

AMERICANS REPORTED TO HAVE CAPTURED BANDITS IN MEXICO; VICTIMS BODIES AT EL PASO

MAY ORGANIZE AMERICAN FORCE TO ATTACK VILLA

PROMPT ACTION IS PROMISED BY CARRANZA TODAY

EL PASOANS PLAN REGIMENT OF 1000 MEN TO RUN BANDITS DOWN—ASK ROOSEVELT TO HELP SECURE ACTION

NOTIFIES WASHINGTON THAT HIS GOVERNMENT DEPLORES INCIDENT AND WILL BRING MURDERERS TO JUSTICE.

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Fleeing at El Paso Appears High. Americans Reported to Have Captured Rodriguez After Fight in Chihuahua.

Senator Lewis Would Have Wilson Proceed as in Haiti and Nicaragua—Few New Developments at Washington Today.

By Associated Press. El Paso, Texas, Jan. 13.—Developments in the Mexican situation following the killing of eighteen Americans at Santa Ysabel, Mexico last Tuesday, moved with kaleidoscope swiftness here today.

By Associated Press. Washington, January 13.—General Carranza's ambassadors here today formally assured Secretary Lansing that the Carranza government "deeply deplores the hasty action of the Villa forces in killing sixteen Americans near Chihuahua Tuesday" and added that "efficient action will be taken to bring the murderers to justice."

Public feeling stirred by the arrival of the bodies of the eighteen victims, was further moved by the reported capture of General Jose Rodriguez by a number of Americans near Madera. A message from Madera announced the capture and disposal of the band by Americans, some members of Rodriguez' command being put to death, it was reported.

He also gave assurances that General Carranza would take steps to rectify the situation in the State of Chihuahua which depredations against foreigners have been reported.

Earlier in the day a report that ten Americans and two English women had been killed was received here, but later dispatches tended to discredit this report.

There were no developments in the situation at the white house or the state department.

The bodies of the eighteen men who were killed Tuesday reached El Paso early today and were taken in charge by undertakers preparatory to sending them to relatives in various parts of the country.

Senator Lewis, democrat, introduced a resolution in the Senate proposing to empower the president to use the army and navy to restore order in Mexico as had been done in Haiti and Nicaragua.

The body of Joseph Euders, reported killed, was not among those arriving today.

In the House, Representatives Sladen, democrat of Texas, defended the recognition of General Carranza and declared that if order were not restored, a Pan-American coalition would do it.

St. E. Stephenson, secretary of the Miners' Association of Chihuahua, who organized the party that recovered the bodies said that these heads were almost blown off.

The president did the proper and only thing possible in adopting the suggestion to recognize Carranza, said Mr. Sladen. "It was an intolerable condition and someone had to be recognized. The choice lay between Carranza and Villa, the unrecognizable."

They were stripped of clothing before being dragged out of the cars and killed," said Stephenson, "when we arrived at the scene of the massacre, a Carranza guard remained at Santa Ysabel, where we found a number of the bandits encamped. We returned to the troop train to get a machine gun and then proceeded to the place where the bodies were lying."

"I have been silent, even when I thought serious mistakes were being made. Horrors in Mexico are cumulative. Americans have been murdered singly and in groups. They have been shot down, even on their own territory. They have mysterious disappearances. Mexicans have even invaded our territory under military command, killing Americans and stealing their property."

An expedition which left Chihuahua City to recover the bodies of the nineteen slain Americans were informed by the station agent at Santa Ysabel that Benjamin Snell and Frank Wood passed there bound west half an hour after the train was given the go-ahead. The station agent said he warned the two men to return, but they said they were armed and feared no trouble. Nothing later was heard of the party and it is believed they met the fate of the Watson train.

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More Deaths Reported. A report was current in Chihuahua that ten Americans and two English women had been killed by Villa troops at Madera, Chihuahua, according to Americans who arrived here early today with the bodies of the eighteen who were killed.

"Horror piled on horror, crime treading on the heels of crime has exhausted the patience of the people of the border state and they will be satisfied with nothing short of the execution of the murderers of the latest victims of anarchy which has gone on for five years."

Forty of Rodriguez' men were reported captured and held at Madera as prisoners where it was said they were shot as bandits. A call for help preceded the capture of Rodriguez.

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The Americans heard that Rodriguez and his men were burning the bodies below Madera and called for help from Chihuahua and asked that troops be rushed there.

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Without waiting for troops, Marquez attacked the bridge burners with 125 men drawn from the Americans and the garrison at Madera. After the capture the call for help was repeated. Consul Garcia has been appealed by the state department to rush troops to Madera.

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Ask Roosevelt's Help. A telegram to Theodore Roosevelt appealing to him to use his influence in Congress to "bring about a change in policy of this government that so far has refused to exercise its paternal duty of protecting American life and property abroad" was circulated here today for signatures. It was proposed to send it to him later.

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Persons with interests in Mexico were not permitted to sign it. Gen. Jose Rodriguez has been captured near Chihuahua by Americans, according to reports received here. The message states that a number of Rodriguez' men were killed and that the Americans were calling for help.

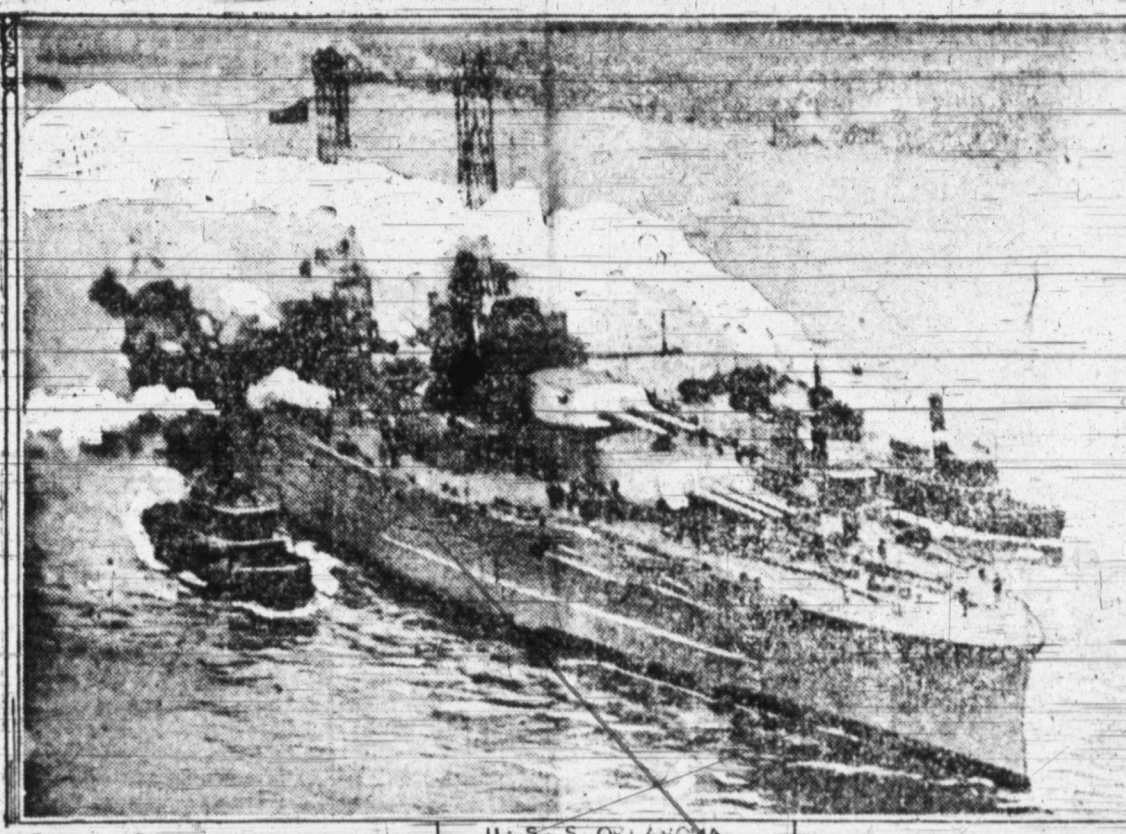
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Capture was made by Maximiano Marquez, it was stated. He is an employee of the Hearst interests at Madera and is now at Madera, keeping order with about 125 Americans and a few soldiers. The

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Oklahoma, U. S. Newest Giant Sea Fighter



The new super dreadnaught Oklahoma which was recently completed at Camden, N. J., arrived at the Brooklyn navy yard to be ready for an official trial trip off the coast of Maine. The giant fighting craft is still in the hands of her builders, the New York Shipbuilding Company of Camden, and will not be turned over to the United States government until she has successfully completed her trials. It is expected that she will be placed in commission within two months. She is to be drydocked, cleaned and inspected before leaving for her trial trip. The Oklahoma is one of the most powerful warships afloat. She is a sister ship of the Nevada and has a displacement of 27,500 tons. She is expected to develop a speed of at least twenty-one knots an hour. Her main armament consists of ten fourteen-inch guns carried three on a turret and two immediately above in a superimposed turret, and twenty-one five inch guns. She also carries a battery of three pounders.

TWO EARTHQUAKES ARE RECORDED TODAY

Believed to Center Somewhere in Central America—Are Quite Severe

Washington, Jan. 13.—Two heavy earthquakes were recorded early today on the seismographs at Georgetown University. They were very pronounced and were centered approximately between 2600 and 2700 miles from Washington. The first tremors were recorded at 2:04 a. m. They continued until 3 o'clock. The second disturbance commenced at 3:43 a. m. and continued until after 6 o'clock the maximum being reached at 4:41 a. m. The greatest movement in the disturbances was north and south. The records were not easily read and determination of the location of the center of the disturbance was impossible. It is considered probable the quake was one of those which have been shaking Central America for several weeks.

COMPULSION TO BE OPPOSED BY BRITISH MINERS

London, January 13.—The Miners Federation of Great Britain, meeting in London today resolved unanimously to oppose the bill for compulsory military service.

GALVESTON BOAT IS VICTIM OF TORPEDO

Huronian of Leyland Line Reported Damaged by Submarine Recently

New York, January 13.—The New Leyland liner Huronian from Galveston was torpedoed on December 22 off the Irish coast, according to reports current in shipping circles here. The International Mercantile Marine stating that the Huronian had met with injury and had been towed into port but the message did not say what had caused the damage. The Huronian sailed from Galveston for Liverpool December 12. She was reported to have encountered a submarine not far from the spot where the Lusitania and Arabic were sunk. She was built in 1915 in Glasgow; she was 475 feet long, and had a gross tonnage of 8776.

58 BELOW ZERO AT ONE POINT IN CANADA

By Associated Press. Chicago, Jan. 13.—From the Canadian Northwest there came reports of unusually low temperatures today from the storm which began yesterday in the middle west. The thermometer at Prince Albert, Saskatchewan went to 58 below zero. According to meager reports today Iowa, the Dakotas and Minnesota are the most affected on account of the heavy snowfall and low temperatures. St. Paul reported 32 below zero, Hannan, North Dakota 53 below and Des Moines, Iowa 22 below.

MUCH TROUBLE CAUSED BY COLD

BELOW ZERO TEMPERATURES IN MUCH OF SOUTHWEST TODAY

LOSSES ARE FEARED

Stockmen and Fruit Growers Apprehensive—Only One Death Is Reported

By Associated Press. Kansas City, Jan. 13.—The Southwest experienced last night its coldest weather in years and awoke this morning to sub-zero temperatures with a vision of a troubled day. Full of bursted water pipes, intermittent gas, disordered train schedules and demoralized wire communications. Suffering and property loss incident to the cold wave were accentuated by the comparatively mild weather up to this time. Stockmen and fruit growers express fear of large losses. Despite the abnormal temperature and blizzard conditions only one death directly due to the weather had been reported early today. John Cook, 68 years old, a laborer, fell in a snow drift at St. Joseph, Mo., and died. Telegraph and telephone communication throughout Kansas, Missouri, Oklahoma, Iowa and Nebraska was beset with difficulties because of sleet on the wires. In Kansas City an official temperature of nine below was reached at midnight with the mercury still dropping. It was expected that temperatures here would reach 20 below.

48 BELOW ZERO AT HAVRE, MONTANA WEDNESDAY

By Associated Press. Spokane, Wash., Jan. 13.—Havre, Montana was said to be the coldest place in the United States Wednesday as the thermometer registering 48 degrees below zero.

WINTER'S COLDEST WEATHER TODAY AT SAN ANTONIO

By Associated Press. San Antonio, Texas, Jan. 13.—The coldest weather of the winter was recorded here this morning. The report from the local weather station gave the temperature at 22 degrees. Only once has freezing weather been experienced here this season, the temperature being 31 degrees.

CITRUS CANKER FIGHT WILL PROVE EXPENSIVE

By Associated Press. Austin, Jan. 13.—Texas share in the proposed \$2,000,000 appropriation for a fight against citrus canker will be about \$750,000, according to Ed L. Ayers, chief nursery and orchard inspector of the state department of agriculture who has recently returned from a trip to the national capital. Mr. Ayers while at Washington appeared before the committee on appropriations and says that it is virtually certain that the amount will be set aside for the campaign. Should this be done it is proposed to organize an extensive campaign in Texas for the elimination of the fruit tree malady which will mean a saving of many thousands of dollars to the citrus fruit growers of the state.

CHINESE REBELS MEET DEFEAT IN SEVERAL FIGHTS

BLOODY ENGAGEMENTS IN SEVERAL PROVINCES EARLIER IN MONTH REPORTED IN DISPATCHES FROM HONGKONG

ARE WELL EQUIPPED

Had Been Supplied With Arms, Ammunition and Uniforms. Are Rout ed and Many of Them Killed or Captured

By Associated Press. London, Jan. 13.—Many Chinese revolutionaries were killed and captured in a series of bloody engagements on January 6, 7 and 8 in the districts of Cam Sui, Totong, Yent-zawo and Pok Lo, according to information received from dispatches by the British authorities at Hong Kong and forwarded by Reuters' Hong Kong correspondent.

The Hong Kong dispatch says that the rebels were well supplied with arms, munitions and military uniforms. They fought until their ammunition was exhausted when they continued to struggle with bombs. Ultimately the revolutionaries were routed and many of them, including the leaders, killed or taken prisoner.

The government force also captured munitions and horses. The various garrisons are engaged in following traces left by the rebels who escaped, with the object of exterminating them.

RUSSIANS ARE ADVANCING ON GALICIAN FRONT

CAPTURE OF IMPORTANT TOWN OF SASADURA IS REPORTED—NO ABANDONMENT OF OFFENSIVE IS INDICATED

GETTINJE FALL NEAR

Not Thought Montenegrin Capital Can Hold Out—Greek Protest Against Allies' Occupation of Island of Korfu

By Associated Press. London, Jan. 13.—The news from the eastern front of the capture of Sasadura is regarded in military circles as probably true although official announcements on the subject has not been received.

The town which lies a few miles northeast of Czernowitz is a converging point for five roads is of considerable strategic importance and previous attempts to capture it have been stoutly resisted.

The report from Petrorad that the offensive in Galicia and Besarabia had been suspended for the present is regarded as at least premature. The object of the Russian offensive is said to have been three fold; to demonstrate to the Roumanians that the Russians are unable to assume the offensive when they choose; secondly, to diverge Austrian and German forces from the Balkan and western fronts; and finally to improve the strategic position of their own left flank.

The fact that the French flag is now waving over the palace on the island of Korfu which belonged to the German emperor and that the occupation of the Greek island by the entente forces is considered as complete has already evoked a protest from Greece, it is reported.

The German offensive in Champagne is persistently reported. French headquarters are having been undertaken on an important scale and with a definite military purpose. The failure is declared to have been complete and the strong German forces which were employed suffered terrible losses.

The Austrian forces are steadily developing their campaign in Montenegro and military experts believe the fall of Gettinje, the capital of Montenegro, is possible soon.

GREECE OBJECTS TO SEIZURE OF ISLAND

Fearing Arrest of Austrian and German Consuls at Korfu Will Follow

By Associated Press. London, Jan. 13.—The Greek government says a dispatch from Athens to the Exchange Telegraph Company has protested against the occupation of the Island of Korfu by the entente powers. It is believed in Athens that the arrest of the Austrian and German consuls at Korfu is certain to follow. The correspondent telegraphs that the British and French have landed in Albania food supplies for 150,000 Serbians.

FOREIGN LOTTERIES CAN'T USE MAILS

Many Such Schemes Started Abroad To Raise Funds For War Purposes

Washington, Jan. 13.—Increase in the number of government lotteries abroad as the war draws itself out is forcing United States postal authorities to be especially watchful to prevent their advertisement in this country. The lotteries are given publicity in the United States in two ways. It was said at the post-office department today. Individual letters are written to American citizens in an effort to induce them to purchase tickets and news stories are circulated of fabulous sums won.

Letters soliciting clients, if they fall into the department's hands, never reach their destinations. Some get through the department if on the outside they do not present a suspicious appearance. All the suspected letters are diverted and opened. When news stories of the department does not find it so easy to deal. The director's office of the department holds that any news story advertising a lottery must be barred from the mails. Under the department's ruling this means any story giving publicity to a lottery. It does not have to be a paid advertisement.

Many news stories of European lotteries have been printed recently, the department says, which approach closely a violation of the law. A story that mentions the name of a winner or winners of a lottery is held to be a distinct violation. A story, too, that might be expected to attract such attention to a lottery that readers would investigate is held to be a violation.

TWO NEGROES TO HANG IN HOUSTON NEXT MONTH

By Associated Press. Houston, Texas, Jan. 13.—Henry Benson given the death penalty for a criminal assault on an eight year old negro girl will hang here Tuesday, February 15. On the following day Henry Sampson convicted murderer of Charles Bourgouis will go to the gallows. The defendants, both negroes, were sentenced Wednesday.

REPORT ATTACK UPON ALLIES AT SALONIKI BEGUN

By Associated Press. Rome, Jan. 13.—The attack of the Italian allies on the entente forces defending Saloniki is being developed on a large scale, according to the Athens correspondent of the Giornale d'Italia, telegraphing under Tuesday's date the reports that a bombardment of the British lines to the Dorian proceeded all day Monday.

DALLAS POLICEMAN DEAD, ANOTHER HURT

Mysterious Shooting in Downtown District at Night—Assailants at Large

Special to The Times. Dallas, Jan. 13.—W. R. Thornton, patrolman is dead and C. C. Booth, motorcycle officer was badly wounded in the hand as a result of a shooting at 8 o'clock last night in an alley near Main street between Lloyd and Proyer streets. Thornton had gone into the alley to arrest a young man on a misdemeanor charge. Booth went to see if he needed help and Thornton replied that he did not, but to call the patrol wagon. As Booth left the alley he heard the report of a shot gun. He saw two men emerge from the alley and turn east on Main street, but was unable to pursue them having been wounded. They escaped in the darkness. Thornton died after being taken to the hospital.

JAPANESE PREMIER HAS NARROW ESCAPE

Two Bombs Are Hurl ed at His Automobile But He Is Not Injured

By Associated Press. Tokyo, Jan. 13.—Count Okuma, the Japanese premier, had a narrow escape from death early today at the hands of assassins. He was returning from the royal palace shortly after midnight and approaching his residence when two bombs were hurled at his automobile. The premier was not injured.

TANKER HITS BOAT, 4 SOLDIERS DROWN

Vessel Is Run Down and Sunk in Galveston Channel—Medical Officer Dead

By Associated Press. Galveston, Texas, Jan. 13.—Capt. Edward P. Crockett and three privates of the coast artillery corps were drowned in Galveston channel today when the boat U. B. 18 was run down and sunk by the tank steamer Charles Harwood, outbound for Tampa.

CROSSETT IS REPORTED TO BE SAFE IN CHICAGO

By Associated Press. San Antonio, Tex., Jan. 13.—Murray Crosssett reported killed by Villa bandits near Chihuahua, is safe in Chicago, according to a message received by Mrs. Crosssett here last night. Business in Chicago prevented him joining his employes near Chihuahua.

REPORT OF MEXICAN'S EXECUTION PROVES UNTRUE

By Associated Press. Laredo, Tex., Jan. 13.—While it was officially reported from Nuevo Laredo recently that Jose Mario Saez, a prominent young Mexican of that city, was executed for alleged highway robbery, Saez is living today. Various appeals were made for clemency for the man and he was kept hidden outside the city until after midnight and then returned to jail. Appeal will be made to higher authorities to save him. It is not known if any time has been set for his execution.

HUERTA'S DEATH BELIEVED NEAR; IS WORSE TODAY

By Associated Press. El Paso, Texas, January 13.—General Victoriano Huerta former provisional president of Mexico, reported dying last night, was still alive early today. It was said he was growing weaker. Shortly after nine o'clock he was reported much worse.

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J. W. CAMPBELL'S ANNUAL REPORT

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CONDITIONS IMPROVE

Farmers in Generally Good Circumstances—Much Raising of Live Stock

WHAT WICHITA COUNTY FARMERS ARE DOING.

- Raising better dairy cattle and disposing of surplus cream through four shipping stations; this business increased 50 per cent in 1915. Dipping 50,000 cattle for ticks, 31 vats being built during 1915. Using 75 silos to store feed. Raising crops with cotton, corn and feed. Raising poultry and garden truck at home. Shipping two carloads of hogs per week on an average, besides having plenty of meat for home consumption. Using selected seed for their corn planting and getting better results. Planting enough feed for all farm live stock. Living in good houses, with telephones and other conveniences.

J. W. Campbell, agricultural demonstration agent for Wichita county, has completed the compilation of his annual report to the U. S. Department of Agriculture under whose supervision he works. The report shows considerable progress made during the year by the farmers and stock raisers of the county and gives some idea of the extent of Mr. Campbell's activities. The report is submitted in the form of answers to questions on printed blanks but in a number of instances Mr. Campbell has added supplemental information not covered by the questions submitted.

The report begins with corn crops including kafir, milo and feterita. Mr. Campbell reports 89 demonstrations with 1687 acres cultivated under his direction. The average yield was 23 bushels an increase of 37.5 bushels over ordinary methods. Last year 29 farmers planted selected corn seed. This year Mr. Campbell estimates 160 will plant selected seed. Forty-five fall plowed demonstration tracts. Mr. Campbell estimates that 70 per cent of the farmers raising corn in the county now use improved methods of cultivation.

On account of the excessive rains in June and July there was little success with feterita last year twelve of 39 plots being harvested. The average yield of these plots was 26 1/2 bushels of threshed grain. The stalks were pastured.

Results With Wheat. There were 27 wheat demonstrations last year with a total acreage of 2434 acres. The average yield per acre was 19.4 bushels per acre, an increase of 7 1/2 bushels over the ordinary methods.

He reports to the department that it is not necessary to urge farmers in this county as the farmers sow all their corn with improved seed. Mr. Campbell reports that five demonstration plots planted a total of 45 acres in cow peas but none of them made reports. The potato crop, he reports has almost been a failure in this county during the past two years.

Under the heading of "Orchards" Mr. Campbell reports he inspected six orchards containing 609 trees. He gave treatments for diseased trees in these orchards.

Livestock. While Mr. Campbell has kept no record he writes that he has encouraged the bringing into the county of both stallions and jacks and that such livestock of that description there is in the county is of a high class.

He reports that all of the dairymen and some of the farmers have tested their cows to determine the profitable milk producers. A good many farmers have been induced to feed a better balanced ration. In addition to the commercial dairies near Wichita Falls Mr. Campbell writes he has encouraged the farmers to use the milk strains of the best type of cows and to raise calves that will make good beef, such as the milk-Durham, as it is just as profitable to raise beef as to produce butter fat. He estimates that the farmers have increased their dairy business 10 per cent during the year. Cream shipping stations were opened in five towns in the county through his efforts and those farmers who do not find a ready and profitable local market for their butter and milk ship their cream through these stations. Sixteen full blooded Guernsey cows and two carloads of Holstein cows have been shipped in. Mr. Campbell reports numerous inquiries from farmers relative to dairy cows and methods of handling them.

Better Grade of Cattle. Nearly all the farmers and stock men, he reports, use pure bred or high grade beef cattle. He superintended two beef feeding demonstrations in which 40 cattle were fed. These were of the class known as baby beefs. The owner of one lot of 40 claimed a good profit, while a fair profit was made on another lot of 100. Owing to

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the high price of feeder cattle and the low price of finished cattle, Mr. Campbell reports that last year was a hard year to feed and make a profit. He reports 31 dipping vats built in the county during the year through his influence and estimates the number of cattle dipped during the year at 50,000 head. The county voted for tick eradication; 275 head of cattle were treated by Mr. Campbell for blackleg.

One hundred pure bred hogs for breeding purposes were brought into the county through his influence. He kept no record of the number of hogs started but reports they have been started all over the county.

Big Hog Shipments. He kept no record of the shipment of hogs but believes they have averaged two carloads a week during the fall and winter whereas until this year there had been scarcely enough for summer shipments. He writes that he does not know of a farmer in the county who does not have enough hogs for his own meat. Hog cholera was prevalent during the year and 2491 were treated by Mr. Campbell for that disease and 2658 head were dipped for anthrax. The 2491 head Mr. Campbell vaccinated against cholera not a hog took the disease that did not have it when vaccinated. One herd of 51 had 38 sick when he vaccinated them. Only three of those sick died. The others did not take the disease.

Poultry Business. Mr. Campbell kept no record of the poultry work but writes that he gave encouragement and advice wherever possible. The poultry is sold in the towns and in the oil fields and through several packing plants at well known points in the county. The poultry industry in this county has more than doubled within the past two years and is still growing. The number of pure bred poultry has increased more than 75 per cent during the past twelve months.

Use of Fertilizers. On account of the county being in a semiarid region Mr. Campbell reports he has discouraged the use of commercial fertilizers and has encouraged the use of barnyard manure and plowing under green vegetation. He has attempted to encourage the growing of cow peas but on account of the locusts and the worm or locustation he reports very little success. Nearly all the farmers who work their own farms spread over their fields the manure that accumulates in their stables. There are ten or twelve animal manure dealers in the county.

There are now about 75 silos in the county and several more are being built. There is no available lime rock in the county for crushers he reports, and adds that he has urged a good many farmers to use bone marbles in their fields without being able to get any of them to do so.

Marketing Associations. Three marketing associations have been organized in the county, he reports, but says the local home market is better than any of the farmers can get outside and have absorbed all the farmers' produce.

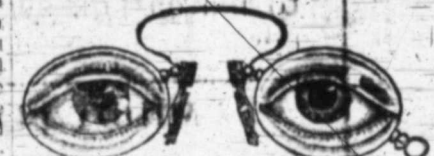
The farmers are gradually improving their places, he writes, and a number of them have installed water and lighting systems. Most of them paint their houses and nearly all of the ousers are screened. A majority have telephones and many have automobiles.

The small grain crops answer for over crops and there are more than 100,000 acres planted by these crops. The farmers, he reports, usually divide their crops between corn, cotton and feed crops planting the fields in rotation. All the farmers have pastures and all plant gardens. All use modern machinery and during the year more than 100 gasoline tractors were bought with four to eight disc plows. Nearly all farmers who keep as many as five cows use cream separators.

Many Demonstrators. There were 79 demonstrators and 27 co-operators enrolled last year. Mr. Campbell made a total of 2799 farm visits and visited 256 business men in the interest of the work. He also made 91 visits to boy and girl club members. He traveled a total of 671 miles of which 1317 was by rail and 8294 by automobile. He distributed

2271 bulletins of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. He also assisted in one agricultural short course. Sixty-five per cent of the farmers are now practicing summer and fall plowing while that per cent are planting selected seed. The bankers have co-operated with the farmers and have loaned them money, when other business men were unable to get it. Eighty-five per cent of the farmers, Mr. Campbell estimates, are decreasing their indebtedness and nearly all of them have bank accounts. Ninety per cent of them show a desire to study their farm business and progress.

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HOUSTON MAYOR USES PATENT TO PROTECT PLANTS

Houston, Texas, Jan. 13.—Standing on Mayor Campbell's desk in his office is a contrivance made of canvas and wire possibly ten inches high, about fourteen inches across the base, and coming to a point at the top. This is Mayor Campbell's device for protecting plants during the frosty season. He announced some time ago that he had found a method to protect tender flowers

when an unexpected frother came up, and today he showed his patent. The mayor said he had ordered material to make 3,000 of the frames, which ought not to cost more than one cent each. The wire legs are stuck in the ground; the cover prevents freezing; the wire prevents the base, and coming to a point at the top. This is Mayor Campbell's device for protecting plants during the frosty season. He announced some time ago that he had found a method to protect tender flowers

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—Maria-Bachem Platt in New York Sun.

MEETING OF NEW CENTURY CLUB HELD WEDNESDAY

A study of Asia Minor with regard to every phase of the country and its people furnished the program of the New Century Club, meeting Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. J. C. Guest. Roll call was answered with the exports and imports of Asia Minor and after a business session the program was taken up under the able leadership of Mrs. C. W. Snider. The program follows: "The Countries of Asia Minor and the Present Day Jerusalem" Mrs. W. W. Silk; "Bodies of Water in and Around Asia Minor," Mrs. Wade Walker; "The Religions," Mrs. McFadden; "The Suez Canal," Mrs. Felder; "The Women," Mrs. Grisham; "Palestine," Mrs. Adams; "Constantinople," Mrs. T. H. Noble; "The Dardanelles," Mrs. Wood. There were ten members present, also two guests, Mrs. Lee Clark and Mrs. L. H. Duff of Horton, Kansas, mother of Mrs. C. W. Snider.

DELPHIAN SOCIETY STUDIES MIDDLE AGES WEDNESDAY

The Delphian Society entered upon a new study, that of the Middle Ages at the meeting Wednesday morning with Mrs. R. L. Taylor hostess. The past few months has been spent in making an exhibit of the impact of Rome and Greece of the ancients, paving the way to the later medieval days. Mrs. Cullinan was leader, the members answering roll call with current events. Mrs. Bert Bean gave a description of Charlemagne, Miss Stonecipher told of the early church and the beginning of the papacy were discussed in a paper by Mrs. C. H. Dent, read by Mrs. A. J. Lyon. Mrs. Mark Moore gave a much appreciated reading, "The Legend of the Holy Grail." The members present were: Miss Stonecipher, Mesdames Bean, Carver, Cullinan, Jones, Lyon, E. E. Macy, McDowell, Mark Moore, Robertson.

MERRYMAKERS MEET AT GREENWOOD HOME

The Merry-makers, the congenial married folks' club which holds a "merry-making" each week met Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Greenwood. Bridge as usual furnished the diversion the high score being won by Mr. Larkin and Mrs. Fenton. The ladies' size was a cigar cutter, the ladies' a cut glass perfume container. Mrs. Ward of Beaumont received the consolation prize, a bottle of "catchup." A refreshment course was served at the conclusion of the game. Guests were Mrs. H. E. Budge, Mrs. J. E. Fenton, Mrs. B. Hummer, and E. R. Greenwood; members Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cullinan, Mr. and Mrs. Fenton, Mr. and Mrs. Griffin and Mr. Larkin.

MID WEEK BRIDGE CLUB MEETS WEDNESDAY

The meeting of the Mid Week Bridge Club Wednesday afternoon was of unusual interest in that it was the first hospitality of Mrs. Burton Stayton, one of the season's brides since being established in her new home. Assisting in the many little courtesies which mark the perfect hostess was her sister, Mrs. Ivan Murchison. Five tables of players, including club members and a number of guests enjoyed the game, the souvenir, a dainty lingerie apron going to Miss Agnes Reid. The refreshment plate was pleasingly arranged, the menu consisting of chicken salad, water cress, pimento sandwiches, olives, tea and date pudding with whipped cream. The guests were: Misses Beas-Kell, Gorman of Fort Worth, Della Stone, Alice Burnside, Louise Fox; members, Misses Lillian McCreager, Genevieve Carver, Agnes Reid, Bertha Mae Kemp, Anne Carver, Kathleen Blair, Lillian Ayle, Myrtice Stringer, Mary Orth, Florence Sammons, Orveta Wyatt, Mabel Simpson, Mesdames M. R. Garrison, N. B. Chenuault and Merrill Blair.

ENTRE-NOUS CLUB MEETS WEDNESDAY

Though the weather had a marked effect on the attendance on the Entre Nous Club meeting Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. E. H. Brown as hostess there was no lack of enjoyment for those who braved the elements to attend. Sewing and conversation and a dainty refreshment service of sandwiches, olives, pie and coffee was the order of entertainment. Mrs. Baber and Mrs. Shumake were the guests, the members present being: Mesdames E. E. Trawick, McMillan, Everett, A. E. Trawick and Quinn.

The Just So Club will meet Saturday afternoon with Miss Laura Martin 2509 Ninth street. This is the first meeting of the club since the holidays and all members are urged to attend.

Attend the free concert at the First Presbyterian church by the College of Music faculty Friday night, January 14th, at 8 o'clock. 296-C-9

50,000 PAIRS OF SHOES FROM U.S. FOR BELGIAN WOMEN AND CHILDREN



Miss Post (left) and Miss Willis inspecting shoes.

To meet the winter needs of Belgian women and children for suitable footwear, American relief committees in America have made special efforts to send shoes to Belgium. Two American women, Miss Price Post (on the left in the picture) and Miss Catherine Willis recently inspected 50,000 pairs of shoes assembled in Brooklyn ready for shipment. The two little girls in the inserted picture were chosen as possessors of "average" feet to try on some of the shoes.

BRITISH CAMPAIGN IN MESOPOTAMIA MAY AFFECT INFLUENCE IN EAST

By Associated Press. (By mail)—The Constantinople press refers to the reverse of the British at Ctesiphon, near Bagdad, as an omen that British rule in the East is endangered. No military success of the central power group in the East or West, it argued, could have produced the effect upon the Eastern mind that was produced by the Ottoman victory on the banks of the Tigris. The British, it is believed, reckoned that the capture of Bagdad would be of no small importance in supporting the prestige of their flag in the East, and the failure to reach the city which is sacred to all Moslems, has, of course, had the contrary effect.

Ctesiphon, which is several hundred miles up the Tigris from the Persian gulf where the British expedition began operations more than a year ago, is famous for the number of decisive battles that have been fought there and the Turk not wholly immune from superstition, thus regards the recent British defeat as all the more significant. According to Ottoman sources of information the British losses in this battle were 17 colonels, 200 other officers and 5,000 men killed and at least as large a number wounded. General Townsend, the British commander, himself is said to have been severely wounded. Much war material and several river craft and transport barges were also captured by the Turks.

Four days ago, when the news of the battle of Ctesiphon reached Constantinople, the city was decorated with flags and banners as never before. For once the Turk emerged fully from his lethargic state and celebrated on an elaborate scale.

It had been Mohammed's intention six centuries ago, to take the White Palace of Ctesiphon, but he did not live long enough to lead his Arab hordes against this Persian stronghold. The undertaking was left to the second caliph, Omar, whose commander in chief, Saad, defeated the Persians under Rustem at Seleucia, on the right bank of the Tigris river so decisively that a few months later Emperor Jostedgeris, last of the Sassanide Kings of Persia, also lost the city.

The booty which the Moslem conquerors of the two cities took was one of the greatest of all antiquity. About 60,000 Arab warriors took part in the assault upon Ctesiphon. The share of each in currency, precious metals and jewels was worth 12,000 silver drachmas, after a fifth of the loot had been set aside for the caliph and his treasury, and the other fifth for the widows and orphans of the soldiers who had fallen in the campaign.

Before the Arabs left Ctesiphon they set the White Palace afire, after removing every object of value, among them the largest Persian silk carpet on record. The carpet was about 300 yards long, 100 yards wide, made entirely by hand and it pictured a garden.



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Cradle Song (Richard Czerwonky)—both old and young. The practice of inviting guests to the social meet- (a) Minuet, from String Quintet (Boccherini); (b) Andantino (Mozart); (c) Kreisler; (d) Kullawiak, Mazurka (Wieniaswski); Mr. Maddy. Six Preludes for Piano (Chopin); Mr. Miller. Zigeunerweisen (Sarasate); Mr. Maddy. Hungarian Rhapsody No. 15 (Liszt); Mr. Miller.

INTERESTING MEETING HELD BY PRAETORIANS Wichita Falls Council No. 359 Modern Order of Praetorians met in regular session last night at the Art hall on Indiana avenue. Several applications for membership were received and E. F. Bloom and Clyde Granbury were initiated.

The council decided to use the last meeting night in each month for social enjoyment of its members, where various forms of entertainment will be provided which will appeal to

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According to the books of the commissioner's court, the bridge across the Wichita river south of Iowa Park was repaired last year with the funds taken almost entirely from the road fund of the Wichita Falls precinct, though the bridge is in the Iowa Park precinct. The bridge takes \$20 worth of trade to Iowa Park for every dollar that it brings to Wichita Falls and has never been of any direct benefit to this city, yet The Times has not heard any Wichita Falls folks howling about the money spent for rebuilding it, although it was money that should have been spent on the roads around Wichita Falls. Wichita Falls isn't selfish over such things, and although it is the voters of Iowa Park and other Wichita county boxes next Tuesday is that they treat her as fairly as she has treated them, and vote for the court house bonds. It won't be Wichita Falls' court house any more than it will be Electric's or Iowa Park's or Burk Burnett's, but it will be Wichita county's, and The Times earnestly hopes that the out-of-town boxes will adopt a more patriotic attitude than they did before. If it is up to Wichita Falls alone to put it across, this city is ready to do her part, but it is not pleasing to see the spirit that prevails outside of the city, and it is hoped that the country voters will vote next Tuesday with that unselfishness that bespeaks good citizenship.

Gasoline is being manufactured in considerable quantities from casing head gas in the Northwest Texas oil field, and the industry, a new one, is assuming considerable proportions and is putting quite a few extra dollars into the pockets of the oil men who own production. Up to a few years ago the casing head gas was permitted to go to waste. There was a time, as many folks remember, when the cottonseed that this season brought \$40 per ton, was burned or scattered to the four winds and no one can estimate the money that was thrown away. The times will come, and The Times hopes it will come soon, when the wheat straw in the fields of Wichita county, which is now either burned or permitted to serve as breeding place for flies, will be put to some profitable use, just as profitable uses have been found for casing head gas and cotton seed. It is said that a strawboard factory would furnish a market for a very considerable portion of the wheat straw now wasted, and there is certainly an opportunity there that Wichita Falls should not overlook.

There is a wealth of interesting information to be gleaned from the annual report of J. W. Campbell, government agricultural agent, a summary of which appears in The Times today. The report contains more good news than has appeared in The Times, so far as Wichita Falls is concerned, for quite a while. Farmers in this county are not only becoming independent, but they are on the way to affluence and perhaps luxury as a result of better methods and careful planning. Deep plowing, abandonment of the one-crop idea and plentiful raising of live stock and poultry are working the change, and Mr. Campbell's report indicates that many farmers are already on the right road. There is one significant assertion in the report, that farmers have been able to borrow money from the banks when mercantile loans were being turned down. But perhaps the best feature is that

part of the report telling of the attention which farmers are giving to livestock and poultry, these are bank account builders and the farmer who hasn't gotten in line is standing in his own light. Quite a bit has been said recently in Wichita Falls on the subject of cooperation with the farmers, and there are many ways in which this would redound to the benefit of Wichita Falls. One form of cooperation that has already been practiced is assisting in keeping Mr. Campbell employed as agricultural agent and it looks like the money spent for that purpose has surely been bread upon the waters, coming back to the donors with butter on it.

The other day Washington dispatches told us that President Wilson would refuse to appoint a negro as recorder of deeds of the District of Columbia, and since that time some Republican newspapers have criticized the president severely. Now, if we were president, which of course we are not and never expect to be, we would take that negro who was after the office of recorder of deeds for the District of Columbia and make him a postmaster in one of the large cities—say Philadelphia, Boston, or Chicago, and make it compulsory on him to employ none but negro clerks. There are lots of negroes who are competent to fill such places, and we believe they should receive recognition but this should be given only in cities and states where the laws of such cities and states place the negro on an equal footing, socially, morally and politically with the white man, and as we see it, Philadelphia would be about the most logical city we can recall for starting this movement.

The county attorney of Dallas county says he is going to force collection on forfeited bonds hereafter. What would he like to know by what authority of law is he going to do this, and if there is a law which makes it the business of county attorneys to collect such monies, why is it they have not been doing so all along? There are but few county attorneys who have been doing their duty in this respect, and if we were called upon to give a reason for such neglect of duty it would be because it is so much easier for them to make better money by the fee system. This office in some counties is, by far the best office in the county, so far as fees are concerned, and in a majority of the cases the fee of the county attorney is collected whether he performs any service or not.

We don't know if he would accept it, but it would be a gracious thing if President Wilson were to offer the Supreme Court vacancy to former President Taft. Not only would it be a gracious act, but—were he accepted—it would put on the bench a man eminently qualified for the place, absolutely honest and a jurist before he is anything else. Mr. Taft lacked only a little of being a great president—his inability to wound the feelings of his friends, we believe, was the greatest source of his lack. If he were good a man to be very much of a partisan and his own appointments to the Supreme Court bench afford precedent for the wiping out of partisan lines if choosing a man for one of the highest judicial positions in the country.

Being an ex-president, it is doubtful if Mr. Taft would accept the position if tendered, and if he were quite sure that he would decline, then it certainly would be the nice thing for the President to give him the opportunity politically, the court already has six Republicans and only two Democrats, and this would give Mr. Taft most excellent grounds upon which to decline to accept. While president himself, it is said that he gave as one reason for appointing Judge Lamar the fact that Lamar was a Democrat, and he wanted the court to be more equally balanced from a political viewpoint.

TO THE PEOPLE AGAIN. It is announced that President Wilson will take personal charge of the fight for legislation which will insure greater national preparedness, and that at an early date he will appeal directly to the people in behalf of his program. Getting down to the real determining power has been the president's way throughout his administration. If he is denied support in this instance that denial will mark practically the first which he has met in furtherance of any important legislation. And yet the widely and surprisingly divergent views of American citizens are such as to make the fate of the pro-

paredness program doubtful. Many who are unalterably opposed to naval or military increase favor immediate and abrupt severance of diplomatic relations with a European power on slight provocation. An even larger number think preparedness would be the proper thing, but are not willing to help pay for it. If the president fails to bring these around to the right way of thinking, it can't be done. For as a general thing, if not always, the Congressional moves at the crack of the constituents' whip.—Dallas Journal.

WHO SHALL WE BE? Strangely enough, the greatest obstacle to the formation of a Pan-American alliance which would unite all of the countries of the Western Hemisphere in a close coalition for mutual protection and commercial advantage seems to be one single word—American. For many years the people of the United States have called themselves "Americans," and have worn this title with pride and a degree of superciliousness that has not been well thought of in other American republics. Since the movement started to unite the American republics in treaty and commercial association, many protests have been lodged against the continued use of the word "American" to designate a citizen of the United States of North America exclusively.

What is to be done about it? That is the question that is at present agitating the minds of those who are most concerned in forwarding the new Pan-American alliance. The Mexicans have protested against this appropriation of a general term, and so have the Chileans, the Ecuadorians and the Argentinians. Recently the Canadians have insisted that they are quite as much "Americans" as anybody else, and that if the United States is trying to promote better feeling and understanding among the countries of the Western Hemisphere, its people will have to consent to a general division of the term "American" into a dozen or more equal parts. It is extremely discourteous, says a professor of Columbia University, to insist that the name belongs exclusively to us; and he points out that it is never too early in the interests of lasting peace, to begin removing chronic sources of irritation.

Many suggestions have been made as to the propriety of adopting a new designation for the people of the United States. Obviously we can not be United Statesians, for the name is not only a little less distinctive than Americans, seeing that there are several united states, crosses on this side of the water. The same name that has been talked about most as a substitute is Usonian. As will be seen, this is a mongrel contraction of two words, "United" and "States" with a collective ending. But it is not likely to prove popular. Usonian is not a pretty word, and it has no dignity and no real meaning. To trade the euphonious, resounding and characteristic "American" for Usonian would be disagreeable if not actually impossible. And there doubtless are billions of patriotic Americans who would prefer that the whole Pan-American scheme should fall to the ground than that we should make such a serious patronymic sacrifice. Kansas City Journal.

THE TOWN THAT ADVERTISES. The town that advertises itself in the proper manner, at home and abroad, will get results. The business men have every week opportunities to reach out and encourage the trade in every adjacent to the town, and daily if they care to do so. There are occasions for such advertising as will bring about better trade relations and if there are no occasions, in the sense of spectacular event, the business men find plenty of reasons for creating no occasions. What is true of the individual business man applies with equal force, and perhaps greater force for the collective business interests. There is great need of business men working together in the campaigns for building up the general business of the community. Any movement which will help one to improve in his business, will have a splendid effect in all.—Greenville Banner.

A PAIR OF PEANUTS. It is particularly regrettable that Congress is threatened with one of the amiable peanuts who indulged the following repartee in a joint debate reported by a West Texas exchange: Judge Blanton "being on the floor stepped down into the audience, shook hands with one of his hearers and asked if Wagstaff had that kind of a grip. Showing the palms of his hands, he asked if Wagstaff's hands showed marks of work like that. "No, they have not," declared Blanton. "If he had ever worked the marks would be there. He rides in a Pullman, while you and I take a day car, and I suppose that until the anti-pass law went into effect he rode on a Pullman pass." That should be sufficient. The man lacking in grip, and without marks of work on his palms, is not a safe man to make our laws. And to clinch it all he rides in a Pullman. Away with him! But Wagstaff was not crushed by

this exposure. When it came his turn he annihilated Blanton with this blow: "Some men prosper by what they work for and get, and some marry prosperity. Judge Blanton, you married more money than I have." "I will get you an affidavit from my father-in-law that I never received a cent from him," interrupted Blanton. Austin-American.

SPECIAL PRAYER SERVICE BY BAPTISTS TOMORROW

The Baptists of this city and of the entire state will observe tomorrow as a day of prayer for the success of the educational campaign which was recently inaugurated. Prayer services will be held at 9:30 in the morning, lasting one hour, and the weekly prayer meeting will be held in the evening at 7:30, being postponed from Wednesday night. At the prayer meeting in the evening, reports from the various church committees and officers on the year's work will be received and plans formulated for the coming year.

TEXARKANA DEMOCRATS HOLDING PRIMARY TODAY

By Associated Press. Texarkana, Texas, Jan. 13.—Texarkana Democrats today are choosing a city ticket by primary election here. A full list of officers is being voted on.

DESTROY GREEN BUG BY BURNING WHEAT

Plowing Under of Volunteer Wheat Also Advocated by W. M. Ganzer of Denton

If the green bug makes its appearance in the wheat fields of this section, burning of the affected areas is the safest and surest way to destroy it, according to W. M. Ganzer, who is in charge of the department of agriculture's work in North Texas. He advocates covering the young wheat with straw, which effectively destroys the bugs when burned. Mr. Ganzer believes that the plowing under of volunteer wheat and oats will do much to prevent the green bug from his appearance. There have recently been reports of green bugs in some parts of Clay county, but to what extent is not known. Mr. Ganzer gave the above advice in an interview reported in the Fort Worth Record, as follows: Unless prompt steps are taken to destroy green bugs, which have begun to affect the wheat and oat crops of Denton county and other sections of North Texas, the insects are likely to repeat the story of 1906, when practically the entire wheat crop of North Texas was eaten up by them. Declared William Ganzer, United States district agricultural agent for North and Northwest Texas, aside from the green bug menace, crop prospects in the northern portion of Texas have never been so good in years, Ganzer said Wednesday.

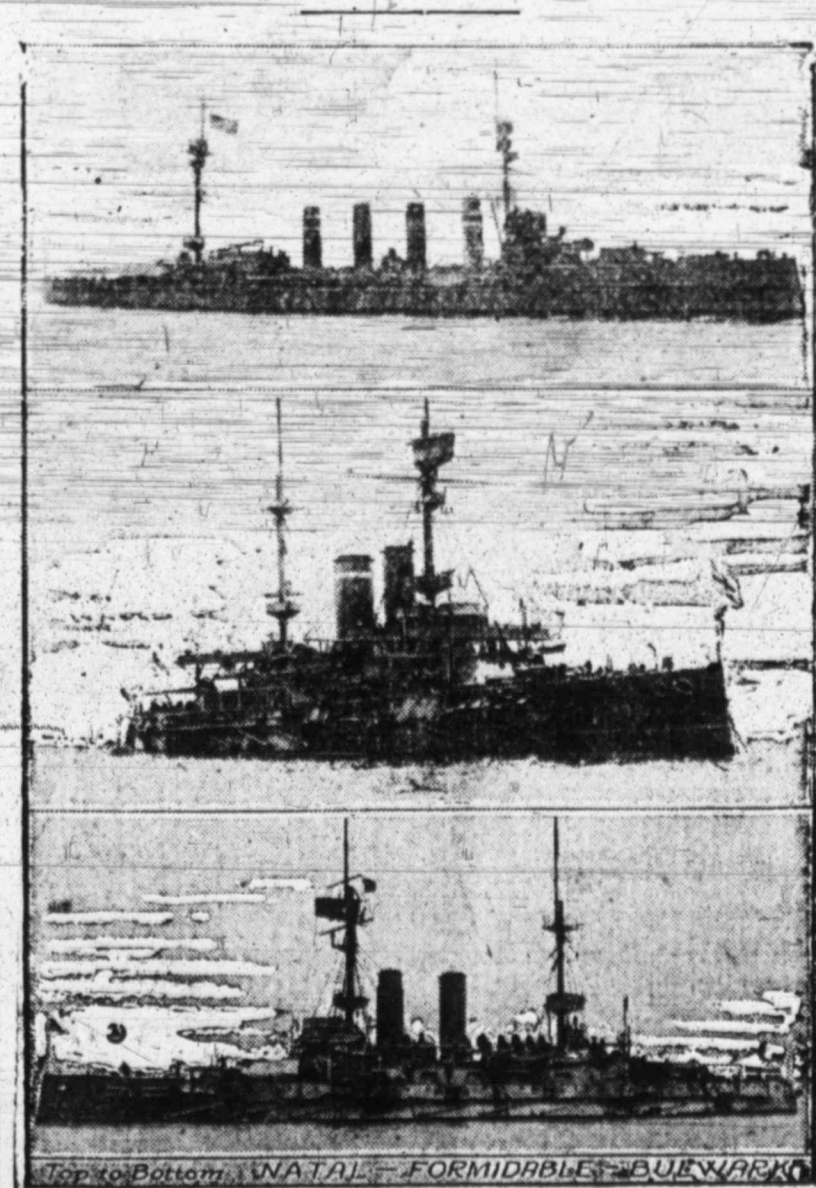
Burning the wheat in affected areas is the only successful method known to combat green bugs, Ganzer said. "Denton county has green bugs and has them bad in some sections," he said. "The only salvation for such farms as have the bugs and the other farms that are adjacent is to spread dry wheat straw over the spot the green bugs are working in and set fire to it. Some places in Denton county I found that the area in which the bugs were working runs from one-fourth of an acre to two acres. By burning the Texas now their damage can be stopped. "But the work must be done rapidly. As soon as the green bugs grow wings they fly to other fields and deposit their young. They do not lay an egg, as many other insects do, but deposit the living young. It is before they grow wings that they eat the wheat. "Plowing under has been tried, but is not much of a success. It doesn't kill the bugs. Farmers should cooperate in the work of burning out. It is to the interest of all farmers in one locality to see that the bugs are destroyed. A little help given a neighbor in hauling straw to burn off a spot may be returned a thousand fold in a wheat crop that otherwise might have been eaten by the green bugs.

There is a little parasite that eats the green bugs, and I have found evidence of it in Denton county. But the work like today, cold weather, hurts the parasite but doesn't affect the green bug. Temperature below 54 degrees renders the parasite dormant, while the green bug keeps on working. If there could be enough of these parasites propagated, they would control the green bugs, but climatic conditions regulate that. "Green bugs multiply in wet years but if there were no volunteer wheat or oats the green bug would be a thing of the past in Texas. Farmers should plow under volunteer wheat and oats as soon as they come up and not wait for the bugs to appear on them. "I learned years ago to destroy volunteer crops," declared County Agricultural Demonstration Agent Fidelity. "They don't pay, and besides that, as Mr. Ganzer says, they are the breeding and feeding places of green bugs and other harmful insects. "They have green bugs in Oklahoma, West Texas and even in Tennessee," continued Ganzer. "The people in Kansas and other wheat growing states are wanting to know what Texas is going to do about the green bug. It is up to us to stop it before it spreads. "Conditions in my district of Texas could hardly be better, except for the threatened green bugs," Ganzer said. "All the barns and cribs are full of feedstuff. Texas, or at least the northern part, won't have to import feedstuff this year. In fact, large loads of feedstuff are being shipped out every week."

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Bulwark was blown to pieces in Sheerness harbor on Nov. 26, 1914, with a loss of about 800 lives. The British battleship Formidable was destroyed on Jan. 1, 1915 by an explosion in the English channel. It was never determined definitely whether a mine or an internal explosion sent her to the bottom.

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MASONIC EMBLEMS ARE FOUND AFTER 45 YEARS San Angelo, Texas, Jan. 13.—Three small Masonic emblems lost on the North Concho river in the early 70's were found in Santa Fe park by the groundkeeper, and after some months of diligent search, the owner was found. The owner is Mrs. Napoleon B. McLaughlin of New York. The emblems belonged to her husband, General McLaughlin, who, before he was married was stationed at Fort Concho in the early frontier days. Mrs. McLaughlin did not know her husband lost or even possessed the Jewels, as she was married to him while at the Fort after he lost them. When forwarded to New York, they reached Mrs. McLaughlin on a wedding anniversary.

HIGHWAY ENGINEERING SHORT COURSE OPENS College Station, Tex., Jan. 13.—A two weeks short course in highway engineering, was to be commenced here today under the auspices of the Agricultural & Mechanical College, Prof. R. L. Morrison of the college will be in charge. The course is intended for men who have had practical experience in road building and maintenance, but who are "shy" on theoretical instruction.

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The lowest temperature of the season was recorded this morning when the mercury sank to one above zero at about six o'clock.

Some Trains Late

While Fort Worth & Denver passenger trains arrived this afternoon only a little behind their regular schedules, the cold weather delayed Katy and Wichita Falls & North-western passenger trains considerably.

The southbound Fort Worth & Denver passenger train due to leave here at 12:30 p. m., was delayed several minutes while a frozen steam pipe under the baggage car was thawed out by burning oil waste under the car.



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Market Report

Chicago Grain, Chicago, Jan. 13.—Assertions that English buyers refused to follow the advance led to setbacks in wheat after an early advance today.

New York Cotton

New York, Jan. 13.—Offerings tapered off below 12.02 cents for March contracts and cotton trading was quiet this afternoon.

Fort Worth Livestock

Fort Worth, Jan. 13.—Cattle receipts 1,500, ten cents higher. Hogs 36.50 to 37.50. Hog receipts 2,700, fifteen to 25 cents up.

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Real Estate Transfers. Lee Horton et al vs. W. H. Ferguson et al, Surveys Nos. 7 and 8, certificate No. 399; \$22,666.65. Geo. E. Ragland to N. E. McDermitt, 80 feet of lot 7, block 15, Electra-4400.

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The W. C. T. U. will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs. E. J. Harrison, 1907 Burnett. The meeting is called for 2:30, all members urged to be on hand.

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The supplies for the election next Tuesday when the voting voters of Wichita county will determine whether the county shall issue \$225,000 for building a new court house have been delivered to the election officers by Sheriff Hawkins.

Mr. J. E. Maddy, violinist, and Mr. Lloyd Miller, pianist, of the College of Music Faculty will give a free concert at the Presbyterian church, First State vs. W. D. Chappell charged with pandering. Tomorrow the case of Joe Shaw and S. A. Prince, charged with robbery are set for trial.

Announcement. I wish to announce to the public that I have formed a partnership with Dr. Burk for the purpose of practicing dentistry. Dr. Burk is one of the best known dentists in Texas today, having graduated from America's foremost dental college fifteen years ago, and is especially proficient in crown and bridge work.

There will be a card party at the P. B. M. Co. on Monday night, January 17th, for work. All members urged to be in attendance.

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The case of Pat Solans, alias Bert Williams, given a five year sentence in district court here on a charge of robbery, was affirmed by the court of criminal appeals at Austin Wednesday.

W. D. Cline has filed suit against the Beaver Creek Oil Company for debt and foreclosure.

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MRS. JUNGK IN CITY

Hears That Chance Delay Was All That Prevented Husband's Joining

Mrs. C. Jungk, an American woman who is a refugee from Mexico and who is visiting her brother, T. J. Leicham here, has learned that only by the merest chance her husband was not a member of the party of Americans who were slain by Mexican bandits, believed to be Villa soldiers several days ago west of Chihuahua.

Mr. Jungk who is in El Paso had made all arrangements to return to Mexico with the party of Americans who were taken from their train and shot to death, but having some business still to attend to and learning that the American Consul Hanna who was in El Paso intended to return to the mining district whither the Americans were bound, he remained to return with him.

Mrs. Jungk has learned that her Chinese cook and several Chinese servants were among 72 Chinese massacred by Villa soldiers near Minaco several months ago when Americans were warned to leave the state of Chihuahua by the American state department before the recognition of Carranza.

MAY ORGANIZE FORCE TO ATTACK VILLA

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Message stated that Rodriguez was met in a pitched battle, defeated and his men scattered, captured and killed.

Villa is Blamed. Deductions from events in Chihuahua, wired by local representatives to the state department today, are believed to have stated that it appeared Gen. Villa is personally back of an organized campaign to wipe out Americans in Chihuahua state for the purpose of revenge and to bring intervention to break up the Carranza government.

It was stated that local representatives of the state department believe Gen. Villa deliberately sent his family out of the country to relieve himself of concern and constraint on their behalf. The department has been informed that Villa has directed an attack on the mining camp of Paria.

Regiment of Americans. A plan to form a regiment composed of a thousand American mining men for the purpose of entering Mexico and running down the bandits responsible for the massacre of Americans was formulated at a meeting here last night. At the meeting it was decided to present the plan today to officials of the de-facto government with a review of receiving the sanction of the Carranza government.

A large number of Americans, it was stated had started to join the force and mining corporations had offered to supply the necessary arms and ammunition.

Thomas J. Edwards, American consul at Juarez was received with shouts of criticism when he appeared in the lobby of a local hotel filled with mining men this morning.

Consul is Abused. "Go back to Juarez where you belong," was shouted at him by the mining men, surging forward and around him.

"You are a Villa consul! You are not an American! Go to Comalita or some other place where Villa is! We have eighteen American boys he murdered. You ought to be proud of your friend."

"You cannot intimidate me," said Mr. Edwards calmly, and turning his back he strode from the lobby.

A rumor was circulated here today to the effect that three Americans had been murdered in the Carranza district of Sonora in the vicinity of the Phelps Dodge property. It could not be verified here.

Moving Pictures in Church Last Night, Are First in Texas

Moving pictures were shown at the M. E. Church South, Wednesday night in connection with the midweek prayer services, forming an interesting and entertaining feature of the meeting.

These were, it is said, the first moving pictures ever to be shown in a Texas church.

The film showed colored scenes of localities in the Holy Land illustrating the lesson of the evening. Another film will be obtained for the services Sunday. It is expected, and it is probable that "movies" will be a more or less regular feature at the church. Those attending the service Wednesday night were greatly pleased.

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YOUNG MAN HELD FOR THEFT FROM PERSON

Alleged to Have Taken Money From Pocket of Sleeping Companion

A young man who gave his name as D. H. Brock was bound over to the grand jury on a charge of theft from person after a hearing before Justice Howard this morning.

His bond was placed at \$1000. Brock is alleged to have robbed Otis Procter of Electra of fifteen dollars, a watch and a pair of gloves. Brock and Procter appeared at a lawdy house in the flat district yesterday afternoon. Procter was intoxicated, and lay down on a couch. Bessie Bradshaw, an inmate of the house testified she saw Brock taking Procter's money and watch from his pockets when she came back into the room after going out. Brock, she said, told her that Procter had told him to take care of his money, and watch.

Brock after taking the watch and money went to a restaurant where he ran across Policeman Githam whom he invited to have something to eat with him. Githam declined the invitation and when Brock returned to the lawdy house he followed him suspecting that Brock had robbed someone. The Bradshaw woman told what she had seen and Brock was placed under arrest.

He made a statement before Justice Howard this morning, saying that Procter had told him to take care of his money and watch. Procter testified he did not remember of telling Brock anything about his money or watch.

Brock said he came from Erick, Okla., and admitted that he had been arrested a number of times, once being suspected of a bank robbery at Woodward, Okla., where he had been turned loose after an investigation that showed he had no connection with the robbery.

KATY OFFICIALS TO REACH CITY MONDAY

Party Will Remain Overnight Going Over Northwestern Line Tuesday

The party of Katy officials who are to make an inspection of the Katy lines on a special train will arrive in Wichita Falls Monday afternoon according to advices received by Superintendent J. C. Butz of the Wichita Falls district. The officials will remain here over Monday night leaving Tuesday morning for an inspection of the Wichita Falls and Northwestern. They will go to Mangum Tuesday and will make a night-trip to Forgan sitting on the return trip from Forgan Wednesday morning so as to cover all the line in day light. It is expected the party will have Receiver Schaff's inspection car on their train.

It is not known definitely who will comprise the party which will include Vice President Whitehead, who is assistant to Receiver Schaff, C. C. Haile, traffic manager and others. Superintendent Butz and General Freight Agent Fontaine of the Northwestern will join the party here for the trip over the Northwestern.

The party expects to remain long enough in all the more important towns to meet the people but they do not desire that banquets be given or public meetings called.

"Plain Citizen and Philosophy. "Happiness," declared the philosopher pompously, "is only the pursuit of something, not the catching of it." "Oh, I don't know," answered the plain citizen. "Have you ever chased the last car on a 'bob day'?"—Dallas News.

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Report of the condition of the CITY NATIONAL BANK. Assets: Cash and coin, \$20,000.00; U.S. Bonds, \$1,000,000.00; Loans and discounts, \$1,000,000.00; Real estate, \$100,000.00; Other assets, \$100,000.00. Total Assets, \$2,300,000.00. Liabilities: Capital stock, \$1,000,000.00; Surplus fund, \$1,000,000.00; Reserves for taxes, \$100,000.00; Reserves for interest, \$100,000.00; Other liabilities, \$200,000.00. Total Liabilities, \$2,300,000.00.

Personals

George Lade of Olney is here today on business.

B. L. Garvey was here from Archer City today.

Mrs. J. O. Penrod returned to Electra last night after a short stay here.

J. D. Kendrick of Byers was a visitor here yesterday returning to Byers today.

O. B. and Noah Devore, rig builders, arrived last night from Tulsa, Okla., to work in the oil fields in this district.

Mrs. E. E. Sanders has returned from a visit with friends at Eastland.

J. R. Newlin of Electra was here today on his way to Dallas.

Judge R. E. Taylor of Henrietta is here to represent a defendant in a criminal trial in the district court tomorrow.

Sam Bellah of Decatur, a former citizen of Wichita Falls was here today looking after his interests in this section.

J. M. McFall left this afternoon on a business trip to Dallas and Fort Worth.

H. G. Richardson of Sapulpa, Okla., is registered at the Westland.

N. Henderson left this afternoon for Tampa, Florida, where he will remain several weeks on business.

Frank Kell who has been in England on business connected with the Wichita Falls Motor Company will sail for New York from Liverpool today. Mr. Kell's cablegram received today at his office here did not give the name of the ship on which he took passage.

Mrs. Mary McCracken of Claremont, Texas, was expected to arrive today for a visit with her brother, Attorney T. H. Hunter.

H. A. Gausewitz, general superintendent of the Fort Worth and Denver, was here today.

J. L. Anderson was here today on his way from Olney to Fort Worth where he goes on business.

Rev. C. D. Crouch, formerly pastor of the Church of Christ here, was here today on his way from Bowie to Rock Springs in Southwest Texas where he will spend several weeks.

Little Francis and Bernice Palmer returned to their home at Devol, Okla., today after a visit with their aunt, Mrs. J. H. Sides.

Fire Chief, J. L. McClure, who went to Dallas with the members of the public safety committee to inspect a motor ladder truck, on which a proposal was submitted to the American La France Company returned this afternoon. The truck was accepted by the committee and will be delivered here within the next fifteen days.

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By Associated Press.
Washington, Jan. 13.-Petitions of Oklahoma and Kansas oil refiners for a hearing on freight rates on petroleum from those fields to St. Louis, Chicago, St. Paul and other points in the west were denied by the Interstate Commerce Commission today.

SAYS FRENCH MUST SALUTE GREEK OFFICERS

By Associated Press.
Paris, Jan. 13.-Gen. Sarrail, commander of the French army in the east, has issued a new order to his troops from which the Salonika correspondent of the Temps quotes the following:
"I repeat again: You must all, both officers and men, observe toward the officers of the Greek army of rank superior to your own, the authorized rules of deference and the outward marks of respect. You will be good enough to maintain the friendliest comradeship with military men of your own ranks."

MURDER TRIAL SET FOR TODAY AT GEORGETOWN

By Associated Press.
Georgetown, Texas, Jan. 13.-The trial of Emmett Koontz, a well known young man of this place on a charge of killing Will Cockrell was to be taken up here today. Koontz has been at large since the killing under a \$5,000 bond.

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New England Cautions

The caution of the New Englander is giving a direct answer to a direct question is proverbial. Two natives of a New Hampshire town met after the funeral, and the first asked: "Was not your father's death very sudden?" The other drawing one hand from his pocket and pulling down his handkerchief, the other replied, thoughtfully: "Waal, rather sudden for him."

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