

PETROGRAD IS NOW BELIEVED GOAL OF TEUTONIC ARMIES

SUCCESS OF GERMANS HAVE MADE SECOND LINE DEFENSE UNENTABLE FOR RUSSIAN FORCES

GERMANS WIN BVINA'S BANK

Next Week May Witness Great Battle on Road to Russian Capital—Rear Guards Are Taking Heavy Toll From the Victorious Germans

Associated Press. London, Aug. 12.—The Baltic flank of the German army under Field Marshal Von Hindenburg has virtually opened the banks of the river Bvina between Riga and Bvinsk with Petrograd in a direct line, thence southward the line sweeps west with the Russian fortress of Kavro still holding out. But next week may see a great battle on the road toward the Russian capital. The second line of defense upon which the Russians proposed to rely after abandoning Warsaw has been rendered untenable, and the British and Russian press are beginning to see in the Austro-German plan an ambition plunge deeper into Russia with Petrograd as a goal. In the meantime the Russian rear guards are fighting desperately, especially in the Bvina district and at Kevno, to capture which the Germans are making a terrific sacrifice of men.

It seems plain that the Germans propose no great demonstrations in the west on the theory that conditions in France and Belgium are such that neither the French nor the British will immediately attempt a general offensive. During the lull in activity on the front in France and Belgium, interest is looking to the Dardanelles to bring Russia the relief she so badly needs. Though the task of opening the strait remains a difficult problem which some think may only be solved by a change in the Balkan situation both Germany and the entente powers are exerting the hardest pressure on Bulgaria as that country is considered to be the key to the situation.

WAR DEPARTMENT ASKS DATA FROM MUNITIONS MANUFACTURERS OF U.S.

Supplies Cause Speculation But Official Explain That Action Is in Accordance With Usual Practice in Time of Peace as Well as War

Washington, Aug. 12.—Announcement that the war department has asked American manufacturers of war munitions for data as to their facilities for furnishing supplies particularly in the event of an emergency, led to some speculation here today although officials explained that the action was in accordance with the usual practice both in normal times as well as in war. The announcement declared emphatically that no purchases of war supplies were contemplated at the present. The step, it is explained, was made necessary because of the fact that practically every plant in the country is taxed to its capacity to fill orders for the warring nations in Europe.

WILL URGE TRAINING CAMP IN THE MIDDLE WEST.

Chicago, Aug. 12.—Congressman Martin N. Madden announced today that he would leave for Washington next week to urge the establishment by the War Department of a training camp similar to that at Plattsburg, N. Y., to serve the middle West where men can be given a course of instruction to qualify men as officers.

PREMIER VENIZELOS BACK IN ATHENS AFTER EXILE

Greek Statesman Whose Policy Favoring Allies Caused Dismissal About to Resume Premiership

Associated Press. Athens, Aug. 12.—Ex-Premier Venizelos of Greece who resigned in March on account of King Constantine's disapproval of his policy in the war in favor of the entente allies returned today to Athens. The pronouncement of his policy is awaited with the greatest eagerness but this may be made until after August 16, the opening date for the Parliament.

M. Venizelos party was victorious in the general election of June and last month he was quoted as saying "he would accept the call of the people and resume the leadership of the liberals."

CAPT. KNOX OF U. S. AVIATION CORPS FALLS TO HIS DEATH

LIEUTENANT SUTTON ALSO DANGEROUSLY HURT AT FORT SILL, OKLAHOMA AVIATION GROUNDS THIS MORNING.

AIR CURRENTS TREACHEROUS

Aviation Squadron Had Been at Fort Sill Only Since Tuesday and Air Currents Were Being Investigated When Aeroplane Fell.

By Associated Press. Fort Sill, Okla., Aug. 12.—Captain C. H. Knox of the first aero squadron who began test flights upon the Fort Sill reserve Tuesday met death this morning when his airplane fell five hundred feet. Lieutenant R. B. Sutton is not expected to live. The squadron had just been transferred here from California. Upon their arrival several members said they considered the various currents of air existing in and near the Wichita mountains here extremely dangerous. The aviators ascended about 9 o'clock this morning. They had been aloft only a few minutes when the aeroplane was seen to be falling. Captain Knox and his aide made desperate efforts to control the plane but in vain. The captain was killed instantly.

"PLAN OF SAN DIEGO" BACK OF BORDER RAIDS

Seizure of States Bordering Mexico and Death to Americans the Object

San Antonio, Texas, Aug. 12.—Major General Frederick Funston, commanding the southern department, has received through special investigators a detailed report on the uprising of Mexicans in the Rio Grande Valley, which information has been forwarded to Washington. This report proves conclusively that the organizers are cutting Mexicans under the "plan of San Diego" which calls for the death of every American male over the age of 16 in the states bordering on the Rio Grande and New Mexico, Colorado, Arizona and California. This would be followed by the seizure of these states and the establishment of a Republic for Mexicans, negroes, Japanese and Chinese. The seizure of the Rio Grande Valley country, once a part of Mexico, was to be the first step.

The portion of Texas which the followers of the "plan of San Diego" would restore to Mexico embraces 21,514 square miles and, according to the census of 1910 includes 146,538 inhabitants. Of this number, more than 60 per cent are Mexicans, mostly of the poorer class. A great part of these people do not know how to read and write, neither do they understand the meaning of the constitution of the United States, while they know nothing of Texas history. There are more than 3,000 Mexicans pledged to the organization and recruits are being added. For the last two years dissatisfied Texas Mexicans and refugees from across the border have been spreading the principles of the plan. Lodges have been established in every Mexican community where the colony numbers more than a handful. In some quarters, a secret society which excites its members to deeds of violence. General Funston's information is that normal conditions will not be restored in the valley and the rebellion quelled until enough troops are distributed to form a sufficient guard for every town, village and hamlet in the Brownsville territory. Then the Texas Rangers and citizens possess could patrol the mesquite country and in that manner the armed marauders could be forced out of the country.

Neither constitutionalists nor Villista soldiers are figuring in the disturbances, although an effort is being made by far sighted politicians in the valleys to bring in these warring factions because of the effect it would have on the international situation. Some political leaders are credited with believing that if the blame can be attached to soldiers of either General Carranza or General Villa, armed intervention in Mexican affairs by this country would be the result.

WHEAT THRESHING IN FULL SWING IN WESTERN OKLA.

Wheat threshing season is now in full swing in Western Oklahoma and shipments of wheat into this city over the Northwestern are beginning to be heavy. The Oklahoma threshing season does not begin until threshing in this section is at least half over as a rule.

During July, 1291 cars of wheat were handled out of points on the Northwestern, an average of about 40 per day. So far this month, the average has been 60 cars per day and will probably remain at that average for some time.

Just One Touch Of Nature After Day Of Terrific Fighting At The Dardanelles



ENGLISH SOLDIER GIVING WOUNDED TURK A DRINK. The accompanying photograph was taken after one of the severest engagements fought at the Dardanelles. It shows an English soldier giving a dying Turk a drink of water.

RESPIRE COMES FOR MYERS THIRTY MINUTES BEFORE HOUR SET FOR HANGING

Writ of Habeas Corpus Questioning Myers' Sanity Filed in Court of Criminal Appeals Delays Execution of Fort Worth Switchman

By Associated Press. Fort Worth, Texas, Aug. 12.—Thirty minutes before A. W. Myers was to be hanged this morning the clerk of the court of criminal appeals in Austin telephoned to the sheriff here to delay the execution until further notice. A writ of habeas corpus has been filed before the court questioning Myers' sanity.

The stay of execution delays the hanging at least until October 4th, when the habeas corpus will be heard at Austin. C. A. Myers, a switchman, shot A. W. Montague, superintendent of terminals for the Texas and Pacific Railroad here on January 20, 1915. Myers claimed that Montague had put him in the "black" and that he was "getting even." Montague had just refused to put the switchman back to work. Some little time before the shooting the superintendent had discharged Myers, who claimed that he was unable to get work with any other railroad because of Montague's influence. On account of Myers' claims several persons active in the socialist party there have taken active interest in his case. A notable feature of Myers' imprisonment has been his apparent lack of concern over his fate. He had a wife and several children in Little Rock, Ark. Montague lived an hour after the shooting and Myers was taken to Dallas to avoid mob threats. Montague's predecessor as superintendent was shot and killed by a dissatisfied employe a few years ago.

WHEAT PRICES ADVANCE FIVE CENTS A BUSHEL

Wheat is bringing \$1.10 a bushel in Wichita Falls today. This is the highest price of the season and hundreds of bushels are being marketed. Receipts at local elevators have fallen away behind last season's receipts for the corresponding period and while it is undeniable that the crop is smaller than last year in this section it is equally certain that the greater part of it is being held for a better price. More granaries have been built in this section than ever before and many farmers are in such a financial shape that they can hold their wheat indefinitely and will do so as long as there is a prospect of the market going higher.

PRESIDENT CONDEMNED BY GERMAN ASSOCIATION

St. Paul, Aug. 12.—The German American Central Catholic Verein, in sixtieth annual session, closing here, adopted resolutions calling upon all senators and representatives to use their power to get together an extra session of Congress to place an embargo on exportation of ammunition and condemning President Wilson and the Washington administration for what they called unneutral acts.

REPORT OF ALTON MAN'S DEATH A MISTAKE, HE DECLARES SO HIMSELF

By Associated Press. Alton, Ill., Aug. 12.—John Neely, a blacksmith of East Alton, arose in his shop today to remark with emphasis that it was not his body which was found in a railroad yard at Springfield, Mo., last Monday. The body of this murdered man had been identified by Millard Brady of Springfield as that of his friend, Neely. Brady told of a train robber's threat on Neely's life fifteen years ago and supposed that the robber had fulfilled his threat. "Brady was right about the threat," said Neely, "but wrong when he said it was my body. They haven't got me yet."

WILL PLANT SHADE TREES ALONG MERIDIAN HIGHWAY.

Salina, Kan., Aug. 12.—The state forester, C. A. Scott, is here and with W. W. Watson, president of the Kansas division of the Meridian Highway, is laying the plans for setting shade trees at intervals on either side of the road through Kansas. The kind of trees to be used and the plan for setting them will be decided upon in a short time, when President John Nicholson can meet with Scott and Watson.

GERMANY NOW ABLE TO DISPENSE WITH COTTON.

London, Aug. 12.—Announcement Germany is now able to dispense with cotton in the manufacture of military supplies is made by the Frankfurter Zeitung as quoted by Reuters' correspondent at Amsterdam. This newspaper asserts that the designation of cotton as contraband of war would not solve Anglo-American difficulties, and adds: "In the present condition of our technical science, no cotton whatever is any longer used for war purposes."

NOT PENAL OFFENSE TO SELL LIQUOR IN MONTAGUE.

Montague, Tex., Aug. 12.—District Judge Spencer has held invalid that part of the local option law which makes it a penal offense to sell intoxicating liquor in this county for the reason that the Commissioners' court in declaring the result of the last election met on the tenth day instead of the eleventh to declare said result. The county still remains dry from a preceding election, however, but the selling of liquor is only a misdemeanor, and will continue so unless the present Commissioners' court again declares the result or another election is held.

VILLA WILLING TO SIGN TRUCE.

Washington, Aug. 12.—General Villa has informed the American government that he is willing to sign a truce of three months or more duration with his opponents during which time a peace conference shall be held. Villa is understood to have ordered his commanders to avoid firing evacuated places as evidence of a sincere desire to make peace.

PILOVER ARE PLENTIFUL NIMRODS SORELY TEMPTED SEASON OPENS SEPT. 1

Plover are now very plentiful in the vicinity of this city and local nimrods are casting some longing eyes at them. Shooting of plover at this time is barred, as the season does not open until September 1. Hunters, many of course, shoot in self defense and some of them are reported to have found this necessary while out driving in the country. Prospects for a good dove season this fall are bright, these birds being much more plentiful than usual and with the changed season local nimrods are looking forward to considerable sport.

RIFLES AND AMMUNITION HELD UP AT LAREDO.

Laredo, Tex., Aug. 12.—According to rumors in this city today one thousand additional rifles have arrived to reinforce the garrison on the Mexican side. All is quiet on the American side of the river. One hundred and thirty rifles and 264,000 rounds of ammunition are being held up by local authorities. This war material was bought last April by constitutionalists, exported to Mexico, brought back to American soil and now it is desired to re-export it, permission is withheld by the United States Treasury department.

CITY COUNCIL WILL HOLD REGULAR MEETING TONIGHT

The city council will meet in regular session tonight. Aldermen Reed and Reichert are out of the city, only a bare quorum remaining. Nothing of importance is scheduled to come up at tonight's session, nearly all pending business having been disposed of before the leaves of absence were granted.

JUDGE SCURRY SEES DOLL WILSON IN NEW MEXICO

Doll Wilson, one time well known resident of this city, is now working as a miner in New Mexico, recent reports of his death to the contrary notwithstanding. Wilson was twice tried for murder in this county, the second charge growing out of the death of Sam Abbott, which occurred in 1899. On a recent trip to New Mexico, Judge Edgar Scurry met both Doll and the latter's brother. Judge Scurry led the prosecution on the murder charge, but says Wilson appeared quite cordial. Not long ago a report was received here that Wilson had died, but it was evidently erroneous. The circumstances attending the killing of Abbott are well remembered by the older settlers here. Wilson was acquitted after a hard fought legal battle.

PUMPING WATER FROM HALS SUBMERGED HULL. Chicago, Aug. 12.—Four huge pumps resumed sucking the water out of the half submerged hull of the steamship Eastland to lighten the ship before derricks are set to work to place the boat on an even keel. Officials hope to have the boat raised by tomorrow. A hundred policemen lined the bridges spanning the Chicago river keeping the crowds of curious away.

PRESIDENT CONFERS WITH SECRETARY LANSING ON AFFAIRS IN MEXICO

QUIET PREVAIS ALONG RIO GRANDE NEAR BROWNSVILLE

GENERAL NASARETTA DENIES MEXICAN SOLDIERS INCITING UPRISINGS ON AMERICAN SIDE OF THE RIOGRANDE.

PROMISES HIS CO-OPERATION

Says He Will Aid U. S. Authorities to Capture Brigands Who Flew Into Mexico From the American Side—More Troops Reach Brownsville.

By Associated Press. Brownsville, Texas, Aug. 12.—Three more Mexicans were added to the list of killed in a battle at 10:30 today at Mercedes, Hidalgo county, thirty miles northwest of Brownsville. There are no reports as to whether any Americans were killed, either soldiers, sailors or citizens. Officials here have adopted the policy of refusing to give details of these fights in which they are engaged. This has been done, it is said, because of lack of confirmation of the killing of eight other Mexicans reported to have been killed in Hidalgo county Friday.

By Associated Press. Brownsville, Tex., Aug. 12.—After passing a quiet night the lower Rio Grande valley is today watching the results of sending more troops in this section. General Nasaretta, Carranza commander at Matamoros, today denies that a thousand of his men could enter Texas to incite uprisings against the Americans and gives for his reason that he has but five hundred men in the Rio Grande.

He charges that the brigandage in Texas is caused by Huertistas in anticipation of Carranza's recognition by the United States. He expressed his willingness to co-operate with American authorities to capture any band that may cross into Mexico. Adjutant Henry Hutchings of the Texas National Guard reports no further disturbances throughout this section last night but he has rangers on guard throughout Cameron and Hidalgo counties. Three companies of U. S. troops from Laredo reached Brownsville this morning, the fourth company having been detained at Kingsville.

MAUSER RIFLES FOUND CONCEALED IN BRUSH.

By Associated Press. Corpus Christi, Tex., Aug. 12.—A quantity of Mauser rifles today were found concealed under brush by the rangers and troops near Mercedes according to reports brought here. This find bolsters the belief of authorities that Mexican raiders are organized with the assistance of Mexicans across the Rio Grande. The equipment is said to be similar to that of Carranza troops.

INCOMING TRAINS BRING REFUGEES TO BROWNSVILLE

By Associated Press. Houston, Texas, Aug. 12.—Incoming trains from the valley country are filling Corpus Christi hotels with American refugees, mostly women and children sent for safety, according to advices from that city.

BRAZILIAN NEWSPAPER'S VIEW OF CONFERENCE.

By Associated Press. Rio-de Janeiro, Aug. 12.—The semi-official paper, Gazete Do Noticias, says: "In truth America is not in sympathy with intervention in the internal affairs of Mexico but the solution already reached by the conference at Washington seems to be to present a conciliation candidate for the presidency of the republic. The only difficulty will be to obtain from the rival factions acceptance of a candidate who is present, if not forced on them by America."

NEW RULE AFFECTING COTTON SHIPMENTS

By Associated Press. Austin, Texas, Aug. 12.—Effective today all Texas cotton whether concentrated once or twice is permitted by order of the Texas railroad commission to reach shipside for the same rate. This order replaces a rule of nearly two years standing which allowed second concentration of cotton, without extra charge, at Houston, Beaumont and Aransas Pass.

NEGRO GIVEN DEATH PENALTY AT GALVESTON

By Associated Press. Houston, Aug. 12.—Sam Jernigan, negro received the death penalty at Galveston this morning for criminal assault on a 14 year old white girl. The Houston state troops who guarded Jernigan will return home today.

REITERATED THAT THE USE OF FORCE NOT CONTEMPLATED

APPEAL TO FACTIONS IN MEXICO NOT SENT TODAY BECAUSE OF TELEGRAPHIC ARRANGEMENTS, NOT COMPLETED.

NO ANSWER TO CARRANZA

Secretary Daniels Says Plan to Send Warships South for Annual Target Practice Not Affected by Any Development in Mexico.

By Associated Press. Washington, Aug. 12.—President Wilson and Secretary Lansing conferred at length today on the Mexican situation. Details of yesterday's conference in New York of the Latin American diplomats were given to the president. Just before Mr. Lansing went to the White House he announced that the appeal to the factions and leaders in Mexico would not be sent today as arrangements for its transmission by telegraph and rail to remote parts of Mexico were not yet complete.

With the return of the president it was reiterated that the inter American peace plan does not contemplate in any way the use of force, the peril of Mexico's sovereignty or interference in her domestic affairs. The purpose is to influence the Mexicans themselves to hold a peace conference. The government created by that action will be accepted and accorded recognition whether or not the acquiescence of all factions is obtained. The leading of battalions to Vera Cruz and other movements that may be followed are described officially as measures to accord assistance to foreigners.

No Answer to Carranza.

Secretary Lansing declined to comment on General Carranza's letter of protest against the Pan American peace plan. He said no reply had been made. The feeling is that the Pan American conference appeal, when read, will make it evident that Carranza has been informed as to the nature of the plan. General Carranza has been reported to have denied that any such appeal either were contemplated or contemplated against foreigners within its jurisdiction. The message said: "You may deny through the press that foreigners of any nationality are in danger of Mexico. The constitution of our government offers and will give every sort of guarantee for citizens of every nationality exactly as to the Mexicans themselves for the protection of their lives and property."

Foreign Minister Acuna cabled that the demonstrations in Vera Cruz had been merely demonstrations of allegiance to Carranza. "The people protested when they heard of the conference being held in the United States to decide on matters exclusively within the province of Mexican sovereignty but the people have not manifested any hostility to citizens of any nationality," he said.

Secretary Daniels said in reference to the sending of ships south:

"The Atlantic fleet in accordance with routine plans will go to the southern drill grounds for the target practice about August 23. Admiral Fletcher was directed today, however, to have a portion of the fleet in Boston harbor about August 24 in accordance with the request of Governor Walsh who asked that a warship be placed at the disposal of the council of state governors August 24 to 27."

No More Troops Asked.

General Funston today made no request that additional troops be sent to the border although yesterday Secretary Garrison placed more at his disposal. All the troops now at Galveston and in Texas, number about 12,000 and are available if needed. It is not believed now that any great movement of troops will be necessary. A complete report of conditions at Vera Cruz where Commander McCame had reported to authorities here that foreigners were menaced by demonstrations has not been received. Carranza officials have denied this however. The text of the dispatch sent to Carranza by Senator Muerter, minister of foreign affairs for the same date. This order replaces a rule of nearly two years standing which allowed second concentration of cotton, without extra charge, at Houston, Beaumont and Aransas Pass.

"I am directed by the president to reply to you that the Argentine government in having a representative at the Pan American conference has done so not only in accordance with its traditional policy of respect to other sovereignties but also to reaffirm it in the case of a problem which by affecting the destinies of Mexico will equally affect the great American family."

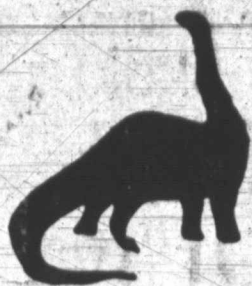


At The Theaters

The Lamar Airdome. Tonight will see a change of vaudeville at this popular open air place of amusement. The picture program

also is an exceptional one. Anna Little, Herbert Rawlinson and William Worthington are seen in a two part drama, "The Grail," the first since their work in the "Black Box" series. For centuries the legend of the Holy Grail, the cup from which Christ drank has been cherished as one of

the most beautiful known to Christendom and the search for the Grail is made the theme of a beautiful drama, well acted by these capable stars. Dean Griwald, a banker and a loving father, has become involved in speculation and lost his private fortune. He is in the midst of a gripping market campaign when his daughter, Jean and his young cashier, William, reach the most beautiful part of their courtship. Jean, a girl of romantic disposition has absorbed the spirit of romance from the books she has been reading. She worships the chivalry and gallantry of the ancient knights. She insists that her sweetheart, William, shall make a modern knight of himself and seek his Grail, pledging herself to marry him when he has found it.



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Williamson accepts the charge and in a beautiful scene before the tapestry of "The Grail" she duels him her knight with an old conquistador's sword, taken from a collection of ancient armor. She gives him a knot of ribbon as her favor and he goes out into the world to conquer sin and relieve distress. He learns of his father's embarrassment and as his first sacrifice he gives the banker his entire personal fortune to help him out of his difficulties. But this money is absorbed by the hungry market and the father hereupon suffers mental suffering, yields to a temptation and uses additional funds from the bank. He is ruined and about to destroy himself, when the youthful knight discovers him, saves his life and in the romantic exaltation of his spirit assumes the blame for the shortage and disappears. The only that the father explains his sacrifice to his daughter and protect his love. The bank breaks and with the scandal made public, Griwald has not the heart to confess to his daughter. He allows her to believe that William was, in reality, an absconder and she puts him out of her heart. The subsequent meeting of the father, daughter and lover in the west forms one of the most interesting climaxes seen in picture and the denouement comes in a scene of intense realism.

At the Majestic. Bryant Washburn and Edna Mayo are featured in an Essanay drama, "The Greater Courage." A synopsis is given.

Gilbert and Lawrence Carthage are in love with Peggy Lorraine. George Duncan, a wealthy and unscrupulous bachelor, insults Peggy in Gilbert's presence. Being timid and retiring, he does nothing. This infuriates Peggy who previously had favored him, and she writes to Lawrence, a dashing self-confident character, that she loves him. Stung by Peggy's insults, Gilbert goes to Duncan's home to force an apology from him. Lawrence follows, bent on the same mission. In the quarrel Duncan is slain. Suspicion points to Gilbert. He refuses to make a statement, is tried by his own father, Judge Carthage, convicted and sentenced to prison.

Later Lawrence leaves home and is shot in a saloon brawl. He sends for his father and Peggy and confesses that he killed Duncan and that Gilbert took the blame because he thought Peggy loved Lawrence. Lawrence dies and Peggy and Gilbert procure a pardon and present it to Gilbert at the prison. There the girl tells him she had always loved him and that she wrote Lawrence only out of pique. She tells him he is the man with the greater courage.

The Gem. Wally Van, Mtra. Frazier and Donald McBride are featured in "Love, Snow and Ice," a three-part Broadway Star feature comedy drama. It is the mercury is flirting with century mark in the shade and foliage and stiff collars are witting alike nevertheless "Love, Ice and Snow" will act like a touch of real winter time, as the scenes are taken in the far north. Mr. Farley wants his daughter Jean to marry Clarence Pansony, a young man styling himself a "self-made" man. Jean thinks he made a pretty poor job of himself, despises him and is already in love with Cutey Mason. All live near Lake George, up in the cold country, and when the lake freezes over Jean undertakes to teach Clarence and her father skating. By previous arrangement, Cutey shows up, proposes to Jean in the middle of the lake, then when pa and Clarence stumblingly interpose, the young people simply escape, leaving them to slowly and painfully follow. Hiring a cutter sleigh, Jean and Cutey start for the justice of the peace, ten miles up the lake, closely pursued by father and Clarence in another sleigh. Cutey's sleigh turns over, but they make their way to a meadow, laboring, slip, pile onto one of the big sleds and shoot out over the lake at seventy miles an hour. Their pursuers do likewise, but Clarence gets left behind by falling down a steep hill into a crowd of revelers on their way to the mid-winter ice-carnival. Mr. Farley, taking a short cut through the deep snow, reaches the justice of the peace ahead of the elopers, but that gentleman is on his way to the carnival, and is not to be deterred. He meets Cutey and Jean, warns them papa is awaiting them at his house and tells them to meet him at the carnival, where he will marry them. Cutey hires an ice-boat and is soon speeding toward the carnival at the upper end of the lake. Papa Farley sees them, jumps into another ice boat and after some hair-raising bursts of speed all reach the carnival. The elopers are snarled by the justice just before Papa Farley and Clarence, whom he has met at

the carnival arrive. Papa decides to make the best of it, tells Clarence he is not wanted, they all make their way round the carnival. After watching the ice skating, both fancy and racing, the parade floats and the ice people, the newlyweds depart with papa's blessing in a big dog sledge on their honeymoon.

The Empress. Jack Richardson and Vivian Rich with strong support from the American studio are seen in a stirring drama, "One Woman's Way." A "Komic" reel, "Wives Breezes Blow" and a two part Majestic, "The Old Clothes Shop" complete the picture bill. A story of "The Old Clothes Shop" is given.

Summers and Rose, two crooks, years that Bert Wells, a rich westerner, is in town visiting his married wife, Alice Field, whom he has just divorced, a diamond. They start out to get the lay of the land. Passing an old clothes shop, Summers is struck with the beauty of Mina, the granddaughter of Crichett, the owner of the shop. She, however, repulses him. She takes her new rival and goes to the park to forget the commonplace of everything in a world of her imagination wherein she figures as "Lady Montmorency." Mina's reading is interrupted by a thrilling runaway. She sees Bert Wells, rescues his sister and instantly the westerner becomes the hero of the little East Side girl. That night, Summers and Rose steal the tiara and a beautiful new gown of Alice Field's. The butler and maid, who are alone in the house, notify the police and describe both the stolen goods and the thieves. The next day, Summers takes the gown to Crichett's shop, merely as an excuse to see Mina. Later, left alone in charge of the shop, the girl yields to the temptation to put on the gown and walk in the park. In her hurry, however, to avoid her father, who just then returns, she runs off wearing one of Alice Field's slippers and one old shoe of her own. In the park she wreathes her ankle, and Wells, who happens to be strolling near by comes to her rescue. She tells him that her name is "Madeline Montmorency" and that she lives at the Plaza. He sees her home. As she is coming out of the hotel, she is confronted by detectives, who recognize the stolen gown. In her flight, she drops Alice Field's slipper. Wells finds it and takes it home. Meanwhile the detectives have traced Mina to the shop where they arrest her and her grandfather. The butler and the maid are summoned to identify the witnesses. They testify that these are not the thieves, and Wells goes bail for the Crichetts. He gives the old man his card, telling him that if he is in trouble, to call upon him. That evening, Summers and Rose go to the shop and take Mina away by force. Old Crichett phones the westerner. They save Mina from the crooks and prevent the thieves from making their getaway. Summers and Rose go to prison. Old Crichett is killed in the sun fight with the crooks. Later, Mina marries her hero and they go west to live on his ranch.

BASEBALL RESULTS Texas League. Houston 5, Fort Worth 0. Waco 2, Beaumont 1. San Antonio 7, Shreveport 2-0. Dallas 5, Galveston 1.

Western Association. Muskogee 8-7, McAlester 3-9. Oklahoma City 5, Sherman 3.

National League. Chicago 5, Boston 2. St. Louis 2-2. The second game called in 9th, darkness. Only two games scheduled.

American League. Chicago 3, Philadelphia 2. Washington 3, Detroit 0. New York City 3, Cleveland 1. Boston 11-2, St. Louis 3-1.

American Association. Columbus 10-0, Minneapolis 6-0. Louisville 14-3, St. Paul 4-4. Cleveland 1-1, Kansas City 2-0. Indianapolis-Milwaukee. (Rain.)

Texas League. Fort Worth at Houston. Dallas at Galveston. Shreveport at San Antonio. Waco at Beaumont.

Western Association. Denison at Newark. Sherman at Tulsa. McAlester at Fort Smith. Paris at Oklahoma City.

National League. New York at Pittsburgh. Chicago at St. Louis. No others scheduled.

American League. Detroit at Washington. Cleveland at New York. Chicago at Philadelphia. St. Louis at Boston.

Allendale Happenings. Allendale, Tex., Aug. 11.—G. C. Fuller and family leave this week for the Panhandle and from there will go on to New Mexico, where they will make their home. Allendale regrets very much to lose these people.

Mrs. George Inon and children, after a month's stay with Mrs. Inon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Billingsley, left Friday for their home at Mangum, Okla.

Mrs. Sam Brown left for her home at Waxahatche after a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Billingsley.

Mrs. L. B. Duckett and sons L. B. and James, and daughter, Miss Eunice, went in their car over to Frederick, Okla., Saturday and spent the day with Mrs. Duckett's daughter, Mrs. Anderson Morten, returning home the same day. Mrs. Duckett remained for a longer visit with her daughter.

They report an enormous fruit crop in the part of Oklahoma through which they passed.

A. E. and W. H. Johnson returned Sunday from Houston, where they went as delegates to the Farmer's Union convention. While away they took a trip to Galveston.

Building stone made in Germany from blast furnace slag and lime grows harder as it ages.

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LONDON PRESS COMMENT ON COTTON SITUATION

Several Urge That Cotton Be Declared Contraband and Ask Forbearance of American People

London, Aug. 12.—Cotton is the subject of editorials in all the morning papers today. Some of them urge the government to declare the staple contraband, while others address the United States and ask its sympathy with the British viewpoint.

"We do not conceal from ourselves," says the Morning Post, "the injury that will be caused the United States by our refusal to permit cotton to enter Germany through neutral countries. This injury we deeply regret but in justice can the United States hold us to blame? The responsibility must be placed on Germany, the aggressor in this war. Greatly as we deplore the loss the United States may suffer, we simply ask it to put it in our place. It is not a matter of what the United States did in past under similar conditions, but what it would do today if placed in the position we are in."

DECLARATION OF CONTRABAND DOESN'T DECIDE ISSUE. The Daily Telegraph says the mere declaration of contraband can not decide the issue.

"Such a declaration," the newspaper adds, "to be effective must be supported by an arrangement with such neutral countries as are in touch with the

enemy's frontier." The Daily Telegraph declares that that government should carry out its delicate task unhampered by meetings or demonstrations.

The Times says the question of declaring cotton contraband "is much more delicate and far more complicated than it is currently assumed to be." The newspaper urges the necessity of declaring cotton contraband on the ground that if it is so declared the United States could not seriously contest the legality of such action as it does now the British orders in council.

COMPENSATION FOR GROWERS. "As contraband," the Times adds, "cotton would be liable to confiscation and the possibility of seeing ships and cargoes confiscated would have a salutary effect in many quarters. But it would be both just and politic were the declaration of policy accompanied by an announcement that the government will prepare to consider measures for the stabilization of the prices, if not for the provision of compensation in one form or another for the American cotton growers."

"Will our politicians never act?" asks the Daily Mail. Dealing with the public meeting which is to be held tonight to ask the government to make cotton contraband the Daily Mail says:

"What a commentary it is on our official way of doing things that in the second year of the war, public agitation should be necessary to urge our politicians to take a step that ought to have been taken immediately after the outbreak of the war." The newspaper argues that declaring cotton contraband will discourage American exports by reason of the heavy

penalties exacted from shippers and make regular the position of Great Britain in the eyes of the United States government, through Great Britain compensating growers for their losses.

BROWNSVILLE CITIZENS DENY FUNSTON'S CHARGE.

Brownsville, Tex., Aug. 12.—Fifty-one citizens representing all political factions here yesterday made the following statement to the Associated Press:

"Statements attributed by you in today's dispatches to Secretary of War and General Funston, to the effect that conditions of brigandage in Cameron and Hidalgo counties are due to shy political feud are absolutely without foundation. We present all shades of political belief and all local political factions, and we absolutely know that statements made are untrue. All factions here are co-operating as American citizens to restore order and obtain adequate protection for our families and property."

Telegrams of protest are being sent General Funston and the War department.

There are said to be 500 uses for the palmra palm, which grows in tropical India.

LADIES' CAPUDINE TAKE CAPUDINE FOR ACHE AND PAINS RELIEVES THE NERVOUSNESS ALSO IT'S LIQUID - NOT NARCOTIC

A Clean Up Special for Friday

All 15c, 19c and 25c a Yard Colored Wash Goods, Friday 9c a Yard

A sensational one day clean-up that no doubt will crowd our store the first thing Friday morning. All of our 15c, 19c and 25c a yard, colored wash goods, go in this big sale. Lawns, Batistes, Tissue Gingham, Dimities and Voiles; wanted pattern designs and colors. This is not a sale of remnants nor short ends, but a sweeping clearance of a large assortment of just the kind of goods that you want for waists and dresses to be worn right now. One last word of caution—be here early. Sale starts 8 o'clock sharp.

Per yard 9c (you save from 6c to 16c on every yard)—Per yd. 9c

FRIDAY ONLY Regular 50c a pair Ladies' Silk Lisle Hose in colors, a good standard brand too "Eiffel" and practically all colors, no blacks, special at 25c

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Friday Bargain Event

This week we offer thirteen rare bargains—every one a winner. Look these items over and compare with values at double the price. The Date—Friday, August 13th, 1915—9 a. m. to 6 p. m.

FIGI LINEN

New and just received, 36 inches wide, natural linen color, 20c value, Friday, yard (Limit 10 yards) 13c

NEW CRETONNE TAPESTRY

Very new, latest style for shirts and coats, this lot just received by express, sale price yard 49c

KINDERGARTEN CLOTH

You know what this is—it needs no recommendation—sells for 25c yard every where, colors, checks and stripes in blue, grey, red, light blue, pink and lavender, yard (Limit 7 yards) 19c

LACES

About 75 patterns to select from in valenceinnes, torchon and Irish effect, values up to 10c yard, 10 yards for 48c (Limit 10 yards)

LADIES' WAISTS

Special lot just arrived in the new Dutch collar and sport waists, made of silk and voiles, etc., \$1.50 value, for 98c

MEN'S AND BOY'S CAPS

Values in this lot at \$1.50 and some at \$2.00, assorted colors, choice 98c

LADIES' DRESSES

Special purchased lot, assorted color patterns and material, values to \$5.00 for only 19c (Limit one)

BROCADETTE AND COTTON GOLFINE

This lot includes brocadette, cotton golfine and mercerised poplin, all colors, values at 25c, 29c and 35c, just for Friday, yard 19c (Limit 7 yards)

CALICO

Standard calico in red with white figures, just the one color, 7 yards for 25c (Limit 7 yards)

36 INCH VAIL

These are new and very seasonable black on white, rose on tan and black and blue on white, they come in polka dots and new ring effects, 35c value for yard, 19c

SILK MIXTURES

In crepes and ripples, very appropriate for gowns, etc. Pink, light blue, grey, canary and tan, 75c values, yard 39c

MEN'S UNION SUITS

Mercerised lisle thread and genuine scrivens, made full and worth \$1.50, \$2. and \$2.50, to close out, choice, suit, \$1 00 (Limit 2 suits)

MEN'S CRAENETTE RUBBERIZED RAIN COATS

Good length, full double cemented seams, reinforced pockets and presto collar to be worn up or down. Save \$5 by buying now. Worth \$10, just for Friday 48c

Remember the date—Friday, 13th and don't forget the hour—9 a. m. to 6 p. m. Come.



COUNTY TAX RATE FIXED AT 45 CTS. INCREASES 5 CTS.

COUNTY AND STATE TAXES WILL AMOUNT TO AN EVEN DOLLAR BOTH HAVING BEEN INCREASED THIS YEAR

COMMISSIONERS FIX RATE

Reflooding of Wichita River Bridge Ordered—Wichita Falls Residents Must Call at Clerk's Office for County Warrants Hereafter

A tax rate of 45 cents on the \$100 valuation was adopted Wednesday afternoon by the county commissioners, this being an increase of five cents over last year. The rate is subdivided as follows:

General fund 20 cents; old interest and sinking fund on \$16,000 bonds, .0425; special interest, and sinking fund \$15,000 bonds, .005; \$20,000 jail bonds interest and sinking fund, .0075; \$25,000 hospital bonds interest and sinking, one cent; special bridge bonds \$1998, interest and sinking fund, .075; supplement to jury fund, .024.

With the state tax rate at 55 cents, Wichita county property owners will this year pay an even dollar in state and county taxes on the \$100 valuation.

The commissioners yesterday instructed Commissioner Jackson to purchase timber for reflooding the Wichita river bridge, and this work will be done shortly. They also instructed County Clerk Kelly not to mail warrants to the county's creditors when the latter reside in Wichita Falls, it being found that the postage bills was getting too high. Hereafter, Wichitians whom the county owes money will have to go to the court house after it.

This morning, J. R. T. Orth appeared before the court with some suggestions as to the spillway situation. He said that a concrete roadbed, making a ford in time of high water, would be a satisfactory solution of the problem and would be much cheaper than a bridge, he declared. He discussed this proposition with the commissioners at some length, saying that the old wooden bridge type was out of date. The commissioners have not yet taken any final action on the spillway question.

The commissioners today employed J. W. Walkup to make the annual audit of the county's books. Mr. Walkup is to receive \$10 per day for not over twenty days.

COTTON EXPORTS GREATER THIS YEAR THAN LAST

Exports For First Five Months of 1915 Greater Than For Corresponding Period of 1914

Washington, Aug. 12.—Contrary to general belief, our cotton exports for the first five months of 1915 (war time) exceeded exports for the corresponding period in 1914 (peace time).

Since war began much discussion of the cotton crop has been and is taking place without full knowledge of the facts, which are: The 1914 crop was 15,873,000 bales, with 1,328,600 bales left from 1913 and 303,400 bales imported, making a total visible supply of 17,505,000 bales. June 1, 1915, 12,562,000 bales had been exported or used here, leaving 4,947,000 bales.

The total bales exported from Aug. 1, 1914 to June 30, 1915, is 365,000 bales less than for the same period of 1913; but for the first five months of this year 5,180,263 bales were exported as compared with 3,139,087 in the same period of 1914.

It seems likely the exports for the ensuing months will be even greater. During the last few weeks principal factors affecting the Liverpool cotton market seems to be the following:

- (a) Abundant stocks at Liverpool and elsewhere. (b) Deliveries at Liverpool in excess of speculative contracts. (c) The lack of full revival of normal trade conditions in manufactured products. (d) The good condition reported for the new cotton crop in the South. Minor factors which seem to have affected the Liverpool and other cotton markets are:

- (a) Uncertainty as to the duration of present conditions. (b) The quantity and disposition of prize-cotton in England. (c) The entrance of Italy into the war. (d) The disturbance of shipping, both of belligerent and neutral countries.

The domestic consumption of cotton has been about as much as was anticipated, the export of cotton much larger than was anticipated and the price received higher than most people would have been willing to predict last fall.

THE EASTLAND PICTURES POSTPONED UNTIL FRIDAY

The pictures of the Eastland disaster which were to have been shown at the Majestic Theatre today have been unavoidably detained the management announced late Wednesday evening and will not be shown until Friday.



Local News Brevities

Herbert Rawlinson and Anna Little at the Air dome tonight—(Black Box Stars.)

Deeds Filed For Record. H. J. Bachman to Hattie Martin, lot 3, block 75, Electric, \$950. J. B. Jamison and wife to Mrs. Bertha Delaney, lot 15, block 20, \$2250. W. H. Kilno and wife to A. L. Clark, 80 acres of block 62, Red River valley lands, \$2500.

E. G. Hill, undertaker, office and parlors 900 Scott Ave. Phone 225 Prompt ambulance service, 92-4fc

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Martin of 2414 Fillmore street are the parents of twin boys who arrived this morning at 5 o'clock.

Complete change of program at the Air dome tonight.

Marriage licenses have been issued to J. L. Heard and Miss Gladys Susie Tyler; Gilbert Smith and Miss L. Dorman of Byers.

Wichita Falls Undertaking Co., 812 Scott avenue, Phone 202. Prompt ambulance service. Command 15-1fc

Two blackface comedians at the Air dome tonight.

J. S. Fore dropped into The Times office this afternoon to remark that today marks the 27th anniversary of his residence in Wichita Falls. For many years he was engaged in the grocery business on the corner of 8th and Indiana, in the Phillips building, a one-story brick, which was torn down last year to make room for the splendid five-story structure now occupied by the First National Bank.

Dr. Proctor, dentist, now over Morris, Drug Store, phone 1416. 29-4fc

J. B. Rigbee brought to The Times office this afternoon two kinds of peaches that grew on the same tree in his yard at 1602 Travis. One specimen is a fine large peach, and ripens a month before the other kind, which are of a smaller variety kind. There are about as many of one variety as the other on the tree, and they seem to be equally distributed.

Dr. Waller, dentist, will return from his vacation on Thursday, August 12th, after which time, during his professional services will find him at his office in the First National Bank building. 77-2fc

The Mexicans want the southern part of Texas but I am not that greedy, all I want is to shoe your horses. Why not patronize an exclusive shoeing shop, for prompt service and superior quality of workmanship try me at 506 Ohio Avenue. Palace-Horse Shoeing Shop. I deliver free of charge. Phone 1893.—JIM BRIGGS, Prop. 78-3fp

Dr. Prothor, Dentist, Ward building, 77-4fc

A large attendance is expected at the First Baptist Church next Sunday when Dr. J. B. Gambrell of Dallas, one of the foremost men of the Southern Baptist Church will preach.

Attorney W. B. Chaney left this afternoon for Claude, Texas, on business.

Harry Baum was returned from a business trip to Dallas.

Sand dunes of the Sahara desert move about fifty feet a year.

Burning a lump of camphor in a room will clear it of insects.

Spain devotes more than 3,500,000 acres of land to olive culture.

New York leads the States and Michigan ranks second in salt production.

AUSTRO-GERMANS TAKE LUKOW AND ZAMBOROWO

By Associated Press. —Austro-German forces pursuing the Russians who are retreating from the Warsaw salient, have occupied Lukow, according to the official announcement from German headquarters today. Zamborowo also has been captured.

Lukow is 14 miles east of the fortress of Ivangorod. Zamborowo lies about 18 miles southwest of Lomsa and twenty miles northeast of Ostrow.

LONDON HEARS RUMOR OF A RUSSIAN SUCCESS

By Associated Press. —London, Aug. 12.—Wide circulation was given this afternoon to a rumor that the government had received news of military successes closely affecting Russia. This rumor was based on the activity at rising prices of Russian securities on the stock market.

IN THE SPHERE OF WOMANKIND

Contributions to the society columns are invited, phone 1671 or send to this office. Contributions must be in by 12 o'clock to appear in that day's issue. All contributions for the Sunday society page and the Social Calendar must be in by 12 o'clock Saturday morning.

If Love Be One.

The road is smooth, the wind is soft. The sky is clear overhead; But what are pleasant ways and days To those whose hearts are dead? And what is song that fills the ear, Yet can no further go, And what is light that eyes can see, But heart can never know. When two there be who walk life's path As if they walked alone? For two are never company If love be gone.

The skies are black, the winds are bold, The road is rough and long; But what are clouds and stony ways, When hearts are full of song. And two there are who walk life's path Unheeding wind or weather, And minding but the merry sprite Who binds their hearts together. All ways are smooth, all days are bright, With him for guide and sun; And three are always company If love be one! —Eden E. Greville.

MONROE SEWING CIRCLE MEETS WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

Mr. L. R. McConnell was hostess to a pleasant meeting of the Monroe Sewing Circle Wednesday afternoon. The usual two hours was spent with fancy work and conversation and the hostess served an ice. The members present were Mesdames Bennett, Faulk, Taylor, Chauncey and McConnell.

MISS HINES THEATER EVENING. ESS WEDNESDAY EVENING.

Miss Helen Hines was hostess to a few friends Wednesday evening entertaining with a box party at the Lamar Air dome in compliment to Miss Inez Geary who leaves soon for Honolulu and Miss Lucille Pearson of Shreveport, La. Following the show the party were served a refreshment course at Miller's Drug Store. The guests included the two honorees, Misses Geary and Pearson and Misses Ruth Davies of Iowa Park, Alice Frazier, Lillian Fain, Helen Stone, Ruby Moore, Thelma Kahn, Dorothy Beavers and Frances Urban; Messrs. Bradbury, Ralph Pond, Willis Robertson, Henry Robertson, James Barnard, Joe Kell, Carl Jungk, James Martin, William and Charlie Nolan. The party was chaperoned by Mrs. H. B. Hines, mother of the hostess.

MRS. F. W. SNYDER HOSTESS TO CONGENIAL CROCHET CLUB

The usual weekly meeting of the Congenial Crochet Club was held on Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. F. W. Snyder. The usual pleasant time was enjoyed by the club members and the guests and the hostess served a very acceptable refreshment plate. Guests were Mesdames H. J. Bachman and E. V. Friberg, club members; Mesdames Taylor, Anderson, Mead, Duke, Dollard, Brown, Shappell and the hostess.

ENJOYABLE PICNIC AT LAKE WICHITA WEDNESDAY

A party of young ladies under the chaperonage of Mrs. G. W. Shields enjoyed a picnic at Lake Wichita Wednesday evening. Following the supper some time was spent with the customary picnic diversions. Those in attendance were: Mesdames G. W. Shields and Vera Hardwick; Misses Lois Clark, Gladys Walsh, Blanche Morgan, Sarah Walsh, Sarah Haley, Theresa Griesemer, Helen Shields and Fannie Mae Russell.

AMERICA DISCOVERED BY BUDDHIST MONKS IN 420 A. D.

San Francisco, Aug. 12.—America was discovered in 420 A. D. which was 1,575 years before Christopher Columbus landed here, declared the Rt. Rev. Dr. Maximiliana, swami and lord abbot of the Jain sect of Buddhists, today. Five Buddhist monks from Gobi, China, made the earlier discovery, he stated, and the spot where they landed was near Monterey, Calif. "The ship in which the monks sailed was wrecked near where Monterey now stands," said he. "The famous Monterey cypress, the origin of which has always puzzled scientists, is easily explained. The cypress is a sacred tree to the Buddhist and we have records that the monks planted the Monterey cypress. Two of the monks returned to China where they related their experiences to Emperor Ming Ti of the Huan dynasty. He ordered their adventures written and filed in the royal archives, where they may be found today in Peking." Doctor Maximiliana is 90 years old. He has been in California teaching Buddhism twelve years.

Judge J. W. Akin has purchased a new five passenger Dodge car the registration number being 1399. He left yesterday in his new car on a trial trip to his old home at Graham. McFall Bros., who have the exclusive agency for this make of car in Wichita and four other nearby counties, say they find it a difficult matter to supply the demand for them.

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Wichita Falls, Texas, Aug. 12, 1915

Wheat is selling at \$1.10 in Wichita Falls today. Thirty days ago the price was 20c below this.

And a very good time to begin to worry about how the Europeans are ever going to be able to discharge their stupendous war debt is just after you get in proper financial shape to discharge your own obligations.

The Mexicans have actually invaded Texas and two American soldiers have fallen as victims of Mexican bullets. How much longer will the American government stand for such outrages?

Yesterday the registration list of automobiles in Wichita county reached the 1,400 mark. Population considered there is not another county in the state that can show as great a number of automobile owners.

The cost of education in the United States as a whole for the year 1914 is figured at \$750,000,000, and this is said to be less by \$200,000,000 than the cost of running the federal government for the same period.

Henry Ward Beecher once said: "There are persons so radiant, so genial, so kind, so pleasure-bearing that you instinctively feel in their presence that they do you good, whose coming into a room is like the bringing of a lamp there."

Farmer Jones' Experience.

Editor Times: "I went to the Falls," said Farmer Jones, "To sell a little wheat, 'N fetch the madam a few little things 'N bring some sumpin' to eat."

we endorse this plan of "flowers for the living," if just naturally makes one a little bit particular to whom he throws them.

The many anti-victories being recorded throughout the State this year is an indication that somebody failed to pay their poll tax.

Texas with an average of 15.5 bushels to the acre led all the winter wheat producing states this year.

The eye of man isn't always a safe witness, and its identifications frequently show the frailties of humanity.

THE PUBLIC ENTITLED TO KNOW.

The Galveston News agrees with The Post that the board of directors of the Agricultural and Mechanical college should favor the public with a candid statement of the considerations which led it to dismiss Principal Blackshear.

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Market Report

New York Cotton Futures. By Associated Press. NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—A more favorable view of weather conditions caused some scattered realizing on local pressure at the opening of the cotton market today.

SAVE MONEY NOW. There are two good reasons why everybody should exert himself to save a little more money now than commonly.

Chicago Grain Market. By Associated Press. CHICAGO, Aug. 12.—Unsettled weather and bullish cables led to fresh advances in the wheat market.

Kansas City Cash Wheat. By Associated Press. KANSAS CITY, Aug. 12.—Cash wheat No. 2 hard 1.26 to 1.41; No. 3 red 1.22.

Fort Worth Livestock. By Associated Press. FORT WORTH, Tex., Aug. 12.—Cattle receipts 1,700 head, the market steady.

U. C. T. WILL GIVE BANQUET HONORING WILEY BLAIR

A banquet will be held Saturday night by members of the U. C. T. and their ladies, in honor of Wiley Blair.

STATE ATTEMPTS TO SHOW BREWERS DIVIDED TERRITORY.

Austin, Tex., Aug. 12.—The fourth day of the brewery hearing continued with H. Prince of the American Brewing Association upon the stand.

BOY WHO LEFT HOME LOCATED AT STAMFORD.

Halleck Kingston, the thirteen-year-old youth who disappeared from the home of his parents in Fallview Heights Tuesday, was located today at Stamford.

FRENCH AVIATORS DROP BOMBS ON GERMAN TOWNS.

London, Aug. 12.—A wireless dispatch today from Berlin says that French aviators dropped bombs on Zweibrucken, Tfrank and Ingbert, killing eight persons and wounding several.

GERMAN MILLIONAIRE'S ESTATE CONFISCATED.

Paris, Aug. 12.—The civil tribunal has sequestered the property of the German millionaire, Jellinek, this property consisting mostly of real estate and is valued at about \$40,000,000.

Thursday and Friday

LADIES WAISTS LADIES SKIRTS

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Times Better Here If Indication of Dallas Officer is Correct

If Number of Arrests Sign of Good Times, Then Wichita Falls is on a Veritable Boom—178 Arrests During the Month of July.

If the theory advanced by a Dallas officer is correct, namely that an increase in the number of arrests by the police is a sign of better times, financial conditions in Wichita Falls may be said to be improving.

SPECIAL TRAIN CARRYING K. OF P. MEMBERS WRECKED

Four Killed and More Than Score Hurt When Freight Train Crashed Into Their Special

Columbus, Aug. 12.—Four persons were killed today and more than a score were injured some of them seriously when a heavily loaded freight train smashed into a special train bearing a party of members of the Knights of Pythias lodge of Mount Sterling, Ohio.

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WANTED—To repaint repair and create your furniture. McConnell Bros. Phone 755. 75 61p
WANTED—To buy horse and buggy. Noble Gray at Wilfong & Woods. 76-31p
WANTED—To do your carpenter work—we build anything from a chicken coop to a nice home, repair your house; paint and paper your house. No job too large or too small. Work guaranteed. Price third less than anyone. Phone 1890—Banks. 76-31p
WANTED—To buy cast-off men's clothing and shoes, phone 434. 78-121p
WANTED—2nd hand high power rifle, cheap and good.—E. M. Wilfong, Phone 388. 78-11c

For Sale—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—1000 bales of new crop Johnson grass hay, good bright quality—it's fine, baled right. Will deliver free from 10 bales up at this price. Price per bale 20c; call phone 1848.—Stanley's Department Store. 60-41c
FOR SALE—Four cylinder standard type tractor. The price will be right. Texas Road Supply Co., phone 476, Wichita Falls, Tex. 68-41c
FOR SALE—Attractive furniture, including sleeping porch with shades, cheap. Phone 1887 or 265. 75 11c
FOR SALE—Bargain in 8-passenger Studebaker car at 515 7th street, telephone 552. 76-31p
FOR SALE—About 10,000 feet of second hand lumber in good shape and also lot of hog wire. Call on City Meat Market. Phone 1291. 77-41c
FOR SALE—Cheap a good 2nd hand buggy, harness and horse, will sell either separately.—E. L. Smith, 504 Ohio Ave. 78-31c
FOR SALE—5-passenger auto, in good condition; will sacrifice for cash. Phone 1585. 78-31c
FOR SALE—Crocket sets, all baseball goods, at cost. Reduced prices on D. B. guns. We do all kinds of light repairing.—Winfrey Gun Store. Phone 588. 78-31c

For Rent—Bedrooms

FOR RENT—Cool bed rooms well situated, references required. 907 Travis. 77-11c
FOR RENT—Cool bed rooms 1002 Lamar. Phone 1922. 78-11c

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—At once girl to do housework. Apply 808 Scott Ave. 77-31c
WANTED—Woman to work in kitchen. Apply 1002 Ohio. 77-31p

Help Wanted—Male

ARE YOU SKILLED IN A TRADE? If not, your chance of getting a steady job is small. Navy offers you opportunities to learn one of many trades useful in both civil and military life, and will advance you as you deserve. Apply Navy Recruiting Station, 716 1/2 Ohio Ave., Wichita Falls, Tex. 77-11c

Lost

LOST—Collie pup about 10 months old answers to name of "King", phone 447. 78-31c

"Mid-Summer Bargain"

Lots 1 and 2 in Block 26 F. H. Facing East and North on corner of Kemp Blvd. and 9th St. Price \$800 each. Best location for a home in town.

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For Rent—Houses

FOR RENT—Several houses. See E. B. Corvillae. Phone 750 or 123, 120c
FOR RENT—Modern 5-room cottage with all conveniences. Between 15th and 13th streets on Scott Ave. See J. C. Mytinger, 608 Kemp & Kell Building. 87-41c
FOR RENT—Modern 5-room cottage, close in. Apply 1108 Broad St.—E. S. Tullis. 43-41c
FOR RENT—Cottage, phone 244. 501c
FOR RENT—Three houses, on on 15th street, modern; one on 5th street and one on Elm street, phone 1688. 56-41c
FOR RENT—5-room house on 18th St. modern. Phone 350. 68-41c
FOR RENT—Three room house, 808 Scott, \$20 per month in advance.—J. Ferklas. Phone 483. 74-41c
FOR RENT—5-room house, modern, 1 block of car line. Phone 555. 76-11c
FOR RENT—Partly furnished 9-room brick house, would like to lease for one year at \$35 per month. See Mrs. B. L. McAbee at 513 Bluff or call telephone 1126. 78-41c
FOR RENT—5-room house 510 Lamar, call phone 290 or 512 Lamar. 78-41c

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MONEY TO LOAN—Cravens, Maer & Walker. 44-41c
\$500,000.00—To loan on farms and improved Wichita Falls property. Very easy terms and low rates of interest. P. W. Tibbets. 74-41c
WANTED—To loan \$1,300 on city property. Interest at 10%. Address "D." care of Times. 75 11c

For Rent—Housekeeping Rooms

FOR RENT—Unfurnished housekeeping rooms. Phone 244. 501c
FOR RENT—2 down stairs modern rooms, well furnished for light housekeeping. 512 Travis. Phone 940. 74-41c
FOR RENT—Two well furnished light housekeeping rooms to couple without children, 1404 10th St., phone 464. 74-41c
FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping. Modern, 1602 Lamar. Phone 423. 76-31p
FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms to couple without children. References required. 807 Lamar. Phone 202. 76-41c
FOR RENT—5 furnished rooms for light housekeeping, sleeping porch, sink in kitchen, southeast front, no children. Apply 1306 12th. 76-31c
FOR RENT—Coolest, cheapest light housekeeping rooms in town, 1305 11th street, phone 1702. 78-41c
FOR RENT—Two unfurnished south rooms, for light housekeeping, 1405 Burnett. 78-31p
FOR RENT—One front south room, furnished for light housekeeping, \$2.00 per week. Phone 1514, 500 Burnett street. 78-41c
FOR RENT—Two large unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping, 1207 Scott. Phone 2038. 78-31c
FOR RENT—Furnished light housekeeping rooms. Phone 278, 903 Austin. 78-31c
FOR RENT—Furnished room for light housekeeping. Modern, 908 Austin. Phone 273. 78-31c
FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, 1104 8th street. Phone 1943. 78-31c

Miscellaneous

KODAK FILMS developed free, 35c and 50c per dozen. Leave them to-day, get them tomorrow. Walton's Studio, 706 Ohio avenue. Fonville old stand. 59 11c

For Sale or Trade

FOR TRADE—\$12,000 stock of dry goods in North Texas, clear of debt to trade for good farm clear of debt. W. J. Grisham, 309 K. and K. Bldg. 64 11c
FOR SALE OF TRADE—One Schair barber shop, complete; cheap rent. Now doing good business. See C. W. Miller, or phone 918. 7019p
FOR SALE OF TRADE—Peerless 7-passenger car, in first class shape, to sell or trade for house or vacant lots. Phone 1511 if interested. 76-61p
FOR TRADE—Dairy farm of 120 acres 3 1/2 miles east of city, for city property, or will take vendors lien notes as part payment. Address Box 71, R. P. D. No. 6. 76-31p
FOR TRADE—Good work horse for good cow. Phone 481 or call 1308 3rd street. 77-31c

WILL TRADE—700 acres of well improved farm land in Haskell county with 500 acres in cultivation, will trade for stock of General Merchandise. This farm is a good all-round producer and is priced right. F. F. KNOTTS Farm Loans, Farm Lands, City Property—204 1st Nat'l Bank

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WANTED—Practical nursing to do. Phone 318. 77-41p

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MRS. SIMMONS—Dressmaker, 1206 9th St., phone 1892. 60-41c

For Sale—City Property

FOR SALE—Corner lot, good location, 10th St., Floral Heights, cheap. Phone 800. 41-361p
FOR QUICK SALES—List your farms and city property with J. R. Jordan & Co., 718 1/2 Ohio Ave. 73-41c
FOR SALE—1512 Tenth street, 15 room, two-story house, worth \$7,000. Make me a cash offer; also on two cottages on one lot, 501 Lamar, worth \$4,000. We are leaving Wichita Falls and would sell at right price. O. J. Snyder, 1535 Larimer St., Denver, Colo. 75 10c

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MANY FORMER TEACHERS RETURN TO PROFESSION.

University of Texas, Aug. 11.—Dr. Frederick Eby, Dean of the University Summer School and head of the University Teacher's Employment Bureau, states that many individuals who have been out of the teaching profession for some time are returning to it now and crowding the ranks of the profession in Texas. He attributes this condition to the general slackness of business and hard times. Out of the 481 applications for positions so far received, the Bureau has been successful in placing only three hundred. Dr. Eby predicts that the overwhelming demand for a longer term of the University summer school will finally compel the authorities to yield to it. "The basis of this demand," said Dr. Eby, "I believe to be in the fact that a large majority of men teachers in Texas feel the necessity of securing a B. A. degree in order to hold place in the profession. The only feasible way to get such a degree is in most instances by taking advantage of a summer school. The longer the summer course, the shorter the time required to get a degree.

Out of 1,300 students here this summer, over a thousand were teachers. This fact alone, it seems to me, shows the strong demand for University summer work among the teachers of the State. The average teacher, especially if he is married, feels that he cannot afford to spend three or four years in residence at a University, giving up his work meanwhile. Furthermore, many do not wish to go out of the State for summer courses. It follows, therefore, that a ten or twelve weeks' summer term at the University is very popular among the teachers of the State.

"SAFETY FIRST" CAMPAIGN REFLECTED IN STATISTICS

(From the Bureau of Railway News and Statistics). United States railroads performed the greatest safety first feat in their history in the three months, October, November and December, 1914, when they carried 230 1/2 million passengers, 7,834 million passenger miles without the loss of life to a single passenger in a collision, and a total of only seventy-eight fatalities to passengers, employees on or off duty and other persons, due to train accidents. Of the seventy-eight killed, fourteen were trespassers.

Only twice before, since 1901, has the country's entire railway mileage gone through an entire quarter without a fatality to a passenger in a collision. The clear records were made in April-June, 1912 and in April-June in 1909. With only forty-one fatalities to passengers in collisions in the entire year 1914 had a record exceeded only once before by the death of thirty-nine in 1913.

Never before, however, was the record of seventy-eight fatalities to all persons from train accidents equaled. Only once was it approached, in April, June, 1909, when ninety-nine fatalities occurred. Not only the fourth quarter, however, but the entire year 1914 attained a record in this respect, its total of 483 deaths from train accidents to all persons, passenger, employee or other.

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never having been equaled before. In 1913 the number was 712 and in 1912 it was 953. In this downward decade is pictured the remarkable results of the "Safety First" crusade, to which, with superior equipment, it may be attributed.

FEWER DEATHS ON RAILROADS.

Not a Single Passenger Killed in Collisions in Five Months.

"MOUNTAIN RYE" OF ARIZONA IS A VISITOR HERE TODAY

"Mountain Rye" of Arizona, attired in a red dahlia, chape, a broad brimmed hat and long flowing hair, arrived in Wichita Falls this afternoon. He is traveling with some moving pictures of ranch life which he has been exhibiting in Dallas and which will probably be shown at some local picture house.

STATE PARK PLANNED AT SITE OF FIRST CAPITAL

By Associated Press. Austin, Texas, Aug. 12.—Plans for establishment of a state park on the site of Texas first capital have been presented to Governor James E. Ferguson. They were made by representative Sam Lee of Washington county. No. 4 to Fort Worth and intermediate points, arrives at 1:50 p. m.; departs 2:05 p. m. Southbound No. 3 to Fort Worth and intermediate points, arrives at 2:05 a. m.; departs 2:15 a. m. Westbound No. 11 from Dallas and intermediate points, arrives at 2:05 p. m. and departs at 2:20 p. m.

RAILROAD TIME TABLE

P. W. & D. C. Ry. Northbound No. 7 to Denver and intermediate points, arrives 2:35 a. m.; departs 2:45 a. m. No. 2 to Amarillo and intermediate points, arrives at 1:50 p. m.; departs 2:05 p. m. No. 13 to Electric, departs 7 a. m. and returns at 6:15 p. m. Southbound No. 3 to Fort Worth and intermediate points, arrives at 2:05 a. m.; departs 2:15 a. m. Westbound No. 11 from Dallas 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 2:30 p. m. No. 7 from Byers, arrives at 12:05 p. m.; No. 9 from Byers arrives at 5:45 p. m. Eastbound No. 3 from Abilene and intermediate points, arrives at 1:25 p. m.; No. 5 from Byers departs at 2:00 a. m.; No. 10 from Byers departs at 2:15 p. m.

M. K. & T.

Eastbound No. 14 to Dallas and intermediate points, departs 6:10 a. m. No. 12 to Dallas and intermediate points departs 11:30 a. m. Westbound No. 11 from Dallas and intermediate points, arrives 12:05 p. m. No. 17 from Dallas and intermediate points arrives at 10:05 a. m.

W. F. & N. W.

Northbound No. 1 to Elk City and intermediate points departs 2:15 p. m.; No. 3 from Purgan and intermediate points departs 5:45 a. m. Southbound No. 3 from Elk City and intermediate points arrives at 11:00 a. m.; No. 4 from Purgan and intermediate points arrives at 2:15 p. m.

W. F. & S.

Southbound No. 7 from Newcastle and intermediate points departs 2:30 p. m.; No. 55 from Newcastle and intermediate points (local freight) departs 6:45 a. m. Northbound No. 8 from Newcastle and intermediate points (local freight) and intermediate points arrives at 4:45 p. m.

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Lodge Directory

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Personals

Miss Kathryn Cannedy is visiting friends in Burkburnett.

M. E. Williams and Gerald Pond spent Wednesday with friends at Electric.

E. E. Hardin of Burkburnett, was here today en route to Dallas on business.

Mrs. L. E. McConnell left this afternoon for Archer county to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Kennedy have returned from a months' visit at Royce City.

Miss Audrey Adickes returned this afternoon from a visit to friends in Fort Worth.

E. L. Beckman of Bay City, arrived today to visit his brother, Dr. M. A. Beckman.

J. G. Garlington of the Consumers' Grocery Co., left today on a business trip to Dallas.

J. R. Paraj of Dundee, a well known ranchman of that section is here today on business.

The Misses Estelle Friberg and Gladys Wilson left yesterday for a visit at Mabledean.

Mrs. L. E. Jones and mother, Mrs. H. J. Cowling, left this afternoon for Amarillo to visit relatives.

Rev. T. E. Cannedy will go to Burkburnett tonight to install some deacons in the Baptist church there.

Misses Beulah Mae and Vera Cook of Henrietta, who have been visiting Mrs. Mary Orth, left for their home this afternoon.

Harry Kutz, Mrs. M. Ginsberg and daughter, Lillie and Mrs. John Albrittain left this morning for Fort Worth. They went overland in Mr. Katz' car.

J. L. Parr and wife of St. Jo, were the guests of their nephew, C. C. Mapples last night. Mr. and Mrs. Parr have been on an automobile tour of the plains country.

Mrs. Cecile Harris, who has been here for two weeks visiting her parents, Fire Chief J. L. McClure and wife, returned this afternoon to her home in Fort Worth.

L. C. McFalk, formerly of Houston, has located in this city, and will be associated with his brothers in the sale and distribution of Dodge cars for this section of the State.

J. Willie Talbert, deputy organizer here for the Praetorians, leaves tonight on a trip to the San Francisco Exposition. He will be gone about three weeks. His expenses are paid by the supreme council of the Praetorians.

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NE WPRESIDENT ELECTED TODAY IN HAYTI

By Associated Press.  
Port Au Prince, Aug. 12.—General Dartignac today was elected president of the Haytian republic by the national assembly, calm prevailed. General Dartignac received a majority of seventy-two out of the 115 votes cast. Dr. Bobo received three.

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HIGH POWER RIFLE IS WANTED FOR PROTECTION OF A FORMER WICHITAN

L. H. Crow, Who Lives in the Rio Grande Valley Writes Business Associates Here to Send Him Firearms for use in Case of Attack.

WANTED—Second hand, high power rifle. Must be cheap and good.—E. M. Winfrey. Phone 388.

The foregoing advertisement in today's want ads doesn't seem out of the ordinary. But it is. The gun is wanted for the protection of an American—a former Wichitan, too—who lives on the Mexican border. The American is L. H. Crow, formerly of this city who went to Southwest Texas several years ago and with E. M. Winfrey of this city bought an irrigated tract in the Rio Grande Valley near Harlingen.

Mr. Winfrey has just received a letter from Mr. Crow asking him to send him at once several rifles and revolvers for protection against the

Mexican raiders. Mr. Crow with his wife lives only about three miles from the place where a settler named Austin and his son were killed by raiders last week. He says there is much excitement and some danger in that section and he wants to be prepared for eventualities. Mr. Winfrey is arranging to send the arms and ammunition asked by Mr. Crow.

ANOTHER SOLID TRAINLOAD OF WHEAT TO GALVESTON

Another solid trainload of wheat, the fourth out of this city within ten days, will leave here sometime tomorrow for Galveston. The wheat is shipped by the Wichita Mill & Elevator Company to fill orders at Galveston. The train will comprise about 25 cars and will be shipped through by way of Dallas.

During the past ten days four solid trainloads of wheat have been shipped out of this city, evidencing the growing importance of Wichita Falls as a wheat market. One load went over the Fort Worth & Denver and the other three over the Katy. Still other trainloads will probably go forward shortly to meet the demands for wheat on the wharves at Galveston.

Little Miss Dorothy Nolen went to Holliday this afternoon to visit relatives for a few days.

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