

WARSHIPS FROM JAPAN APPROACH CHINA'S COAST

CHINA PREPARES TO RESIST ATTACK

REPORT FROM TOKYO SAYS CHINA GIVEN 48 HOURS TO ANSWER ULTIMATUM

YUAN SHAI KAI TO DECIDE

Japanese Inhabitants in China Congregate at Consulates—Embassy Ready to Leave

By Associated Press. London, May 5.—The Japanese ultimatum to China, says a dispatch to the Central News from its Tokyo correspondent, "grants a delay of 48 hours."

JAPANESE WARSHIPS APPROACHING CHINA

By Associated Press. Peking, May 5.—A Japanese cruiser and four torpedo boat destroyers are approaching Ching-Wang-Tai on the Gulf of Peking, evidently for the purpose of removing from China, the members of the Japanese legations. Consular reports from all parts of the country announce the departure of Japanese or their concentration at the Japanese consulates. There is a substantial opinion in China that Japan may take action in regard to the non-acceptance of her demands by China without waiting on the issuance of an ultimatum.

PREPARATIONS MADE TO DEFEND PEKING

By Associated Press. Peking, May 5.—The fact that preparations are being made to defend this city against a possible Japanese attack is being kept secret from the people here. Only the educated upper classes know the facts. It is reported from some southern Chinese cities several men and one woman have committed suicide declaring they did not wish to see China subjugated. This city is remarkably quiet in the face of what the Peking Gazette calls the "gravest situation China has faced." Most people are going about their business as usual. After receiving the news yesterday of Japan's proposed ultimatum, the Chinese ministers were divided. Some of them thought that China would yield while others thought that China would resist. The final decision rests with President Yuan Shai Kai.

ACCORDING TO THE CHINESE OFFICIALS, WHOSE STATEMENTS HAVE BEEN CORROBORATED IN OTHER CIRCLES, THE GOVERNMENT IS MAKING NO PREPARATIONS ELSEWHERE THAN AT THE CAPITAL FOR DEFENSE, CONSIDERING THAT THE CHINESE WILL BE UNABLE TO OPPOSE THE JAPANESE SHOULD THEY MAKE AN ATTACK.

IT IS ASSERTED IN HIGH QUARTERS THAT 100,000 TROOPS HAVE BEEN CONCENTRATED IN THE ENVIRONS OF PEKING WITH SUFFICIENT AMMUNITION FOR ONLY A BRIEF RESISTANCE.

Special police and military precautions have been taken throughout the city, especially around the winter palace, where President Yuan Shai Kai resides. The officials declare that they are suspicious that the Japanese may attempt a repetition of the Korean coup d'etat.

THE SITUATION IS CONSIDERED AWKWARD FOR SOME OF THE FOREIGN LEGATIONS, ESPECIALLY THOSE WHOSE COUNTRIES SYMPATHIZE WITH THE CHINESE, BUT NONE OF THEM COULD OPPOSE THE ENTRY OF THE JAPANESE INTO PEKING.

Telegrams received here from Mukden say that the Japanese bank and postoffice there have been closed and that the Japanese reservists have been called to the colors and that other civilians are concentrating.

Dr. Paul S. Reinsch, the United States minister here, expresses the opinion that the missionaries and other Americans in the interior are in no danger. He says the Chinese government will preserve order in the regions over which the Chinese hold control.

SURPRISED AT TALK.

In spite of the belief which has prevailed in China for many years that Japan coveted control of the country, considerable surprise was caused by the report that Japan intended to issue an ultimatum to the government as an overgrowth of China's refusal to concede all of Japan's demands. It is contended that the Chinese have conceded virtually all the articles contained in the eleven demands made on them and enumerated to the powers and a high official said yesterday that it was not believed that Japan would dare enforce those contained in group 5, which he said Japan had informed Great Britain, as well as the other powers, were merely regarded as desirable.

LEVEE REPORTED BROKEN AT FULTON, ARKANSAS

By Associated Press. Texarkana, Ark., May 4.—It was reported this afternoon that the levee at Fulton, Ark. had given away and that Fulton was practically flooded. Details are lacking.

PROGRESS MADE ON STATE APPROPRIATIONS

Compromise Reached in House On Reply to W. C. T. U. Omniclient Letter

By Associated Press. Austin, May 5.—A compromise was reached today on the Lewelling motion pending from yesterday that the speaker be directed to answer the telegram of Mrs. Nannine Webb Curtis, president of the Texas W. C. T. U., which message urged the enactment of statutory prohibition in Texas. Under the compromise the speaker is directed to make a suitable reply but the telegram is not to be referred to the governor.

Consideration of the eleemosynary appropriations taken up and much progress made. This bill carries a total of \$4,000,000 for the next two fiscal years. An amendment by Representative Burneiser authorizing the board of managers of the blind institute to consider offers of sites for the proposed new institution at Austin or other Texas towns was adopted. The house adopted practically without change the appropriations recommended for the state orphans' home, the Confederate home, the Confederate women's home, the blind institute, the deaf and dumb institute, the epileptic colony and the state institution for the training of juveniles.

WILL USE AUTOS IN GO-TO-CHURCH CAMPAIGN

Telephone Calls, Advertising and Personal Appeals Will Be Called Into Use

Some of the churches which will participate in the "go-to-church-and-Sunday-school" campaign for next Sunday are planning to send automobiles and other conveyances for folks who might otherwise be unable to attend services. The plans for the day are going forward rapidly, and by means of telephone calls, advertising and personal appeals, the importance of attending church next Sunday will be impressed on everyone who can be reached.

THE DAY WILL ALSO BE OBSERVED AS THE ANNUAL "MOTHER'S DAY" AND SEVERAL OF THE CHURCHES HAVE ARRANGED SPECIAL PROGRAMS FOR THIS OCCASION.

By Associated Press. London, May 4.—In presenting the budget to the House of Commons today the Chancellor of the Exchequer, David Lloyd George estimated that if the war lasted during the whole of the fiscal year Great Britain's expenditure in that time would be \$5,822,170,000.

NEW AGRICULTURAL EXPERIMENT STATION PROPOSED

By Associated Press. Austin, Texas, May 5.—Dr. H. H. Harrington, former president of the A. & M. College, now land commissioner of the Brownsville railroad is here advocating establishment of an experiment station in Southwest Texas—either in Hidalgo or in Cameron county. Mr. Harrington claims that upward of 60,000 persons engaged in agriculture in the Rio Grande country would profit by such a station, especially in cane and truck growing experiments. At present the Rio Grande country has no experiment station. Mr. Harrington has suggested to the House and Senate appropriation committees an allotment of \$10,000 for the first year and \$7,500 for the second year for a station.

HUTCHINS SAYS CASE IN GOVERNMENT'S HANDS

By Associated Press. Austin, Texas, May 5.—Adjutant Henry Hutchins returned today from San Antonio where he has been conferring with Gen. Funston at Fort Sam Houston relative to the investigation of the alleged sale of \$50,000 worth of federal military property which had been in possession of the Texas National Guard. Gen. Hutchins made a complete report to the governor. He said that he had nothing to add to what already had been made public and declared that he had submitted all the evidence in his possession to Gen. Funston and that the case was now in the hands of the federal government.

VICE PRESIDENT PASSES THROUGH HOUSTON TODAY

By Associated Press. Houston, May 5.—Vice President Thomas R. Marshall passed through here today enroute east from the Pacific coast. A small crowd had gathered at the depot to greet him. A feature of his brief stop here was the presentation to him of a basket of roses by a great granddaughter of General Sam Houston.

BLINDNESS THEME DR. MILLER'S SERMON

EVANGELIST TELLS HOW GOD OPENS EYES OF THOSE SPIRITUALLY BLIND

CROWD LARGE DESPITE RAIN

Doctrinal Questions Discussed at the Morning Service—Several Additions

An audience but slightly affected by the rain heard Dr. Miller's sermon on Paul's mission to the Gentiles delivered last night at the First Baptist Church. Dr. Miller took his text from the Book of Acts, chapter 26, verse 18, "To open the eyes of the blind and to turn them from darkness to light, and from the power of Satan unto God, that they may receive forgiveness of sin and an inheritance among them which are sanctified by Me."

Dr. Miller told of the blindness so prevalent today—blindness to God's beauties of nature and His spiritual beauties as well. There are a number of things which may enter into life to blind men to God's wonders and Dr. Miller named several of these, namely, blindness through ignorance, blindness through prejudice, the attitude assumed by some to doctrine in which they themselves are not particularly interested. Sometimes, he said, hatred serves to blind one to all that is high and noble in life. Others are blinded by fear, a fear of self and of God's ability to preserve from harm, some would fain-to be Christians but are afraid that they could not hold out, thus doubting God's infinite power. Then again, he said, pre-conceived ideas blind some who dare to put their trust in God, who attempt to refute the statements in His Word. For these many blindnesses Christ offers a cure and gives a promise of future peace and happiness.

A strong appeal was made at the close of the sermon and the response was gratifying. Several additions were received into the church. Yesterday and this morning a Bible study was held, both services being well attended. Doctrinal questions were entered upon in an informal manner on this occasion, the lesson being taken by Dr. Miller from the fifth chapter of Romans.

WILL OPEN BIDS TONIGHT FOR JOINT HOSPITAL

More Than Score of Out-of-Town Contractors Here To Submit Bids

Bids for the joint public hospital will be opened tonight at a session of the city council at which several members of the commission's court will be present. Bids are quite numerous and several dozen out of town contractors are in the city today to attend the opening of the bids.

THE CONTRACT WILL NOT BE AWARDED TONIGHT, HOWEVER, AS THE COMMISSIONER WILL NOT MEET UNTIL NEXT WEEK BUT THE LOWEST BIDDERS WILL BE ASCERTAINED.

Nearly all of the bids submitted for this building, it is understood, are from out-of-town contractors.

COTTON ACREAGE CUT FULLY FIFTY PER CENT

Cotton Crop Believed Less Than Half Reduction in Other Counties Reported Not So Large

Wichita county has not over half as much cotton acreage this year as in 1914, according to estimates which have been made, and it is believed the acreage has been cut at least 50 per cent. J. W. Campbell, district agricultural agent, says the cotton acreage is reduced 50 to 75 per cent and very few of those in touch with the situation place the reduction at less than 35 per cent. A heavy cut in the acreage was made certain by the increased acreage in wheat and oats, planted last fall.

ACREAGE REDUCTION IN COTTON HAS BEEN VERY HEAVY THROUGHOUT NORTHWEST TEXAS, ALTHOUGH MANY OF THE WICHITA VALLEY COUNTIES HAVE REDUCED THEIR ACREAGE LESS THAN WICHITA COUNTY. IN SOME COUNTIES THE REDUCTION IS SAID TO BE LESS THAN 25 PER CENT.

ONLY SIX JOINT CITY AND COUNTY HOSPITALS

By Associated Press. Austin, Texas, May 5.—Only six out of the 250 counties in Texas have taken advantage of the 33rd legislature law permitting a county to issue bonds for hospitals for persons with tuberculosis or other communicable diseases. State Health Officer Dr. W. B. Collins pointed out today that about 24,000 persons die in Texas annually from communicable diseases. He said that many of these could be saved with proper hospital facilities, while hospital segregation would curtail spread of the diseases. He thought a very marked improvement would be shown in a short time wherever these hospitals were established.

GERMAN SUCCESSES ON TWO FRONTS

OFFICIAL REPORT TELLS OF PURSUIT OF BOTH BRITISH AND RUSSIANS

TOO BUSY TO COUNT BOOTY

Claim To Have Pierced Third Line of Russians Threatening Northern Flank

By Associated Press. Berlin, May 5.—The official statement issued from army headquarters today says: "Western theatre of war: The British continue their retreat with heavy losses in the direction of the bridgehead to the east of Ypres. Three farms were taken by us from the British. "Between the Meuse and Moselle rivers there again is a great activity. In the forest of La Perte northwest of Pont-A-Mousson the French attacked yesterday with strong forces. Notwithstanding a long preparatory bombardment by artillery their attacks broke down under our fire with heavy losses to the enemy. On the other hand we began attacks in the forest of Ally and to the east thereof which made good progress. Up to the present we have taken ten officers and 750 men.

"Eastern theatre of war: Attacks from Roesinnin coming from the southeast were repulsed. The enemy is being pursued at Kalwary, also northeast of Suwalki and east of Augustowo where numerous Russian advances failed. Four hundred Russians in all were taken prisoners. On the remainder of the front there were a few fights at close quarters in which we have gained advantages.

"Southeastern theatre of war: An attack by the allied troops (Austro-German) north of the wooded Carpathians pierced through the third fortified line of the Russians who yesterday were defeated along the entire front, retreating toward the Wislota river. The magnitude of the victory may be seen from the fact that owing to the piercing of the enemy's line the Russians are beginning to evacuate threatened positions on their northern flank in the wooded Carpathians. The rapidity of our successes makes it impossible to give an idea in figures of the booty taken in this victory. According to reports at hand the number of prisoners taken amounts to over 30,000."

GULFLIGHT FLEW AMERICAN FLAG

EVIDENCE AT BRITISH INQUEST STARS AND STRIPES PLAINLY DISPLAYED

VERDICT CAPTAIN'S DEATH

Found Death Resulted From Heart Failure, Accelerated by Shock Upon Attack

By Associated Press. London, May 5.—At the inquest today of the death of Captain Alfred Gunter of the American oil-carrying ship Gulfflight which was torpedoed off Selly Islands the verdict returned was that the American came to his death from "heart failure accelerated by shock caused by torpedoing of the ship."

Evidence at the inquest showed that the Gulfflight was firing a very large American flag at the time she was torpedoed. A representative of the United States state department attended the hearing.

TWO NEGRO LABORERS ELECTROCUTED AT FORT WORTH

By Associated Press. Fort Worth, May 5.—Two negro laborers employed on the First Christian church building were accidentally electrocuted this morning.

THREE MORE TRAWLERS SUNK BY SUBMARINE

Fewer Others Have Been Lost As They Were Shelled and Fired Upon

By Associated Press. Hull, Eng., May 5.—Three more British trawlers have been added to the list of those blown up by the German submarines in the North Sea Monday. It is feared also that others were lost as they were shelled and fired upon with rifles. The crews taken advantage of the 33rd legislature law permitting a county to issue bonds for hospitals for persons with tuberculosis or other communicable diseases. State Health Officer Dr. W. B. Collins pointed out today that about 24,000 persons die in Texas annually from communicable diseases. He said that many of these could be saved with proper hospital facilities, while hospital segregation would curtail spread of the diseases. He thought a very marked improvement would be shown in a short time wherever these hospitals were established.

JITNEY REGULATION DECLARED VALID

COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS UPHOLDS CONSTITUTIONALITY OF ORDINANCE

LICENSE AND INDEMNITY INSURANCE DECLARED REASONABLE UNDER EXISTING CONDITIONS

By Associated Press. May 5.—Hilmy Co. v. State, appeal, blow today was a majority of the court of criminal appeals upheld the constitutionality of the Fort Worth ordinance which sought to regulate the operation of jitney cars. The decision was rendered in the case of ex parte, I. W. Sullivan, from Tarrant county. This decision affects the operators of jitneys all over the state.

Sullivan was convicted in the corporation sort of violating one of the city ordinances of Fort Worth and fined \$10. He appealed to the county court where he again was fined \$10 from which no appeal could be taken. The case was brought to the court of criminal appeals on a writ of habeas corpus on the ground that Sullivan was illegally restrained of his liberty in that the ordinance was unconstitutional.

Presiding Judge Prendergast in his decision and concurred in by Judge Harper, with Judge Davidson dissenting, held that cities have a right to regulate the operation of jitneys and motor buses.

The contention of the applicant, Sullivan, was that the ten dollar fee charged jitneys under the ordinance was an occupation tax and therefore unconstitutional. The court however overruled this contention holding it a license fee. Another contention by applicant was that the city of Fort Worth had no power or authority to require him to procure, pay the premium upon and deliver to the city an indemnity or insurance as a new feature in the regulation of the carriers in a city.

David Lloyd George COUNTS COST OF WAR

London, May 5.—In one of the shortest budget speeches on record, held on his feet a little more than an hour, David Lloyd George, chancellor of the exchequer, Tuesday gave the British public further insight into what the war is costing the nation.

The expenditure at present, Mr. Lloyd George said, was \$10,500,000 daily and he added the victory continues for a year Great Britain's bill would be upward of \$5,000,000,000. The debt of the country, according to Lloyd George, already has been almost doubled and stood well over the \$5,000,000,000 mark.

The chancellor destined to predict the end of the war. He introduced no measure calling for new taxes, although he hinted that such a step likely would have to be taken. There was little discussion of the budget itself and the usual income tax recollections were passed before the house adjourned.

Revenue Response Prompt. Lloyd George said he was able to report that the revenue of the country had exceeded the estimates and that the surplus and income tax payments were exceeding their money with unusual celerity.

During the evening Aastun Chamberlain mentioned the proposals for increasing the taxes on beer, wine and spirits, which the unionists and nationalists and several liberal members generally had intended to oppose. Lloyd George announced that he intended to confer with brewers and distillers and also that he was open to consider their proposals. He added, however, that he would ask that the government be given power to control the sale of liquor in the areas where munitions of war are made.

During the debate which followed the budget speech, Andrew Bonar Law, leader of the opposition, and John Redmond, leader of the Irish nationalists, declared their opposition to taxes on liquors but promised to facilitate the passage of that portion of the bill giving the government control over the sale of alcoholic liquors in areas where munitions of war are being manufactured.

Right Hon. Arthur Henderson for the labor party protested against the charges against the working men and declared that unless some method was found to have the working men's side of the case stated, it might be difficult for the labor party to give the government the solid support which they had rendered it during the war.

Lloyd George in replying said he could not encourage the idea that the proposed taxation would be dropped but declared he would consider the suggestion of discriminating between raw and mature whisky. He denied the case that had been made out for interference with the liquor traffic was a charge against the workers of the country.

The resolution imposing an income tax having passed, the house adjourned.

PASTOR PLEADS FOR RIGHTEOUSNESS

DR. ANDREWS PRESENTS VIVID PICTURE OF MEETING BETWEEN PAUL AND FELIX

TWO KINDS OF GREATNESS

One Based On External Possessions—Other On Internal Generosities

A graphic word picture of the meeting between Paul and Felix was given Tuesday night in the sermon by Dr. A. D. Andrews, who is conducting special services at the M. E. Church, South. A plea for righteousness, both in individual lives and in a civic sense, was a striking feature of the discourse. Dr. Andrews speaking of the wisdom that the saloon and the red light district were to the community and urging their early abolition. In spite of inclement weather there was a large crowd present, and much interest was manifested.

Dr. Andrews read the story of Paul before Felix, saying that the ruler called the apostle before him for purposes of entertainment, having heard that Paul was quite an orator. The story of the iniquities of Felix was related, he having risen from slavery, killed the man who befriended him and taken his own brother's wife in adultery.

Two Kinds of Greatness. "There are two kinds of greatness," said Dr. Andrews, "one is based on external possessions, the other on internal consciousness. There are two kinds of royalty, one known by its crown and its princely robes of office, the other by the regal mind and noble heart. One kind is the result of heredity, the other of character. These two kinds of kings faced each other in this text."

He said that Felix wanted to hear Paul speak, for the entertainment of the court, but Paul had a surprise for him. The prisoner did not cringe nor appear humble, before the ruler.

"Consciousness of integrity never quails before mortal man," said Dr. Andrews.

Instead of a plea for liberty, Dr. Andrews continued, Paul reasoned of righteousness, of temperance and the judgment to come. The pastor is discussing the plea for righteousness; said that while man's moral standards are higher today than ever before in the world's history, more immorality was tolerated. Speaking of internal righteousness, he said that righteousness could not exist in man who harbored secret sins.

"God almighty knows no double standard," he said.

Righteousness meant the love of truth also, said the pastor, and he took issue with the statement of a certain French statesman that "every man has his price" declaring there were many men and women in the world who would not surrender their integrity for any price.

Need To Be Aroused. Discussing external righteousness, Dr. Andrews said that the citizenship needed to be aroused to the dangers.

"The Christian men in this city could drive the red light district out in one week if they would," he declared.

He said that, when planning to take visitors for a drive over the city, no one ever thought of including the red light district on the route. It was something of which the citizenship was ashamed, yet it continued to exist and to flourish, he said.

"Do you want your boy raised in an atmosphere of saloons?" he asked, "or if saloons bring trade, and they do not; even if they bring money to the town, and they do not, weigh those things against the future of that blue-eyed curly-haired boy of yours. May God hasten the day when the good men and women of Wichita Falls will banish the saloons from this city."

Temperance, he said, was a term often misunderstood; it meant simply self-control. Lack of self-control made men slaves to their habits and tendencies he said, but there was no slavery about the religion of Jesus Christ.

The Final Review and Audit. Paul preached to Felix of the judgment to come. Dr. Andrews continued, and Felix trembled. It ought to be impressed on every man's consciousness, said the pastor, that his life is one day to be reviewed and audited and its results counted up. Felix trembled because of his conviction, said Dr. Andrews, but conviction is not salvation. He spoke of the danger of putting off the settlement with God and declared that delay is spiritual suicide.

Felix put Paul off until a "more convenient time," said the pastor, but a more convenient time never arrived for Felix.

"Christ is knocking at your heart," he said in conclusion, "there are too many who resist Him as Felix did."

GERMANS CAUGHT IN FLANK BY FRENCH ARTILLERY

By Associated Press. Paris, May 5.—French official: "To the north of Ypres the Germans yesterday made an attack against the left section of the British front. They were repulsed and taken in the flank by the French artillery and they suffered severe losses. Nothing has been reported from the remainder of the front."

AUSTRIA ANSWERS ITALY TOMORROW

BELIEVED AT ROME CHARACTER OF ANSWER WILL DECIDE ITALY'S COURSE

NINE TRAWLERS TORPEDOED

Submarines Took Heavy Toll of British Ships—Pretender German Reports Are Discounted

By Associated Press. Paris, May 5.—A dispatch from Mytilene to the Hava agency says that a German submarine attack was annihilated in the fighting at the Dardanelles yesterday and that the allies transported 1000 more prisoners to Tenedos and Neutros. The dispatch also says a squadron of warships of the allies again bombarded the forts at the Dardanelles and Turkish encampments along the coast.

By Associated Press. London, May 5.—Further crushing victories by the Austro-German forces in the west were announced today by the Berlin war office. It was also said that successes were won in France and Belgium. This report together with the events of the last few days make it appear that the Teutonic allies have entered into offensive operations on both the eastern and western fronts which as a whole have been undertaken simultaneously since the war began. It is in Galicia that the most important Austro-German victory is claimed.

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BRAZOS RIVER FLOOD PASSING INTO THE GULF

Next Few Hours Expected to Witness Steady Subsidence of Water Over Valley

By Associated Press. Houston, Texas, May 5.—The great Brazos River flood today was passing into the Gulf of Mexico and the next few hours were expected to witness the steady subsidence of the flood which had inundated rich valleys causing much damage to crops.

West Angleton still was under water today but no serious damage resulted as the people left their homes, many of them several days ago.



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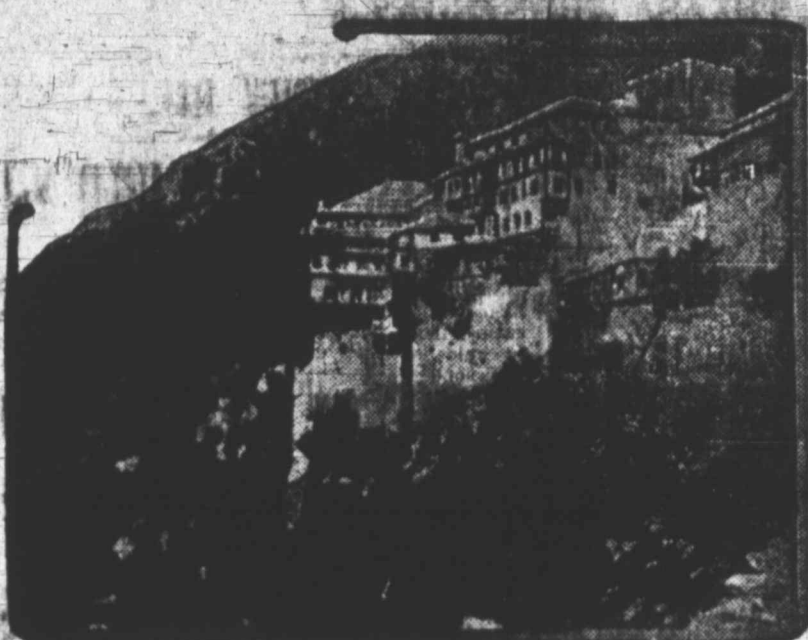
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MONASTERY OF SIMON PETER

WHERE the white cowed peak-head of Mount Athos rises into the serene turquoise sky and looks down its slopes, solemnly verdured by dark forests and gardened by olive, myrtle and rose, is the most remarkable republic in all the world, into whose arcadian confines came again the call of war—the world's greatest of wars.

This dominion, at all times on a military footing to repel its one great, human enemy, has passed through many wars with pirate invaders, not to mention the invasion of curiosity of the Byzantine empress, who insisted upon visiting the place to the mortification and scandal of the good men—so there is small wonder that Father Bulatovitch, once a grim soldier, yet unloved to go forth and fight for the czar.

Mount Athos is on the peninsula of Saloniki, which territory Greece wrested from the Turks in the last war, says the Louisville Courier-Journal. There are twenty monasteries in the republic, eleven villages and 250 hermitages. The population is composed of more than three thousand monks and as many lay brothers, who are classed as "wordlings." There is an army of fifty Albanian guards stationed at the capital, Karyas, to see that no woman enters. And so rigid is the bar against the weaker sex that not even the female of any animal may be admitted.

Is a Romantic Garden Spot. Think of this garden spot, where, despite the iron impress of celibacy, there are romance and poetry in the very air! There is mystery, too, for looking from the sea, the cloak of the dense forest that lies over the titanic shoulders of the holy mount is full of blue and black shadows and silence; then, grimly medieval, clinging to the side of the elevation, even in the bright sunlight losing none of its impenetrable character, is the "mysterious monastery" of Simon Peter.

Mount Athos might have still drowned in the serenity of its recent dream picture days had not Father Bulatovitch, who at one time held a commission in the army of the great white czar, been stirred by the martial spirit and declared his willingness to go to war. He had been an officer of the guards and as abbot of a monastery brought something of the military discipline there.

He made it clear he did not intend giving up his religious orders, but, in imitation of the crusading monks at the time of the Tartar invasion in the thirteenth and fourteenth centuries, would head his troops with his uniform covered by his priestly vestments. He may be fighting now, or he may have been mustered in at last for the long twilight march.

But even the monks who have been trained in the paths of peace are not unfamiliar with war. They have it as an inspiring tradition, for all of these monasteries in the beginning were armed forts to repel the invasion of pirates. The Russian monastery, four hours by muleback from the capital, is the best example of this defensive style.

Mount Athos a Place of Thrills. "As you approach," tells a recent visitor, "you are impressed and bewildered by that strange fortress sanctuary, with its bristling array of bastions, towers, turrets, redans and parapets, all stained, riddled and eroded by the action of time and tempest. As far as the eye can see there is no opening anywhere along the whole expanse of walls. Wooden galleries project beneath the roof, but they are of comparatively recent construction, having been added since the pirates ceased to harry the holy mountain. They are painted a defiant blood red. The whole mass of masonry clings scabrous-like to a rock, which is covered with luxuriant verdure."

In this curious republic there are Russian monks and Greek monks and Serbian monks and Bulgarian monks. Though peaceful in general effect, Mount Athos has been a place of thrills. Not long ago the Bulgarians made an effort to seize the Serbian monastery Hilendar and annex it for their own monks. The matter caused intense indignation in Belgrade, and was adjusted with some difficulty by the governing council of monks at Karyas.

Optimistic Thought. It dawns not the sooner for all one's early rising.

**GRAY AND DAVIS IS THE STARTING AND LIGHTING EQUIPMENT ON THIS CAR AND THE CARBURATOR IS STROMBERG.**

**At The Theaters**

**The Majestic.** For the first Wednesday in months and months there is no serial picture to be shown here today, due to the washout delays on the roads. But the first two installments of "The Black Box," a "girl detective" picture in which Ruth Roland is featured. A synopsis is given: The girl detective and Warrington, her assistant, are ordered to run down the river pirates who are working along the waterfront. Disguised in boy's clothes, the girl sleuth enters a notorious dive where she secures the admiration of Hogan and Donagel, leaders of a band of crooks, by the manner in which she picks Warrington's pocket. The crooks take a fancy to the "boy." Hogan introduces her to the rest of the gang. The girl detective thus learns that a schooner lying at one of the docks is to be boarded and part of its cargo stolen. After sending word to the police, the brave girl accompanies the band. The officers arrive while the gang is at work. The thieves entrap the police in the hold and make their escape. A moment's carelessness, however, results in the discovery of the girl sleuth's identity. The crooks carry her to their rendezvous. This is where the police find her on their trail at any moment, the crooks prepare to flee. Dubbed plans of ousting the girl detective for her treachery. Tying her to a chair, the schoolgirl lights a fuse and places it in a can of gunpowder. This she stands behind the chair, Hogan attempts to interfere but proves no match for Donagel. In the meantime, the police have been liberated. They trace the crooks to the den. A wild encounter ensues. Hogan is the first to be subdued. He informs Warrington of the girl detective's terrible peril. Dashing into the den, Warrington seizes the powder and hurries it outside. An instant later, a terrific explosion testified to the girl's narrow escape.

**The Empress.** William Farnham is starred in a splendid film version of Wilson Barrett's drama, "The Sign of the Cross." It is supported by a notable cast including Rollins, Healey, As Mercet, with whom he (Marcus) falls in love; Sheridan-Block as Nero; Ethel Phillips as Decia; the great Queen Cleopatra, Charles Yarnor, Lily Hansley and Morgan Thorpe.

"The Sign of the Cross" derived from the symbol which to scores of millions has for many centuries borne profound a significance, has been filmed by the Famous Players Film Co. with an extraordinary amount of realistic and spectacular effects and a faithfulness to the original settings and atmosphere seldom seen in motion pictures. Everything has been done to give the most stupendous and lavish production to a play which lends itself admirably to spectacular effects, and the result is a film which rivals in splendor any of the classical productions yet presented to the public.

For many years the original play has fascinated the imagination and awayed the emotions of audiences throughout the civilized world as has no other drama of its type. For your enjoyment of coming, as Betty's Fearless picture of life in the Rome of Nero. But this exciting world of intrigue and unbridled luxury covers but a portion of the canvas and the play also reveals, through its Christian character, the exquisite reverence and sanctity of faith; and it is through a gallery of startling scenes, now splendid with thronged annualities and stately luxury, now beautiful with piteous suffering and illumined with holy hope and love, that Marcus and Decia, the unflinching Christian and doubting Pagan, march to their decreed doom.

It would be impossible to overestimate the emotional power of "The Sign of the Cross" of Marcus and Decia. William Farnham is noble and dignified, both in the tender love passages with Decia or when lifting in heroic wrath upon his enemies and calumniators. The production will undoubtedly be conceded the highest film classic ever produced in America.

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My Dreams. Through the drugging moments of daily toil, Whether dressing or trudging, I'm dreaming of a winged girl.

What reward these wandering fancies yield? Perhaps, while I'm shaving, some every elf Springs from the mug on the bath room shelf.

ROWENA CIRCLE MEETING TUESDAY AFTERNOON

Mrs. J. C. Leggett was hostess to the Rowena Circle Tuesday afternoon. After discussions of different business matters a few minutes was devoted to the circle and a letter from an ex-member, Mrs. Richardson, was read and enjoyed and appreciated very much by all.

INTERESTING STUDY OF ART LITERATURE CLUB

The Art Literature Club met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. O. Filgo, Miss Cora Phillips being hostess. A very interesting Bay-view lesson on the old city of New Orleans was conducted by Mrs. J. M. Blankenship, who illustrated the lesson with a copy of the "Carnival Bulletin" published during the Mardi Gras and describing the festivities in detail.

MISS SHAVER HOSTESS TO B. O. P. GIRLS TUESDAY

The usual weekly meeting of the B. O. P. Girls was held Tuesday afternoon, Miss Opal Shaver being hostess. Diversion was found in the customary manner with fancywork and several of the members furnished delicious ice cream with cherries, angel food cake and wafers to the following: Misses Marguerite Baker, Mary Coffield, Hazel Pribe, Pauline Harris, Vera Hincley, Mabel Williams, Rhea Gardner, Beryl Murphree, Annette Coffield, Marion Crabtree and Mrs. Kelly.

TUESDAY BRIDGE WITH MRS. M. M. WALKER

The Tuesday Bridge Club met Tuesday in pleasant session with Mrs. M. M. Walker as hostess. The usual tilt

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for high score, was engaged in for the usual length of time. The rooms were decorated in masses of roses in charming effect, forming a natural color scheme. The guest of the afternoon was little Miss Margaret Smith of Post City, the players being limited to club members, including: Mesdames McGregor, Myles, Newton, Mizer, Woods, Thorburn, Wiley Blair, Fran, Blinn, Leoti, T. W. Roberts, Woodruff, Eugene, Sherrod and Miss Sherrod.

ALTAR SOCIETY MEETS MONDAY AFTERNOON

One of the most delightful meetings of the year for the Altar Society was held Monday afternoon at the country home of Mrs. Mike Emmert. The members assembling at the home of Mrs. E. L. Hargroves were conveyed by auto to the Emmert home. A business meeting was held, Mrs. Frank Cullinan presiding and the society decided to hold the last market of the season next Saturday. A grab bag sale was also planned to feature the next meeting, which will be held at the home of Mrs. Delaney. A social hour followed the completion of business and a delightful salad course was served.

DANCING CLUB RECENT SOCIAL ORGANIZATION

A newcomer in the clubdom of Wichita Falls is the Pickwick Club, an organization of the younger married set. The club meetings will be devoted to the tripping of the "light fantastic" and the members are all adepts at the Terpsichorean art. The first dance of the season will be held Friday evening and invitations are out for this affair.

Owing to the two revival services now being conducted the Thursday Party-two Club will not meet this week.

Mrs. R. E. Souther and baby son, Robert Jr., are visiting Mrs. Souther's mother, Mrs. J. M. Bell.

On account of the meetings of the Thursday Sewing Circle will meet next week with Mrs. J. M. Bell instead of tomorrow as formerly announced.

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BONER BY TEXAS RECRUIT RESULTS IN QUICK RELEASE

(Chicago Tribune) Somebody or other said it may have been Emerson, said "Hitch your wagon to a star," but little Eddie Holloway, a Giant recruit, knows better. Here is the story which he told:

There was a pitcher in the Texas League named Grover Brandt, who was drafted by the Red Sox in 1913. He picked up a friendly with a fellow Texan who was named Tris Speaker and along about the sixth or seventh day of the trip he and Speaker were sitting on the porch, when it came time to go down to the park to give the above testimony and hope practice today. "Well, then," said Grover Brandt, "recoils I won't go either."

"Along about luncheon time Jake Stahl, who was then managing the club, ran into Brandt and began to love him out. 'Why weren't you down at practice this morning?' he asked. 'Well, said Brandt, 'Tris Speaker didn't go down, so I decided I wouldn't go down either. There's a pitcher down in the Texas League now and his name is Grover Brandt.'

TIGERS WINNING STREAK IS BROKEN AT LAST

Irish Lads Won Yesterday 9 to 5 Tying Tigers For First Place in League

The winning streak of the Tigers was broken at last Tuesday evening by the Irish League team, they losing to the Irish Lads by the score of 9 to 5. Incidentally the Tigers now share first place with the Lads, each having won four games and lost one.

A protest will be filed on Monday's game, it was stated Monday, and the matter will be referred to a meeting of the managers of the four teams.

SECOND AGRICULTURAL CHATAUQUA AT BOWIE

By Associated Press. Bowie, Tex., May 5.—The second agricultural chatauqua to be held at Bowie under the direction of the Bowie Chamber of Commerce, was to begin here today to continue through two days. Subjects on the program were of especial interest to farmers and included demonstrations of canning, home economics, feeding, fertilizing and harvesting.

IN THE DANGER ZONE

By MARY WORDEN BLISS.

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There was not one of the odd-one hundred choppers who did not know the full history of Leoti Rogers and of Rob Marsh. A school had been started on the encampment and the father of Leoti and his bank had been given charge of it. Both had died. Leoti was left without a relative in the world. A half-breed teacher and his wife then took charge. It was possible for them to give Leoti a position as assistant teacher. The government supplied quarters for them in the school building, and Leoti was content to stay.

It was a wild, crude, even perilous environment, but Leoti was glad to be able to earn a living until she could think out a coherent future. The even tenor of her life was at length interrupted, however. Wineska, the son of the chief, returned from a long Alaskan chase. Leoti had shuddered the first time the dark fashing eyes of the impetuous young savage rested upon Wineska's young wife after that he managed to cross her path. He was respectful, but determined. It became known among the tribe that Wineska had resolved to take Leoti as a bride.

Then came the logging gang, and Rob Marsh among them. The young lumber cruiser met Leoti one day at the spring. It was a case of love at first sight. Something of this Wineska had learned. He began an active courting, or rather attempted it, to be repulsed by Leoti.

"I will kill the pale face lover," he told her fiercely one day. Leoti imparted the dread information to her lover. One evening both were missing.

Between the lovers a perfect understanding had come about. They would have then married at once, only that Rob owed a mining claim a short distance away from the lumber camp. It was necessary, in order that he might file a claim upon this, that he make a survey of it and stake it out. Then he could sell it for a sum sufficient to warrant his taking a wife, and he and Leoti would settle down in the city.

Rob had attended to the claim, and on his way back to the city, had stopped at the lumber camp for a food supply. He hoped to evade notice from the savages. Someone had seen him. Wineska had been apprised of the fact. Bill Budd had discovered his danger. He had hidden him away in a cave. The question now was as to getting Rob back to the city. One of his men came to Budd about noon.

"Bill, I've been carrying out your orders and noted around the Indian camp this morning. It's a blockade. 'You mean' inquired Bill anxiously.

"Bear bluff is completely surrounded. I suppose there isn't a hundred foot space that hasn't a friend of Wineska on patrol or in hiding. The orders are to shoot Rob Marsh on sight."

"All right," observed Bill abstractedly. "You and some of the others be here shooting a few logs into the river in about an hour."

"Why!" exclaimed the other, "we're not ready to make a run yet."

"Do as I say," ordered Bill, and himself proceeded to a part of the camp near the stream where the bluff formation was a shelter against observation from the Indian camp.

Half a hundred logs were sent adrift by the men within the next two hours. The current of the stream was rapid, and the logs floated swiftly down the river and past the Indian encampment. There was an interim of about forty minutes, and then Bill and two helpers came to the edge of the river and set about another log.

The old foreman watched it shoot down the stream like the others. He gave utterance to a fervent sigh of relief as it passed the encampment and rounded a curve in the stream, taking it out of sight.

"Good!" he muttered to himself with profound satisfaction. "Holler—Rob Marsh is in it, and Leoti will soon greet her future husband."

But, wise and unselfish as was old Bill, he had not unobtrusively counted on Indian vigilance and cunning. Two miles below the Indian camp a canoe shot out into the stream, manned by Wineska. He proceeded to grab the hook of a short pole into the back of the log and pull it ashore.

"Pale face come out," he ordered, and kicked the plug loose. "You and Wineska, for Leoti," he added ferociously as Rob stepped forth, and he dug at his feet a counterpart of a long hunting knife he held in his hand.

The young chief made a spring. Rob watched him off, but he saw death in some dexterous maneuver held in store by his adversary. Then he stared. From the brush an agile form bounded on tiptoe. He recognized an Indian girl, the discarded fiancée of Wineska.

She held outspread a heavy blanket. Just as Wineska was preparing for another onslaught on his opponent, she sprang the blanket over his head. As he staggered she whipped a stout lasso across, arm and body, pushed him to the ground, and turning to Rob, pointed down stream silently.

Rob Marsh did not hesitate or linger. Within an hour he was safe from pursuit, within six at a second outpost, and the next morning he reached the end of his journey—and Leoti.

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HARBOR AT HAMBURG IS PICTURE OF DESOLATION

Sea Gulls Search in Vain For Food—Paint Peeling From Giant Liners—But City is Busy

By Associated Press.

A vivid picture of Hamburg and its fine harbor in war time is given by the Tagliche Rundschau. In normal times it is one of the busiest seaports in the world, the commerce laden shipping thronging the docks and the broad face of the Elbe, funnel smoking, steam shrieking machinery creaking. Life swarming around the wharves and storage houses.

Now, however, says the writer, the harbor of Hamburg is desolate. "The gulls search in vain for their food, the thickest fog calls forth no warning signals, the cold spring sunshine falls on no smoke or rushing steam, the gates of the great bonded stores are closed, and grass grows in the flagged courts."

"In the pre-war days all roads led to the harbor, now these roads are desolate, and only a wanderer here and there denotes that some isolated individual still takes an interest in the vast area of the harbor. Wherever one looks the hulls of huge vessels and their gaunt smokestacks are seen, thick steel cables fastening them to anchors in the silted mud or to the shores of their mastsheads, not a solitary sailor gazed over their sides, no call comes from an officer on the bridge. Here and there you see an old sailor on deck as caretaker. His younger companions are all away at war."

"It is sad to look at these giant bulks with the paint peeling off them. You look at their names and are sorrowful. Over there is a magnificent South American liner, an imposing Colossus with her three funnels. There was a time when she proudly sailed down the Elbe to the ocean, her hands playing, thousands on shore waving her adieu. Now she lies still as the grave, fastened immovably by her iron chains."

"On the other side of the river at Kulwarder lie the straggled ranks of the Hamburg-American liners, tier on tier of them, their sides scraped and unsightly. We are told they are all that managed to get home in time. In other great docks and along stretches of quay are the tall graceful masts of the sailing ships, dry forests of them, dead forests without a sign of life."

"But behind the waterways and in many other places a thousand machines and grinding wheels are singing a song of busy preparation. In the great docks and shipbuilding yards there is a mighty hammering piercing the stillness of the harbor. From countless chimneys smoke and compressed steam issue forth day and night. Secretly, mysteriously awakening terror, this goes on, contrasting curiously with the deadly stillness of the stream. One's thoughts go forth to the coasts of England and to what will happen there soon as a result of the activities behind those high bulwarks and in remote corners of the town. One looks and listens and remembers that curiosity is out of the place here."

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Mr. Walsh's report. Apparently he has confined his investigation to the extreme cases, or to the Taft ranch. No such conditions as that described by him prevail in this part of Texas, or have ever prevailed, so far as The Times can ascertain, and what is true of this part of Texas is also true of the entire State as a whole, except perhaps, in a few extreme instances.

If it had been Mr. Walsh's purpose to publicly slander and malign the State as a whole, he could not have succeeded better than he has by making the report he did.

**POOR OLD JOHN.**  
 John Barleycorn, the swaggering, just now is badly staggering beneath repeated blows; for kings say, "He is ruinous—dodgast the stuff he's brewin' us," and biff him on the nose. The kings, alert and vigorous, are taking measures rigorous, to swat old John again: "He's worse than guns and sabres are," remark the kings, "his labors are addressed to downing men. Out where our flags are shimmering the bolts must go glimmering, it will make the soldiers rude; it spoils the ardent warrior, and nothing could be surrier than fighting man half stewed." Thus speak the Lord's anointed ones, and they are the appointed ones their people's weal to guard; they see that John, the lecherous, is vicious, mean and treacherous, and so they soak him hard. And if in Europe's villages, old John, who slays and pillages, runs up against a frost, the war, with all its slaughtering, that leaves the nations slithering, is well worth what it cost.



**NEAR-HOME HAVENS.**  
 (State Press in Dallas News)  
 Mr. J. A. Norworthy, who has read the Galveston-Dallas News since 1856, inquires to know why people will run over the world in search of health or resorts in Grand Old Texas. There are, in fact, including several Oklahoma places, a score of fascinating and health restoring vacation resorts in the Southwest which compare favorably in important respects with the best of such playgrounds in Europe. And that the Europeans are so extremely inhospitable to strangers from other quarters of the world—putting them to all manner of inconveniences and holding them under gravest suspicions, even stripping them of their clothes or shooting them from time to time—let us hope that some thousands of our uneasy rich folks will be content this year to forego at least one trip to their beloved step-fatherlands, and, instead, devote the summer to the more democratic and not less worthy watering places near home. Of course in the Southwestern resorts our uneasy rich friends will be greeted by fewer bong joors and perimette-mois and cest bong and bill o'vares wize zee price, ah, ze word you call him?—out, "popped up." But Jews are not reason our uneasy rich folks should be able to stand our rugged Southwestern scenery and our crude but not wholly uninteresting Southwestern society.

**THE JEW IN AMERICAN HISTORY.**

(From Leslie's)  
 With the large place the Jews have in the life of this country at present, we are well acquainted, but we have seldom thought of their activity in the colonial period of our history or in the early years of the Republic. At the twenty-third annual meeting of the American Jewish Historical Society, held in New York City, the first day's session was devoted to the activity and influence of Jews, mostly of Portuguese stock, during our colonial and revolutionary periods. One paper brought out the part played by the Gratz brothers, Jewish merchants of Philadelphia, in the trade development of the Ohio and Mississippi valleys. A paper read by Dr. Harold Korn of New York gave the results of a careful study of advertisements in the newspapers of New York and Massachusetts from 1761 to 1785, showing the extent and the varied nature of Jewish mercantile activity at that period. Another paper brought out the part played by a Jew—Moses M. Hays—in the introduction of Free Masonry into this country. Secretary Friedenberg, as the result of extended research reported that when the revolution came, the Jews, almost without exception, took the American side. "So far as is known," he said, "there were only two Jewish families among the United Empire Loyalists." Scattered over all the face of the earth, it has generally been true that the Jews as a people have been loyal to the land they have adopted, and this sometimes in the face of religious persecution.

**TEXAS MONEY FOR TEXAS.**

Governor Ferguson wants the legislature to repeal the Robertson insurance law. He wants it so badly that he is causing heavy costs to all the people of this state that it may result. He has made it one of the two special matters for a special session of the legislature.

What's the matter with this law that the governor should be so worried about it? It is a law that has happened to cause the governor to make this a special aim now a few months after his pre-election statements that the Robertson law was one of the best statutes that Texas has?

Let the governor make his reply to the people. It will take some time to explain his change of attitude.

Meanwhile, let it be reiterated again that the chief thing about the Robertson law is that it makes the life insurance companies invest in Texas. It demands reciprocity. If the life insurance companies invest in Texas, as they do, it seems but fair they should invest in this state some of their immense funds.

They object to doing so. Many people believe it is because they want to have the money in New York or gamble with it.

When you take out a life insurance policy, you pay a certain premium. The life insurance company, facing the prospect that you may die any minute and that it must then pay under the law immediately some \$10,000 or more, has a certain sum against the risk-takers on your life. This is called a reserve. Of these reserves, the State of Texas has decreed by the Robertson law, three-fourths shall be invested in Texas. The amount paid for life insurance reaches tremendous totals and the reserves consequently are large. This law, thus makes available investments in Texas great sums of money.

The life insurance magnates, living in New York, associated closely with Wall street, and speculative financial enterprises, are arrogant by their control of colossal sums. They don't want any state, let alone a western state like Texas, to give them any orders. Moreover, they fear that other states will pattern after Texas, just as Texas patterned after New York. So when this Robertson law went into effect, they withdrew from

the state. Seventeen of them are still out. They are using now, and have repeatedly used, the money from the premiums Texas policyholders have paid them to get this law changed; and they are at it again. High priced lobbyists are trying to get the legislature to repeal the Robertson law.

They do not tell the people of Texas that Germany, Austria, Canada and other countries require that not merely three-fourths but the entire reserves against policies within their borders be invested there. But such is a fact. They do not withdraw from Canada, which requires a 100 per cent reserve investment, because they know they can't bluff Canada. But they did withdraw from Texas because they think they can bluff Texas, though Texas asks only a 75 per cent investment.

If you want Texas money to work in Texas, as you yourself do, keep the legislature in mind.—Dallas Dispatch.

One and one-tenth inches of rain fell in Wichita Falls shortly before noon today in one of the heaviest showers yet experienced here. The rain was general throughout Northwest Texas, being lighter to the south. No damage was done, so far as known. An electrical storm accompanied the rain.

Weather at this time was not all welcome for wheat and some damage may result from the precipitation. In some places wheat was already suffering from excessive rains.

**Market Reports**  
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 By Associated Press.  
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Figures indicating this year that the winter wheat acreage would be 4,500,000 acres larger at harvest time than in 1914 gave the market a further setback. The close was steady. Wheat, May 1-61; July 1-34 3-8; Sept. 1-25. Corn, May 76 3-4; July 79 3-8; Sept. 47 1-4.

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 Fort Worth, May 5.—Cattle receipts 2700, steady to ten cents higher. Beaves \$7.50 to \$7.50. Hog receipts 2000 steady, bulk \$7.36 to \$7.45. Sheep receipts 2500, steady; lambs \$7.50 to \$10.

**New York Futures**  
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 New York, May 5.—Renewed weakness in Liverpool was followed by an opening decline of 10 to 15 points in cotton and active positions sold 14 to 16 points net lower. Offerings were not as heavy or as aggressive as they were on the opening decline yesterday and prices rallied 3 or 4 points from the lowest during the early trading on some fresh buying. Offerings increased on the slight bulge but after breaking after a net loss of 20 to 22 points prices rallied 5 or 6 points. The failure of the bullish weather news to create a demand served further to unsettle sentiment and the market became weak in the middle of the afternoon with prices about 22 to 24 points net lower. The close was firm: May, 9-43; July, 9-53; Oct., 9-36; Dec., 10-18; Jan., 10-20.

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Senator McNealis introduced in the senate a concurrent resolution for the submission of the question of calling a constitutional convention the first Monday in January, 1916. Both senate and house adjourned until ten o'clock tomorrow.

**Couldn't Fool the Dog.**  
 A citizen of Bangor, Me., has a skye terrier dog which has been taught to take a paper bag in his mouth and go to a restaurant after his dinner. He goes to the door of the establishment and scratches the outside till he is admitted. Then he trots down stairs and deposits his paper bag on the floor and waits patiently until some meat is placed in it, and returns to his owner.

The other day the restaurant people placed some raw potato cuttings in the bag instead of meat and twisted it up as usual. The terrier did not discover the trick until he had reached the outside door of the restaurant, when he suddenly dropped the bag on the floor, pawed it open and found out that he had been fooled. He could not be induced to touch it until some meat had been placed in the bag in plain sight, when he took up his dinner and trotted off with it.

**Hatched by Sun's Heat.**  
 The female crocodile lays her eggs in a sand bank near the river to the number of 50 or 60, and when they are hatched by the heat of the sun, the young ones at once take to the water. Few persons have the opportunity of witnessing the rapid dash of a crocodile when it rushes upon its prey, but when it is considered that fish constitute its ordinary food, it may readily be imagined that the maximum speed of the reptile must be sufficient to overtake the swiftest swimmer.

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BADNESS IN LIDA

By PAUL STRONG.

There are many kinds of women, said the old frontiersman. "Some of them are good, some very good, and a few—only a few—are bad. A woman who's bad seems to me somehow a perversion of what nature intended. And that's not sentiment, but observation."

He was one of the men of the last frontier—the great expanse of territory that stretches northward between Edmonton and Alaska. There, over thousands of square miles, roam the Indian and the caribou. It will never be settled, that virgin land that nature has marked for her own. Its vastness, as much as its cold, defies the puny efforts of man.

"Her name was Lida, my bad woman," resumed the frontiersman. "I make mention of her, because, as I was saying, or meant to say, there's the same cure for badness in women that there is for badness in men. And that's love. Again, observation, not sentiment."

"Lida was a half-breed—half Indian, half French. She came from some settlement along the Slave. She was nineteen, no more, when I made her acquaintance in Edmonton jail, of which I was warden. That was in the old days. Edmonton was a frontier camp then, and that's not so long ago, neither. The jail was a log one. Lida had been rounded up by one of the police. She was serving a year for stabbing a man."

"Nineteen, I said, but she had had years of a wild life behind her. Now put a pin in those words. In one sense, in the customary sense, Lida was good. Every man knew that to his cost—you couldn't try anything wrong with the girl. The man she stabbed had tried to kiss her."

"Yet she was a natural-born devil. It seemed. Her father had been an outlaw, her brothers were outlaws. She was the wildest, most ruffianly—if I can use such a word—piece of a girl in the Northwest. And at last she



"Who Are You?"

got a year. It would do her good, the judge thought. He wanted her taught while she was in jail. Taught? She flung the spelling book at the lady missionary's head and called her a few names that sent her running out of the place with her hands before her eyes.

"After that there was no doing anything with Lida. The matron had handled some tough characters in her day, but she admitted that Lida terrorized the jail, and, as you can't flog a woman, she had the run of the place. She did what she wanted to, and we all looked forward to the time when she would be set free. And we hoped that she wouldn't serve her next time in Edmonton."

"We learned afterward that Lida and the lady missionary had got along very well together until the lady missionary asked a question that she shouldn't have. She didn't understand Lida, which wasn't to be wondered at."

"Then Rev. Johana Hauser came upon the scene. He was a German, as you might guess by the name, one of those Moravian missionaries who travel up and down the land and are only equalled in devotion by the traveling cures. He was a tall, delicate-looking man of about thirty-five years, with a thin face, blue eyes, a lot of silky flaxen beard. He had heard of Lida, and wherever there was a soul in torment he liked to be there to help."

"I shall never forget the meeting between that mad girl and the gentle-looking padre. "Who are you?" she says, springing to her feet and staring at him. And, when he told her, I never heard such abuse from a woman's lips. I thought it would have knocked Rev. Hauser down, like it had the lady missionary. But it didn't budge him an inch."

"You are in trouble, my dear girl," he says. "There is something in your mind that is troubling you. Yes, and it won't give you any peace, neither, until you out with it. "He got just so far when she sprang at him like a wildcat. You see, she had been badgered to death by people

who wanted to reform her; and then she hated men anyway, not having met any but the worst specimens of them. We had to pull the padre away. His face was all scratched and bleeding."

"But he came again the next day, and a week later, and at last he had sort of awed the girl. Didn't preach to her or anything, but just asked her to tell him what it was that troubled her. We couldn't make it out at all. We thought he had overcome her, the cowed way she acted."

"Then he had to go away. He never came back to Edmonton, at least not that year. We heard afterward that he had been clawed by a bear, miles north, from one of the police, who said he'd seen the padre after the accident, and that he didn't think he could recover. That was after Lida had served ten months."

"We let her out after ten months—glad to. First thing she did was to go looking for the padre, breathing vengeance on the way he'd treated her, asking questions he knew worried her, about her soul, and all that. Said she'd kill him if she got hold of him. Then she found out he'd gone North and was believed to have died there. Anyway, there wouldn't be any news of him for the winter, not until the police came down in the spring with their report."

"Lida disappeared from town. No body guessed she was going north to kill what remained of Reverend Hauser. She disappeared completely from the minds of all. Edmonton was changing all the time and new faces succeeded the old ones."

"It must have been two years later when who should turn up in town but Reverend Hauser himself. He looked sort of changed. He'd grown stouter, filled out physically and spiritually, too, I should say; but he was as fine a man as ever."

"So you wasn't killed?" I asked him. "Not much," he answered. "I've got that bearskin at home. What's Edmonton like?" he continued. "I'm to have charge of the Moravian church here."

"He'd given up the roving life. Apparently his superiors wanted him to take a hand in the care of the growing frontier town. He'd put up at Shamus' hotel, and was starting out to build a house on what was then Main street. There it is. Prettiest little place along the road, isn't it? And he did it all himself—laid every stone and the carpentering was the work of his hands besides."

Down the street came a burly, middle-aged man, accompanied by a charming woman in middle life. She looked half-Indian, but there was high refinement in the sweet face and on the noble forehead."

"That was—her," said the old frontiersman in a low tone. "There ain't many know it now, and we old-timers don't do much talking."

"That was—Lida," I demanded incredulously. "Fact, sir. She'd gone up north on snowshoes, 290 miles or more; and she found him and pulled him through his illness and—a brother missionary married them there. That was what was wrong in her, you see. She thought all men were like the kind she'd known. And when a woman thinks that of men, or a man of women—well, it's against nature. She learned differently in those nights and days when she sat at his bedside tending him. And that was what broke up the badness in her. But we don't speak of that, because she's president of our Ladies' club, and her eldest's in the Canadian bank—doing well, too, they tell me."

FEEDING BIRDS IN WINTER

Chicago Man Urges Plan Which He Thinks Would Result in an Enormous Saving.

Estimating that a billion dollars' worth of foodstuffs is destroyed each year, which is the conclusion of experts on the subject, a Chicago grain broker thinks that if the insect-destrorying birds could be saved each year this loss would be measurably decreased, if not prevented. He thinks birds do not migrate from the North in winter because of climate, but because of scarcity of food; and he has established a winter feeding place in his suburban home. He has comfortable bird houses put in trees, and, for feeding, a suet box with a wire grating, so that the bird may peck through at the suet and yet not get it all at once, but for the greater reason that it prevents the larger birds from driving off the smaller ones, which is the case where suet is placed in a lump on the ground or hung unprotected. The result so far is that many birds of species ordinarily unknown to Chicago during winter months remain on this man's place, while still others coming from the north stop there. This encourages his belief that a systematic and widespread feeding of birds would retain them, and so have them for use to exterminate the insect pests which now cause so great loss.

Book Lover's Method. "What a wonderful library. How did you acquire such a fine collection of books?"

"By always buying the sort of books that friends never care to borrow."

Bedridden. "Aren't you going to dress for dinner, old chap?"

"It's impossible, dear fellow. I dis charged me man this morning."—Puck.

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County Attorney Bruce Greenwood who has been confined to his room for a number of weeks, is now able to be out again. He is still somewhat weak and it will probably be some time before he resumes his duties.

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Deputy Game Warden Charles Russell has opened a camp at Lake Wichita in order that he may give closer supervision over the fishing there. He reports that many have

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aken out licenses to sell fish since the notice published in the paper several days ago. He was against the killing of doves or plovers and says that violations of the law will be prosecuted.

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E. G. Hill, undertaker, office and parlors 906 Scott Ave. Phone 225. Prompt ambulance service. 92-41c.

S. M. Green, aged 67, died late Tuesday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. J. N. Coffield. Death was due to dropsy with which Mr. Green had been a sufferer for some time; his one was in Amarillo but he came here last fall. Practically all of his children were with him in his last hours. Surviving are his widow, four daughters, Mrs. M. Scanlan of Alford, Mrs. J. H. Gibson of this city, Mrs. C. A. Breckinridge of Chico, and a son, Roy Green, at Goodman, Kan. The body was forwarded today to Amarillo, where the funeral will be held Thursday afternoon.

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While fishing on the river near the wagon bridge yesterday morning J. E. Jackson was shot through the left leg just above the knee. The bullet did not strike the bone and the wound was not serious. Jackson was fishing when he felt a stinging sensation in his leg. On investigation he found that he had been shot. He walked to town and had the wound dressed.

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Advertisement for Wichita Mill & Elevator Co. featuring 'Belle of Wichita' flour. Text includes 'Wichita's Foremost Flour', 'Made in WICHITA', and 'By WICHITA labor and from WICHITA'S best wheat. Absolute satisfaction or money refunded without argument.' The ad is framed by the word 'Wichita' repeated vertically on all sides.

Wichita Falls Undertaking Co., 812 Scott avenue. Phone 202. Prompt ambulance service. Command us. 92 11c

J. B. Curtington, aged eight years, died last night at a local sanitarium, following an operation for appendicitis. Body was shipped today to Charlie where the parents of the deceased reside. 92 11c

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### MORE THAN MONEY

By NORMA EVERETT DEANE.  
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Lawyer Abel Doyce loved money. His office man, Vance Merton, despised it. The latter had seen his employer grow selfish and mean under the malign influence of the god of gold. More than that, young Merton had known the hateful power of money in other forcible instances. His father had been rich. Within a week Vance had seen his entire fortune dissipated in a reckless speculation. Then those who had courted the Mertons turned their backs on them. Worse than that, the girl whom Vance fancied he loved coldly repelled him.

Bitter in a way, but infinitely wiser, Vance had ignored the society that had deluded him. He had gone to work for Lawyer Doyce, knowing him to be a close, penurious man, but father liking him because he was consistent in his faults. Doyce made no hypocritical claims to philanthropy or moral merit. They got along pretty well together. Vance made and saved some money.

He had a mental vision he hoped to make true some day; go "far from the madding crowd" and in some pretty country, where hearts were not polluted, lead a peaceful, happy life, undisturbed by the promptings of ambition and unmingled with hypocrisy, envy, meanness.

"Big case, Merton," briskly announced the wizened old limb of the law one morning.

"That so?" nodded Vance in his quiet, undemonstrative way.

"Yes. Heiress wanted. Orphan girl. Not a big estate—probably only twenty thousand dollars, but there's a good



"Big Case, Merton."

foe in it. You did stunningly well in finding those Warrington heirs. Try this case.

"All right, give me the details."

These were simple. One Eunice Purcell was sole inheritor of the estate of a deceased uncle. Miss Purcell had left her native town five years previous. No trace of her since. Vance started on his quest.

He was a good deal of a thinker, and as well considerable of a detective. Within a week he was close on the trail of the much-wanted heiress.

A poor, humble girl, Eunice Purcell, had gone out into the world to earn her own living. Vance located her at several towns. In all of these she had secured work as seamstress, clerk in dry-goods stores. In one instance as companion to a wealthy lady. Vance took additional interest in the case, everywhere he received pleased eulogiums upon her sweet simplicity and sterling integrity of character. Finally he had a sight of her photograph. He did not exactly fall in love with its original, but, in a longing, speculative way he wondered if that fair face belied its owner. If, as it seemed from the clear eyes, a prompting heart, true and lovable, inspired that attractive friendly gleam.

At length the arduous quest of the investigator was rewarded. At a quaint little country town Vance Merton located the missing heiress. He spent several days in making inquiries. He watched from a distance the modest young girl, who was working as a seamstress. He had fancied in the past that he loved a woman. He knew better now, for real affection filled his soul and glorified his nature.

Then Vance Merton did a selfish thing. He neglected his mission, he forgot all about his duty to Lawyer Doyce. Here was a fresh, charming girl, unspoiled by experience, content and happy in an humble sphere of life. What might not the possession of wealth and luxury and idleness do to change that sterling nature?

Vance secured an introduction to the object of his esteem. He courted her; he learned that her modest sensibilities were akin to his own. He proposed and was accepted.

He ignored Lawyer Doyce as thoroughly as though he were totally forgotten. Vance managed to get his savings together. He bought a sweet little home and they settled down to love in a cottage.

Perhaps six months had gone by when something occurred. This "something" was Lawyer Doyce. The old skinflint had not heard a word from his young agent, and had wondered at the fact. He had started out to try to locate the young

gave up the search and the case slumbered.

Some business one day took him to Verden. This was the town where Vance was now employed in the local bank. Doyce did not chance to run across him there, but, by a chance persistency of fate, he did happen to blunder right up to the doorway of the Merton home.

He was hot, tired and thirsty, and he politely asked the young mistress of the place to give him a drink of water.

Kind-hearted, hospitable Eunice, invited him into the cool shady parlor. She brought him a glass of water and a fan, and invited him to sit down and rest himself.

"Hello!" suddenly ejaculated Doyce, and his eyes goggled.

"Why—what?" began the startled Eunice.

Then she noted that the eyes of her random guest were fixed upon a framed portrait on the wall—that of her husband, Vance Merton.

"Who—may I ask who is that?" inquired Doyce, desperately excited.

"My husband," answered Eunice, flushing prettily and proudly.

"Why, I know him!" cried the lawyer. "It is Vance Merton."

"Yes, sir," replied Eunice. "If you are a friend of his, he will certainly be glad to see you."

"H'm!" muttered Doyce musingly, and then a sudden conjecture assailed his unsuspecting mind. He gradually led the unsuspecting Eunice to talk of her history and marriage.

"Eunice Purcell—I've found her!" he gloated to himself. That rascal Vance captured the prize on the sly, eh? And left me in the dark! I'll bet he's collected the estate from the lawyers in the East, without letting me know a thing about it. Clever scheme—aha!"

Doyce arose to his feet as Vance himself entered the house.

"Why—hello!" half started, half-smiled the discomfited Doyce.

"Yes, it's me," observed Doyce. "I say, young man, I see you've got the heiress."

"Why—what does he mean?" murmured Eunice, clinging to her husband, vaguely bewildered.

"I mean the twenty thousand dollar estate left to you."

There Vance sprang forward and clapped his hand across the lips of the rude speaker.

He was too late, however. An explanation was inevitable.

"You never told me," spoke Eunice, staring strangely at her husband.

"Yes, and why not?" equally bewildered, challenged Doyce.

"Because—I loved you, dear," explained Vance—"because I thought only of you, not of your money."

Eunice's eyes were dazzling. She trembled with joy at this manifest proof of her husband's devotion.

"You see, there's my fee—began Doyce.

"Oh, yes, we will ask for the money," insisted Eunice.

"Why should we?" inquired Vance.

"Are we not the happiest mortals in the world as it is?"

"Yes, dear, answered Eunice, "but when I think how hard you have worked for me when that money would spare you, I long to make it easier for you."

"H'm! I declare! you are a remarkable young man!" declared Doyce.

"I wish you had not found us," said Vance.

"I do not!" cried Eunice brightly.

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Both boys and girls were eligible to compete and both took part in many of the events. Weldon San-Jacinto and Monteith Wood both of the Alamo school tied for individual honors, each making a total of twelve points. The record of events follows:

Boys 30-yard dash—Weldon San-Jacinto of Alamo first, Monteith Wood of Alamo second, Roy Hutchins of San Jacinto third.

Eight-pound shot put—Jasper Cray of Alamo first, Monteith Wood of Alamo second, M. Young of Alamo third. Distance 40.3 feet.

Running high jump—Maylon Young of Alamo and Charles Toney of Alamo tied for first place, at four feet four inches. Weldon San-Jacinto of Alamo was third.

Potato race—Wayne Koonce of Alamo first, Temple Schoffe of San Jacinto second, Donald Schumaker of San Jacinto third.

Running broad jump—Roy Hutchins of San Jacinto first, Weldon San-Jacinto of Alamo second, Monteith Wood of Alamo third. Distance 15.4 feet.

Baseball throw—John McKeen of Alamo first, Jasper Garlett second, Otis Burns of San Jacinto third. Distance 219 feet.

Relay—won by Alamo team. Walter Coleman, Lou Johnson, Monteith Wood and Weldon San-Jacinto.

Girls 50-yard dash—Myrtle Hudson of San Jacinto first, Robie Wilfong of Alamo second, Carrie Phillips of San Jacinto third.

Girls running broad jump—Myrtle Hudson of San Jacinto first, Carrie Phillips of San Jacinto second, Shirley Green of Alamo third. Distance 14 feet.

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Notice. To all persons indebted to A. S. Fonville, bankrupt: Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, M. McGinley, was on May 1st, 1915, appointed trustee of A. S. Fonville, bankrupt. All persons indebted to the said A. S. Fonville, bankrupt, are notified to at once pay their accounts to said trustee, who will be found at the El Dora Hotel in Wichita Falls, Texas. Prompt settlement will be necessary in order to save trouble and cost. M. McGinley, Trustee in Bankruptcy. 4-110.

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BEFORE HIS HOUR OF GLORY

Attitude of the Youthful Napoleon on That Memorable June Day in French History. While we were spending our time in a rather vague manner the twentieth of June arrived. We met by appointment at a restaurant in the Rue St. Honoré, near the Palais Royal, to take one of our daily rambles. On going out we saw a mob approaching in the direction of the market, which Bonaparte estimated at five or six thousand men. They were a rabble of blackguards ludicrously armed with weapons of every description, and shouted while they proceeded rapidly toward the Tuilleries, vociferating all kinds of gross abuse. It was a collection of all that was vilest in the purlieus of Paris.

"Let us follow the mob," said Bonaparte. We got the start of them and took up our station on the terrace along the river. It was there that he witnessed the scandalous scenes which took place, and it would be difficult to describe the surprise and indignation which they excited in him. When the king showed himself at the windows overlooking the garden with the red cap which one of the mob had put on his head he could no longer repress his indignation. "What stupidity!" he loudly exclaimed. "Why have they let in all that rabble? They should knock off 400 or 500 of them with the cannon; the rest would take themselves off fast enough."

When we sat down to dinner, which I paid for, as I generally did, for I was the richer of the two, he spoke of nothing but the scene we had witnessed. He discussed with great good sense the causes and consequences of this unexpressed insurrection. He foresaw and developed with sagacity all that would follow. He was not mistaken—"Memoirs of Napoleon Bonaparte," Louis Antoine Fauvelet de Bourrienne.

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Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Wichita Falls this 23rd day of April A. D. 1915.

A. F. KERR, Clerk, District Court, Wichita County, Texas. 4-310.

Notice of Sale in Bankruptcy. In the matter of A. S. Fonville, bankrupt. In pursuance of an order directed to me in the matter of the Bankruptcy of A. S. Fonville, bankrupt, No. 527, in the District Court of the United States for the Northern District of Texas, I will sell for cash to the highest bidder the stock of jewelry, furniture and fixtures now in my hands as trustee, and stock of merchandise invoicing six thousand five hundred ninety-three dollars and ninety-eight cents, and furniture and fixtures involving four thousand four hundred fifty dollars, located in the building occupied by the bankrupt, known as 708 Ohio Avenue in the City of Wichita Falls, Wichita County, Texas, on the 13th day of May A. D. 1915, at four o'clock p. m., said sale subject to confirmation by the Court, the right is reserved in the Court to reject any and all bids, and the stock of merchandise, furniture and fixtures can be seen at any time on application to the undersigned.

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WANTED—To pack, crate and repair your furniture. We buy and sell everything. Wichita Furniture & Second Hand Co. Phone 628. 50-110.

CURTAIN—And carpet cleaning. Felix Lindsay. Phone 1957. 1-200p.

WANTED—The best one or two. Extra view. Four or five rooms. Must be cheap for cash. Address V. care Times. 4-310.

WANTED—One or two sections bookcases. Must be bargain for cash. Address V. care Times. 4-310.

WANTED—Residents or building lot—must be a bargain for cash. Phone 1859. 4-310.

WANTED—At once, I want 16 bands high from 1,200 to 1,400 pounds, 6 to 10 years old. Without blemish. Must be gentle. Apply to E. G. Hill, 900 Beas. 2-310.

WANTED—To do your carpenter work; we build houses, garages, fences, repair houses, paint and paper houses; work guaranteed; price third less than any one else. Phone Banks, 588. 4-310.

WANTED—Two or three unfurnished light house-keeping rooms, close in; modern. Address 108, care Times. 4-310.

WANTED—To move your office furniture and fixtures, books, etc. We have men who know how to handle your desks and all furniture. We take down and set up all kinds of machines and office equipment. 4-310.

WANTED—If room house-keeping does not furnish keeping a regular maid, let us do it for you at a small cost to you. All references and bond if required. C. A. Vallada, care Times. 7-310.

THICKSKIN WANTED—We have 1200 acres fine what which we desire to secure threatening outfit for. This outfit is all in one body and will make any place for outfit to set. If you have a first class outfit, let us see it. Apply to Red, 183 Kemp & Kell Building. 6-110.

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—An experienced white girl for general house work. Phone 510. 8-110.



THE LOVE FOR A GARDEN

is a treat that is born to all who love a home, therefore a home in Floral Heights is probably what you are seeking where you can indulge in the pleasure of a nice garden. If you will consult our list of lots you are sure to find just what you desire. We will build you a home on small payments at 3 per cent interest. See CRAVENS, MAER & WALKER Phone 694

For Sale—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—Practically new buggy and harness. Phone 1241. 4-310.

FOR SALE—Good buggy and harness cheap. Ed B. Gorillas. 5-110.

FOR FRESH—And cured meats, Star Meat Market. Phone 502 or call at 549 10th Street. Quick service. J. W. Short Proprietor. 4-110.

FOR SALE—Rooming and boarding house full of boarders. 1602 Lamar. Phone 1922. 4-610.

FOR SALE—Chalmers light six 48, 1915 model; good as new and looks like it; will sacrifice this car. You want Chalmers six cheap see us. H. J. Bachman. 4-110.

FOR SALE—Kitchen cabinet and gas cook stove. Practically new. Will sell cheap. Call at 307 Lamar. 4-110.

FOR SALE—A 20 horse power threshing engine in good shape. Price \$700. J. L. Block, Charlie, Texas. 4-110.

FOR SALE—Nice good cook stove, gas. 505 5th Street. 4-310.

FOR SALE—We have good kindling wood for sale any time. McFall Transfer & Storage Company. 4-110.

FOR SALE—Tomato and cabbage plants. Phone rural 9012, ring 12. 4-110.

FOR SALE—One 600 Singer sewing machine, for \$20; one \$18 dress form for \$5; one parlor stand \$3. Inquire at 1606 Eighth St. 4-310.

FOR SALE—Sweet potato plants—pumpkin yams, per 100 25c delivered. Phone 9017, ring 22. 5-310.

FOR RENT—Houses

FOR RENT—Several houses. See E. B. Gorillas. Phone 729. 12-110.

FOR RENT—Two modern five room houses, close in on Scott Avenue. Call in person 508 Kemp & Kell Building. 84-110.

FOR RENT—Modern five room house, 1183 Bluff. Phone 1182. 70-110.

FOR RENT—Four room house, gas electric lights and bath, on 12th between Scott and Lamar. Phone 945. 85-110.

MODERN—Five room house for rent, corner 17th and Burnett streets. Phone 358 or 267. 59-110.

FOR RENT—Six room house, Floral Heights. 2403 Eighth Street. Phone 499. 72-110.

FOR RENT—Five room modern cottage, Floral Heights. Robt. Sasasby, at Bazal Drug Store. 87-110.

FOR RENT—Modern five room house, furnished for the summer. Easter Jones. Phone 121. 1-110.

FOR RENT—Five room cottage, 1299 Indiana Avenue, \$29.00 per month in advance. Phone 455. 2-110.

FOR RENT—For two months, 5 room furnished cottage, strictly modern; \$25.00. 1003 Brook Street. Phone 2012. 4-310.

FOR RENT—Modern 5 room house; 1003 Travis. \$15.00. W. E. Fraese. 4-110.

FOR RENT—Good five-room house, almost new, good neighborhood, every needed convenience. Corner Holiday and Thirteenth streets. Call at 1417 18th for information. 4-110.

Livestock

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey pigs. John Moore, route 4, phone 9603 R 22. 97-261p.

FOR SALE—Jersey cow, fresh, absolutely gentle, cheap, quality considered. Apply E. G. Hill, 900 Scott. 2081c.

FOR SALE—Full blood young Jersey cow, giving milk. Phone 1542. 1513 10th street. 6-110.

Dressmaking

FOR ACCORDION Platting, call 659 or 723. 92-110.

MRS. SIMMONS, dressmaker. 1205 Lamar. Phone 1893. 2-110.



**Personals**

L. G. Howson of Pine Bluff, Ark., is in the city looking after his interests in this section. Mr. Howson resided here when a boy and has made frequent visits to Wichita Falls, returning home each time a stronger booster for this city.

Col. Luke Wilson of Archer City and Kansas City was here today. Col. Wilson says Archer county's wheat acreage is much larger this year, and that the fields are looking very promising.

Mrs. Fannie McGrady returned to Elk City this afternoon after a visit to Mrs. J. N. Coffield.

S. D. Johnson left today on a business trip to Denton and Strawn. W. W. Silk returned today from a trip to Tulsa.

**DR. J. W. DuVAL**  
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Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat  
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**NEW SUPERINTENDENT KATY SHOPS AT DEINSON**

Denison Herald.

Bert C. Nicholson, who has been in charge of the local Katy shops since the resignation of N. S. Althart, master mechanic and effective at once, is appointed shop superintendent with full charge of all the shops in the mechanical department.

Mr. Nicholson has been erecting foreman at the shops several years and at different times acted as master mechanic and has a full knowledge of the work, which, coupled with his mechanical ability and experience, will no doubt make the Katy one of the best shop superintendents they could place on the job. The shops are working full time now and have a large number of men employed. All are pleased to see Mr. Nicholson appointed to the position as shop superintendent.

**TAYLOR COUNTY SCHOOL BUILDING BURNED TUESDAY**

Associated Press.

Ablene, Texas, May 5.—It was learned here today that Iberis school house in this county was destroyed yesterday by fire, all the children escaping. The loss was \$2,000.

**Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Grove's**

The Old Standard Grove's Tonic is equally valuable as a general tonic because it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 50¢

**To the Public**

We wish to call your attention to one of the highest grades of ice cream and ices on the market. We are new in this city but old timers in the cream business. For quality we are the leaders. Service is next to our motto. Fancy brick and sherbet for residents a specialty. Call for it at fountain. Phone 1974.

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**LYDIA MARGARET**

THEATRE

**ANNOUNCEMENT**

This theatre has for the past season been booked by the Interstate Amusement Company of Chicago, Ill. The Majestic theatres throughout the country are also booked on this circuit, and as it is a custom of these theatres to close May first for the summer season, the Lydia Margaret theatre will also be closed after Saturday night. Preparations will begin at once for the opening of the Lamar Airdome and every effort will be made to make the attractions better than ever before. Watch for announcement of the opening.

WREN & BERRY,  
Props.

**THE JOY OF SPRING**

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Beneath the Sea—Two part Drama.

CAST

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Richard Mason ..... W. E. Parsons  
Dan Harris ..... George Routh  
Mr. Herring ..... Melvin Mayo  
Alice Herring ..... Velma Waltman  
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THE MOTION PICTURE HOUSE OF QUALITY

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**Love and Trouble**

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May  
6th

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May Number.

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Sunday, May 9th

Remember mother by sending her a nice book or booklet made especially for that purpose. Ooze or Velum binding.

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Line more extensive and attractive this year than ever before. See our windows.

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FREE DELIVERY

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Cleaning and Repairing

Getting a line on his curves

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Come in our store and let us explain the new feature in KODAKS. The Autographic is the latest development in amateur photography. If you buy a kodak you should buy an autographic. If you have a kodak we can fit the autographic back to your old one.

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**Dr. Monte R. Garrison**

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This preparation is without an equal for imparting new life to the hair and restoring it to the natural color. It contains Quinine, a destroyer of the dandruff germ and stimulates growth; Cantharides, a wonderful stimulant to the hair, and Sage, intended to impart color to the faded hair. Mack Taylor's Quinine and Sage Hair Tonic is highly recommended by those who have given it a trial. If your hair is unhealthy and needs a stimulant, or if you are bothered with dandruff, let us send you a bottle today. **Price 50¢ delivered at your door.**

Use Mack Taylor's Olive Shampoo in connection. **Price 25¢**

**SMOKE OUR HAND MADE HAVANA CIGAR**

Our location and the fact that we carry a large and well selected line of cigars, tobacco and cigarettes has built up for us a splendid trade in this line. Especially popular is Mack Taylor's Hand Made Havana Cigar, put up for us by the Home Cigar Co., in cans of 25 at \$1.00 per can, or 5¢ each. These cigars are always fresh and in such a package are free from dust and a delightful smoke. Get the habit—drop in and call for this cigar, or better still, let us send a can to the office or to your home.

**FEMALE TONICS**

- Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription ..... \$1 00
- Merrell's Female Tonic ..... \$1 00
- Mother's Friend ..... \$1 00
- Red Cross Vegetable Female Compound, an ideal remedy for female weaknesses ..... \$1 00
- Wine of Cardui ..... \$1 00
- Lydia Pinkram's Vegetable Compound ..... \$1 00

**BLOOD TONICS**

- S. S. S., Purely Vegetable ..... \$1 00
- Hood's Sarsaparilla ..... \$1 00
- Red Cross Syrup of Sarsaparilla ..... \$1 00
- Dr. Thatcher's Liver and Blood Syrup ..... \$1 00
- Paine's Celery Compound ..... \$1 00

**POPULAR PURGATIVES**

- Dodson's Livertone ..... 50c
- Syrup of Pepsin, 50c and ..... \$1 00
- Red Cross Podo-Sen Liver Regulator ..... 50c
- Herbine, liver medicine ..... 50c
- Po-Do-Lax for Liver and Stomach ..... 50c

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Have your physician phone his prescription to us. We will give it our prompt and careful attention and deliver at your door.

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In a letter received from Mr. Augustus Nulle, of the Steward's Department of the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel, New York City, dated July 30, 1914, Mr. Nulle Says:

"Our method of preparing coffee for individual service is as follows: A French china coffee pot is used. It is kept in a warm heater and when the coffee is ordered this pot is scalded with hot water. A level tablespoonful of coffee, ground to about the consistency of granulated sugar, is put into the upper or percolator part of the coffee pot. Fresh boiling water is then poured through the coffee and allowed to percolate into the lower part of the pot. The secret of success according to our experience, lies in having the coffee freshly ground, and the water as near the boiling point as possible, all during the process. For this reason the coffee pot should be placed on a gas stove or range. The quantity of coffee can be varied to suit individual taste. We use about 10 per cent more ground coffee for after-dinner cups than we do for breakfast. Our coffee is a mixture of... and... We can supply you with this exact blend fresh roasted.

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Weather Forecast  
Tonight and Thursday unsettled.

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## WARSHIPS FROM JAPAN APPROACH CHINA'S COAST

### CHINA PREPARES TO RESIST ATTACK

REPORT FROM TOKIO SAYS CHINA  
GIVEN 48 HOURS TO AN-  
SWER ULTIMATUM

### YUAN SHAI KAI TO DECIDE

Japanese Inhabitants in China Con-  
gregate at Consulates—Embassy  
Ready to Leave

By Associated Press.  
London, May 5.—The Japanese  
ultimatum to China, says a dispatch  
to the Central News from its Tokyo  
correspondent, "grants a delay of 48  
hours."

### JAPANESE WARSHIPS APPROACHING CHINA

By Associated Press.  
Peking, May 5.—A Japanese cruiser  
and four torpedo boat destroyers are  
approaching Ching-Wang-Tai on the  
Gulf of Peking about 150 miles  
east of Peking, evidently for the pur-  
pose of removing from China, the  
members of the Japanese legation.  
Consular reports from all parts of  
the country announce the departure  
of Japanese or their concentration at  
the Japanese consulates. There is a  
substantial opinion in China that Japan  
may take action in regard to the  
non-compliance of the Japanese legation  
with China without waiting on the issuance  
of an ultimatum.

### PREPARATIONS MADE TO DEFEND PEKING

By Associated Press.  
Peking, May 5.—The fact that prepa-  
rations are being made to defend  
this city against a possible Japanese  
attack is being kept secret from the  
people here. Only the educated upper-  
classes know the facts. It is re-  
ported from some southern Japanese  
cities several men and one woman  
have committed suicide declaring they  
did not wish to see China subjugated.

This city is remarkably quiet in the  
face of what the Peking Gazette calls  
the "gravest situation China has fac-  
ed." Most people are going about  
their business as usual.

After receiving the news yester-  
day of Japan's proposed ultimatum  
the Chinese ministers were divided.  
Some of them thought that China  
would yield while others thought that  
China would resist. The final decision  
rests with President Yuan Shai Kai.

According to the Chinese officials,  
whose statements have been corrob-  
orated in other circles, the government  
is making no preparations elsewhere  
than at the capital for defense, con-  
sidering that the Chinese will be un-  
able to oppose the Japanese should  
they make an attack.

It is asserted in high quarters that  
100,000 troops have been concentra-  
ted in the environs of Peking but with  
sufficient ammunition for only a brief  
resistance.

Special police and military precau-  
tions have been taken throughout the  
city, especially around the winter pa-  
lace, where President Yuan Shai Kai  
resides. The officials declare that they  
are suspicious that the Japanese may  
attempt a revolution of the Korean  
type.

The situation is considered awk-  
ward for some of the foreign legations,  
especially those whose countries  
sympathize with the Chinese, but  
none of them could oppose the entry  
of the Japanese into Peking.

Telegrams received here from Muk-  
den say that the Japanese bank and  
postoffice there have suspended busi-  
ness; that the Japanese reservists  
have been called to the colors and  
that other civilians are concentrating.

Dr. Paul S. Reinsch, the United  
States minister here, expresses the  
opinion that the missionaries and  
other Americans in the interior are  
in no danger. He says the Chinese  
government will preserve order in  
the regions over which the Chinese  
hold control.

In spite of the belief which has  
prevailed in China for many years  
that Japan coveted control of the  
country, considerable surprise was  
caused by the recent Japanese  
demand to issue an ultimatum to the  
government as an outgrowth of  
China's refusal to concede all of Japan's  
demands. It is contended that  
the Chinese have conceded virtually  
all the articles contained in the eleven  
demands made on them and counter-  
acted to the power and a high official  
said yesterday that it was not  
believed that Japan would dare en-  
force those contained in group 5,  
which he said Japan had informed  
Great Britain, as well as the other  
great powers, were merely regarded as  
desirable.

### LEVEE REPORTED BROKEN AT FULTON, ARKANSAS

By Associated Press.  
Texarkana, Ark., May 4.—It was re-  
ported this afternoon that the levee at  
Fulton, Ark., had given away and that  
Fulton was practically flooded. De-  
tails are lacking.

### PROGRESS MADE ON STATE APPROPRIATIONS

Compromise Reached in House On  
Reply to W. C. T. U. Offi-  
cials' Letter

By Associated Press.  
Austin, May 5.—A compromise was  
reached today on the Lovell motion  
pending from yesterday that the  
speaker be directed to answer the tele-  
gram of Mrs. Nannie Webb Curtis,  
president of the Texas W. C. T. U.,  
which message urged the enactment  
of statutory prohibition in Texas.  
Under the compromise the speaker is  
directed to make a suitable reply but  
the telegram is not to be referred to  
the governor.

### WILL USE AUTOS IN GO-TO-CHURCH CAMPAIGN

Telephone Calls, Advertising and Per-  
sonal Appeals Will Be Called  
Into Use

Some of the churches which will  
participate in the "go-to-church-and-  
Sunday School" campaign for next  
Sunday are planning to send auto-  
mobiles and other conveyances for folks  
who might otherwise be unable to at-  
tend services. The plans for the day  
are going forward rapidly, and by  
means of telephone calls, advertising  
and personal appeals, the importance  
of attending church next Sunday will  
be impressed on everyone who can be  
reached.

### GREAT BRITAIN WILL SPEND FABULOUS SUM

By Associated Press.  
London, May 4.—In presenting the  
budget to the House of Commons to-  
day the Chancellor of the Exchequer  
David Lloyd George estimated that if  
the war lasted during the whole of  
the fiscal year Great Britain's expendi-  
ture in that time would be \$5,682,  
170,000.

### NEW AGRICULTURAL EX- PERIMENT STATION PROPOSED

By Associated Press.  
Austin, Texas, May 5.—Dr. H. H.  
Harrington, former president of the  
A. & M. College, now land commis-  
sioner of the Brownsville railroad is  
here advocating establishment of an  
experiment station in Southwest Tex-  
as—either in Hidalgo or in Cameron  
county. Mr. Harrington claims that  
upward of 60,000 persons engaged in  
agriculture in the Rio Grande coun-  
ty would profit by such a station,  
especially in cane and truck growing  
experiments. At present the Rio  
Grande county has no experiment  
station. Mr. Harrington has suggest-  
ed to the House and Senate appropria-  
tion committees an allotment of  
\$10,000 for the first year and \$7,500  
for the second year for a station.

### HUTCHINS SAYS CASE IN GOVERNMENT'S HANDS

By Associated Press.  
Austin, Texas, May 5.—Adjutant  
Henry Hutchins returned today from  
San Antonio, where he has been con-  
fering with Gen. Funston at Fort  
Sam Houston relative to the investi-  
gation of the alleged sale of \$50,000  
worth of federal military property  
which had been in possession of the  
Texas National Guard. Gen. Hutchins  
made a complete report to the  
governor. He said that he had nothing  
to add to what already had been  
made public and declared that he  
had submitted all the evidence in his  
possession to Gen. Funston and that  
the case was now in the hands of  
the federal government.

### VICE PRESIDENT PASSES THROUGH HOUSTON TODAY

By Associated Press.  
Houston, May 5.—Vice President  
Thomas R. Marshall passed through  
here today enroute east from the  
city coast. A small crowd had gathered  
at the depot to greet him. A feature  
of his brief stop here was the  
presentation to him of a basket of  
roses by a great granddaughter of  
General Sam Houston.

### BLINDNESS THEME DR. MILLER'S SERMON

EVANGELIST TELLS HOW GOD  
OPENS EYES OF THOSE SPIRIT-  
UALLY BLIND

### CROWD LARGE DESPITE RAIN

Doctrinal Questions Discussed at the  
Morning Service—Several  
Additions

An audience but slightly affected  
by the rain heard Dr. Miller's sermon  
on Paul's mission to the Gentiles de-  
livered last night at the First Baptist  
Church. Dr. Miller took his text  
from the Book of Acts, chapter 26,  
verse 18, "To open the eyes of the  
blind and to turn them from darkness  
to light, and from the power of Satan  
unto God, that they may receive for-  
giveness of sin and an inheritance  
among them which are sanctified by  
Faith."

Dr. Miller told of the blindness to  
doctrinal, today—blindness to God's  
beauties of nature and His spiritual  
beauties as well. There are a num-  
ber of things which may enter into  
life to blind men to God's wonders  
and Dr. Miller named several of these,  
namely, blindness through ignorance,  
blindness through prejudice, the atti-  
tude assumed by some to doctrine in  
which they themselves are not particu-  
larly interested. Sometimes, he said,  
hatred serves to blind one to all  
that is high and noble in life. Others  
are blinded by fear, a fear of self  
and of God's ability to preserve from  
harm, some would fain to be Chris-  
tians but are afraid that they could  
not hold out, thus doubting God's in-  
finite power. Then again, he said,  
pre-conceived ideas blind some, who  
dare not their puny selves against  
the Omnipotent God, who attempt to  
refute the statements in His Word.  
For these many blindneses Christ of-  
fers a cure and gives a promise of  
future peace and happiness.

A strong appeal was made at the  
close of this sermon and the response  
was gratifying. Several additions  
were received into the church. Yes-  
terday and this morning a Bible study  
was held, both services being well  
attended. Doctrinal questions were  
entered upon in an informal manner  
at this occasion, the lesson being  
taken by Dr. Miller from the fifth  
chapter of Romans.

### WILL OPEN BIDS TONIGHT FOR JOINT HOSPITAL

More Than Score of Out of Town  
Contractors Here To Submit  
Bids

### WILL OPEN BIDS TONIGHT FOR JOINT HOSPITAL

Bids for the joint public hospital  
will be opened tonight at a session of  
the city council at which several mem-  
bers of the commission are expected  
to be present. Bids are quite numerous  
and several dozen out of town con-  
tractors are in the city today to attend  
the opening of the bids.

### COTTON ACREAGE CUT FULLY FIFTY PER CENT

Cotton Crop Believed Less Than Half  
Reduction in Other Counties  
Reported Not So Large

Wichita county has not over half as  
much cotton acreage this year as in  
1914, according to estimates which  
have been made, and it is believed the  
crop has been cut at least 50 per cent.  
J. W. Campbell, chief agricultural  
agent, says the cotton acreage is re-  
duced—60 to 75 per cent and very few  
of those in touch with the situation  
place the reduction at less than 25  
per cent. A heavy cut in the acreage  
was made certain by the increased  
acreage in wheat and oats, planted  
last fall.

### ONLY SIX JOINT CITY AND COUNTY HOSPITALS

By Associated Press.  
Austin, Texas, May 5.—Only six out  
of the 250 counties in Texas have  
taken advantage of the 33rd legisla-  
ture law permitting a county to issue  
bonds for hospitals for persons with  
tuberculosis or other communicable  
diseases. State Health Officer Dr.  
W. B. Collins pointed out today that  
about 24,000 persons die in Texas an-  
nually from communicable diseases.  
He said that many of these could be  
saved with proper hospital facilities,  
while hospital segregation would cur-  
tail spread of the diseases. He thought  
a very marked improvement  
would be shown in a short time  
wherever these hospitals were estab-  
lished.

### GERMAN SUCCESSES ON TWO FRONTS

OFFICIAL REPORT TELLS OF PUR-  
SUIT OF BOTH BRITISH AND  
RUSSIANS

### TOO BUSY TO COUNT BOOTY

Claim To Have Placed Third Line  
of Russian Threatening North-  
ern Flank

By Associated Press.  
Berlin, May 5.—The official state-  
ment issued from army headquarters  
today says:  
"Western theatre of war: The British  
continue their retreat with heavy  
losses in the direction of the bridge  
head to the east of Ypres. Three farms  
were taken by us from the British."  
"Between the Meuse and Moselle  
rivers there again is a great activity,  
in the forest of La Petre northwest of  
Pont-A-Mousson the French attacked  
yesterday with strong forces. Not-  
withstanding a long preparatory bom-  
bardment by artillery their attacks  
broke down under our fire with heavy  
losses to the enemy. On the other  
hand we began attacks in the forest  
of Athy and to the east thereof which  
made good progress. Up to the present  
we have taken ten officers and 750  
men."

"Eastern theatre of war: Attacks  
from Rostzin coming from the  
southeast were repulsed. The enemy  
is being pursued at Kalwary, also  
north of Suwalki and east of Gus-  
towo where numerous Russian ar-  
maments were captured. Four hundred  
Russians in all were taken prisoners.  
The remainder of the front there were  
a few fights at close quarters in which  
we have gained advantage."

"Southern theatre of war: An  
attack by the allied troops (Austro-  
German) north of the wooded Carpa-  
thians pierced through the third for-  
tified line of the Russians who yester-  
day were defeated along the entire  
front, retreating toward the Wislotta  
river. The magnitude of the victory  
may be seen from the fact that owing  
to the piercing of the enemy's line  
the Russians are beginning to evacu-  
ate threatened positions on their  
northern flank in the wooded Carpa-  
thians. The rapidity of our successes  
makes it impossible to give an idea in  
figures of the booty taken in this vic-  
tory. According to reports at hand  
the number of prisoners taken  
amounts to over 30,000."

### GULF FLIGHT FLEW AMERICAN FLAG

EVIDENCE AT BRITISH INQUEST  
STARS AND STRIPES BLAIN-  
LY DISPLAYED

### VERDICT CAPTAIN'S DEATH

Found Death Resulted From Heart  
Failure Aggravated By Shock  
Upon Attack

### TWO NEGRO LABORERS ELECTROCUTED AT FORT WORTH

By Associated Press.  
Fort Worth, May 5.—Two negro la-  
borers employed on the First Chris-  
tian church building were accidentally  
electrocuted this morning.

### THREE MORE TRAWLERS SUNK BY SUBMARINE

Fearing Others Have Been Seen As  
They Were Shelled and Fired  
Upon

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### JITNEY REGULATION DECLARED VALID

COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS  
UPHOLDS CONSTITUTIONAL-  
ITY OF ORDINANCE

### CAN DESIGNATE ROUTES

License and Indemnity Insurance De-  
clared Reasonably Under Ex-  
isting Conditions

By Associated Press.  
Austin, Texas, May 5.—Jitneys cre-  
ated a severe blow today when a  
majority of the court of criminal ap-  
peals upheld the constitutionality of  
the Fort Worth ordinance which  
sought to regulate the operation of  
jitneys. The decision was rendered  
in the case of ex parte, I. W. Bal-  
livan, from Tarrant county. This de-  
cision affects the operators of jit-  
neys all over the state.

Ballivan was convicted in the opor-  
tunity court of violating one of the  
city ordinances of Fort Worth and  
fined \$10. He appealed to the county  
court where he again was fined \$10  
from which no appeal could be taken.  
The case was brought to the court of  
criminal appeals on a writ of habeas  
corpus on the ground that Sullivan  
was illegally restrained of his liberty  
in that the ordinance was unconstitu-  
tional.

Presiding Judge Prendergast in his  
decision and concurred in by Judge  
Harper with Judge Davidson dissent-  
ing, held that cities have a right to  
regulate the operation of jitneys and  
motor busses.

The contention of the applicant, Sul-  
livan, was that the ten dollar fee  
charged jitneys under the ordinance  
was an excessive tax and therefore  
unconstitutional. The court however  
overruled this contention holding it  
a license fee. Another contention by  
applicant was that the city of Fort  
Worth had no power or authority to  
require him to procure, pay the pre-  
mium on, and deliver to the city an  
insurance policy or indemnity con-  
tract as described in the ordinance,  
when it does not require the other  
carriers of passengers to do so, and  
therefore the applicant called it un-  
lawful discrimination against him.

"Even if it were required of such an  
indemnity or insurance in a fea-  
ture in the regulation of the carriers  
in a city."

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The chancellor declined to predict  
the end of the war. He introduced  
no measure calling for new taxes,  
although he hinted that such a step  
likely would have to be taken. There  
was little discussion of the budget  
itself and the usual income tax res-  
olutions were passed before the house  
adjourned.

Revenue Response Prompt.  
Lloyd George said he was able to  
report that the revenue of the coun-  
try had exceeded the estimates and  
that the surplus and income tax pay-  
ments were sending their money with  
annual celerity.

During the evening Austen Cham-  
berlain mentioned the proposals for  
increasing the taxes on beer, wine  
and spirits, which the unionists and  
nationalists and several liberal mem-  
bers declared their intention to op-  
pose. Lloyd George announced that  
he intended to confer with brewers  
and distillers and also that he was  
open to consider their proposals. He  
added, however, that he would ask  
that the government be given power  
to control the sale of liquor in the  
areas where munitions of war are  
made.

During the debate which followed  
the budget speech, Andrew Bonar  
Law, leader of the opposition, and  
John Redmond, leader of the Irish  
nationalists, declared their opposition  
to taxes on liquors but promised to  
facilitate the passage of that portion  
of the bill giving the government con-  
trol over the sale of alcoholic liquors  
in areas where munitions of war are  
being manufactured.

### PASTOR PLEADS FOR RIGHTEOUSNESS

DR. ANDREWS PRESENTS VIVID  
PICTURE OF MEETING BE-  
TWEEN PAUL AND FELIX

### TWO KINDS OF GREATNESS

One Based On External Possessions—  
Other On Internal Conscience-  
ness

A graphic, word picture of the  
meeting between Paul and Felix was  
given Tuesday night in the sermon  
by Dr. A. M. Andrews, who is con-  
ducting special services at the M. E.  
Church, South. A plea for righteous-  
ness, both in individual lives and in  
a civic sense, was a striking feature  
of the discourse. Dr. Andrews speak-  
ing of the dangers that the saloons  
and the red light district were to the  
community and urging their early aboli-  
tion. In spite of inclement weather  
there was a large crowd present, and  
much interest was manifested.

Dr. Andrews read the story of Paul  
before Felix, saying that the ruler  
called the apostle before him for pur-  
poses of entertainment, having heard  
that Paul was quite an orator. The  
story of the iniquities of Felix was  
related, he having risen from slavery,  
killed the man who befriended him  
and taken his own brother's wife in  
adultery.

Two Kinds of Greatness.  
"There are two kinds of greatness,"  
said Dr. Andrews, "one is based on  
external possessions, the other on  
internal consciousness. There are  
two kinds of royalty, one known by  
its crown and its princely robes of  
office, the other by the regal mind  
and noble heart. One kind is the re-  
sult of heredity, the other of charac-  
ter. These two kinds of kings faced  
each other in this text."

He said that Felix wanted to hear  
Paul speak for the entertainment of  
him. The prisoner did not cringe or  
appear humble, before the ruler.  
"Consciousness of integrity never  
quails before mortal man," said Dr.  
Andrews.

Instead of a plea for liberty, Dr.  
Andrews continued, Paul reasoned of  
righteousness, of temperance and the  
judgment to come. The pastor in  
discussing the plea for righteousness,  
said that while man's moral standards  
are higher today than ever before  
in the world's history, more immorality  
was tolerated. Speaking of inter-  
nal righteousness, he said that  
righteousness could not exist in man  
who harbored secret sins.

"God almighty knows no double  
standard," he said.  
Righteousness meant the love of  
truth also, said the pastor, and he  
took issue with the statement of  
certain French statesmen that "ev-  
ery man has his price," declaring  
there were many men and women in  
Wichita Falls who would not surrender  
their integrity for any price.

Need To Be Aroused.  
Discussing external righteousness,  
Dr. Andrews said that the citizenship  
needed to be aroused to the dangers.  
"The Christian men in this city  
could drive the red light district out  
in one week if they would," he de-  
clared.

He said that when planning to  
take visitors for a drive over the city,  
no one ever thought of including the  
red light district on the route. It  
was something of which the citizen-  
ship was ashamed, yet it continued  
to exist like a noxious weed.

"Do you want your boy raised in  
an atmosphere of saloons?" he asked  
and he asked if saloons bring trade  
and they do not; even if they bring mon-  
ey to the town, and they do not,  
weigh those things against the  
future of that blue-eyed curly-haired  
boy of yours. May God hasten the day  
when the good men and women of  
Wichita Falls will banish the saloons  
from this city."

Temperance, he said, was a term  
often misunderstood; it meant sim-  
ple self-control. Lack of self-control  
made men slaves to their habits and  
tendencies he said; but there was no  
slavery about the religion of Jesus  
Christ.

The Final Review and Audit.  
Paul preached to Felix of the judg-  
ment to come. Dr. Andrews continued,  
and Felix trembled. It ought to be  
impressed on every man's consci-  
ence, said the pastor, that his life is  
one day to be reviewed and audited  
and its results counted up. Felix  
trembled because of his conviction,  
said Dr. Andrews, but conviction is  
not salvation. He spoke of the dan-  
ger of putting off the settlement with  
God and declared that delay is spiri-  
tual suicide.

Felix put Paul off until a "more  
convenient time," said the pastor, but  
a more convenient time never arrived  
for Felix.

"Christ is knocking at your heart,"  
he said in conclusion, "there are too  
many who resist Him as Felix did."

### AUSTRIA ANSWERS ITALY TOMORROW

BELIEVED AT ROME CHARACTER  
OF ANSWER WILL DECIDE  
ITALY'S COURSE

### NINE TRAWLERS TORPEDOED

Submarine Took Heavy Toll of Brit-  
ish Ships Monday—German Re-  
ports Are Disputed

By Associated Press.  
Paris, May 5.—A dispatch from  
Mylina, in the east, says that a regiment  
of Turkish troops was annihilated in the  
fighting at the Dardanelles yesterday  
and that the allies transported 1000 more  
prisoners to Tenedos and Moutrea. The  
dispatch also says a squadron of war-  
ships of the allies were bombed by the  
Turks at the Dardanelles and the  
Turkish encampments along the coast.

By Associated Press.  
London, May 5.—Further sailing  
victories by the Austro-German  
forces in the east were announced to-  
day by the Berlin war office. It was  
also said that successes were won  
in France and Belgium. This report  
together with the events of the last  
few days make it appear that the  
Teutonic allies have entered into of-  
fensive operations on both the eastern  
and western fronts, such as seldom  
have been undertaken simultaneously  
since the war began. It is in  
Gallicia that the most important Aus-  
tro-German victory is claimed.

Russian reports also recent fight-  
ing in west Galicia, where the Ger-  
man claims of victory to more  
than 100,000. The Russian Grand  
Duke Nicholas has not hesitated to  
admit his reverse but declares he is  
holding the Germans and Austrians  
in check and that the German have  
believe that this attack has not diverted  
the Russians from their main project  
of invading Hungary.

Nine trawlers were torpedoed by  
German submarines off the English  
coasts Monday. In each instance the  
crews escaped.

Belgium between Bulgaria and  
Turkey apparently are more uncer-  
tain. Turkey is sending troops to  
the neighborhood of Adrianople after  
having withdrawn them to Gallipoli  
recently. Turkey is also sending  
troops to Mids in the Black Sea.

Austria has announced that she  
is expected tomorrow and it is be-  
lieved in Rome its character will  
decide Italy's course. The Italian cabi-  
net will meet tomorrow. The un-  
veiling ceremonies at the Garibaldi  
statue were held today. There was  
much enthusiasm for the new cabi-  
net were not present, however.

Unofficial reports from Salonika  
say that two Turkish aeroplanes  
which attacked the allied fleet at the  
Dardanelles were brought down by  
fire of the ships. The aeroplanes,  
"Morris" and "Gallia" were loaded  
with bombs but it is said no  
damage was done.

### DALLAS AUTOISTS PLAN FOR NOISE ELIMINATION

By Associated Press.  
Dallas, Texas, May 5.—Members of  
the Dallas Automobile Club have  
come to the conclusion that auto-  
mobile noise, whether automobile, trol-  
ley care or dray be the producer,  
should be banished in Dallas, and steps  
are under way to make the Texas  
city a quieter one, not only at night  
when folk are expected to desire  
sleep, but in the day time when down-  
town Dallas is trying to concentrate  
on its work. The same steps have  
been taken in many other large cities,  
which first were rather proud of the  
noise of their thousands of vehicles,  
as they were proud of the west-  
ward carbon that poured through factory  
smokestacks. The realization has  
come that as smoke stacks from chim-  
neys means waste of fuel, so unneces-  
sary noise means wear and tear on  
brain material. A committee has  
been appointed by the club to devise a  
plan to eliminate the useless noise.

### LINOTYPE OPERATOR KILLED BY HIS FATHER-IN-LAW

By Associated Press.  
Mobile, Ala., May 5.—William F.  
Eastburn, manager of a fish and  
oyster company, early today shot and  
killed his son-in-law, Junior M. Ar-  
dary, aged 22, a linotype operator on  
a local paper at the latter's home,  
then ran several blocks to the house  
of his sister and committed suicide in  
her presence by shooting himself  
through the head. The tragedy was  
the result of business differences.

### BRAZOS RIVER FLOOD PASSING INTO THE GULF

Next Few Hours Expected to Witness  
Steady Subsidence of Water  
Over Valley

By Associated Press.  
Houston, Texas, May 5.—The great  
Brazos River flood today was pour-  
ing into the Gulf of Mexico and the  
next few hours were expected to  
witness the steady subsidence of the  
flood which had inundated rich val-  
leys causing much damage to crops.  
West Angleton still was under wa-  
ter today but no serious damage re-  
sulted as the people left their homes,  
many of them several days ago.



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**MONASTERY OF SIMON PETER**

WHERE the white cowled heads of Mount Athos rise into the serene turquoise sky and look down its slopes, solemnly veiled by dark forests and garden beds of olive, myrtle and rose, is the most remarkable republic in all the world, into whose arched confines came again the east of war—the world's greatest of wars.

This dominion, at all times on a military footing to repel its one great, human enemy, has passed through many wars with pirate invaders, not to mention the invasion of curiosity of the Byzantine empress, who insisted upon visiting the place to the mortification and scandal of the good men—so there is small wonder that Father Bulatovich, once a grim soldier, volunteered to go forth and fight for the cause.

Mount Athos is on the peninsula of Saloniki, which territory Greece wrested from the Turks in the last war, says the Louisville Courier-Journal. There are twenty monasteries in the republic, eleven villages and 250 hermitages. The population is composed of more than three thousand monks and as many lay brothers, who are called as "wonderings." There is an army of fifty Albanian guards stationed at the capital, Karyas, to see that no woman enters. And so rigid is the bar against the weaker sex that not even the female of any animal may be admitted.

is a Romantic Garden Spot.

Think of this garden spot, where, despite the iron impress of centuries, there are romance and poetry in the very air! There is mystery, too, for looking from the sea, the cloak of the dense forest that lies over the titanic shoulders of the holy mount is full of blue and black shadow and silence; then, grimly medieval, clinging to the side of the elevation, even in the bright sunlight losing none of its impressive character, is the "mysterious monastery" of Simon Peter.

Mount Athos might have still drowsed in the serenity of its recent dream picture days had not Father Bulatovich, who at one time held a commission in the army of the great white czar, been stirred by the martial spirit and declared his willingness to go to war. He had been an officer of the guards and as abbot of a monastery brought something of the military discipline there.

He made it clear he did not intend giving up his religious orders, but, in imitation of the crusading monks at the time of the Tartar invasion in the thirteenth and fourteenth centuries, would head his troops with his uniform covered by his priestly vestments. He may be fighting now, or he may have been mustered in at last for the long twilight march.

But even the monks who have been trained in the paths of peace are not unfamiliar with war. They have it as an inspiring tradition, for all of these monasteries in the beginning were armed forts to repel the invasion of pirates. The Russian monastery, four hours by muleback from the capital, is the best example of this defensive style.

Mount Athos a Place of Thrills.

"As you approach," tells a recent visitor, "you are impressed and bewildered by that strange fortress sanctuary, with its bristling array of bastions, towers, turrets, redans and parapets, all stained, riddled and crumpled by the action of time and tempest. As far as the eye can see there is no opening anywhere along the whole expanse of walls. Wooden galleries project beneath the roof, but they are of comparatively recent construction, having been added since the pirates ceased to harry the holy mountain. They are painted a defiant blood red. The whole mass of masonry clings acrobatically to a rock, which is covered with luxuriant verdure."

In this curious republic there are Russian monks and Greek monks and Serbian monks and Bulgarian monks. Though peaceful in general effect, Mount Athos has been a place of thrill. Not long ago the Bulgarians made an effort to seize the Serbian monastery Hlendar and annex it for their own monks. The matter caused intense indignation in Belgrade, and was adjusted with some difficulty by the governing council of monks at Karyas.

Optimistic Thought.

It dawns not the sooner for all one's early rising.

For these men, rugged through long

**GRAY AND DAVIS IS THE STARTING AND LIGHTING EQUIPMENT ON THIS CAR AND THE CARBURATOR IS STROMBERG.**

**At The Theaters**

**The Majestic.**

For the first Wednesday in months and months there is no serial picture to be shown here today, due to the washout delays on the road. But the first two installments of "The Black Box" will be shown tomorrow and the serial will continue on Wednesday in the future. Today's program includes a George Ade comedy, "The Fable of the Divine Shark That Had a Short Circuit," a Self animal picture, "Hearts of the Jungle" and a two part Kalem drama, "Following the Sun," a "girl detective" picture in which Ruth Roland is featured. A synopsis is given:

The Girl Detective and Warrington, her assistant, are ordered to run down the river pirates who are working along the waterfront. Disguised in boy's clothes, the girl sleuth enters a mysterious dive where she excites the admiration of Hogan and Longal, leaders of a band of crooks, by the manner in which she picks Warrington's pocket.

The crooks take a fancy to the "boy." Hogan introduces her to the rest of the gang. The Girl Detective then leaves her a sobriety ring at one of the docks to be boarded and part of its cargo stolen. After sending word to the police, the boys girl accompanies the band.

The officers arrive while the gang is at work. The thieves entrap the police in the hold and make their escape. A moment's carelessness, however, results in the discovery of the girl sleuth's identity. The crooks carry her to their rendezvous.

Knowing that the police will be on their trail at any moment, the crooks prepare to flee. Donagel, head of the band, the "girl detective" for her treachery. Tying her to a chair, the crooked lights a few and places it in a cask of gunpowder. This he stands beneath the chair. Hogan attempts to interfere but prevents a match for Donagel, the police have been liberated. They trace the crooks to the den. A wild encounter ensues. Hogan is the first to be subdued. He informs Warrington of the Girl Detective's terrible peril. Dashing into the den, Warrington saves the "boy" and huris it outside. An instant later, a terrific explosion testified to the girl's narrow escape.

**The Empress.**

William Farnum is starred in a splendid film version of Wilson Barrett's drama, "The Sign of the Cross." He is supported by a notable cast including Rosina Stanley as the heroine, with whom he Marches to his love; Sheridan Black as Nero; Ethel Phillips as Bada, the siren; Ogden Childs, Charles Verner, Lita Barney and Morgan Thorpe.

"The Sign of the Cross" derives from the symbol which to scores of millions has for many centuries borne so profound a significance, has been filmed by the Famous Players Film Co. with an extravagance of scenic and spectacular effects and a faithfulness to the original settings and atmosphere seldom seen in motion pictures. Everything has been done to give the most sumptuous and lavish production to a play which lends itself admirably to spectacular effects, and the result is a film which rivals in splendor any of the classical productions yet presented to the public.

For many years the original play has fascinated the imagination and awayed the emotions of audiences throughout the civilized world as has no other drama of its type. For the most part, it glows with the same que luxuriance of coloring as befits a fearless picture of life in the Rome of Nero. But this exciting world of intrigues and unbridled luxury covers but a portion of the canvas and the play also reveals, through its Christian character, the exquisite reverence and solemnity and the secret of unquestioning faith; and it is through a gallery of startling scenes, how splendid with thronged sensuality and stately luxury, now beautified with holy hope and love, that Mercia and Marcus, the unflinching Christian and doubting Pagan, march to their decreed doom.

It would be impossible to overestimate the emotional power of the film. In the role of Marcus Superbus, William Farnum is noble and dignified, both in the tender love passages with Mercia or when turning in scorn upon his enemies and calumniators. The production will undoubtedly be conceded the foremost film classic ever produced in America.

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### IN THE SPHERE OF WOMANKIND

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My Dreams. Through the drugging moments of daily toil, Whether dressing or trudging, I'm dreaming, too. Like a bird, my thought wings into the blue. If the soul be raised from the sordid soil, What matters the task the mere members do?

What reward these wandering fancies yield? Perhaps, while I'm shaving, some every elf Springs from the mug on the bath room shelf; My thoughts go wandering far afield: There, now, dammit! I've cut myself.—John Amid in the Century.

### ROWENA CIRCLE MEETING TUESDAY AFTERNOON

Mrs. J. C. Leggett was hostess to the Rowena Circle Tuesday afternoon. After discussions of different business matters a few minutes was devoted to the Circle and a letter from an ex-member, Mrs. Richardson, was read and enjoyed and appreciated very much by all. The remainder of the afternoon was devoted to social pleasures, consisting of several comical plays with here and there an original joke or story. The Circle was honored by the presence of two visitors, Misses Louise Frank and Eldora Baumgardner. A very acceptable refreshment course of sandwiches, sherbet and iced lemonade was served late in the afternoon, the club adjourning to meet next May 18 with Mrs. W. J. McAllister, 2008 Eighth street. The club members present were: Mesdames Wallace, South, McAllister, Douglas, Hargett, Zetsche, Shuler, Deatherage and Leggett.

### INTERESTING STUDY OF ART LITERATURE CLUB

The Art Literature Club met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. O. Filgo, Miss Cora Phillips being hostess. A very interesting Bayview lesson on the old city of New Orleans was conducted by Mrs. J. M. Blankenship, who illustrated the lesson with a copy of the 'Carnival Bulletin' published during the Mardi Gras and describing the festivities in detail. Three excellent papers were read as follows: Mrs. Burgess, 'Art Treasures of America'; Mrs. DeBerry, 'Some Writers of the South'; and Mrs. Pridden, 'The New South.' Music by Miss Davis completed the program and the hostess served a delicious iced orange ice with cake, sweet peas forming the plate favors. Miss Thora Fox was a guest, the club members being: Mesdames Bean, Scruggs, Litcham, Harris, Filgo, Blankenship, Pressley, Robertson, Kerr, Burgess, E. O. Filgo, Rountree, Pridden, DeBerry, Gebhardt, Miss Davis and Miss Phillips.

### MISS SHAVER HOSTESS TO B. O. P. GIRLS TUESDAY

The usual weekly meeting of the B. O. P. Girls was held Tuesday afternoon, Miss Opal Shaver being hostess. Diversion was found in the accustomed manner with lancywork and several of the members furnished piano music. The hostess served delicious ice cream with cherries, angel food cake and wafers to the following: Misses Marguerite Baker, Mary Coffield, Hazel Priebe, Pauline Harris, Vera Hinkler, Mabel Williams, Rees Gardner, Betty Murphy, Annette Coffield, Marion Crabtree and Mrs. Kelly.

### TUESDAY BRIDGE WITH MRS. M. M. WALKER

The Tuesday Bridge Club met Tuesday in pleasant session with Mrs. M. M. Walker as hostess. The usual till

### SAVES DAUGHTER

Advice of Mother no Doubt Prevents Daughter's Unlucky End.

Ready, Ky.—I was not able to do anything for nearly six months, writes Mrs. Laura Bratcher, of this place, "and was down in bed for three months. I cannot tell you how I suffered with my head, and with nervousness and womanly troubles. Our family doctor told my husband he could not do me any good, and he had to give it up. We tried another doctor, but he did not help me. At last, my mother advised me to take Cardui, the woman's tonic. I thought it was no use for I was nearly dead and nothing seemed to do me any good. But I took eleven bottles, and now I am able to do all of my work and my pain is washing. I think Cardui is the best medicine in the world. My weight has increased, and I look the picture of health. If you suffer from any of the ailments peculiar to women, get a bottle of Cardui today. Delay is dangerous. We know it will help you, for it has helped so many thousands of other weak women in the past 50 years. At all drugists.

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for high score was engaged in for the usual length of time. The rooms were decorated in masses of roses in charming effect, forming a natural color scheme. The guest of the afternoon was little Miss Margaret Smith of Post City, the players being limited to club members, including: Mesdames McGregor, Myles, Newton Maer, Woods, Thorburn, Wiley Blair, Frank Blair, Loeb, T. W. Roberts, Woodruff, Eugene Sherrod and Miss Sherrod.

### ALTAR SOCIETY MEETS MONDAY AFTERNOON

One of the most delightful meetings of the year for the Altar Society was held Monday afternoon at the country home of Mrs. Mike Emmert. The members assembling at the home of Mrs. R. L. Hargreaves were conveyed by auto to the Emmert home. A business meeting was held, Mrs. Frank Cullinan presiding and the society decided to hold the last market of the season next Saturday. A grab bag sale was also planned to feature the next meeting, which will be held at the home of Mrs. Delaney. A social hour followed the completion of business and a delightful salad course was served.

### DANCING CLUB RECENT SOCIAL ORGANIZATION

A newcomer in the clubdom of Wichita Falls is the Pickwick Club, an organization of the younger married set. The club meetings will be devoted to the tripping of the "light fantastic" and the members are all adepts at the Terpsichorean art. The first dance of the season will be held Friday evening and invitations are out for this affair.

Owing to the two revival services now being conducted the Thursday Forty-two Club will not meet this week.

Mrs. R. E. Souther and baby son, Robert Jr., are visiting Mrs. Souther's mother, Mrs. J. M. Bell.

On account of the meetings the Thursday Sewing Circle will meet next week with Mrs. J. M. Bell instead of tomorrow as formerly announced.

### Kidney Trouble Often Causes Nervousness and Heart Trouble.

Two years ago I was badly run down, not able to do any work; suffered from nervousness, heart trouble, kidney and bladder in bad shape; no appetite, unable to do any work; and since using six bottles of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp Root, I feel fine; am in excellent health and can do most any kind of light work. Since using the Swamp Root I have been relieved of all the above troubles. I cheerfully give the above testimony and hope others may be benefited. Very truly yours, J. L. DICKSON, Westminster, S. C.

Sworn to before me, E. L. Brownlee, Justice of the Peace.

Letter to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.

Prove what Swamp Root will do for you. Send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a complete booklet. It will cheerfully give the above testimony and hope others may be benefited. Very truly yours, J. L. DICKSON, Westminster, S. C.

### BONER BY TEXAS RECRUIT RESULTS IN QUICK RELEASE

(Chicago Tribune) Somebody or other, and it may have been Emerson, said "Mighty your wagon to a star," but little Eddie Holloway, a Giant recruit, knows better. Here is the story which he told.

There was a pitcher in the Texas League named Grover Brandt, who was drafted by the Red Sox in 1914. He picked up a friendship with a fellow Texan who was named Tris Speaker and along about the sixth of seventh day of the trip he and Speaker were sitting in the porch, when it came time to go down to the park. "I reckon I won't go down to practice today," said Tris. "Well, then," said Grover Brandt, "reckon I won't go either."

"Along about hatcheson time Jack Stahl, who was then managing the club, ran into Brandt and began to hawl him out. "Why weren't you down at practice this morning?" he asked. "Well," said Brandt, "Tris Speaker didn't go down, so I decided I wouldn't go down either. There's a pitcher named Grover Brandt now and his name is Grover Brandt."

### TIGERS WINNING STREAK IS BROKEN AT LAST

Irish Lads Won Yesterday 5 to 5 Tying Tigers For First Place in League

The winning streak of the Tigers was broken at last Tuesday evening's Twilight League game, they losing to the Irish Lads by the score of 9 to 5. Incidentally the Tigers now share first place with the Lads, not having won four games and lost one. A protest will be filed on Monday's game, it was stated Monday, and the matter will be referred to a meeting of the managers of the four teams.

### SECOND AGRICULTURAL CHATAGUUA AT BOWIE

By Associated Press. Bowie, Texas, May 5.—The second agricultural chataguu at Bowie was held at the direction of the Bowie Chamber of Commerce, was to begin here today to continue through two days. Subjects on the program were of especial interest to farmers and included demonstrations of canning, home economics, feeding, fertilizing and harvesting.

### IN THE DANGER ZONE

By MARY WORDEN BLISS.

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There was not one of the odd one hundred choppers who did not know the full history of Leoti Rogers and of Rob Marsh. A school had been started in the encampment, and the father of Leoti and an aunt had been given charge of it. Both had died. Leoti was left without a relative in the world. A half-breed teacher and his wife then took charge. It was possible for them to give Leoti a position as assistant teacher. The government supplied quarters for them in the school building, and Leoti was content to stay.

It was a wild, crude, even perilous environment, but Leoti was glad to be able to earn a living until she could think out a coherent future. The even tenor of her life was at length interrupted, however. Winkeka, the son of the chief, returned from a long Alaskan chase. Leoti had shuddered the first time the dark flashing eyes of the impetuous young savage rested upon her face. Every day since that time she had been unable to get on her feet. He was respectful, but determined. It became known among the tribe that Winkeka had resolved to take Leoti as a bride.

Then came the logging gang, and Rob Marsh among them. The young lumber cruiser met Leoti one day at the spring. It was a case of love at first sight. Something of this Winkeka had learned. He began an active courting, or rather attempted it, to be repulsed by Leoti.

"I will kill the pale face lover," he said for a day. Leoti feared the dread information to her lover. One evening both were missing.

Between the lovers a perfect understanding had come about. They would have then married at once, only that Rob owned a mining claim a short distance away from the lumber camp. It was necessary, in order that he might file a claim upon this, that he make a survey of it and stake it out. Then he could sell it for a sum sufficient to warrant his taking a wife, and he and Leoti would settle down in the city.

Rob had attended to the claim, and on his way back to the city, had stopped at the lumber camp for a food supply. He hoped to evade notice from the savages. Someone had seen him. Winkeka had been apprised of the fact. Bill Budd had discovered his danger. He had hidden him away in a cave. The question now was as to getting Rob back to the city. One of his men came to Budd about noon.

"Bill, I've been carrying out your orders and nosed around the Indian camp this morning. It's a blockade. "You mean?" inquired Bill anxiously.

"Bear Bluff is completely surrounded. I suppose there isn't a hundred foot space that hasn't a friend of Winkeka on patrol or in hiding. The orders are to shoot Rob Marsh on sight."

"All right," observed Bill abstractedly. "You and some of the others are shooting a few logs into the river in about an hour."

"Why?" exclaimed the other. "We're not ready to make a run yet."

"Do as I say," ordered Bill, and himself proceeded to a part of the camp near the stream where the bluff formation was a shelter against observation from the Indian camp.

Half a hundred logs were sent drift by the men within the next two hours. The current of the stream was rapid, and the logs floated swiftly down the river and past the Indian encampment. There was an intermission of about twenty minutes, and then Bill and two helpers came to the edge of the river and set about another log.

The old foreman watched it shoot down the stream like the others. He gave utterance to a fervent sigh of relief as it passed the encampment and rounded a curve in the stream, taking it out of sight.

"Good!" he muttered to himself with professed satisfaction. "Holler—Rob Marsh is in it, and Leoti will soon greet her future husband."

But, wise and confident as was old Bill, he had not sufficiently counted on Indian vigilance and cunning. Two miles below the Indian camp a canoe shot out into the stream, navigated by Winkeka. He proceeded to sink the log of a short pole into the bark of the log and pull it ashore.

"Pate flow come out," he ordered, and kicked the plug loose. "You and Winkeka, for Leoti," he added ferociously as Rob stepped forth, and he sunk at his feet a counterpart of a long hunting knife he held in his hand.

The young chief made a spring. Rob, who had seen the death in store by his adversary, then he stared. From the brush an agile form bounded on tiptoe. He recognized an Indian girl, the discarded fiancée of Winkeka.

She held out a heavy blanket. Just as Winkeka was preparing for another onslaught on his opponent, she flung the blanket over his head. As he struggled helpless, she whipped a stout lasso across arms and body, pushed him to the ground, and, turning to Rob, pointed down stream at Leoti.

Rob Marsh did not hesitate or flinch. Within an hour he was safe from pursuit, within six at a second outpost, and the next morning he reached the end of his journey—and Leoti.

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### HARBOR AT HAMBURG IS PICTURE OF DESOLATION

Sea Gulls Search in Vain For Food—Paint Peeling From Giant Liners—But City is Busy

Associated Press. A vivid picture of Hamburg and its fine harbor in war times is given by the Tagliche Rundschau. In normal times it is one of the busiest seaports in the world. The commerce laden shipping, thronging the docks and the broad face of the Elbe, funnels smoking, sirens shrieking machinery creaking, life swarming around the wharves and storage houses.

Now, however, says the writer, the harbor of Hamburg is desolate. The gulls search in vain for their food, the thick fog calls forth no warlike signals, the cold spring sunshine falls on so smoke or rushing steam, the gates of the great bonded stores are closed, and grass grows in the flagged courts.

In the pre-war days all roads led to the harbor; now these roads are deserted, and only a wanderer here and there denotes that some isolated individual still takes an interest in the vast area of the harbor. Wherever one looks the hulls of huge vessels and their gaunt smokestacks are seen, thick steel cables fastening them to the shore. Not a flag of pennant flutters from their mastsheads, not a solitary sailor gazes over their sides, no call comes from an officer on the bridge. Here and there you see an old sailor on deck as caretaker. His younger companions are all away at war.

"It is sad to look at those giant bulks with the paint peeling off them. You look at their names and are sorrowful. Over there is a magnificent South American liner, an imposing Colossus with her three funnels. There was a time when she proudly sailed down the Elbe to the ocean, her bands playing, thousands on shore waving her their adieu. Now she lies still as the grave, fastened immovably to iron chains.

On the other side of the river at Kuhwärder lie the serried ranks of the Hamburg-American liners, tier on tier of them, their sides scraped and unsightly. We are told they are all that managed to get home in time. In other great docks and along stretches of quay are the tall graceful masts of the sailing ships, dry forests of them, dead forests without a sign of life.

But behind the waterways and in many other places—a thousand machines and grinding wheels are singing a song of busy preparation. In the great docks and shipbuilding yards there is a mighty hammering piercing the stillness of the harbor. From countless chimneys smoke and compressed steam issue forth day and night. Secretly, mysteriously, awakening terror, this goes on, contrasting curiously with the deadly stillness of the stream. One's thoughts go forth to the coasts of England and to what will happen there soon as a result of the activities behind those high bulwarks and in remote corners of the town. One looks and listens and remembers that curiosity is out of the place here."

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Under the able supervision of Postmaster General Burleson the postal department of the general government has made greater progress during the past two years than under any other management...

Mr. Walsh's report. Apparently he has confined his investigation to the extreme cases, or to the Tait ranch. No such conditions as described by him prevail in this part of Texas...

If it had been Mr. Walsh's purpose to publicly slander and malign the State as a whole, he could not have succeeded better than he has by making the report he did.

POOR OLD JOHN.

John Barleycorn, the swagging, just now is badly staggering beneath repeated blows for kings say, "He is ruinous—dogast the stuff he's brewin' us," and blif him on the nose. The kings, alert and vigorous, are taking measures rigorous, to swat old John again: "He's worse than guns and sabres are," remark the kings, "his labors are ad dressed to downing men. Out where our flags are shimmering the bottle must go glimmering, it will make the soldiers rde; it spoils the ardent warrior, and nothing could be sorrier than fighting man half stewed."

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THE JEW IN AMERICAN HISTORY.

(From Leslie's)

With the large place the Jews have in the life of this country at present, we are well acquainted, but we have seldom thought of their activity in the colonial period of our history...

The above is an extract from the report of Mr. Walsh of the Federal Commission on Industrial Relations sent to Texas principally for the purpose of investigating land tenancy conditions. The commission did not discharge its whole duty. That much is evident. Texas is a big State, and the short time the commission devoted to its work was not sufficient to furnish it with a clear idea of prevailing conditions.

TEXAS MONEY FOR TEXAS.

Governor Ferguson wants the legislature to repeat the Robertson insurance law. He wants it so badly that he is asking heavy costs to all the people of this state that it may result. He has made it one of the two special matters for a special session of the legislature.

What's the matter with this law that the governor should be so worked up about it? What has happened to cause the governor to make this a special aim for a few months after his pre-election statements that the Robertson law was one of the best statutes that Texas has?

Let the governor make his reply to the people. It will take some tall talking to explain his change of attitude. Meanwhile, let it be reiterated again that the chief thing about the Robertson law is that it makes the life insurance companies invest in Texas. It demands reciprocity. If the life insurance companies, most of them domiciled in New York, are to collect millions of dollars from Texas, as they do, it seems but fair they should reinvest in this state some of their immense funds.

When you take out a life insurance policy, you pay a certain premium. The life insurance company facing the prospect that you may die any minute and that it must then pay under the law, immediately sets aside a certain sum against the risk it holds on your life. This is called a reserve. Of these reserves, the State of Texas has decreed by the Robertson law that three-fourths shall be invested in Texas. The amount paid for life insurance reaches tremendous totals and the reserves consequently large. This law thus makes available investments in Texas great sums of money.

the state. Seventeen of them are still out. They are using how, and have repeatedly used, the money from the premiums Texas policyholders have paid them to get this law changed, and they are at it again. High priced lobbyists are trying to get the legislature to repeal the Robertson law.

They do not tell the people of Texas that Germany, Austria, Canada and other countries require that not merely three-fourths, but the entire reserves against policies within their borders be invested there. But such is a fact. They do not withdraw from Canada, which requires a 100 per cent reserve investment, because they know they can't bluff Canada. But they did withdraw from Texas, because they think they can bluff Texas, though Texas asks only a 75 per cent investment.

If you want Texas money to work in Texas, as you yourself do, keep the legislature in mind.—Dallas Dispatch.

NEAR-HOME HAVENS.

(State Press in Dallas News) Mr. J. A. Norworthy, who has read the Galveston-Dallas News since 1856, inquires to know why people will run all over the world in search of health or pleasure when both may be had at Sulphur, Okla. The health being obtainable from the waters of Sulphur and the pleasure found in the fishing thereabouts. To prove both contentions he sends a picture of two extremely healthy looking persons (A. D. Nowlin and Dr. Hale) who have just returned from an afternoon of sport and are exhibiting a string of twelve fat and flirtatious bass. For himself speaking, State Press doesn't know why so many people flee to the uttermost parts of the earth in quest of tonal waters and fishable streams when they could do much better in both respects, and pay for shorter railroad tickets, by following competent advice to Sulphur—and certain Texas localities. Much as State Press concedes to Sulphur, he doesn't concede more to it than to similar resorts in Grand Old Texas. There are, in fact, including several Oklahoma places, a score of fascinating and health restoring vacation resorts in the Southwest which compare favorably in important aspects with the best of such playgrounds in Europe. And now that the Europeans are so extremely inhospitable to strangers from other quarters of the world—putting them to all manner of inconveniences and holding them under gravest suspicions, even stripping them of their clothes or shooting at them from time to time—let us hope that some thousands of our uneasy rich folks will be content this year to forego at least one trip to Europe, and stop-fatherland, and, instead, devote the summer to the more democratic and not less worthy watering places near by their homes. Of course in the southwestern resorts our uneasy rich friends will be greeted by fewer bonneted maids and bill o'vares wiz zee price, ah, zee word you call him?—out, "popped up." But for at least one season our uneasy rich folks should be able to stand our rugged southwestern scenery and our crude but not wholly uninteresting southwestern society.

NOTICE TO FARMERS.

Editor Times: Dear Sir: I am requested by a good number of good farmers to try through your paper that in regard to the proposition for a custom flouring mill has met with the approval of most all the farmers consulted by me and while I have only seen a very small per cent of them I have been assured of one-third the amount to build and install the mill and they ask me to have you announce a meeting of all who will be at the court house on next Saturday not later than 11 o'clock in the morning in order to hear from all who are in sympathy with the move. So thank you for same. Respectfully, PERRY ROOP, Route No. 2, city, May 5, 1915.

WANTS CONVENTION TO REVISE CONSTITUTION

By Associated Press. Austin, Texas, May 5.—Gov. Ferguson today sent a special message to both branches of the legislature recommending passage of the McGregor-Lattimore, blind institute bill which has been under consideration during the previous session of the legislature. The amount of the appropriation has been reduced from \$425,000 to \$225,000. The senate finally passed the House judiciary appropriation of \$2,204,152 for the next two years. Senator McNealus introduced in the senate a concurrent resolution for the submission of the question of calling a constitutional convention the first Monday in January, 1916. Both senate and house adjourned until ten o'clock tomorrow.

Market Reports

Chicago Grain Futures. Chicago, May 5.—Bearish crop reports quickly overcame in the wheat market here today an advance due to firmness of Liverpool cables. After opening 1-4 to 1-3 up, the market gained all around and then fell back to last night's level. Corn away with wheat. The opening, which varied from a shade off to 1-8 advance, was followed by slight general upturn then a reaction. Trade in oats was mainly local, price changes were slight.

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Fort Worth Livestock. Fort Worth, May 5.—Cattle receipts 3700, steady to ten cents higher. Hogs 48.50 to 47.50. Hog receipts 3000 steady, bulk 47.25 to 47.45. Sheep receipts 2500, steady; lambs 47.50 to 48.

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A marriage license was issued today to Max Jentech and Miss Alma Hillbusch.

In the county court Tuesday Bob Carruth and Frank Lyon, negroes, were acquitted on charges of selling liquor without a license.

Praetorians Attention. All members are requested to be present tonight. Our new regalia has arrived and we will have a report from the delegate to the State Senate at Coroscana.

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BADNESS IN LIDA

By PAUL STRONG.

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"There are many kinds of women," said the old frontiersman. "Some of them are good, some very good, and a few—only a few—are bad. A woman who's bad seems to me somehow a perversion of what nature intended. And that's not sentiment, but observation."

He was one of the men of the last frontier—the great expanse of territory that stretches northward between Edmonton and Alaska. There, over thousands of square miles, roam the Indian and the caribou. It will never be settled, that virgin land that nature has marked for her own. Its vastness, as much as its cold, defies the puny efforts of man.

"Her name was Lida, my bad woman," resumed the frontiersman. "I make mention of her, because, as I was saying, or meant to say, there's the same cure for badness in women that there is for badness in men. And that's love. Again, observation, not sentiment."

"Lida was a half-breed—half Indian, half French. She came from some settlement along the Slave. She was nineteen, no more, when I made her acquaintance in Edmonton jail, of which I was warden. That was in the old days. Edmonton was a frontier camp then, and that's not so long ago, neither. The jail was a log one. Lida had been rounded up by one of the police. She was serving a year for stabbing a man."

"Nineteen, I said, but she had had years of a wild life behind her. Now, put a pin in those words. In one sense, in the customary sense, Lida was good. Every man knew that to his cost—you couldn't try anything wrong with the girl. The man she stabbed had tried to kiss her."

"Yet she was a natural-born devil. It seemed. Her father had been an outlaw, her brothers were outlaws. She was the wildest, most ruffian—if I can use such a word—piece of a girl in the Northwest. And at last she



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got a year. It would do her good, the judge thought. He wanted her taught while she was in jail. Taught? She flung the spelling book at the lady missionary's head and called her a few names that sent her running out of the place with her hands before her eyes.

"After that there was no doing anything with Lida. The matron had handled some tough characters in her day, but she admitted that Lida terrorized the jail, and, as you can't flog a woman, she had the run of the place. She did what she wanted to, and we all looked forward to the time when she would be set free. And we hoped that she wouldn't serve her next time in Edmonton."

"We learned afterward that Lida and the lady missionary had got along very well together until the lady missionary asked a question that she shouldn't have. She didn't understand Lida, which wasn't to be wondered at."

"Then Rev. Johann Hauser came upon the scene. He was a German, as you might guess by the name, one of those Moravian missionaries who travel up and down the land and are only equalled in devotion by the traveling cures. He was a tall, delicate-looking man of about thirty-five years, with a thin face, blue eyes, a lot of silky faxen beard. He had heard of Lida, and wherever there was a soul in torment he liked to be there to help."

"I shall never forget the meeting between that mad girl and the gentle-looking padre. "Who are you?" she says, springing to her feet and staring at him. And when he told her, I never heard such abuse from a woman's lips. I thought it would have knocked Rev. Hauser down, like it had the lady missionary. But it didn't budge him an inch. "You are in trouble, my dear girl," he says. "There is something in your mind that is troubling you. Yes, and it won't give you any peace, neither, until you get it out with it."

"He got just so far when she sprang at him like a wildcat. You see, she had been badgered to death by people

who wanted to reform her; and then she hated men anyway, not having met any but the worst specimens of them. We had to pull the padre away. His face was all scratched and bleeding."

"But he came again the next day, and a week later, and at last he had sort of awed the girl. Didn't preach to her or anything, but just asked her to tell him what it was that troubled her. We couldn't make it out at all. We thought he had overcome her, the cowed way she acted."

"Then he had to go away. He never came back to Edmonton, at least not that year. We heard afterward that he had been clawed by a bear, miles north, from one of the police, who said he'd seen the padre after the accident, and that he didn't think he could recover. That was after Lida had served ten months."

"We let her out after ten months—glad to. First thing she did was to go looking for the padre, breathing vengeance on the way he'd treated her, asking questions he knew worried her, about her soul, and all that. Said she'd kill him if she got hold of him. Then she found out he'd gone North and was believed to have died there. Anyway, there wouldn't be any news of him for the winter, not until the police came down in the spring with their report."

"Lida disappeared from town. Nobody guessed she was going north to kill what remained of Reverend Hauser. She disappeared completely from the minds of all. Edmonton was changing all the time and new faces succeeded the old ones."

"It must have been two years later when you should turn up in town but Reverend Hauser himself. He looked sort of changed. He'd grown stouter, filled out physically and spiritually, too, I should say; but he was as fine a man as ever. "So you wasn't killed?" I asked him.

"Not much," he answered. "I've got that bearskin at home. What is Edmonton like?" he continued. "I'm to have charge of the Moravian church here."

"He'd given up the roving life. Apparently his superiors wanted him to take a hand in the care of the growing frontier town. He'd put up at Shamus' hotel, and was starting out to build a house on what was then Main street. There it is. Prettiest little place along the road, isn't it? And he did it all himself—laid every stone and the carpentering was the work of his hands besides."

Down the street came a burly, middle-aged man, accompanied by a charming woman in middle life. She looked half-Indian, but there was high refinement in the sweet face and on the noble forehead.

"That was—her," said the old frontiersman in a low tone. "There ain't many know it now, and we old-timers don't do much talking."

"That was—Lida?" I demanded incredulously.

"Fact, sir. She'd gone up north on snowshoes, 290 miles or more; and she found him and pulled him through his illness and—and a brother missionary married them there. That was what was wrong in her, you see. She thought all men were like the kind she'd known. And when a woman thinks that of men, or a man of women—well, it's against nature. She learned differently in those nights and days when she sat at his bedside tending him. And that was what broke up the badness in her. But we don't speak of that, because she's president of our Ladies' club, and her eldest's in the Canadian bank—doing well, too; they tell me."

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S. M. Green, aged 67, died late Tuesday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. J. N. Coffield. Death was due to dropsy with which Mr. Green had been a sufferer for some time; his home was in Amarillo but he came here last fall. Practically all of his children were with him in his last hours. Surviving are his widow, four daughters, Mrs. M. Scanlan of Alford, Mrs. J. B. Gibson of this city, Mrs. C. A. Breckinridge of Chico, and a son, Roy Green of Goodman, Kan. The body was forwarded today to Amarillo, where the funeral will be held Thursday afternoon.

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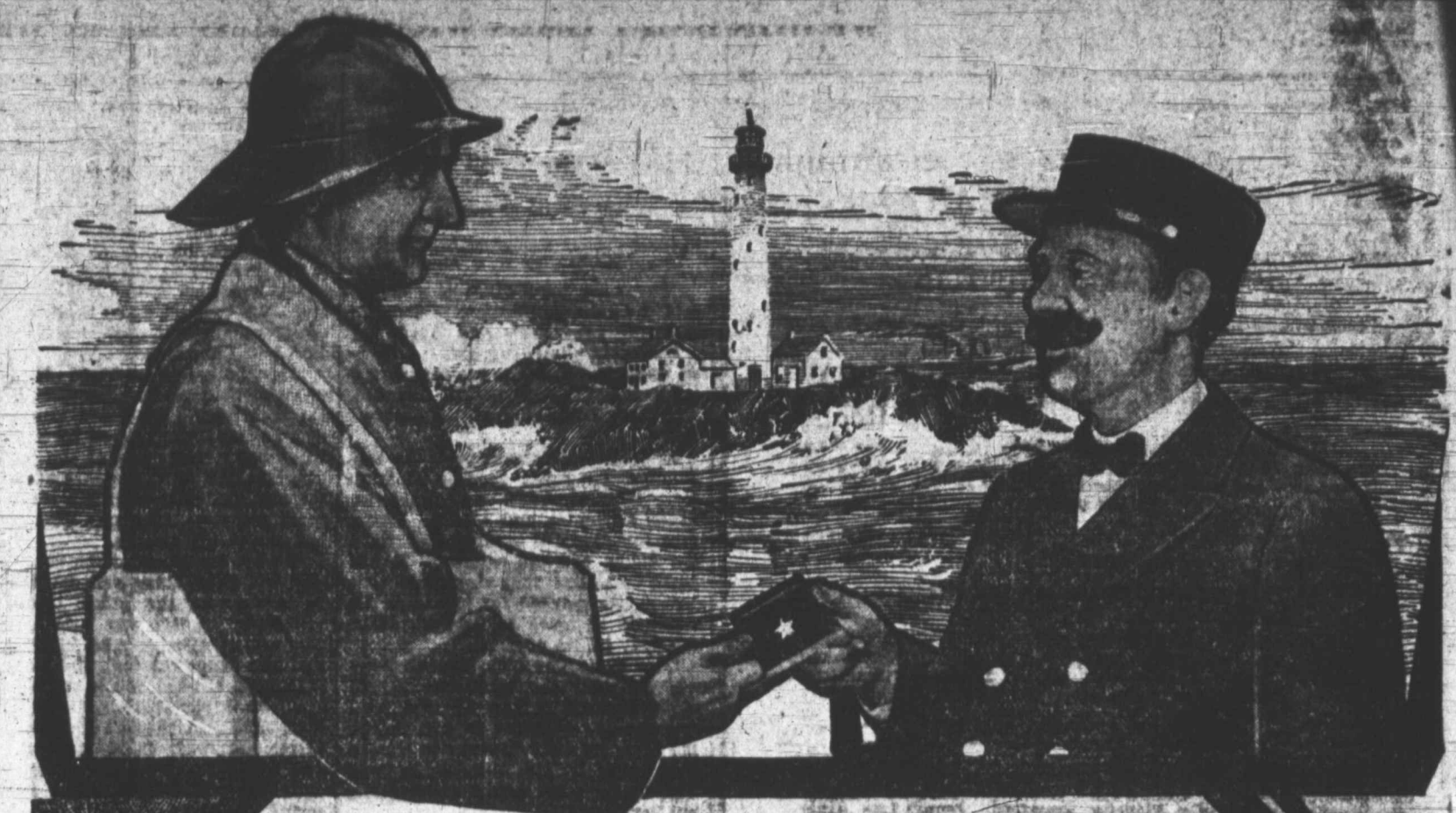
**MORE THAN MONEY**  
By NORMA EVERETT DEANE.  
(Copyright, 1914, by W. O. Chapman.)  
Lawyer Abel Doyce loved money. His office man, Vance Merton, despised it. The latter had seen his employer grow selfish and mean under the malign influence of the god of gold. More than that, young Merton had known the hateful power of money in other forcible instances. His father had been rich. Within a week Vance had seen his entire fortune dissipated in a reckless speculation. Then those who had courted the Mertons turned their backs on them. Worse than that, the girl whom Vance fancied he loved coldly repelled him.  
Ditter in a way, but infinitely wiser, Vance had ignored the society that had deluded him. He had gone to work for Lawyer Doyce, knowing him to be a close, penurious man, but rather liking him because he was consistent in his faults. Doyce made no hypocritical claims to philanthropy or moral merit. They got along pretty well together. Vance made and saved some money.  
He had a mental vision he hoped to make true some day: go "far from the madding crowd" and in some pretty countryside, where hearts were not polluted, lead a peaceful, happy life, undisturbed by the promptings of ambition and unassailed with hypocrisy, envy, meanness.  
"Big case, Merton," briskly announced the wizened old limb of the law one morning.  
"That so?" nodded Vance, in his quiet, undemonstrative way.  
"Yes. Heiress wanted. Orphan girl. Not a big estate—probably only twenty thousand dollars, but there's a good



"Big Case, Merton."  
fee in it. You did stunnily well in finding those Warrington heirs. Try this case."  
"All right, give me the details."  
These were simple. One Eunice Purcell was sole inheritor of the estate of a deceased uncle. Miss Purcell had left her native town five years previous. No trace of her since. Vance started on his quest.  
He was a good deal of a thinker, and as well considerable of a detective. Within a week he was close on the trail of the much-wanted heiress.  
A poor, humble girl, Eunice Purcell, had gone out into the world to earn her own living. Vance located her at several towns. In all of these she had secured work as seamstress, clerk in dry goods stores, in one instance as companion to a wealthy lady. Vance took additional interest in the case, as everywhere he received pleased eulogiums upon her sweet simplicity and sterling integrity of character. Finally he had a sight of her photograph. He did not exactly fall in love with its original, but in a longing, speculative way he wondered if that fair face belied its owner, if, as it seemed from the clear eyes, a prompting heart, true and lovable, inspired that attractive friendly gleam.  
At length the arduous quest of the investigator was rewarded. At a quaint little country town Vance Merton located the missing heiress. He spent several days in making inquiries. He watched from a distance the modest young girl, who was working as a seamstress. He had fancied in the past that he loved a woman. He knew better now, for real affection filled his soul, and glorified his nature.  
Then Vance Merton did a selfish thing. He neglected his mission, he forgot all about his duty to Lawyer Doyce. Here was a fresh, charming girl unspoiled by experience, content and happy in a humble sphere of life. What might not the possession of wealth and luxury and idleness do to change that sterling nature?  
Vance secured an introduction to the object of his esteem. He courted her, he learned that her modest sensibilities were akin to his own. He proposed and was accepted.  
He ignored Lawyer Doyce as thoroughly as though he were totally forgotten. Vance managed to get his savings together. He bought a sweet little home and they settled down to love in a cottage.  
Perhaps six months had gone by when something occurred. This "something" was Lawyer Doyce. The old skinflint had not heard a word from his young agent, and had wondered at the fact. He had started out to try to locate the young

girl. All the while the Doyces gave up the search and the case slumbered.  
"Some business one day took him to Verden. This was the town where Vance was now employed in the local bank. Doyce did not chance to run across him there, but, by a chance consistency of fate, he did happen to blunder right up to the doorway of the Merton home.  
"He was hot, tired and thirsty, and he politely asked the young mistress of the place to give him a drink of water.  
"Kind-hearted, hospitable Eunice invited him into the cool shady parlor. She brought him a glass of water and a fan, and invited him to sit down and rest himself.  
"Hello!" suddenly ejaculated Doyce, and his eyes goggled.  
"Why—what?" began the startled Eunice.  
Then she noted that the eyes of her random guest were fixed upon a framed portrait on the wall—that of her husband, Vance Merton.  
"Who—may I ask who is that?" inquired Doyce, desperately excited.  
"My husband," answered Eunice, flushing prettily and proudly.  
"Why, I know him!" cried the lawyer. "It is Vance Merton."  
"Yes, sir," replied Eunice. "If you are a friend of his, he will certainly be glad to see you."  
"H'm!" muttered Doyce musingly, and then a sudden conjecture assailed his shrewd mind. He gradually led the unsuspecting Eunice to talk of her history and marriage.  
"Eunice Purcell—I've found her!" he gloated to himself. That rascal Vance captured the prize on the sly, eh? And left me in the dark! I'll bet he's collected the estate from the lawyers in the East, without letting me know a thing about it. Clever scheme—aha!  
Doyce arose to his feet as Vance himself entered the house.  
"Why—hello!" half stared, half-smiled the discomfited Doyce.  
"Yes, it's me," observed Doyce. "I say, young man, I see you've got the heiress."  
"Why—what does he mean?" murmured Eunice, clinging to her husband, vaguely fazed.  
"I mean the twenty thousand dollar estate left to you—"  
There Vance sprang forward and clasped his hand across the lips of the rude speaker.  
He was too late, however. An explanation was inevitable.  
"You never told me," spoke Eunice, staring strangely at her husband.  
"Yes, and why not?" equally bewildered, challenged Doyce.  
"Because I loved you, dear," explained Vance—"because I thought only of you, not of your money."  
Eunice's eyes were dazzling. She trembled with joy at this manifest proof of her husband's devotion.  
"You see, there's my fee—began Doyce.  
"Oh yes, we will ask for the money," insisted Eunice.  
"Why should we?" inquired Vance.  
"Are we not the happiest mortals in the world as it is?"  
"Yes, dear, answered Eunice, "but when I think how hard you have worked for me when that money would spare you, I long to make it easier for you."  
"H'm! I declare! you are a remarkable young man!" declared Doyce.  
"I wish you had not found us," said Vance.  
"I do not!" cried Eunice brightly.  
"Why, the money will be a blessing to us, in the care of the dearest—most unselfish—adorable husband a woman ever had!"  
And she punctuated the extravagant words with rare, fervid kisses.

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Sulphur is commonly used to protect vines from oidium, and it has long been noticed that when thus used it has a stimulating effect on the growth of the vines. The experiments of several French investigators have now made clear how this effect is brought about.  
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The most recent and conclusive experiments on this subject are those of Professor Chauvet, at Villefranche-sur-Saone, where half-acre plots of vines were treated. The effect of the sulphur was markedly less in proportion to the time that had elapsed since the vines had been measured, and were increased by mixing the sulphur with the manure.  
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**Alamo School Track Team Wins Hours in Junior Meet**

The Alamo school track team won first honors Tuesday in the junior track meet which was held at the city park. All the ward schools of the city were eligible to send teams, but only the Alamo and San Jacinto teams were represented and the Alamo aggregation scored 69 points to San Jacinto's 32.  
Both boys and girls were eligible to compete and both took part in many of the events. Weldon Sandusky and Monteth Wood both of the Alamo school tied for individual honors, each making a total of twelve points. The record of events follows:  
Boys 50 yard dash—Weldon Sandusky of Alamo first, Monteth Wood of Alamo second, Roy Hutchins of San Jacinto third.  
Eight pound shot put—Jasper Carrett of Alamo first, Monteth Wood of Alamo second, M. Young of Alamo third. Distance 46.3 feet.  
Running high jump—Maylon Young of Alamo and Charles Toney of Alamo tied for first place, at four feet four inches. Weldon Sandusky of Alamo was third.  
Potato race—Wayne Koonce of Alamo first, Temple Schelle of San Jacinto second, Donald Shoemaker of San Jacinto third.  
Running broad jump—Roy Hutchins of San Jacinto first, Weldon Sandusky of Alamo second, Monteth Wood of Alamo third. Distances 15.4 feet.  
Baseball throw—John McKeen of Alamo first, Jasper Carrett second, Ole Burns of San Jacinto third. Distance 219 feet.  
Relay—won by Alamo team, Walter Coleman, Lou Johnson, Monteth Wood and Weldon Sandusky.  
Girls 50 yard dash—Myrtle Hudson of San Jacinto first, Robin Wilcox of Alamo second, Carrie Phillips of San Jacinto third.  
Girls running broad jump—Myrtle Hudson of San Jacinto first, Carrie Phillips of San Jacinto second, Shirley Green of Alamo third. Distance 14 feet.  
Girls relay won by San Jacinto team of Myrtle Hudson, Ina Anderson, Carrie Phillips and Alice Picklin.

**DON'T DELAY**  
Some Wichita Falls People Have Learned That Neglect is Dangerous

The slightest symptom of kidney trouble is far too serious to be overlooked. It's the small, neglected troubles that sometimes lead to serious ailments. That pain in the "small" of your back; that urinary irregularity; those headaches and dizzy spells; that weak, weary, worn out feeling, may be nature's warning of kidney weakness. Why risk your life by neglecting these symptoms? Reach the cause of the trouble while there yet is time—begin treating your kidneys at once with a tried and proven kidney remedy. No need to experiment—Doan's Kidney Pills have been successfully used in thousands of cases of kidney trouble for over 50 years. Doan's Kidney Pills are used and recommended throughout the civilized world. Convincing testimony follows:  
V. M. Skiplwith, former deputy tax assessor, Henrietta, Texas, says: "Some years ago I suffered from pain in my sides and across my back. My kidneys were weak and I had to get up frequently at night. Doan's Kidney Pills completely cured me."  
Price 50c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Skiplwith had. Foster-Milburn Co. Props., Buffalo, N. Y.—Advt.

**ALTKIRCHE IN UPPER ALSACE IS BOMBARDED**

Basel, Switzerland, May 4.—Altkirch in Upper Alsace were heavily bombarded by French artillery May 1. On May 2 the French cannon continued firing the direction of Cernay. The result of the bombardment was not learned.  
French Cannon Also Firing in Direction of Cernay Says Swiss Report

**Long Distance Supervision**

From his city office the manager now directs and supervises his plant in the suburbs or in another town by Bell Telephone, with as much ease as if it were in the basement below.  
The agent which can so efficiently dispose of the important details of a business—near at hand or at a distance—should surely be placing your orders, tracing your shipments, acting as your salesman, as well as performing a thousand other functions for you.

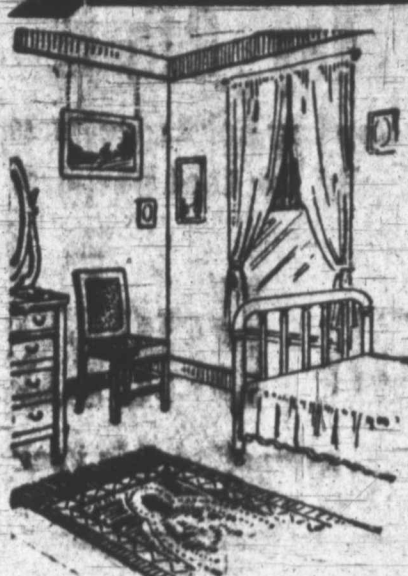
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Carry the highest and most liberal guarantee of any tire made.  
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THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF WICHITA FALLS



YOU MAY HAVE A Surplus Room

That would bring you a nice income if it was rented. There are people hunting such opportunities and daily read the Times classified ads in search for the most desirable places.

YOU MAY HAVE Something to Sell

It may be a surplus piece of furniture, a cow or horse, a buggy—it matters not; a prospective purchaser will read your ad. Try it and see if you are not successful.

If you have a "Want" Try The Times.



The Surest Road To Success Is to Invest Your Money In Real Estate

125-acres of land 2 1/2 miles north of city on Burk Burnett road. 100 acres in cultivation, balance good pasture. Good improvements, fine water. Land is sandy loam and will grow anything. 50 acres now in wheat. Will make ideal dairy. Overlook the entire city. Will sell at a bargain.

Three room house, barn, orchard on nice lot 50x140 feet, one mile from court house. Price \$375.00 on terms of \$50 cash and \$20 per month; no interest, no taxes. This is a snap.

Several pairs of restricted lots in Floral Heights so cheap that it will astonish you. Now is the time to buy as some of these lots will double in value before February.

I represent the Floral Heights and Scotland Additions and am in a position to give you inside information on all kinds of bargains in real estate.

A. L. HUEY, Office 604 Eighth Phone 1478

Classified Ads

Situations Wanted

WANTED—House work to do by middle aged woman. Address 700, care Times. 4-3tp.

Miscellaneous Wants

WANTED—To pack, crate and repair some furniture. We buy and sell everything. Wichita Furniture & Second Hand Co. Phone 528. 5-4tp.

For Sale—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—Practically new buggy and harness. Phone 1241. 4-3tp.

FOR SALE—Good buggy and harness cheap. Ed B. Goraline. 5 tpe

FOR RENT—Two furnished light house-keeping rooms at 1010 Indiana. 65-1tp.

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For Sale—City Property

FOR SALE—Beautiful close in Floral Heights lots. Any kind of terms. Dr. DeVal. 83-4tp.

FOR SALE—Lot 12, block 45, Floral Heights, sidewalks, gas, water and plumbing on lot; small cash payment, balance monthly. Mrs. E. M. Brown. Phone 608. 97-4tp.

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Financial

MONEY TO LOAN—Cravens, Maer & Walker. 44-1tp.

\$200,000.00—To loan on farms and improved Wichita Falls property. Very easy terms and low rates of interest. F. W. Tibbets. 69-1tp.

Lost

LOST—From automobile near spillway at lake, Panama hat and blue serge coat, each marked with initials J. G. Cost contains personal papers and silver mounted fountain pen. Reward for return to John Gould at Times office. No questions asked. 4-4tp.

LOST—On street car, Sunday morning, gold headed parcel with M. C. R. on end of handle. Finder return to Times office for reward. 4-3tp.

LOST—Mary Garden Gold pin. Finder leave at Times or phone 189. Reward. 4-3tp.

For Rent—Offices and Stores

FOR RENT—Single or suite of three choice offices. New O. O. F. Bldg. J. R. Ogil. Secular Ward Building. 4-3tp.

FOR RENT—Bed room, large, airy, suitable for two persons. All conveniences. Close in. Opposite Court House. 909 7th. Phone 929. 4-3tp.

FOR RENT—First-class southeast bedroom. 719 Travis. Phone 2980. Mrs. Wood. 4-3tp.

FOR RENT—Attractive furnished or unfurnished room; close in. Phone 1467. 4-3tp.

FOR RENT—Well furnished front room; private entrance. No other roomers. 1201 Scott. Phone 1921. 4-3tp.

Board and Rooms

FOR RENT—Well furnished rooms, board close by; block of car line. 1907 Eight. 85-1tp.

Help Wanted—Male

WANTED—An experienced stenographer. No students need apply. Ziglar Store Company. 4-3tp.

WANTED—Experienced single man on green farm with good habits. References required. D. E. Thomas, Route 5. 6 tpe

For Sale or Trade

FOR SALE OR TRADE—22 room hotel or rooming house, doing good business; bargain. Phone 851. 92-1tp.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—For cash or Wichita Falls property, a complete Advance threshing outfit, including separator, engine and truck wagon. Just run one season. For further information address J. F. Kitcherside, Iowa Park, Texas. 1-12tp.

Legal Notices

The Fort Worth & Denver City Railway Company will, on 10 a. m. June 3rd, 1915, at freight house, Wichita Falls, Texas, sell at public auction car load of hay in car E. W. & D. 5941, X car I C 15628, shipped January 1st, 1915 by J. E. Shreve & Co., from Fairbanks, Texas to W. L. Edmonson, Wichita Falls, Texas and released by consignee. Proceeds of sale will be applied on freight and other charges.

M. A. BUNDY, Agent, Wichita Falls, Texas, May 3rd, 1915. 4-3tp.

Notice

To all persons indebted to A. S. Foville, bankrupt: Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, M. McGinley, was on May 2nd, 1915, appointed trustee of A. S. Foville, bankrupt. All persons indebted to the said A. S. Foville, bankrupt, are notified to at once pay their accounts to said trustee, who will be found at the El Dorado Hotel in Wichita Falls, Texas. Prompt settlement will be necessary in order to save trouble and cost. M. McGinley, Trustee in Bankruptcy. 6-5tp.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the sheriff or any constable of Wichita county, greeting: You are hereby commanded to

summon G. A. Fitzgerald by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Wichita county, to be held at the court house thereof, in Wichita Falls, Texas, on the fifth Monday in May A. D. 1915, the same being the 31st day of May A. D. 1915 then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 23rd day of April A. D. 1915, in suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 5275 wherein Bama Fitzgerald is plaintiff and G. A. Fitzgerald is defendant, and said petition alleging that on or about the first day of January, 1915, plaintiff was lawfully seized and possessed of lot 6 in block No. 14 in the Jalonic Addition to the city of Wichita Falls, Texas; that on the day and year last aforesaid the defendant unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiff therefrom and unlawfully withholds from her the possession thereof to her damage \$1750; that plaintiff and defendant were married about May 13th, 1906; that during their marriage they accumulated and acquired the land above described; that they also acquired blocks 25, 24 and 25 situated in Southside Acres Addition to the city of Wichita Falls, Texas, of the value of \$1500. They also acquired two horses and a bus of the value of \$500 and a taxicab of the value of \$400. That they lived together as husband and wife until the day of August, 1914, at which time they separated. That about the 15th day of November, 1914, being desirous to divide their community estate, giving to each his one-half therein, they decided their said estate above described to T. B. Greenwood, as trustee, for the sole purpose of partitioning said estate, investing title to each to the share taken by him; that on said date, said T. B. Greenwood in compliance with said trust conveyed to the plaintiff lot No. 6 in block No. 14 in the Jalonic Addition to the city of Wichita Falls, Texas, being the land above described and the said T. B. Greenwood did, at the said time, deed to the defendant block No. 23, 24 and 25 Southside Acres Addition to the city of Wichita Falls, Texas; also conveyed to said defendant all of the personal property, above described. That thereafter, on December 10th, 1914, plaintiff and defendant were divorced and that she is now a single woman. That the defendant delivered to her and that she in turn gave the deed of trust executed by her and the defendant to T. B. Greenwood and the deed executed by T. B. Greenwood to plaintiff to her attorney, W. T. Carlton the same to be placed on record; that thereafter and before said deeds were placed on record the plaintiff by fraudulent devices obtained possession of said deed and at once set up claim to the land herein sued for, and has never placed said deeds on record, but has left the country for parts unknown to this day. Wherefore plaintiff prays that defendant be served with citation by publication as the law directs, that upon hearing hereof that she have judgment for title and possession for said land and premises and for writ of restitution and for costs of suit and general relief, etc.

Herein said not, but have before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Wichita Falls this 23rd day of April A. D. 1915.

A. F. KERR, Clerk, District Court, Wichita County, Texas. 97-300-306-312

Notice of Sale in Bankruptcy

In the matter of A. S. Foville, Bankrupt: No. 527 in bankruptcy. In pursuance of an order directed to me in the deed of the Bankruptcy of A. S. Foville, Bankrupt, No. 527, in the District Court of the United States for the Northern District of Texas, I will sell for cash to the highest bidder the stock of jewelry, furniture and fixtures now in my hands as trustee, consisting of merchandise involving six thousand five hundred ninety three dollars and ninety-eight cents, and furniture and fixtures involving five thousand four hundred fifty dollars, located in the building occupied by the Bankrupt, known as 704 Ohio Avenue in the City of Wichita Falls, Wichita County, Texas, on the 12th day of May A. D. 1915, at four o'clock p. m., said sale subject to confirmation by the Court, the right is reserved in the Court to reject any and all bids, the stock of merchandise, furniture and fixtures can be seen at any time on application to the undersigned.

M. McGINLEY, Trustee in Bankruptcy. 6-5tp.

Don't throw that hat away. Bring it to us and we will make it like new.

HOME TAILORING COMPANY, 709 Seventh Street. Phone 1251

BEFORE HIS HOUR OF GLORY

Attitude of the Youthful Napoleon on That Memorable June Day in French History.

While we were spending our time in a rather vagabond manner the twentieth of June arrived. We met by appointment at a restaurateur's in the Rue St. Honoré, near the Palais Royal, to take one of our daily rambles. On going out we saw a mob approaching in the direction of the market, which Bonaparte estimated at five or six thousand men. They were a rabble of blackguards ludicrously armed with weapons of every description, and shouted while they proceeded rapidly toward the Tuileries, vociferating all kinds of gross abuse. It was a collection of all that was vilest in the purlieus of Paris.

"Let us follow the mob," said Bonaparte. We got the start of them and took up our station in the terrace along the river. It was there that we witnessed the scandalous scenes which took place, and it would be difficult to describe the surprise and indignation which they excited in him. When the king showed himself at the windows overlooking the garden with the red cap which one of the mob had put on his head he could no longer repress his indignation. "What stupidity!" he loudly exclaimed. "Why have they let in all that rabble? They should knock off 400 or 500 of them with the cannon; the rest would take themselves off fast enough."

When we sat down to dinner, which I paid for, as I generally did, for I was the richer of the two, he spoke of nothing but the scene we had witnessed. He discussed with great good sense the causes and consequences of this unprecedented insurrection. He foresaw and developed with sagacity all that would follow. He was not mistaken—"Memoirs of Napoleon Bonaparte," Louis Antoine Fauvellet de Bourrienne.

Bomber Negliges.

A quiet note in the plot of pink and white lingerie is a poppe de chine cunning robe with peacock to match in a light golden brown. The garments are made simply with hemstitching, tucks and hand embroidery of the same color. This set should be specially welcome to the elderly woman, for whom the daintier pink and white confections are too gay, but who likes to look attractive in her ongoing hours as well as her younger sister. To the traveler such a set would solve the problem of the proper negligee for Pullman, stateroom or hotel, where too many women make the mistake of appearing in public corridors in flowing garments flowered or of vivid hue.

Shades of Red.

Various shades of red, such as searoot, geranium, cerise and military red are favored by fashion. These brilliant tints help to brighten the dark colors which are popular. The monotony of black, tete de negre and midnight blue shades in vogue is relieved by an occasional dash of brightness, such as cerise or similar colors.

RAILROAD TIME TABLE

FL. W. & D. C. Ry.

Northbound No. 7 to Denver and intermediate points, arrives 2:35 a. m.; departs 3:45 a. m.

No. 3 to Amarillo and intermediate points, arrives at 1:50 p. m.; departs 2:05 p. m.

No. 12 to El Paso, departs 7 a. m. and returns at 6:15 p. m.

Southbound No. 8 to Fort Worth and intermediate points, arrives at 2:05 a. m.; departs 2:15 a. m.

No. 4 to Fort Worth and intermediate points, arrives at 2:05 p. m. and departs at 2:20 p. m.

Wichita Valley.

Westbound No. 1 to Abilene and intermediate points, departs at 2:20 p. m.



Personals

L. G. Howson of Pine Bluff, Ark. is in the city looking after his interests in this section. Mr. Howson resided here when a boy and has made frequent visits to Wichita Falls, returning home each time a stronger booster for this city.

DR. J. W. DuVAL
SPECIALIST
Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat
GLASSES FITTED

NEW SUPERINTENDENT KATY SHOPS AT DEINSON

Deinson Herald. Bert C. Nicholson, who has been in charge of the local Katy shops since the resignation of N. S. Aihart, master mechanic, effective at once, is appointed shop superintendent with full charge of all the shops in the mechanical department.

TAYLOR COUNTY SCHOOL BUILDING BURNED TUESDAY

Associated Press. Abilene, Texas, May 5.—It was learned here today that the school house in this county was destroyed yesterday by fire, all the children escaping. The loss was \$2,000.

Whoever You Need a General Tonic Take Grove's

The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless Tonic is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Purifies the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 50c.

To the Public

We wish to call your attention to one of the highest grades of ice cream and ices on the market. We are new in this city but old timers in the cream business. For quality we are the leaders. Service is next to our motto. Fancy brick and sherry for residents a specialty. Call for it at fountains. Phone 1974.

NEELAND-MURFF CREAMERY CO.

703 Tenth Street. Motor Service

LYDIA MARGARET THEATRE

ANNOUNCEMENT

This theatre has for the past season been booked by the Interstate Amusement Company of Chicago, Ill. The Majestic theatres throughout the country are also booked on this circuit, and as it is a custom of these theatres to close May first for the summer season, the Lydia Margaret theatre will also be closed after Saturday night.

WREN & BERRY, Props.

THE JOY OF SPRING

is in evidence around our big soda fountain. Our quality the highest, our service the best. We use J. Hungerford Smith's fruits and the fruit syrups. These goods are the recognized standard for all first-class soda fountains.

PALACE DRUG STORE

Phones 341-340 Only the Best Motorcycle Delivery

Prize Fishing Contest

See our window for prizes and conditions of contest

Wilson & Woods

Phone No. 10

Gem Theatre

TODAY

Beneath the Sea—Two part Drama.

CAST: Ned Ellis, Richard Mason, Dan Harris, Mr. Herring, Alice Herring, Nora Harris, Charles Fowler, W. E. Parsons, George Routh, Melvin Mayo, Velma Whitman, Rosa Norris. Socially Ambitious—Featuring Arthur V. Johnson, Lottie Briscoe. Chas. Chaplin in the Park. The Eagle and the Sparrow—Selig.

MAJESTIC THEATRE

His Romany Wife

Biograph drama with Louise Yale.

Love and Trouble

Essay Comedy

His Own Hero

Lubin



Vogue and Hearst in today.

May Number.

Mack Taylor Drug Store

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Everybody smokes it. Everybody likes it.

The Pay Day Cigar, The Nickel Luxury

Palace Drug Store

"Only the Best"

MOTHER'S DAY

Sunday, May 9th

Remember mother by sending her a nice book or booklet made especially for that purpose. Ooze or Velum binding.

Graduation Books

Line more extensive and attractive this year than ever before. See our windows.

Martin's Book Store

FREE DELIVERY

609 Eighth St.

Phone No. 96



If you are hard to fit let us take your measure. We guarantee to fit you.

Collier Tailoring Co.

Cleaning and Repairing

Getting a line on his curves 717 Seventh Phone 782

Autographic Photography

Come in our store and let us explain the new feature in KODAKS. The Autographic is the latest development in amateur photography.

Morris Drug Store

KODAK SUPPLIES

Our Service is better

Phone 9 and 743 Free Delivery

ICE CREAM

Vanilla, Caramel Nut, (any amount delivered). Phone 193 or 925. Free delivery.

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Dr. Monte R. Garrison

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Suits Cleaned and Pressed

\$1.00

Palm Beach 50c

I am Supton Tailor

ILL SEE THAT YOU'RE SATISFIED

Phone 1067

The Difference

There is a difference between pretending and doing, between sentiment and remembrance as much as there is between real heart aches and pretentious sorrow. One is the contraction of the tender cords around the heart by the act of memory, the other is crying aloud to be heard and seen of men.

You make every one glad and proud of your cemetery when your acts of love and remembrance are expressed by a lasting tribute.

WICHITA MARBLE & GRANITE WORKS

A. G. DEATHERAGE, Prop.

Phone 440

The Home Dealer

Twenty-five Pay Day Cigars in a can. Just the thing for automobile trips. Always mel-low and fresh.

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