suits now	\$17 50	Men's \$20.00 Overcoats now	\$15 50
Men's \$25.00 Suits now	\$18 50	Men's \$22.50 Overcoats now	\$17 50
Men's \$27.50 Suits now	\$20 50	Men's \$25.00 Overcoats now	\$18 50
Men's \$30.00 Suits now	\$23 50	Men's \$30.00 Overcoats now	\$22 50

25 Per Cent Discount on all Trunks, Bags and Suit Cases	Men's Gaberdines	Men's Mackanaws	25 Per Cent Discount on all Men's Odd Trousers
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SUPREME COURT DECIDES AGAINST PYTHIANS LODGE

Holds That Increase in Assessment of Fraternal Society Amounts to Repudiating Contract.

By Associated Press.
Austin, Texas, Dec. 9.—The supreme court today held in effect that a heavy raise in the assessments of a fraternal beneficiary association amounts to a repudiation of the contract. This was in the case of Supreme Lodge, Knights of Pythias, against S. Mims of Dallas, in which an application for a writ of error was refused. Associate Justice Hawkins dissented and will file his reasons later.

This action of the supreme court in refusing the writ affirmed the judgment of the court of civil appeals which affirmed the judgment of the district court awarding Mims the various amounts paid by him as assessments through a series of years. The application states that there are more than forty cases involving the same question throughout the state.

The opening day at Stanley's sale of the Danielson bankrupt stock has been a record breaker in Wichita Falls. Never before has a store been so crowded on such an occasion. The people have recognized the bargains offered and are buying eagerly.

OIL CASE IS ON TRIAL IN DISTRICT COURT TODAY

The suit of G. C. Wood vs. the Dundee Dome Oil Company et al is on trial before a jury in the district court this afternoon. Judgment against the Dundee Dome Company has already been rendered for the plaintiff in this case and he is now seeking judgment against the Pierce-Fordyce Oil Association and other defendants. Judge P. A. Martin is representing the Pierce-Fordyce Association and Fitzgerald & Cox are representing the plaintiff. A number of oil men are attending the trial. This morning Judge Scurry granted

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divorces in the following cases:
Lulu Perkins vs. Tom Perkins, Rita Clairbourne vs. D. C. Clairbourne and Lora Violet vs. Will Violet.

C. W. Reid, president of the National Bank of Commerce and wife are the parents of a baby girl who arrived this afternoon.

So great has been the crowd today at Stanley's sale of the Danielson bankrupt stock that it was impossible to wait upon all promptly. A special effort will be made tomorrow to care for the wants of these and others who may come.

M. Higginbotham, formerly collector for the Southwestern Telephone Co., has been promoted to the manager of the company's exchange at Colorado City, Texas. His place here has been taken by C. C. Crowell.

Washington, Dec. 9.—President Wilson today nominated John A. Fain of Lawton, Oklahoma, for United States marshal Western district of Oklahoma.

EMPEROR WILLIAM OF GERMANY SAID UNOFFICIALLY TO HAVE PNEUMONIA

By Associated Press.
London, Dec. 9.—Emperor William of Germany is suffering from pneumonia which is combined with nervous depression due to over-exertion according to news from Berlin forwarded by the Amsterdam correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph company. The message adds that the German emperor's doctors have advised him not to return to the front.

SUCCESS FOR ALLIES AT VARIOUS POINTS ARE CLAIMED IN PARIS REPORT

By Associated Press.
Paris, Dec. 9.—There was artillery fighting from the sea to the Lys during the day of December 8 according to the French official announcement given out in Paris this afternoon. It reads as follows:

"During the day of December 8, there was artillery firing from the seacoast to the Lys. In the region of Arras and further to the south there was nothing to report. All the position won by us during the past ten days have been consolidated.

"In the region of the Aisne fighting by our infantry resulted in appreciable gain for us. Several German trenches were occupied and we made progress along the entire front with the exception of one single point. Here the enemy blew up one of our trenches with a mine.

"On the heights of the Meuse our artillery showed itself distinctly the master of the artillery of the enemy. In this region, as well as in the Argonne, we have made progress along the entire front and have occupied some of the German trenches. The same thing happened in the region of LePetre. In the Vosges we repulsed several attacks to the southwest of Sionnes. In the remainder of the segment of the Vosges the enemy made no endeavor during the day of December 8 to deliver any serious attack on the positions occupied by last week.

"In Russia the stubborn attacks of the Germans along the front from Llow to Lowicz and from Strykow to Lodz and also along a line running north and south ten miles to the west of Piotrkow were repulsed. Nevertheless because of the exposed position of Lodz, at the head of a wedge, the Russians have found it advisable to evacuate the city. In Galicia the Austrians, who appear to have received German reinforcements have resumed the offensive in the region of Neu Sandek to the southwest of Cracow against the Russian left wing.

"In Serbia, the Servian armies are making progress in the upper valleys of western Moravia and on the left bank of the river Lid. They have taken possession of the heights of Meljen, capturing numerous prisoners and also taking cannon from the enemy. In the region of Mosmaj the Servians are in contact with Austrian troops."

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Navy cost in 1912, and Mr. Gardner tells us that we have no navy. We have certainly paid for one. We have lavished more money upon sea power than any other country, except Great Britain, whose very life is dependent upon sea power, and when Mr. Gardner declares that we have little except junk to show for it, he makes the most serious charge against the Roosevelt and Taft administrations that could well be made: for if we have no navy to show for an expenditure of \$1,200,000,000 in ten years, the American people have not only been robbed, but shamelessly and treacherously robbed.

THE KNOCKER AND THE HIRED HALL

The other night a prominent New Orleans citizen who desired to chastise the old town that he loved but didn't altogether admire hired a hall in which to relieve himself of some long accumulated criticisms. Said he: "When a man has a grouch he should not worry his friends and let him hire a hall and advertise. Those who don't want to hear him can stay away. I never grumble to a man who has to listen to me. I pay for the privilege of grumbling to people who like to hear it."

MR. KNOX AND THE THAW CASE

(Houston Post.) Former secretary of state and attorney general of the United States, Philander Knox, has filed in the supreme court of the United States a brief in advocacy of that court affirming the action of the New Hampshire Federal court in refusing to allow Harry Thaw to be extradited from New Hampshire to New York.

WHO GOT THE MONEY?

If we have no navy, as is charged by Representative Gardner, then it is plainly evident we have not got what we paid for. During the administrations of Taft and Roosevelt, covering a period of ten years, navy appropriations to the amount of \$1,200,000,000 were made. Somebody got the money, and the American people were forced to pay the bills. Speaking of this little piece of graft, an editorial in the New York World has the following to say: "In his speech before the Economic Club, Representative Gardner of Massachusetts described the United States Navy as consisting of 'twelve super-dreadnoughts, ten pretty fair battleships, eight venerable relics and four floating masses of scrap iron.' As to the general condition of these ships, 'each commander in the Navy, out of pride, prides his own ship, but says most of the rest are junk.'"

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Only Old Women and Children Left in Village to Repair Damage of Battle.

By Associated Press. Vitry le Francois, Dec. —Black ruins which have just ceased smoldering, houses whose interiors have been demolished by bursting shells, leaving only the skeletons of their structures standing, others with sides blown out, still others where only a chimney stack remains erect are common sights in this portion of the track of the armies fighting a short distance to the north.

Amid the desolation, in half sheltered shacks, sit women and children and old men, uttering scarcely a word except about their husbands and fathers and sons away with the army and from whom news is rare, if it comes at all. Lack of laborers makes it almost impossible for the villagers to start any repairs. Trade is at a standstill and the common articles of domestic necessity are difficult to obtain owing to the dislocation of transport.

Only a mile or two from Vitry the villages of Frignicourt and Courdemange have virtually disappeared, except for disorderly heaps of bricks, tiles and stones which a few weeks ago were houses. The fighting around here was some of the most terrible of the war in its intensity. The fields are dotted with deep holes made by bursting German and French shells while all about are small mounds showing the burial places of German and French soldiers interred where they fell. Even in the drainage ditches along the roads many graves were hastily made and small crosses formed of two broken branches of trees placed over them, without name or number to indicate the occupants.

The church of Courdemange, with the exception of one house which did not appear to have been hit, seemed to have suffered less than the other structures of the village. This was possibly owing to its strong walls which are five feet in thickness. At one corner, where a large shell struck there is a deep indentation, while splinters knocked out stones here and there and shattered all the stained glass windows.

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OKLAHOMA HARDWARE MEN IN ANNUAL SESSION TODAY By Associated Press. Oklahoma City, Dec. 9.—The Oklahoma Hardware and Implement Association was to meet here today in twelfth annual convention.

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Market Reports

Kansas City Grain.
By Associated Press.
Kansas City, Dec. 9.—Cash wheat No. 2 hard 1.09 1/4 to 1.10; No. 2 red 1.09 1/4. Corn No. 2 mixed 61 1/2. Oats No. 2 white 46 1/2.

Fort Worth Livestock.
By Associated Press.
Fort Worth, Texas, Dec. 9.—Cattle receipts 7000, steady. Beaves \$6 to \$7.25. Hog receipts 1500, active, ten cents higher. Bulk \$7 to \$7.20. Sheep receipts 225, unchanged. Lambs \$7 to \$8.

New Orleans Cotton.
By Associated Press.
New Orleans, Dec. 9.—Spot cotton quiet. Sales on spot 200. To arrive 1100. Middling 7 1-8.

Chicago Futures.
By Associated Press.
Chicago, Dec. 9.—Continued absence of adequate moisture for the winter wheat crop in Kansas and strength at Liverpool gave an advance today to the bulls. The opening was 1-8 to 3-8 higher. Corn weakened under selling led by a prominent speculator. The opening was a shade to 1-4 higher. Oats weakened with corn. Transactions were mostly between pit traders. Wheat closed weak. Corn closed weak. Closing: Wheat, Dec. 1.15 5-8; May 1.19 3-8. Corn, Dec. 62 3-8; May 68 1/2. Oats, Dec. 47; May 51 1-8.

New York Cotton.
By Associated Press.
New York, Dec. 9.—There was little trade selling in the cotton market during today's early trading and prices showed a tendency to ease off in the absence of any aggressive support. The market opened steady at a decline of one to two points with the latter months selling three to five points net lower, before the end of the first hour, while near positions were neglected. Reports that under the completed cotton loan plan farmers would not be able to borrow up to the full valuation of six cents per pound on their cotton seemed to be partially responsible for the decline. Cotton futures closed steady. January 7.14; March 7.93; May 7.51; July 7.87; October 7.92.

WORLD FAMOUS CORNETIST AT HIGH SCHOOL THURSDAY

Thursday evening at the high school auditorium Kryl, world famous cornetist will appear, this being one of the lucum numbers. Kryl is accompanied by his two daughters who are violinists and pianists of note and the offering is unusually meritorious. The cornetist himself was formerly with Sousa's in his famous band.

Mrs. Lina Chandler, aged sixty-two, died last night at her home, 208 Scott, after a protracted illness. She is survived by five children, all grown. Funeral services were held this afternoon at three-thirty, Rev. C. C. Smith officiating. Burial was made in Riverside.

NEW OFFICERS HAVE BEEN ELECTED BY EAGLES LODGE

New officers were elected by the local Aerie of Eagles Monday night. They will be installed on the first meeting night in January. The officers elected follow:
P. W. P.—John E. Barry.
W. P.—W. A. McCarty.
W. V. P.—John Davenport.
Treasurer—W. E. Bradley.
Secretary—J. M. Pastuszek.
Trustees—Frank Schnell and E. R. Greenwood.
Physician—M. A. Beckman.
I. G.—M. M. Bates.
O. G.—J. L. Crockett.

WICHITAN SUSTAINS BROKEN JAWBONE IN FOOTBALL GAME

Preston Brown, son of W. W. Brown and wife of this city, suffered the fracture of his jawbone in an inter-class football game at Baylor University at Waco where he is a student last Friday. A telephone message from Waco last night said that he was doing nicely. Preston is captain of the sophomore football team at Baylor. His team was playing the freshman team. One of the freshman players sustained a broken leg in the game.

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Personal Mention

J. D. Allen of Dallas, special representative of the Praetorians, is in the city today and will meet with the local council tonight. Mr. and Mrs. Nitt T. Wagner left today for their old home in Muskogee, Oklahoma, expecting to return here about December 27. While away, Mr. Wagner will spend a short time in Chicago and New York in connection with the bond business which he expects to engage in upon his return to Wichita Falls. Ray Hanks of the Wichita Tailoring Co. has been confined to his home for several days with illness. Deputy Postmaster Gibson has returned from a vacation trip to California points. H. P. Kane of Battle Creek, Michigan, is in the city on business. J. A. Burrus, a well known ranchman of Clay county, was here today on his way to Floydada. Mrs. Mattie Bell returned today from a visit with relatives and friends at Oxford and other points in Mississippi. R. H. Purdy and wife of Dallas, arrived this afternoon for a visit with D. M. Hardy and family. Judge H. A. Argold of Graham, was here today on legal business. W. C. Daboon, vice president and general manager of the Pierce-Young Oil Association, is here from Dallas attending the district court. Mrs. Virgia Lowenstein returned to Houston today after a visit with her sister, Mrs. T. P. Adams. Mrs. J. E. Childers and little son left this afternoon for Dublin to spend the holidays with her parents. W. A. Parrham of the Southwestern Telephone Company, made a business trip to Graham this afternoon. J. H. Marriott of Electra, was here today on business. Judge Hoge returned to Austin this afternoon after a short visit with his daughter, Mrs. John P. Matra. R. W. Farr of Iowa Park, was in the city on business today.

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COLDER IN WEST TEXAS; SNOWING AT EL PASO
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Wives, Don't Smoke; Your Husband May Secure a Divorce

F. T. Denson, photographer at Electra, was granted a divorce from E. S. Denson by Judge Scurry in the district court. Mrs. Denson whose whereabouts Denson said he did not know, did not appear to contest his suit. Denson was the only witness. A part of his testimony was of such a nature that it was given in a tone so low that only the judge, court stenographer and the plaintiff's attorney could hear.

Denson said among other things that his wife was a scoffer at religion and that this hurt him deeply as he had formerly been a minister of the gospel. He said also that she smoked cigars.
"I came home one day and found her smoking," he told the judge.
"What was she smoking?" he was asked.
"Cigars; I said, 'My God, you don't smoke do you?' she said 'yes.'"
Mr. Denson testified that his wife continued to smoke up until the time he bought her a ticket to Washington, D. C., and they separated. He said that after she had gone he got a big bill for cigars from their grocery man.

Thomas E. Stocker of St. Louis, representing the Busch estate, is in the city on business. He is registered at the Westland.

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SAYS PRISON SYSTEM IS NOW SELF SUPPORTING
Asks For No Current Appropriation But Wants Money to Pay Its Back Debts.

By Associated Press
Austin, Texas, Dec. 9.—No appropriation is needed for the support and maintenance of the state penitentiary system for the next two fiscal years according to the estimate filed today in the controller's department by W. O. Murray, chairman of the commission, as he declares that the system will be on a self sustaining basis. The commission, however, asks for an appropriation of \$426,152 to pay back debts.

NEXT WEEK'S JURY LIST IN THE DISTRICT COURT
The following have been drawn for the jury list in the district court next week:

- J. R. Kelly, J. C. Kuehn, T. C. Scruggs, Ralph Tuttle, L. W. Newton, J. J. Simon, O. A. Jones, J. M. McFall, H. J. Naylor, W. P. Wilson, L. N. Lockridge, G. N. Wilson, C. C. Willard, J. W. Pond, George Keith, F. Joehrendt, J. L. McCahey, H. C. Crottinger, C. B. Toney, T. W. Ziegler, G. B. Ray, R. C. Hardy, H. P. Hodges, C. R. Hines, Charles Hill, C. S. Maxwell, Leon Loeb, W. B. Reeves, T. J. Leicham, E. E. Willard, E. L. Noey, J. F. Love.

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Did you stop and realize that there is an institution right here in Wichita Falls that has been needed for a great many years and is now a permanent asset to the city? Do you look at the really excellent work that is made at this home studio without feeling proud of it?
Do you not listen with pleasure and satisfaction when we say that nothing but the best work must go out of the studio? And do you know that we have experienced great pleasure in hearing the expressions of praise and satisfaction that have come from our patrons? People who have been having their work done in Chicago, St. Louis and Dallas have found that they can get just as good right here at home. We endeavor to please. We appreciate your suggestions and execute them faithfully.
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"Aunt Jemima" and "Uncle Mose" are 15 inches high and the Pickaninnies—"Diana" and "Wade Davis"—are 12 inches high, all in bright colors.

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Our Christmas savings accounts have certainly been a success for the year 1914, amounting to several thousand dollars, and on the 15th of this month we will mail each of our Christmas savings depositors a check, and are anxious that you begin with us in the first week of January, 1915. Tell your friends how easy it is to make the payments.

We Make Our Own Candles

Make them out of the best materials and know they are pure. We box our own chocolates for the Christmas trade and they are always fresh.



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WORK OF SURGEONS IN EUROPEAN WAR

FIND SHRAPNEL AND SHELL FRAGMENTS CAUSE MOST OF TROUBLE.

TREATING ABDOMINAL WOUNDS

Find Chances For Recovery Are Better Without Operations Than With Them.

By Associated Press. Berlin, Dec. 9.—The German surgeons have begun to talk about their experience in healing the wounded in this war. Prof. Payr of Leipzig University, who is acting as surgeon-general to the Saxon army, recently delivered an address at one of the improvised hospitals on the line of the German communications, in which he gave much interesting information on this subject.

Payr pointed out that the balls used in the shrapnel shells produce much more dangerous wounds than rifle bullets. They carry into the body fragments of clothing, a corresponding quantity of dangerous germs, and they are much more likely to be lodged in the body. There was suppuration in 70 to 75 per cent of cases. The same danger is still more serious with wounds from fragments of shells. It was found, too, that this war has been especially marked by the great number of such wounds. Not only do shell fragments carry germs into the body with bits of clothing, but the dangerous gases from the shrapnel explosion often adhere to the fragments and balls in sufficient quantities to poison the wound. Lockjaw is often produced by wounds of this character, but by vaccinating patients with a tetanus serum the German surgeons have materially reduced the ratio of deaths in such cases since the first weeks of the war.

Especially dangerous are the wounds caused by fragments of bombs thrown by aviators. Even very small fragments often produce much more dangerous wounds than much larger pieces of ordinary shells. These small fragments penetrate very deep into the body, cutting through all blood vessels, and thick masses of muscle are cut through as with a sharp knife. Aeroplane bombs also frequently cause bad burns.

Rifle Wounds Soon Heal. So far as simple flesh wounds from small calibre rifles are concerned Payr found that these heal very rapidly. In most cases the wounded were able to return to the ranks within a week or two. Even in cases of chest wounds, where the ribs are not touched, healing is usually very rapid, even though the lungs be penetrated.

A new kind of wound has been caused by the sharp steel arrows thrown at great heights by French aeroplanists. These arrows have about the thickness of an ordinary lead pencil, and when thrown from a height of about 5,000 feet strike their victim at the velocity of a bullet just leaving the muzzle of a rifle. Payr says they produce very dangerous wounds.

Dr. Payr declares that the small bullet badly shatters the hollow bones of arm and leg when striking them at short distances, but that at greater distances they tend more to bore a smooth hole, with little or no fracturing. Bones near the joints are shot through smoothly, and the wounds heal with no difficulty. Another effect of the present type of bullet is to cut through the blood vessels, whereas they would often be pushed aside by the older lead bullet and escape disruption. This is regarded by Payr as one dangerous result of the small calibre bullet, especially where veins and arteries are cut through deep in the flesh.

Wounds in the abdomen, says Payr, are most likely to heal without an operation than with one. And this, he says, was first proved in the Boer war. The difficulty in the way of an operation is that it is almost impossible to make the necessary antiseptic precautions.

DON'T MISTAKE THE CAUSE Many Wichita Falls People Have Kidney Trouble and Do Not Know It

Do you have backache? Are you tired and worn out? Feel dizzy, nervous and depressed? Are the kidney secretions irregular? Highly colored, contain sediment? Likely your kidneys are at fault? Weak kidneys give warning of distress. Heed the warning; so don't delay—Use a tested kidney remedy. Read this Henrietta's testimony: Y. M. Skipwith, retired farmer, Henrietta, Texas, says: "Some years ago I suffered from pains in my sides and across my back. My kidneys were weak and I had to get up frequently at night. So many people had such good results from Doan's Kidney Pills that I tried them and was completely cured. You can add my endorsement to the many you already have for Doan's Kidney Pills." Price 50c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Skipwith had. Foster-Milburn Co. Props., Buffalo, N. Y. (Advt.)

MARKETING MEETING IS SCHEDULED AT DALLAS

By Associated Press. Dallas, Texas, Dec. 9.—A delegate convention of farmers institutes, farmers union and other farmers organizations were expected to meet here today with representatives of business organizations from cotton producing states. The meeting was in response to a call by Commissioner of Agriculture Kone the purpose being to consider organization of a holding company and sales agency for marketing cotton.

COLLECTING WAR RELICS NEW PASTIME IN EUROPE

Bullets Are Eagerly Sought, With Premium on Dum Dums; Stamps Also Valued.

By Associated Press. The Hague, Dec. 9.—There is scarcely a school in European countries remaining neutral which has not been struck by the mania for the accumulation of war relics. The desire for possession of collections of weird and strange objects even extends to schools of the belligerent countries.

First in the list of interesting items comes bullets. How these bullets ever find their way from some Siberian regiment into the hands of a Danishurchin or how a piece of shrapnel from the battlefield of the Aisne is discovered in the pockets of a little Dutch child are often times strange stories of ingenious schoolboy bartering.

When the war continued its dreary course and the supply of bullets increased, certain circles of murderous intent began to get certain specific values. The old Belgian army bullets, made after a pattern of the year 1888, are not rarer than the most common are not rated very highly. When almost thirty thousand Belgian soldiers reached across the Dutch frontier and threw away their arms, the supply of these heavy bullets became so large that only beginners in the field of collecting were willing to accept them at all.

Neither does the true connoisseur give much for the English bullets. Three thousand British sailors were deprived of their ammunition when they were obliged to cross into Holland and this made British bullets too common to be considered art treasure. German bullets, which seem to be common enough in the country of their origin, are rated high by the children abroad. The same can be said of the bronze pointed French bullets, which, like the German bullets, unless they hit some vital organ, merely make a neat little hole which easily cures.

But, alas, honesty even in this childish mart of barter could not remain for long. One boy who desired his neighbor's collection left the narrow path which runs between the right and wrong of the collector's code. With an ax he changed his common Belgian bullet into a gruesome flat-nosed "dum-dum." The first specimen of this terrible weapon was passed from hand to hand with great awe. It was exchanged for an entire collection of regulation bullets. It remained a seven days wonder. Then the trick was discovered and now "dum-dum" bullets are as common as June bugs in May.

Not only in the relics of death and bloodshed does the juvenile world of Europe keep a bristling collector's trade. The occupation of each other's territories by the belligerent nations has developed a stamp craze. From the German possessions which the English have seized in the Pacific, from the territory occupied by the Germans, and from the strip of land which is all that remains of Belgium, new stamp issues have come. With the taking over by Turkey of her own postal system a weird combination of arabic characters is added to the already heretogenous collection.

HITCHCOCK CONSIDERED ONE OF MASTER COMEDIANS

As a contributor to the general gaiety of the universe Raymond Hitchcock considered the palm. No comedian, native or foreign, can touch him in quaint droiery, spontaneity of wit and travesty, and his presence in the theatre is therefore the signal for outbursts of laughter that carry the keynote of joy in crescendo flight.

Hitching laughter has been the principal occupation of Raymond Hitchcock's life. His parents aver that he came into the world with a merry quip and gurgling jest, that made them roar with delight, and that ever since their carrot-haired offspring has been engaged in cultivating the germ that sends gloom a-glimmering and the glums to the mat, where they roll in paroxysms of pure delight. Anyhow, he will soon be here again—this time in "The Beauty Shop," that is the title of the particular vehicle upon which Raymond Hitchcock will disport himself on the occasion of his coming visit, which is set for Friday night. In his latest success Mr. Hitchcock will portray the role of Doctor Budd, an impetuous beauty specialist, operating an elaborate complexion emporium on Fifth Avenue, New York, who is otherwise engaged in standing off an arrogant army of insistent creditors. If one will but imagine Raymond Hitchcock in "The Beauty Shop" the title that Cohan and Harris, his managers, have chosen for the new vehicle, little remains to be said.

The droll artistry of this unique comedian will be made manifest in a particularly fitting environment. Just imagine imagine "Hitchie" in a beauty shop and you will need no urging to attend the festivities. So many beauty secrets will be divulged that the ladies will probably find "The Beauty Shop" equally as enjoyable as the gentlemen undoubtedly will consider it to be. The company comes here direct from several months of crowded houses at the Astor Theatre, New York, 100 nights in Chicago and two months at the Tremont Theatre, Boston, where the play scored "the supreme success of the season," to quote the generally accepted verdict of the dramatic viewers.

HEARING AT FORT WORTH ON SUBJECT OF RATES

By Associated Press. Fort Worth, Texas, Dec. 9.—Examiner Pleasants of the Interstate Commerce Commission was expected to begin hearings here today of complaints of various business organizations against Texas railroad rates. From here Mr. Pleasants goes to El Paso.

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MANY CASES SET IN DISTRICT COURT

APPEARANCE DOCKET IS CALLED TUESDAY AND DATES FOR TRIAL FIXED.

LITTLE PROSPECT OF RELIEF

Condition of Docket is Such That Only New Courts Can Get Cases To Trial.

A large number of cases were set down for trial in the district court when the appearance docket was called. The condition of the docket is such that there seems to be no hope of getting it clear unless the legislature grants the relief which is to be asked.

Trial dates for cases in the district court have been set as follows:

- B. F. Taylor vs. S. B. Burnett, Dec. 18. D. P. Taylor vs. John Hirschel et al Jan. 18. J. P. O'Hara vs. Producers Oil Co., Jan. 25. Margaret Cannaday et al vs. Ft. W. & D. C. Ry. Co., Jan. 19. W. L. Lockridge vs. Corsicana Pet. Co., Dec. 14. Margaret Cannaday et al vs. B. B. Woodward, Jan. 19. J. I. Staley vs. J. M. Guffey Pet. Co., Jan. 18. W. W. Linville vs. W. B. McCullom et al, Jan. 20. G. A. Leath vs. W. S. Curlee et al Jan. 27. Wichita Southern Life Insurance Co. vs. George W. Hanson, Jan. 27. Mrs. M. E. Smith vs. Wichita Falls Traction Co. Dec. 16. L. F. Ramming vs. Wichita Oil & Gas Co. Dec. 16. E. Rexford vs. Corsicana Pet. Co. Jan. 19. J. P. Gullett vs. Corsicana Pet. Co. Jan. 19. Chas. Folk vs. B. V. Magee et al Jan. 26. D. K. Stacey vs. Great Southern Oil & Gas Co. Jan. 26. Non Jury Civil. J. W. Young vs. J. L. Powell, Jan. 9. Mrs. Bessie Traweck vs. O. R. Rigbee, Dec. 21. W. B. Baxley vs. Dora Baxley, Dec. 12. J. C. Jones vs. Weston Jones, Dec. 12. J. R. Whisenaut vs. R. H. Cook Dec. 21. J. T. Parr vs. Lake Wichita Irrigation Co. Feb. 8. W. E. Shockey vs. G. C. Wood Feb. 2. D. T. Cross vs. C. B. Felder Adm. Dec. 21. A. C. Henson vs. T. J. Waggoner, Feb. 1. J. H. Howell vs. R. C. Sanders Jan. 13. C. W. Berry vs. Wichita Falls Traction Co. Jan. 14. O. T. Blakely vs. Fort Worth & Denver Railway Co. Jan. 11. National Supply Co. vs. Pattor Drilling Co. Feb. 1. National Supply Co. vs. P. B. Cox, receiver Feb. 1. J. E. Hooker vs. Ocean Accident Co. Feb. 1. E. Nuss vs. Fort Worth & Denver Railway Co. Jan. 25. Joseph Kalonic vs. Fort Worth & Denver Railway Co. Jan. 25. Republic Supply Co. vs. Fort Worth & Denver Railway Co. Jan. 28. J. J. Perkins vs. Continental Supply Co. Dec. 10. A. H. Fell vs. Wichita Falls Electric Co. Dec. 12. W. A. Honaker vs. T. R. Boone et al Dec. 21. W. I. Cameron vs. Wichita Falls Electric Co. Dec. 12. T. C. Danner vs. R. P. Prince et al Jan. 20. C. D. Shamburger vs. Lucy O'Neill Saunders, Jan. 25. Myles O'Reilly vs. Wiley Wyatt, Jan. 25. Mrs. Annie Andrews vs. R. H. Cool et al Jan. 25.

J. P. Donaldson vs. Wichita Falls & Southern, Feb. 1. G. R. Yantis vs. the Fort Worth & Denver, Feb. 8. D. C. Dunlap vs. Fort Worth & Denver, first Monday in February. Ed Wilson vs. City of Wichita Falls, Dec. 29. Warner Drilling Co. vs. Pierce-Fordyce Association, Feb. 8. I. D. Parker vs. Merchants & Bankers Underwriters, Dec. 18. Maggie Hewitt vs. B. F. Hewitt Jan. 18. O. A. Kenworthy vs. Producers Oil Co. Feb. 1. G. A. Coleman vs. M. K. & T. Jan. 19. Ralph Hines vs. J. A. Watkins et al Jan. 15. J. L. Art vs. Rose Humphries et al Jan. 2. Ora E. Dobbin et al vs. Robert Cox et al Dec. 10. J. L. Art vs. Max Levine et al Jan. 2. E. A. Combs vs. G. A. Dunn, Feb. 5. Lillie Waggy vs. Minnie Tabor, Dec. 21. W. E. Crow vs. C. D. Shamburger, Feb. 2. T. J. Boyington vs. Childress Oil Co. Feb. 15. W. M. Hall vs. Wichita Falls Traction Co. Feb. 8. W. A. Bandy vs. Fort Worth & Denver, Feb. 15. E. A. Boyd vs. J. M. Guffey Pet. Co. Feb. 15. J. H. Lewallen vs. City of Wichita Falls, Feb. 10. Mrs. Dora Tabor vs. W. M. Priddy, Jan. 25. Mrs. P. Daggett vs. Elisha Stephens, Feb. 15. W. T. Stingley vs. Western Union Telegraph Co. Jan. 8. Hattie Houston vs. Fort Worth & Denver, Jan. 15. C. L. Gould vs. Wichita Falls & Northwestern, Jan. 14. Thomas Dowd vs. Wichita Falls Motor Co. Jan. 18. R. L. Boyd vs. Southwestern Telephone Co. Jan. 18. Jack E. Kelly vs. Wichita Falls & Northwestern, Dec. 12. C. E. Faires vs. Farmers Cotton Oil Co. Feb. 23. C. R. Gonner vs. Schnell & Weaver, Feb. 2. W. I. Johnson et al vs. Due Mills et al Feb. 23. C. D. Rodgers et al vs. Wichita Ice Co. et al Jan. 12. Harrison-Everton Co. vs. H. Sonnaker, Jan. 12. S. M. Gose vs. J. B. Heath, Jan. 4.

Medical Society Elects Officers For Ensuing Year, Following It With Supper at Cafe.

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Shall we say that women contribute only the bandages, the nursing, the cheering and comforting the wounded? No! They contribute the light of hope to a capable mother or an efficient wife.

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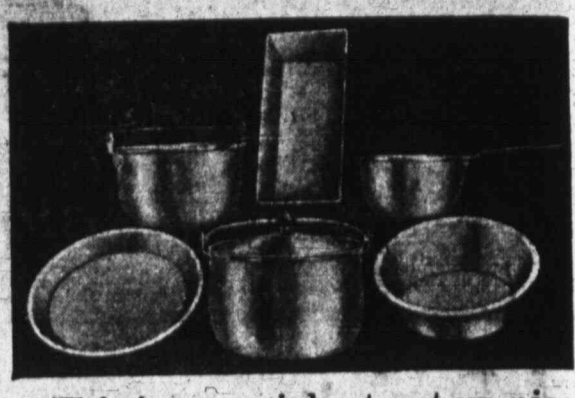
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Times Want Ads For Results



Raymond Hitchcock in a new musical comedy, "The Beauty Shop" at Wichita Theatre Friday night, Dec. 11.

At The Theaters

"BOUGHT AND PAID FOR" IS TONIGHT'S ATTRACTION

Analyzing the story of "Bought and Paid For," the New York playhouse success, which comes to the Wichita Theatre tonight, one is forced to the conclusion that George Broadhurst, the author, wrote an exceptionally powerful drama because of the simplicity of his treatment of the theme. The plot is so straight-away that it might be written on a visiting card. The intense interest of the play is in its pointed dialogue and the frank unfolding of his skillfully drawn characters. The story deals with the marriage of a wealthy man to a telephone operator. She is of humble origin and into her new life of luxury she lifts her sister and brother-in-law. In accepting the proposal of the millionaire she made no pretense of anything more than admiring and respecting her husband, but in two years this feeling develops into love, which battles, with pride, he tells her he has bought and paid for her. In her resentment, she leaves her husband and refuses any assistance from him. She becomes a ship girl and goes to live with her sister and brother-in-law, whom her husband had elevated to prosperity, but who in the meantime has fallen into poverty again. The brother-in-law, a never-do-well, driven to extremities by the loss of his comfortable salary, and knowing that the husband loves his wife, makes one of his characteristic blunders and thus brings them together again.

There is a splendid interpretation company and a scenic equipment in completeness to the smallest detail. The Empress. The eighteenth "peril" of Pauline is to be seen here today. In this exciting adventure the fair heroine of countless perils has a new experience. Seeking new thrills she goes down in a submarine. The dastardly villain Owen, as usual is on hand with a plot and with the aid of a foreign counsellor the submarine was disabled while at the bottom of the sea. A spy bit of foreign diplomacy is interwoven to give some reason for the disablement of the submarine. Of course it would never do to leave Polly to a watery grave and so she is shot through the hole intended for projectiles. When she comes to the top of the water, there is Harry as usual and Polly is unharmed and ready to seek another adventure. By reason of a mistake in shipping "Our Mutual Girl" will be shown today instead of yesterday. A two part American drama, featuring Winnifred Greenwood and Ed Coxen completes the program.



MISS BESS BROOKS Prima Donna with "The Wizard of Wistland," at the Wichita Theatre Saturday, matinee and night, December 12.

"His First Case," a story of newspaper life and the secret service is showing here. "When Love Sedley," a young newspaper reporter, receives notice from the secretary of the treasury that he has been appointed a special agent to work in the customs service, the first person to whom he tells his good fortune is Irma Benton. Irma is far more deeply interested in Sedley than she is in Dick Dustin, whom her mother wants her to marry because of his wealth. Among other luxuries Dustin owns a fine steam yacht. Sedley's first assignment is to investigate large and frequent sales of an illicit drug which are made by an obscure drug store. He discovers that the drug is delivered to the store by a strange individual whom he shadows to an office, the lettering on the doors of which identifies him as B. Deutch, an alleged pharmaceutical chemist. By watching the office Sedley learns that it is the headquarters of a smuggling gang of which Dustin is the real head. His steam yacht is used as the means of getting the illicit drug past the customs inspectors. Ascertaining that Dustin and his confederates plan to visit an isolated cove along the coast at a certain time, Sedley determines to capture them with the evidence in their possession. Irma offers him the use of her auto and drives him overland to a point on the cliffs overlooking the smuggler's cove, where Sedley waits for the ship to arrive. His over eagerness leads to his own capture by Dustin and his confederates, who take him aboard the yacht and head out toward sea. Irma, witnessing the capture from above, is distracted. She drives back to the port and there the sight of the harbor, suggests an applying in the harbor, suggests an applying to the naval authorities. She visits the gunboat "Paul Jones" and tells the commander of Sedley's predicament. He gives the necessary orders for a pursuer to be dispatched. Sedley finds that his first case has won him a wife as well as honor.

The Lydia Margaret. Sylvester and Vance, two good looking young people with good voices and an act of more than usual merit have made themselves favorites during their engagement at this theatre. They have a satirical comedy, skit with songs that are hits. Bettina Bruce and Company in their little sketch "Cupid M. D." are clever and the mistress of the love sick girl as portrayed by Miss Bruce is very funny. This bill will close tonight. On the picture program is a 1-KO comedy "Partners in Crime" these new Universal comedies are the last word in burlesque and this comedy is booked as unusually good.

"The Painted Hills," eleventh installment of the "Trey O' Hearts" is showing today, also a George Ade comedy, "The Author, the Dear Public and the Plate of Mush." Ernest Copple, an author, was trying to grind out something that could be sold for enough money to buy himself a good square meal. He dashed out some sentimental-guff called "When Willie Came to Say Good Night" and it was junk. He threw it in the waste basket, but when his friend came in, he discovered it, and set out to sell it. He finally found a magazine editor who gave him a check for \$500 and it was like picking money off a bush. The author, who was an old bachelor and a kid hater, was tickled to death to get the dough, but when the letters came flocking in congratulating him on his excellent poem, and sympathizing with him, he was bored to death. Mr. Copple found a Chinaman at last who had not heard of the pathetic poem, so he nabbed him for a companion and retired to the northern woods where he hoped never to hear of his literary efforts again. Moral: When the nation weeps, the Johnstown flood isn't a marker.

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GET TOGETHER MEETING OF PRESBYTERIANS TONIGHT Members of the First Presbyterian Church have received the following:

The Mine of Tradition

By Joe Busche

OUNDS good, but that's all there is to it. "Well, that's a rough," Barton teased rejoined. "A good sound is about all we need in any proposition, isn't it? Just think how badly the prospectus would read: Los Buhos—Treasure house of old New Mexico—Worked for a hundred years with no diminution of output—A stream of silver that made Spain the mistress of the world, equipped the Armada, and all but converted old England into a Spanish province—Miners all massacred by Indians—Lost for 300 years—Limited amount of capital stock at 10 cents per share. Why, miners would sell a million shares on the strength of the romance of it alone." "Yes, but—" Waterman hesitated. "Ever been down in that country?" he abruptly inquired, his smile vanishing. "Well, I have. I know all about it, and the old mines; I wouldn't go within a hundred miles of any of them; they're bedded, as a geologist says, in the rocks." "Why, Jack, I never should have suspected you of being superstitious. But that's all right; I don't want you to go. You stay here and get the company organized and the certificates engraved; if I don't find the real thing and the stock is gone, I'll do just as well as far as the stock is concerned. I'll go and start tomorrow." "But some good advice?" "Not now. My mind is made up." "Three days afterward an overland passenger sufficiently lenient dropped on a little New Mexican town, and a buckboard would journey him some 50 miles of his journey. He was not the first man to be lured to New Mexico by stories of the mineral wealth. The first were Spaniards, and the thrill of their coming was far back toward the conquest of Mexico. Disappointed at not finding gold, and silver ready mined for them, they promptly turned to searching for these metals in the mountains skirting the valley of the Rio Grande and discovered a number of rich silver mines. None of their successors brought a swarms of other Spaniards pouring up from Mexico, adventurers of the Cortes type, who immediately enslaved the Pueblo Indians to labor in the mines. For 200 years the Pueblos delved patiently, but at last rose in savage fury, and with fire and scimitar knife swept New Mexico clean of white men, killing most of them, and sending the

and his soul consigned to perdition. In turn, he laughed at her fears, telling her the true story of the curse, and pointing out that no Christian should fear the wrath of a pagan god, but without shaking her; with her Pueblo blood, she had inherited an equal proportion of Pueblo superstition. Then drawing coldly away, he told her that he was too poor to marry without the mine, and that he would take her refusal to help him to mean that she did not love him. And she, half stunned by the prospect of losing him, tearfully yielded. Highly elated, he wrote to Waterman that night, informing him of his success. In return, he received from his partner the one line: "I have notified the undertaker to be in readiness." "Why does he keep on in that strain?" Barton muttered, savagely tearing the letter across. "Might think these New Mexican women, passionate half-savage creatures that the best of them are; stroke their fur in the right direction, and they are as purring and gentle as kittens, but disappoint them in love and they become tiger-cats. It is from experience; there is a scow as long as my hand not far from my heart to testify that I do. "Take the advice of an old fool and get away from there before your Conchita discovers that you are a married man, else you will come out in a box with a knife between your ribs." It is reading caused Barton to shiver with nervous apprehension, but he was stubborn and tenacious to the last degree, and therefore all that it accomplished was to make him suspicious and watchful of Conchita. He already had advanced far in his conquest of her heart; and it now began to push forward with all the haste possible, find the mine if he could, and then leave New Mexico before she should discover his deception. With eye as cool and calculating as that of the physician watching the progress of a disease, he noted the growth of the flame within her, till at last he saw that it was ready to burst forth. Then he caught her in his arms, kissing her mouth and eyes, whispering in broken Spanish terms of love and endearment, and it was done. But his next step he found to be a difficult one. When he proposed to her that she assist him in finding the mine, she hastily made the signs of the cross on both her breast and his, then threw her arms around his neck, and in a storm of passionate pleading begged him to let it alone. It was accused, she told him, the abode of the Evil One, and that he who should find it would be stricken with instant death

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own room and threw herself down on her knees before a picture of the virgin, sobbing piteously; a gust of wind rushed in through the window, picked up the letter from his wife, and swept it along the floor into a dark corner of the room, but he neither felt it nor saw what it did. He instantly missed the letter when he at last looked up from the map, and so quickly connected his disappearance with Conchita's going; and now would discover the fraud that he was. Conchita into the foothills, he found the trail in bad condition, completely obliterated in places, and in others piled high with bowlders and other debris which made it slow going, and the sun had set when he at last sprang from his horse at the place indicated by the map and started up the mountain on one side. He had reached a point half way to the summit when he suddenly started running and came to a stop beside a huge fragment of stone that lay partly imbedded in the earth. For centuries it had lain there undisturbed, but now a stream had rushed about it, washing out the loose sand and soil in which it lay, and finally eating its way into the old shaft which it covered. Straitsening up, he tumbled

with trembling fingers in his pockets for matches, and taking out one struck it on his trousers; but the wind instantly extinguished it; finding another, he carefully protected it with his hands till the wood was ignited, and then thrust it down into the hole. A long-drawn exclamation of surprise escaped him as the tiny flames revealed the marks of steel tools on the sides and the end of a cotton shirt. He was so deeply absorbed that he did not bear a light footstep at his side, and when he finally looked up again it was to find Conchita standing over him, her right hand raised aloft and holding an object that gleamed dully in the dying light. "Panic-stricken, he instantly threw himself back on the ground, the minute time whipping out his revolver and firing. His aim was true, the shot staggered backward, her knees doubled up and without a sound she dropped down in a heap upon the earth, the object she had held in her hand striking the rock with a metallic tinkle. Getting to his feet, Barton walked to where it lay and picked it up, but only to drop it the next instant. It was a crucifix!

All in the Pictures

BY ELSIE ENDICOTT



"OW, children," exclaimed Mrs. Flops, "I will not explain another single solitary thing about those moving pictures! You will have to ask your father." "No," objected Flops. "They needn't ask father. If they do ask father he will immediately jump out of the window. Father refuses to be responsible for the doings of people in those movies. "It was your mother who proposed the expedition. I didn't. She said you would enjoy them so much, which was not true. Your poor little minds were never at rest from the beginning to the end. Nor were your mothers, nor your parents. Nor the parental minds, I might add. This thing of figuring how best to explain the pictures and make them clear to childish intellects was worse than any Chinese puzzle that was ever invented. "Each time the hero changed his clothes he had to be identified as 'him,' and he was the most enthusiastic fellow for changing his clothes that I ever saw! If this picture was calculated to provoke kids to question it was a success beyond the wildest dreams of the author and perpetrator thereof. "The bad man" went around in varying garb all the time and had to be identified, too. Funny that we had to spot him out when the people in the play couldn't do it. "It was: 'Where's the little girl now?' 'Oh, is the little girl grown up?' 'Where's the little girl's mother?' 'How do you know she's dead?' 'If I were her I wouldn't hug that old geezer!' 'Is he her father?' 'How do you know?' 'Is he a convict?' 'What's a convict?' and

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