

SIX BREWERIES PLEAD GUILTY TO STATES' CHARGES

AGREE TO FORFEIT CHARTERS AND PAY PENALTIES AGGREGATING \$276,000. CASES CALLED AT SULPHUR SPRINGS

ONE COMPANY FIGHTS FINDS NOTHING NEW

Dallas Brewery To Ask For Trial. Injunction Restrains Others From Political Activity and Anti Trust Law Violations

By Associated Press. Sulphur Springs, Texas, Jan. 24.—An agreement was entered in the eighth judicial district court today in the brewery matter suit brought by Attorney General H. F. Looney...

The seventh defendant, the Dallas Brewery company, will ask a jury trial, which probably will commence next week. Counsel for the Dallas company has announced its case will be carried to the supreme court of the United States, if necessary.

The state is suing for forfeiture of charter, injunction and penalties which reach into the millions...

ILLINOIS RIVER IS STILL RISING TODAY

Lowlands Are Overflowed and Hundreds Are Rescued From Homes by Boats

By Associated Press. Peoria, Ill., January 24.—With the lowlands today have been rescued from their homes in boats...

45 AEROPLANES IN FRENCH RAID UPON MONASTIR

By Associated Press. Paris, January 24.—Bombardment of Monastir, southwestern Serbia, by a squadron of 45 French aeroplanes, yesterday, is reported by the Havas correspondent at Saloniki...

DECISION HOLDS INCOME TAX LAW CONSTITUTIONAL

SUPREME COURT TODAY SUSTAINS MEASURE WHICH HAD BEEN ATTACKED ON SEVERAL GROUNDS IN SUITS FILED

FINDS NOTHING NEW

Chief Justice Denies Contentions That Tax Is Levied Under Hitherto Unknown Power Conferred Upon the Government

By Associated Press. Washington, Jan. 24.—The supreme court today upheld the constitutionality of the income tax law...

Most of Justice White's opinion was directed toward overruling the contention that the income tax imposed by the act was levied under a hitherto unknown power...

Five separate suits to test the constitutionality of the new income tax were brought in the federal courts throughout the country since the law became effective...

At first the court decided that the tax was unconstitutional as to rents from land because it was a direct tax not apportioned according to population...

An agitation for an amendment to the constitution then began. It came to nothing until President Taft recommended the enactment of an excise tax on corporations...

The Congress shall have power to lay and collect taxes on incomes from whatever source derived without apportionment among the several states...

Teutons See In Allied Troop's Landing A Threat To Depose King Constantine



With Serbia overthrown and Montenegro surrendered, the Allies are determined to force their way into the Balkans...

AUSTRIAN RULER NOW REPORTED ILL

Dispatches Say He Is Confined To His Bed With Attack of Bronchitis

By Associated Press. Paris, January 24.—Press dispatches from Rome say that Emperor Charles I of Austria is confined to his bed with an attack of bronchitis...

AMERICAN TANKER TAKEN TO KIRKWALL

Is Same Vessel Reported Fired Upon By Austrian Boat in December

By Associated Press. London, January 24.—The Standard Oil tank steamer Tetra from Philadelphia, which was fired upon by an Austrian submarine off Alexandria...

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CIVIL SERVICE IN STATE DEPARTMENT

Applicants For Rank Examiner Will Have To Undergo Examination Soon

By Associated Press. Austin, Texas, Jan. 24.—Preparatory steps to having civil service examinations for state government employees have been taken...

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GERMANS MAKE RAID UPON DOVER WITH AEROPLANE

BOMBS ARE DROPPED UPON STATION, BARRACKS AND DOCKS. CASUALTIES REPORTED AS ONE KILLED, SIX WOUNDED

TWO ATTACKS MADE

London Report Tells of Raid on "East Coast of Kent." Berlin Dispatch Says Important Port of Dover Was Visited

By Associated Press. London, January 24.—Dover, the great English channel port through which the main line of communication between Great Britain and France...

The German statement reports that bombs were dropped from the machine on the station, barracks and docks of Dover.

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ALBANIA SCENE OF ACTIVITY BY CENTRAL POWERS

TAKING OF MONTEGRIN SEAPORTS COMPLETES AUSTRIAN OCCUPATION. NEW MOVEMENT THREATENS ITALIANS

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French Flyers Attack Monastir and Inflict Some Damage—Athens Crisis is Believed Now to Have Been Smoothed Over

By Associated Press. London, Jan. 24.—Military operations in the Balkans are just at present mainly confined to Albania...

What the policy of the entente powers may be toward attempting the reorganization of Montenegro affairs has not yet been made clear.

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BIBLE STORY SCREENED AT M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH SUN. DAY NIGHT

IS INNOVATION HERE

Scenes From Life of Christ Are Shown in Films—1500 People Present

There is a new moving picture house in Wichita Falls. No flaming posters of Mary Toothpick or Charley Chitbain adorn its front, and no blaring sign heralds its presence.

The film last night was a thriller. No innocence is meant. There are several kinds of thrillers, and this was one of the other kind. The pastor declared the film story was the greatest story ever told and while he didn't say so, he'd probably endorse the statement that folks who have not been thrilled by it, ought to be.

It was at the M. E. Church, South which has just adapted this means of bringing the gospel to Wichita Falls. It seemed to be a fairly efficacious means, for there were close to five hundred people in the church. There were the usual opening exercises of song and prayer and offering, then the lights went out and the big auditorium was completely dark.

The picture was entitled "The Birth of Our Savior," presenting the scenes from the Annunciation to the flight into Egypt. Results were uncertain at first, there being some trouble in getting the film started going nicely and the hitch looked audible from the crowd.

There was shown the baptism of Christ in the Jordan, the sermon on the mount, the parable of the fig tree, the parable of the sower, the parable of the wheat and the tares, the parable of the speck and the log, the parable of the fig tree, the parable of the sower, the parable of the wheat and the tares, the parable of the speck and the log.

SEVERE PUNISHMENT

Of Mrs. Chappell, of Five Years' Standing, Relieved by Cardui.

Mt. Airy, N. C.—Mrs. Sarah M. Chappell of this town, says: "I suffered for five years with womanly troubles, also stomach troubles, and my punishment was more than any one could tell."

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before, "Behold I Bring You Tidings of Great Joy." He spoke of the significance of these tidings, the tremendous impact of them, and urged those who had not accepted these tidings to open their hearts to the Savior who had come to claim them without delay.

In other parts of the country, moving pictures are used extensively in church work, especially in the Sunday school where the lessons presented in this way are much more easily assimilated by the little folks.

It is planned to make moving pictures a regular feature of services at the M. E. Church, South.

LAYMEN OCCUPY PULPIT SUNDAY

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NICHOLAS OF MONTENEGRO FIGHTS ON DESPITE LOSS OF HIS CAPITAL



NICHOLAS OF MONTENEGRO Not daunted by the capture of Cetina, capital of Montenegro, the Montenegrin authorities officially declared a dispatch from Rome said that Montenegro was adhering to its terms to there to any separate proposal of peace or to any armistice with Austria.

OKLAHOMA 10 CENT FARE HEARING RESUMED

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of them being extra pay for faithful service, reading and smoking rooms and clubs for employes, night schools and the old age pension now granted by many companies.

C. W. Beavers of the Wichita Mill and Elevator was the last speaker his subject being the relation of the working man to the church and vocation. As the speaker viewed it man was put on earth by God to work if not in one way, in another.

The church is God's great labor union," Mr. Beavers said, "and the members of this union should work for each other and for the good of the organization. The man who works needs the church and the church needs the man who works."

The pastor, N. E. Crafton, announced a meeting of the men of the town called for next Sunday afternoon at the First Christian Church at 3:30.

The men of the First Presbyterian congregation have a missionary society organized and the men of the other churches are becoming interested so that a large attendance at the meeting next Sunday is anticipated.

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REPORT OF INSURANCE DEAL MEETS WITH PARTIAL DENIAL

The report which was made yesterday on the condition of the consolidation of the American National and Wichita Southern Life Insurance companies, met with a partial denial from Amarillo, president of the Wichita Southern company, stating that there has been no deal through at this end of the line.

The Amarillo News of Sunday says: "Other officers of the American National Life Insurance Company in this city declared that they have not been made acquainted with the close of any negotiations leading to such a consolidation."

"That the officers of the Wichita Southern Company have been consulting with the officers of the American National Life Insurance of Texas some deal whereby the inter-

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Not With Vain Tears,  
Not with vain tears when we're beyond the sun,  
We'll beat on the substantial doors,  
Not tread  
Those dusty high roads of the aimless dead,  
Plainly for Earth; but rather turn  
And run  
Down some close covered byway of the air,  
Some low sweet alley between wind and wind,  
Stoop under faint gleams, thread the shadows, find  
Some whispering ghost-forgotten nook and there  
Spend in pure converse, our eternal day;  
Think each in each, immediately wise;  
Learn all we lacked before; hear, know and say  
What this tumultuous body now denies;  
And feel, who have laid our groping hands away  
And see, no longer blinded by our eyes.  
—Rupert Brooke in Philadelphia Ledger.

# D. A. R. TO ENTERTAIN ON FEBRUARY 22

Plans for a patriotic entertainment on February 22 were made at a called meeting of the Daughters of the American Revolution held Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. M. L. Jackson. The reception will be held in the evening at the home of Dr. and Mrs. S. H. Burnside and the husbands of members will be honored guests. The committees on arrangements were appointed.

# MEETING OF SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS SATURDAY AFTERNOON

The girls in Mrs. Cowan's class of the First Christian Sunday school were most pleasantly entertained at the home of one of their members, Miss Lorena Thompson Saturday afternoon. Business matters were attended to in time for the enjoyment of games and other social pleasures there being several guests to enjoy the hospitality of Miss Thompson. Refreshments of sandwiches, hot chocolate and cake were served. The following guests and class members: Misses Leila Mae Lawler, Nellie Mae Mask, Louise Stevens, Elsie Cohen, Clea Mae Wilson, Lenora Thompson, Elizabeth Webb, Louise Hamlin, Maggie Peiz, Audrey Ferguson, Lilly Fowler, Sadie Tevis, Leoti Clark, Anna Miller and Lorette Miller.

# MRS. GARNER HOSTESS TO JUST SO CLUB

The regular social session of the Just So Club was held Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Walter Garner. The members "just sewed" and chatted for amusement and late in the afternoon the hostess invited them to enter the dining room where an appetizing luncheon course of oysters, potato chips, olives, sandwiches, coffee and nutmeg pie was served. Those present were: Mrs. Frank Smith, Misses Lulu Smith, Wilkes, Opal Shaver, Laura Martin, Adah Anderson, Hazel Jones, Ruth Downing and Virginia Andrews.

# PUPILS OF MISS SAMMONS IN RECITAL

Miss Florence Sammons presented six of her pupils in informal recital Saturday afternoon at her home having invited about 35 friends and relatives of the players as guests. At the beginning of the present year Miss Sammons made the announcement that two prizes would be given in June, one to the pupil who made the greatest improvement and one to the pupil doing the best recital work. The students in the recital Saturday were graded on their work: Mrs. Mark Walker, Mrs. John T. Roberts and Mrs. F. P. Carns, acting as judges. Herbert Zeigler received the highest grade for his recital work and Miss Sammons announced that thus far John Warner had shown the most general improvement. The program was heartily enjoyed by the guests and at its close the hostess, assisted by her mother, Mrs. J. M. Sammons, served a dainty refreshment course. The program of the afternoon follows: (a) The Sail Boat, (b) Moon and Stars, (Kern), (c) Fisher, (d) Miniature Waltz (Mrs. Crosby Adams), (e) Playing With Kitty, (Remard), (f) Dorothy Ziskind, (g) Waltz number 1, (Goodale), (h) Wood Waltz (C. H. Booth), (i) Dorothy Ziskind and Gay Gwynn; (a) Flower Song, (G. Lange), (b) Dance of the Marionettes, (Mrs. Crosby Adams), (c) Gay Gwynn; (a) Petite Valse, (Demmel), (b) The Mermaid, (Schytle), (c) John Warner, (d) Flying Doves, (John Warner and Lyle Goodale), (e) Melody in F, (Rubenstein), (f) Hungary, (Koeffling), Herbert Zeigler.

Miss Tula Stokes will entertain the Pathfinder Club in regular session Friday afternoon.

The B. O. P. Girls will meet Wednesday afternoon at 3.30 with Mrs. Luther Wilson at 1708 Bluff.

# HUMANE SOCIETY PLANS STATEWIDE CAMPAIGN

Austin, Texas, Jan. 24.—With the idea of enlarging the scope of the association's activities the Texas Bureau of Child and Animal Protection will soon employ a state organizer, who is to be continually on the road, forming humane societies and branches of the bureau. It is planned to have a branch in every city in the state. It is also planned to organize bands of mercy in the public schools. The organizer will have authority to appoint humane officers wherever needed.

# INTERESTING NOVELTIES ON FASHION'S SPRING COUNTERS

New York, Jan. 24.—Even the most skeptical among us must be thrilled and interested by the attractive novelties Fashion is now placing on her spring counters, and in her spring shops. For instance there are—the quaint bonnets which are being displayed at the moment, in our millinery departments, as a logical sequence of the modish gathered and flaring skirts.

Fluttering about one of these bonnets, a fascinating creation of garland and white gardenias, in one of our smart shops the other afternoon, was a quaintly smart little person, dressed all in gray. She wore one of the new faille suits, made with a rather close fitting coat flaring widely at the lower edge, combined with the most modern of old fashioned skirts. It was a veritable pull back, having all of the fullness drawn to the back and held by a tape fastened at the side seams—fitting as smoothly and plainly across the front as the narrowest of skirts did some seasons back. From belt to hem in back, the skirt was stiffened with haircloth, causing the fullness to fall in several outstanding folds. At the involuntary upward and downward glance she induced,

satin is most satisfactory. The fact that the underblouse may be changed and the frock so varied, makes its appeal to women who like a change now and then, but who cannot afford a great number of frocks.



Satin or taffeta blouses or jumpers with sleeves of a transparent or contrasting material are still being worn for afternoons and more dressy occasions, combined with skirts of taffeta, faille or satin.

# CHANCE OF GETTING INTO LEAGUE AGAIN

Fans Believe Team Here Would Pay If Close in Park Is Provided For Them

Local baseball fans are much interested in the proposed organization of a West Texas baseball league, mention of which was made in The Times Sunday, and it is expected that some action will be taken here within the near future.

Although baseball as provided by the Texas-Oklahoma League was a failure here, and was not a decided success in hardly any of the towns in the circuit, it is believed that a league organized on an economical basis could be profitably managed. The plans of the West Texas League are understood to include a brief training season, low salary limit, probably not over \$1000 and a 100 game schedule. On such a basis the expenses would be comparatively light.

If the league includes the cities mentioned there will be some long jumps, Wichita Falls and Amarillo being rather distant from the other towns. Amarillo, it is expected, will be left out, though this city could be included if sufficient interest were shown here.

Those interested in the matter here are willing to take the necessary steps upon one condition—that the park be close in; probably the old grounds east of the railroad track, five minutes' walk from the business section would please them best. The utility of trying to run a club with the park so far out, they say, has already been demonstrated, though the lake park would be favored for Sunday games.

The short training season would materially reduce the expense, and the low salary limit would enable all clubs to meet the payroll if any



one expected to see a pair of extremely high French heels on silver buckled slippers or a high-crowned, flower trimmed chapeau.

As the small person continued on her way from counter to counter the skirt swung in true, hoop-skirt fashion, which it must be admitted, was quite fascinating.

The Annual Sale of White. —At this season of the year, of course, one expects to find the shops veritable bowers of white; to find the most fascinating of cottons, suggested for summer frocks and to be charmed by the airy blouses, parasols and other articles designed, as it seems, for wear in Fairland itself. The white sale this year is considerably mixed with pink and the other soft tones which have been gradually coming into favor for underwears the last few seasons. There are the daintiest possible combinations—chemises, camisoles and the numerous other underthings which go so far toward the success of frock or suit. Silk and other soft cottons vie for favor with the more expensive Italian silk. All of these silks and cottons wash excellently and require no ironing. While the silk garments are at first a trifle expensive for the majority of purses, in the end they are economical; they fit so well, wear so well and are generally so entirely satisfactory.

The Vogue of White. —White will be quite as modish for skirt, suit and frock this season as it has been for the past summer or two. Serge, gaiter and broadcloth are smart for those who can afford more than one "white" frock or suit; but for the practical woman cotton corduroy in its various cords will be far more practical; it may be easily and effectively tubbed when soiled. These corduroys come in the pale pinks, blues, yellows, and similar tones for separate skirt, suit and sport coat or blouse.

Among the season's novelties in the house coat, it closely resembles the sport coat or blouse, and could in fact be used for the same purpose but it has been designed for house wear, to take the place, as it were, of the kimono, with the woman who does not care for, or who has not the time to indulge in the luxury of so complete a negligee as a kimono, or similar loose fitting house robe. These are being developed in the colored cotton corduroys and in like corded cottons. They are finished with wide collars, deep roomy pockets and are loosely belted. Combined with skirts of linen, duck, khaki or cotton corduroy, they are excellently suited to morning wear and the house.

Continued Popularity of the Jumper. —The jumper dress or blouse is one of the most satisfactory notions introduced for many seasons; instead of losing favor because of its general popularity, it is, on the contrary, becoming daily more in demand. For business, street and general daytime wear, the dark blue serge jumper frock combined with an underblouse of crepe de Chine, Georgette or black

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# WANTS ROBERTSON LAW SUBMITTED IN PRIMARY

Special to The Times. Huntsville, Texas, Jan. 24.—Judge W. L. Hill of this city has started a movement to have the repeal of the Robertson insurance law, which has for several years been a leading political issue in this state, submitted to the democrats of the state at the July primary, to determine public sentiment upon the question. Judge Hill's proposition has received considerable support. The state election law provides that a question may be made a platform demand by submission to the voters of the party in a primary, as was done in the case of statewide prohibition in 1907, 1910 and 1914. Measures for partial

repeal of the law failed of passage at the last session of the legislature.

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Wichita Falls, Tex., Jan. 24, 1916.

Young man, if you were twenty-one since January 1st, 1915, or will be twenty-one before the November election of 1916, get your exemption certificate from the Tax Collector before February 1st, or you will not be allowed to vote.

George von Meyer, ex-secretary of the navy, has come out in an article in the newspapers in which he says the present allotment of that department of the government is the lack of brains at the head of it, which causes the Dallas News to remark that the navy has improved considerably since the services of Mr. Meyer were dispensed with.

Paul Waples, chairman of the State Democratic Executive committee, has called for a meeting of that body at Dallas on Friday the 28th for the purpose of arranging the presidential primaries and the selection of delegates to the national convention.

If figures are not misleading and our navy as composed today is little better than a scrap heap, what has gone with the millions of government money appropriated for naval improvement during the past fifteen or twenty years? Those who have kept track of the amounts of money expended by this government and the governments of foreign countries during the past fifteen years, say the American government, if it had gotten value received for the money expended, would have a navy today second only to that of Great Britain. If that be true, then who got the money? It might also be well to remember that while this money was being doled out to the "graffers" the American government was being administered by the Republican party.

MAIN CAUSE OF IMMORALITY.

In a news item sent out by the Associated Press from Springfield, Ill., poverty is assigned as the main reason for immorality and a minimum wage scale for women and girls of \$3.50 per week urged by the Illinois Senate White Slave Investigating Commission. The reporter is convinced that the findings of the Commission are correct and we should be glad to see the various states of the Union pass laws naming \$3.00 per week as the minimum wage scale for women and girls. It is all wrong when a woman works nine hours for a less amount. The boasted civilization of the United States presents a shameful aspect when we really study the condition of the MAJORITY of our women and girls of the cities and towns of this country. In many instances it would have been a mercy to have killed them in infancy as the Chinese do in so many cases. Plain talk that, but no worse than it is for great business enterprises to work poor women and girls at salaries that drive them to lives of immorality and ruin. Rotten, three rotten, is the treatment recorded millions of the women of America. May the day come and that speedily when all the women and girls who must work will be paid enough to make it possible for them to live at home in reasonable comfort. Abilene Reporter.

That's just about the best editorial The Times has run across on that subject for sometime. There are some very big institutions in nearly every town or city that work women and

girls. Doubtless Abilene has some of them, and in a great many cases these women and girls do not receive sufficient wages to pay their room and board at a second or third class rooming and boarding house. The shame of it is that these institutions are well patronized, probably for the reason that they pay little or nothing for their help and can afford to undersell other concerns that handle the same line of goods. The Times has a strong suspicion that there are some institutions of that kind doing a thriving business right here in Wichita Falls. If the people who patronize them do not approve of such methods they should refuse to encourage it by giving their patronage. That is the proper test. The fact is, however, that people who can cry out the loudest against such abuses are, generally speaking, the people who seek out such places and make their purchases simply because they can save a few cents.

SOME SUGGESTIONS FOR 1916.

Editor The Times: I noticed some time ago in your splendid paper that you invited suggestions on to what would be the best interest to Wichita Falls for the year 1916. I will offer a few suggestions at long range. I am not now a citizen of your city but may be in the near future and I feel a great interest in the development of Wichita Falls, for I have some property there, also many friends, and it seems to me that one of the most important things for Wichita Falls to do, is to take the necessary steps to prevent the Wichita river from washing Wichita Falls away, for there might be some danger of losing that fine court house that you have just voted bonds to build. But it is like the leaky house when the river is up you can't fix it and when it goes down you forget it.

And another very important thing, as I see it, would be for the progressive citizens of Wichita Falls to get busy and endeavor to locate a supply of natural gas, to be drawn on when the Petrolia gas field has been exhausted.

I will further suggest that steps be taken to prevent the Board of Supervisors of Wichita County from raising property valuations to a point higher than property can be sold for on payments after the owner of the property has placed on it a full cash value. After rendering my assessment last year I received notice, I think it was from the county judge, to appear at a certain date before the board of county commissioners and show cause why certain lots on the north side of the Wichita river should not be raised \$500. I wrote the gentleman that if he would sell the property or get any one else to sell it for the values they had put on it, I would pay 5% commission on the full amount of the sale. I heard no more about this matter until I paid my taxes a few days ago. I found that this raise was permitted, and it is actually more than the property is actually worth, and \$500 more than I pay taxes on to the city.

Hoping that 1916 may be the most prosperous year that Wichita Falls has ever experienced. I am yours respectfully, R. H. SUTER, Stuttgart, Ark., Jan. 22, 1916.

THE CRIMINAL INSANE.

About two months ago the New York police department, aroused to action by the example set in Chicago, began experiments with a mental responsibility of prisoners brought to the police stations. It was found that 5 per cent of those prisoners should not be held responsible for their lawlessness. This means that every day about 20 mental defectives are in the police courts of New York City. The mind is, after all, but barren soil. It is a soil soor exhausted and will produce no crop, or only one, unless it be continually fertilized and enriched with foreign matter. Most mental defectives are born such, others lose their grasp on the mind because of continuous brooding and because of lack of diversity of thoughts. The best way to prove the clearness of the human mind is by showing its faults. Those who are insane usually reason correctly, but they invariably reason from a false assumption and on wrong principles. They grasp one idea, cling to it,

worship it and pet it as a mother her little son.

With the criminal insane in most instances they are totally irresponsible. Some are classed as imbeciles, but others possess that shrewdness of the insane, are obviously with some vicious ideal which invariably terminates in crime.

The difference between an insane man and a fool, according to Locke, is that a fool from right principles draws a just inference from false conclusions. The most significant feature of the New York investigation is this: It was not until after a crime had been committed did the police discover the defendant irresponsible and one of the criminal insane.

Prior to this time these unfortunates were looked upon as harmless and incapable of crime. This might have been the thought at the time. Only God knows when the brain will succumb to some sudden shock. Then crime is committed. The defendant arraigned is shown to be insane and usually ordered locked up. This, however, does not undo the crime.

When the tender and super-sensitive fibers of the brain give way thoughts become wild and wide. For instance, one old man was arrested for killing a clerk in a cigar store, where he used to buy cigarettes. Upon examination he was found to have the mind of a youth of 10, fretful and, like most youths, quick to arouse to anger. He had no mental faculties. This fact had been known for years, but it did not become a matter of record until the murder was brought into court. He is now incarcerated at Mattawan penitentiary for the criminal insane.

If Chicago and New York, two of the largest cities in this country, have been all this time finding out the folly of discovering the criminal insane after a crime has been committed, and after the expenditure of great sums of money for perfecting their police systems, what about smaller cities? There is one point to be considered, knowing the conditions of society, having them corroborated by systematic investigation, how long are the people of the community of any city going to be left a prey to the harmless insane? Memphis, (Tenn.) Commercial Appeal.

One of Major General Wood's statements as showing how the United States was subject to coastal invasion pointed to the fact that the enemy allies, in the face of submarines, mines and barbed wire entanglements, landed 126,000 men on Gallipoli in one expedition. General Wood's argument, it seems to us, is important, for we recall the circumstance correctly, most of the time of the 126,000 men and their leaders was spent thereafter in studying some plan to get away. General Wood is an advocate of universal military service, but he did not mention the fact that Germany with millions of trained men hasn't been able as yet to invade England, only a few miles away compared with the 2,000 miles across the Atlantic, and in all probabilities never will be able to invade England as long as the British navy is in being. An American navy capable of coping with any navy likely to attack us, would be guarantee against invasion of the United States, with a reasonable army along the line of the President's coast or even lower. We have long been a believer in building up a powerful navy to rank with the best, but we don't believe there will ever come a time in this democratic country when there will be anything even approaching universal service unless this country is actually engaged in war, when universal service might be necessary and when it should be demanded. Denton Record-Chronicle.

WANTS BOXING MATCHES PROHIBITED.

The Times: We want to congratulate Councilman John W. Bradley, up on his declaration that he expects to ask the city council to pass an ordinance prohibiting boxing matches in Wichita Falls. The influences and surroundings of such exhibitions as are given here (judging from the newspaper reports alone) are bad for the morals of the city, especially among the young men, and the city council could do no better thing than summarily putting a stop to them. Hurrah for John W. Bradley. If you are opposed to these fist encounters, tell him and the other members of the council so, and ask that they be prohibited by ordinance. W. J. BULLOCK.

MEDICAL SOCIETY TO MEET HERE NEXT

Panhands Physicians Select This City—Dr. Lee is Elected Vice President

The next meeting of the Panhands Medical Society will be held in Wichita Falls next summer, this city being selected at the mid winter meeting of the association held at Quanah last week. Dr. Q. B. Lee of this city was elected first vice president of the association. Wichita Falls has entertained this medical organization a number of times in the past. Several physicians from Wichita county attended the meeting among them being Doctors J. E. Daniel, Wade Walker, Q. B. Lee, C. R. Hartsook, J. T. Traylor of Wichita Falls, Lee Clark of Iowa Park, W. Ogden of Electra.

DALLAS WANTS \$2,225,000 FOR POSTOFFICE BUILDING

Special to The Times: Dallas, Texas, January 24.—The sum of \$2,000,000 would be spent for a new postoffice building here, and \$225,000 would be spent to acquire a site and erect a building for a service and substation near the new union station, if a bill just introduced at Washington by Congressman Hatton W. Summers were passed. The government already has a site for a postoffice here, but ample provision for a new building has not been made, and the present structure has become inadequate.

REPORT ON THIS CITY'S FACTORIES

CENSUS BUREAU MAKES PUBLIC STATISTICS ON LOCAL INDUSTRIES

SEVERAL OMITTED

Only Those in City Limits Covered. Comparison With Cleburne and Abilene

Statistics compiled by the bureau of census upon the factories in Wichita Falls have been received here, and while the figures do not include several important industries located outside the city limits, they amply support this city's claim to prestige as a manufacturing center. A summary of the report was published in The Times several weeks ago, the complete report not being available then.

Similar reports have been received from other Texas cities, including Austin, Abilene and Cleburne. The factories of the capital city are more numerous than those of Wichita Falls and employ a larger number of men. Austin's population in 1915 is estimated at 33,000, Cleburne's at 12,000, Abilene's at 14,000 and Wichita Falls at 11,000. The reports show this city to be of considerably more importance as a manufacturing center than either Cleburne or Abilene, although the glass factories and the automobile factory are not included in the statistics for Wichita Falls.

The report for Wichita Falls, and the summaries of the reports of Austin, Abilene and Cleburne, follow: "A preliminary statement of the general results of the census of manufactures for the city of Wichita Falls, Tex., has been issued by Director Sam L. Rogers, of the Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce. It was prepared under the direction of Mr. William M. Stuart, chief statistician for manufactures.

"The figures are preliminary and subject to such change and correction as may be found necessary from a further examination of the original reports.

"The census excluded the land trades, the building trades, and the neighborhood industries, and took account only of the establishments conducted under the factory system. Statistics were not collected for establishments having products for the census year valued at less than \$500, except that reports were taken for establishments idle during a portion of the census year, or which began operation during that year, and whose products for such reason were valued at less than \$500.

"The word 'establishment' as used in the census reports may mean more than one mill or plant, provided they are owned or controlled and operated by a single individual, partnership, corporation, or other owner or operator, and are located in the same town or city.

"The reports were taken from the calendar year ending December 31, 1914, wherever the system of book-keeping permitted figures for that period to be secured, but when the fiscal year of an establishment differed from the calendar year a report was obtained for the operations of that establishment for its fiscal year falling most largely within the calendar year, 1914.

"It is estimated that the population of Wichita Falls on July 1, 1914, was 11,000. There were 31 establishments reported within the corporate limits of the city during 1914.

"The capital invested was \$2,257,000. In this connection it should be stated that the inquiry contained in the census schedule calls for the total amount of capital, both owned and borrowed, invested in the business, but excludes the value of rented property, plant, or equipment which was employed in the conduct of manufacturing enterprises. In the final bulletins and reports the rental paid for such property will be shown separately.

"The cost of materials used, in addition to the component materials which enter into the products of the establishment for the census year includes the cost of fuel, mill supplies, and rent of power and heat. The cost of materials, however, does not include unworked materials and supplies bought in a subsequent period. The total cost of material used during the year amounted to \$1,872,000.

"The census inquiry does not include amounts paid for miscellaneous expenses, such as rent of office, royalties, insurance, ordinary repairs, advertising, traveling expenses, or allowance for depreciation.

"The value of products, which amounted to \$2,573,000, represents their selling value or price at the plants as actually turned out by the factories during the census year and does not necessarily have any relation to the amount of sales for that year. The values under this head also include amounts received for work done on materials furnished by others."

Summary for Wichita Falls. Number of establishments 31. Persons engaged in manufactures 502. Proprietors and firm members 1,037. Salaried employees 129. Wage earners (average number) 886. Primary horsepower 1,541. Capital invested \$2,257,000. Services \$2,257,000. Salaries 138,000. Wages 654,000. Materials 1,359,000. Value of products 2,246,000. Summary for Austin. Number of establishments 115. Persons engaged in manufactures 1,184. Proprietors and firm members 121. Wage earners (average number) 891. Salaried employees 172. Primary horsepower 5,165. Capital invested \$2,959,000. Services 809,000. Salaries 198,000. Wages 611,000. Materials 1,714,000. Value of products 3,372,000. Value added by manufacture (value of products less cost of materials) 1,658,000.

Clean Sweep in Our Shoe Dept. Mr. Pennington, buyer for P. H. Pennington Company, leaves tonight for the Eastern markets to buy, along with other lines, a complete line of shoes for the whole family. One lot of Ladies' Shoes, sizes to 6 1/2, in tan, black and white, values up to \$4.00, choice 98c. One lot of Ladies' Shoes, good quality and styles, in all leathers, black and tan, values up to \$4, choice \$1.48. Red Cross Shoe One lot of our famous Red Cross Shoes, in Ladies, patent, vici and dull kid, all sizes, good styles, \$4.50 values, choice only \$3.48. Special for Monday and Tuesday Ladies' Middies in galitea, plain white and fancy red and blue collars, \$1.25 values, only 89c. Pennington's WICHITA FALLS 812-814 Ohio Avenue. Wichita Falls, Texas.

"SNAPPED" AT SAME TIME, LITTLE LADS SHOW EXTREMES OF OUR WEATHER. On the left in the picture is little Alfredo von Kliesen, member of Mrs. Calvert's outdoor kindergarten in Corningside park, New York city, probably the only kindergarten in the world conducted all the year round in the open air. The young chap at the right is Michael Phipps, emerging from the surf at Palm Beach. The two pictures were made about the same time. On the left in the picture is little Alfredo von Kliesen, member of Mrs. Calvert's outdoor kindergarten in Corningside park, New York city, probably the only kindergarten in the world conducted all the year round in the open air. The young chap at the right is Michael Phipps, emerging from the surf at Palm Beach. The two pictures were made about the same time. Three complaints charging swindling have been filed in the county court against F. F. Fleming. One charges the cashing of a draft for \$10 on a Chillicothe bank by J. F. Riggs. The two other complaints charge the passing of checks to the Jones-Kennedy Company and to J. C. Keuhn. The check cashed at the Jones-Kennedy store was for \$4.40 and the check cashed by J. C. Keuhn was for \$4.60. Fleming, represented that he had funds in the Chillicothe bank to meet the check. It has been learned that he did not have an account with the bank on which the checks and the draft were drawn. Fleming told Constable Allen this morning that he had been drinking when he gave the checks and drew the draft.

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## SUBMARINE MAY HAVE BEEN TURK

MYSTERY REGARDING SINKING OF PERIA HAS POSSIBLE SOLUTION.

### NO OFFICIAL REPORT

Some Dispatches Say Turkey Will Acknowledge Responsibility for Disaster.

By Associated Press. Washington, Jan. 24.—Unofficial dispatches from abroad indicating Turkey might acknowledge one of her submarines sank the British liner Persia promised to revive diplomatic features of that disaster. There is yet no indication of what turn the case will take, in the light of the latest information.

None of the Teutonic allies except Germany and Austria has been included in the American government's correspondence on submarine warfare.

It was indicated today that any inquiry which might be directed to Turkey would not be sent until after Vienna has been heard from.

## EXPLOSION KILLS 15 WORKMEN AT BUFFALO TODAY

By Associated Press. Buffalo, January 24.—Fifteen workmen were killed and as many more probably fatally injured today in an explosion at the plant of the Kelker Blower company.

## MAY SURVIVE AFTER 16 STORY PLUNGE

Young Chicago Woman Hits Truck Load of Paper Boxes After Long Fall.

By Associated Press. Chicago, Jan. 24.—Miss Minnie D. Werner, aged 24, a stenographer, plunged from the sixteenth floor of a downtown office building today, but her fall was broken by a formidable truck loaded with paper boxes and she escaped instant death. Her skull is fractured, however, and she sustained probably fatal injuries, physicians say.

## RAILROAD TRAFFIC IN WEST STILL IMPEDED

By Associated Press. San Francisco, Jan. 24.—Flood and weather conditions throughout the Pacific coast region today impeded railroad traffic seriously. Heavy snow fall and landslides and washouts caused trouble on state and transcontinental lines. A sudden cold snap struck the Northwest last night causing rapid changes in temperature. At Great Falls, Montana, the temperature changed from 30 above to four degrees below zero, within 39 minutes.

## RED RIVER RISE CAUSES MUCH DAGAME IN ARKANSAS

By Associated Press. Texarkana, Ark., Jan. 24.—Hundreds of acres of farm lands in Miller and Lafayette counties, Arkansas are under water today as a result of a rise in Red River.

## Municipal Bat Roost To Be Put To A Test

By Associated Press. San Antonio, Texas, January 24.—An army of mosquito-eating bats, several thousand strong, will be turned loose in San Antonio next month. If, as has been predicted for it, the army succeeds in crippling seriously the activities of the germ-laden mosquito population, many other cities may follow San Antonio's example and establish their "municipal bat roosts." Dr. C. A. Campbell, who has made a special study of bats, is responsible for San Antonio's bat roost. The institution came into existence last spring. It was not a success in its first year owing to the fact that it was established late in the spring, and its population was not numerous enough. This spring there is a large army of bats on hand and it is expected to get an early start.

Dr. Campbell says that one bat in the course of a single day will eat one thousand mosquitoes. He expects the number of mosquitoes to be reduced and that by the end of the summer the pestiferous insects will be almost, if not entirely, missing from this locality.

The flight of the bats will begin about February 15 and from then until April 30 they will fly about all night long, trailing and devouring mosquitoes. Dr. Campbell says that the more malaria, typhoid and other germs a mosquito carries, the better the bat relishes it. After April 15 the bats grow less hungry and more sleepy. By the end of July their flight totals only about two hours. Soon thereafter the season of baby bats arrives.

A neighboring city having written to Dr. Campbell asking him to get rid of mosquitoes, he replied: "Send bats." Then he got another letter inquiring: "But when you've got rid of the mosquitoes how do you get rid of the bats?"

## SURRENDERS, SAYING HE IS DESERTER FROM NAVY

Tom J. Couch, who claimed to be a deserter from the U. S. naval training station at San Francisco, walked into the police station this morning and announced that he wanted to give himself up. He was locked up while the officers started to learn whether the navy department wanted him back. Several months ago it was announced by the head of the navy that no expense would be incurred in getting deserters back into the navy. The reason given was that a man who deserted wasn't fit to be in the navy.

## JURY IN GEORGETOWN MURDER CASE DISCHARGED

By Associated Press. Georgetown, Texas, January 24.—The jury trying Dr. E. B. Taylor on a charge of murder in connection with the killing of E. S. Burcison, was discharged today, having reported by the court they were unable to reach an agreement. The case came here on a change of venue from Travis county. The jury had been out since Saturday evening.

## MUST HAVE AT LEAST \$50 BEFORE ENTERING MEXICO

Galveston, Texas, January 24.—The Mexican consulate here was notified today that General Carranza had promulgated a decree requiring all persons entering Mexico to have at least \$50 in their possession. This will apply to all foreigners entering the country by boat or along the border.

## SCARY STORY IS FOUND BASELESS

SAID EMPLACEMENTS BUILT FOR GUNS TO FIRE ON NEW YORK.

### INVESTIGATION MADE

Government Agents Make Inquiry and Find Nothing to Verify the Suspicions.

By Associated Press. New York, Jan. 24.—Complaint that concrete emplacements for siege guns have been erected in more than a score of places threatening the defenses of New York harbor, Long Island sound and the Hudson river have been investigated by government agents within the last six months. In no instances were the suspicions verified. Investigators were able to discover at one point only a shallow concrete surface for a tennis court.

## Local News Brevities

Dr. Frothro, Dentist, Ward Building, 60-1tc

Miss Amy Dwight who was operated on some time ago for appendicitis has entirely recovered and has resumed her position as cashier at the Lydia Margaret.

714 Wall Street, rear of Palace Drug store, where all kinds of battery work and auto-repairing is done. Phone 2169. Wall Street Auto Machine Co., Shuler & Wallace, Props. 64-1tc

Wichita Falls Undertaking Co., 812 Scott avenue. Phone 202. Prompt ambulance service. Command us. 18-1tc

Heck Baay, the pioneer negro cowman, has been here for the past two weeks at the home of his son, while sick with the grippe. He is now able to be up and expects to return to the ranch within the next few weeks.

Knights of Pythias meet at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday. Initiatory work, rank of Knight. Each senator and every member requested to be present. 218-3tc. A. C. WILSON, C. C.

Southland line street cars were running through today, the Lamar avenue paving having progressed sufficiently for traffic to be resumed and the disagreeable transfer system has been discontinued.

Cut Flowers and floral designs—Donnelly Floral Co., 1011 Tyler; telephone 957. 201-1tc

Dr. Scharff, Osteopath, K. & K. Bldg. Marriage licenses have been issued as follows: John H. Grubbs to Miss Edith Walkup; George Rice to Miss Maud Green.

E. G. Hill, undertaker, office and parlors 906 Scott Ave. Phone 225. Prompt ambulance service. 92-1tc

Gerald Pond was operated upon last night at a local hospital, for intestinal trouble. He was reported today to be somewhat improved but is not out of danger.

For deeds to lots in Riverside Cemetery see O. W. Hines, manager Wichita Falls Undertaking Company, 212-1tc.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Kimbrough who live three miles east of town are the parents of a ten and half pound boy who arrived Sunday morning.

L. A. Childs the gas man, phone 584, 1009 9th St. 295-29tc

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## DECISION HOLDS INCOME TAX AS CONSTITUTIONAL

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that it discriminated against corporations in favor of corporations. John H. Shaheen, stockholder of the Baltic Mining Co. in the Massachusetts federal courts, to enjoin the company and others from paying the tax, largely because of the 5 per cent annual deduction from income allowed mining companies for ore depletion.

Three Realty Company, in the New York federal court, to enjoin the collector of internal revenue.

Edwin Thorne, in the New York federal court, to enjoin the collector largely on the ground that the additional or surtax imposed on incomes over \$20,000 was unconstitutional.

In each instance the lower court held the tax constitutional, and the case was brought to the supreme court on appeal. The cases were advanced for early hearing and were submitted to the court for decision on October 15, 1915, twenty years after the first great income tax decisions.

## PAPPAS ARRIVES FOR FRIDAY'S BOUT

Expects to Make Much Better Show-Ing Against Burns In Coming Contest.

Jimmy Pappas, the Greek bantam weight who is to meet Bobby Burns of Dallas before the Business Men's Athletic Club next Friday night, arrived here yesterday and will be working out daily at the club.

Pappas and Burns fought at Fort Worth a week ago, and while Burns received the decision, Wichitans who witnessed the bout declare that he had very little, if anything, upon Pappas, although the latter fought after making the long jump from Atlanta. They believe that the Greek will give a much better account of himself Friday night.

Pappas is a smaller man than Burns, who weighs 114. Pappas has fought in the fly weight class, 112 pounds, and is said to have taken care of all comers in that division. He was received yesterday with much acclaim by members of the local Greek colony. There are several Greeks here named Pappas, which is about as common a name in Greece as Smith is in the United States.

## WEEK REMAINS FOR POLL TAX PAYMENTS

Efforts Being Made to See That Present Rate of Gain is Maintained

With just one week remaining in which to pay poll taxes for 1915, efforts are being made to see that the substantial lead over 1914 which early payments have made, is maintained. If the present increase is kept up for the remaining days, this county will have a voting strength of close to 4000 counting both polls and exemptions.

Last year Wichita county was one of less than half a dozen counties in Texas that registered a poll tax gain over the preceding year. There were no important elections scheduled for last year and in most of the counties there was a falling off, which enables them to register a bigger increase this year than they otherwise would. However, it is believed that Wichita county will be able to hold her own in the matter of gain this year.

Appeals, both personal and by letter, are being made this week to those assessable for poll taxes. The receipts issued to date show a substantial gain over the figures for the same time last year, and efforts are being made to see that the gain is kept up by the late payments.

## BEING TRIED FOR ATTACK ON DEPUTY

There Came Near Being No Trial, According to State Witness.

J. W. Whitworth was being tried before a jury in the county court today on a charge of assault. Whitworth is charged with an assault on Deputy Sheriff Jernigan. The latter was placed on the stand and testified that as Whitworth advanced toward him that the latter put his hand in his pocket as if to draw a knife.

"Did he draw a knife?" Mr. Jernigan was asked on cross examination. "No, if he had this case would not be in this court?" Mr. Jernigan replied.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT ELECTS OFFICERS

J. C. Ward Again President—New Truck is Expected This Week.

The Wichita Falls fire department at its annual meeting re-elected all the old officers: J. C. Ward, president; E. B. McClure, vice-president; J. L. McClure, chief; Fred Smith, assistant chief; Grover Habern, secretary and treasurer.

The purchase of a victrola with the funds of the company for the fire hall was authorized. Nine new slickers for the volunteer firemen were also ordered purchased.

The new ladder truck is expected to arrive the latter part of the week. The downtown fire station is now being remodeled for the accommodation of this truck.

## VILLA PREPARING FOR NEW CAMPAIGN

Said to Be Gathering Forces and Provisions for Extensive Movement.

By Associated Press. El Paso, Texas, Jan. 24.—Arrivals from Madera Chihuahua today reported Gen. Francisco Villa was at Santa Anna on the Babricora ranch. The Hearst property making preparations for an extensive campaign. It was said he had gathered 1900 men and had taken 500 colts from the ranch and was killing 250 head of cattle daily and drying the flesh for provisions.

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## Sports Of All Sorts

The proposed bout between Willard and Frank Moran is of unusual interest in that it brings to near up on the heavyweight title several angles which are unusual in ring contests wherein this title has been involved. Under the laws of the state of New York the boxers will meet in what is termed a ten-round sporting exhibition without decision and if both men are on their feet at the expiration of thirty minutes of boxing future ring records will carry the bout as a no-decision contest. Consequently the only way in which the heavyweight championship could pass from Willard, the holder, to Moran would be for the latter to knock out his opponent or win on a foul so deliberate that there could be no question as to its intent. It can be seen therefore that the chief interest in the contest hinges on the probability of either Willard or Moran knocking out his opponent and thus demonstrating decisive supremacy.

Since the days when heavyweights first donned gloves and fought under Queensberry rules the ring records show that knockouts in bouts in which champions have participated have averaged over ten rounds notwithstanding that the list includes such powerful hitters as Jeffries, Fitzsimmons, Charkey, Johnson and Sullivan. Going back to the year 1882 when Corbett won from Sullivan in 21 rounds the tables show that seven heavyweight title holders fought eighteen battles in which the championship was at stake. These contests included those in which the battles terminated in a knockout or a referee's decision. All told 242 rounds were fought and the average rounds to a knockout was approximately 13 1/2. In this list of ring battles are included several in which poor opponents were quickly disposed of, such as the Jeffries-Munroe and Burns-Spadres bouts. When the list is pruned to those in which the title actually passed, the average is still higher. From the Boston Corbett dissection of Sullivan until Willard punched Johnson into the ex-champion's class seven title

holders rose and fell and the total number of rounds necessary in the change of championships was 118 which gives an average of very close to seventeen rounds per title battle. From these figures it will be seen that the chances of a knockout in the ten round bout between Willard and Moran are against such a feat. The records of the boxers themselves when taken in connection with the performance of the prospective opponent would appear to be against the scoring of a knockout inside ten rounds. Moran has fought 42 bouts winning nineteen—or about 45 per cent by knockouts and the average duration of bouts ending in a knockout was five rounds.

Reports that the National Baseball Commission will be dissolved are denied vehemently by the magnates. The denial was hardly necessary since the need of a general governing body in baseball was never greater than at present.

Discipline is likely to be the watchword of the Boston Nationals under the direction of the new president, Percy D. Haughton during the coming season. Haughton, a Harvard baseball and football player and later coach of the eleven has always been a strong advocate of strict discipline to training rules, instruction and the playing code of whatever game he was interested in. While it is not to be expected that Haughton will insist that the players of the Boston Braves will be held to the same degree of accountability that prevails in college football circles, it is certain that the new president of the club will insist upon an observance of all the rules recently laid down by former president Gaffney in his letter to the players and may even go farther. With Haughton as president and George Stallings as manager it would appear as though the players of the Boston club will have a business proposition in 1916 or learn that a new regime prevails in the game.

## AT THE THEATERS

### GEORGIA MINSTRELS AT WICHITA THEATRE TONIGHT

Concerning the Georgia Minstrels, tonight's attraction at the Wichita Theatre an advance notice says: "One swallow does not make a summer, neither does one comedian make a minstrel show."

Managers of the old school used to contend that one real actor and fifteen or sixteen sticks-and-a-bird-ten pieces (it was often eight) was sufficient for a minstrel show, and that the public would accept them. History proves the truth of their contention; for the public did accept such organizations; whether or not the public were satisfied is a question open to argument.

But there have been vast changes in the last few years. The day of the one man show is over. The public demand a company of uniform excellence.

Mistakes are to the wise man but stepping stones to success. The management of Richard's Famous Georgia Minstrels were the first to realize that if minstrelsy was to thrive and flourish radical and important changes were necessary. Such changes called for the outlay of a considerable fortune, but time and results have testified to the truth of their conviction. This company stands today the acknowledged leader in this branch of the amusement business, and no well informed student of the stage will challenge this statement. They travel in their own palace cars and number thirty people—twelve comedians of real reputation vie with each other in the fun making. There are twelve trained singers, a double sextette of nimble dancers, seven big vaudeville acts and a band of seventeen pieces that is the best ever.

The Empress. "The Yankee Girl" a picturization of the famous success of the legitimate stage, is showing today at the Empress.

Blanche Ring is wearing some stunning frocks in the new Oliver Morosco motion picture "The Yankee

Girl." While Pasadena folk present during the Hotel Huntington scenes seemed much enthused when she appeared in her smart riding togs, and devotees of the surf at Santa Monica thought her a dream in her bathing suit, yet it is the three evening gowns she uses in the play that deserve the real praise. One worn on the yacht is all cream satin and heavy deep fringes of crystal; another is of cream Chantilly lace combined with satin and white primrose; while a third is of rare Italian lace with chic touches of sapphire velvet. With these stunning creations Miss Ring wears her famous pearls and her equally celebrated Canary diamond pendant. She makes "The Yankee Girl" quite a fashion carnival.

### COMMENT FROM DALLAS ON "BRINGING UP FATHER"

"Bringing Up Father" the musical comedy which is to be at the Wichita Theatre on Tuesday night, is commented upon as follows by the Dallas News of Sunday:

"Bringing Up Father" the cartoon drama taken from the humorous drawings of George McManus, was offered to a much amused audience at the Dallas Opera House last night by a Gus Hill company.

The Hibernal witticisms of Mr. Jiggs Mahoney and his masterful wife, Mrs. Mahoney, each of whom has become famous from syndicated depictions of the cartoonist, are irresistibly mirth provoking. Mr. Jiggs according to the artist's conception is a 60 year old Irishman who has grown rich at contracting and is being taught the social conventions of the polite society into which Mrs. Jiggs and their beautiful daughter have moved. Mr. Jiggs, though constantly traveling to outside, is ready for a fistic encounter at a moment's notice, is exceedingly amenable to all the rules and regulations laid down by his wife. She, herself, struggles ardently to master the finer points of society decorum, but discards many of the old-fashioned ideas she and her husband are much derided by suitors for their daughter's hand, and their troubles are what make the show.

Of course there is more to the performance, however, than the voluble comedy of the parental Mahoneys. The first chapter is containing a house party of some lady friends and these and the visiting suitors, and later and later, put on considerable song and dance. It is in fact quite a neat little musical comedy aside from the main incidents.

The Gem. Maria Sola is the leading lady in the four part Kalein drama, "The Pitfall" which is on the Gem program today. A comedy completes the program.

The Majestic. Theda Bara in "Carmen" is the attraction at the Majestic today. This is a return engagement of this famous picture. The story of "Carmen" is one familiar to the public and the fact that Miss Bara is the star makes the picture one of the greatest interest.

The Lydia Margaret. The Primrose Path a multiple reel Universal Special at the Lydia Margaret today will present to local motion picture enthusiasts a new story in the person of Gladys Hanson. The picture is marked for its splendid photography and its excellence of theme.

Gladys Hanson, like so many other beautiful women of the stage, is a Southerner. She was born and bred in Atlanta, Ga., where she family still resides, and where she spends her summers in the beautiful Piedmont Ridge section. Miss Hanson's parents were opposed to her being on the stage but they are reconciled to it now and are proud of their daughter, as they have a perfect right to be. Her sister spends a part of their time with her in her attractive apartment in New York City, which through necessity is her residence the greater part of the time.

It was due to the two years which she spent in New York as a finishing touch to her education and for the purpose of perfecting herself in French and music that she got the



KARL NEUFELD

It is reported that a prominent part in the attempt made by the enemy to influence Mohammedan sentiment against the allies has been played by Karl Neufeld, the well-known German eastern trader and traveler. Neufeld is indebted for his life to Lord Kitchener and the British troops, who under his command, overthrew the khafia at Omdurman in September 1898, say the British. Neufeld is alleged to have returned eventually to Berlin with a mass of secret information and a flask of miraculous water, which Arab admirers had sent to Field Marshal von Hildebrand as a curative for his gout. The "miraculous water" referred to is probably water from the famous well Zem-Zem at Mecca, which is held locally to be of miraculous origin.



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idea of going on the stage. Though she had never attended a dramatic school or received any instruction in theatricals in any way, Daniel Frohman was greatly impressed with her qualifications for stage work and gave her a small part in "The Spoletz." Three weeks later she was playing leads with E. H. Sothern.

## NEGRO MITCHELL IS NOW ON TRIAL

Is Charged With Killing August Harris—Jury is Now Being Selected

A jury was being empanelled in the 30th district court this afternoon for the trial of Monte Mitchell, a negro, charged with murder in connection with the killing of August Harris, another negro, on Christmas day. It was expected that the jury would be completed this afternoon. Mitchell shot Harris in a cafe patronized by negroes. A ten shot automatic revolver was used and Harris was shot five or six times. Just a few days before the killing of Harris a complaint had been filed against Mitchell charging him with

## MEXICAN MURDER TRIAL AT CORPUS CHRISTI TODAY

By Associated Press. Corpus Christi, Jan. 24.—The trial of Joe Acebo, charged with the murder of T. Perez, Mexican, was set for trial in district court here today. Acebo was one of the central figures in the trial of Judge Timon and associates in federal court here last September during which he gave testimony which resulted in his being indicted for perjury in the federal court a few days after. According to government attorneys, Acebo repudiated his grand jury testimony when he was placed on the stand during the trial. For the murder charge a special venire of 210 men has been summoned, as prospective jurors, but it is believed in court circles that the case may be tried in another county on a change of venue. Acebo was one of the original 42 men indicted in federal court for alleged election conspiracies. Acebo never went to trial, as his name was dropped from the indictment a few days before court opened.



Manzie Campbell, comedian with Richard's Famous Minstrels—Wichita Theater, Monday January 24.



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FOR SALE OR TRADE—6-room house, close in. Box 385, city. 219-4fc

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FOR SALE—The furniture of a 11-room boarding house, all modern, close in, 810 6th street. Also one electric piano. Either at a bargain. Phone 209. 96fc
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INTERESTING MEETING OF VETERANS SUNDAY
Although the attendance was small N. B. Forrest Camp of Confederate Veterans enjoyed a very interesting meeting at the court house Sunday afternoon. The meeting was one postponed from the previous Sunday. It was decided at this meeting to hold meetings only on the regular Sundays for meetings, the first and third Sundays of each month. Interesting reminiscences of the war were related at Sunday afternoon's meeting by John Woodhouse, George Simmons and W. J. Howard.

Chickens, Eggs and Pet Stock

FOR SALE—Extra fine, prize winning Buff Orpington cockerels and pens. Mrs. M. D. Overfelt, 293 Scott. 218-3tp
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FORT WORTH DANCE HALLS ARE RECEIVING ATTENTION

By Associated Press. Fort Worth, Jan. 24.—Municipal supervision of all public dance halls is proposed in an ordinance which social betterment workers are urging the city commission to adopt. It has been suggested that the work of supervision might be left to members of the board of moving picture censors. Some of the provisions desired in the ordinance are limiting the age of girls who can enter dance halls, and to prohibit liquor being taken into these places.

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Notices

Notice of Dissolution of Partnership. The partnership of Schnell & Weaver is this day dissolved; all bill due the company are payable to Lloyd Weaver and no new bills are to be incurred in the name of the firm. FRANK SCHNELL, LLOYD WEAVER, Wichita Falls, Tex., Jan. 24, 1916. 217-3tc

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Yesterday's sunshine and bright atmosphere brought out many auto mobiles which have been in the garages most of the time for the past few weeks, and the paved streets were lined with an almost continual procession of machines. Conditions were too tempting for some and this morning five speeding complaints were on the docket in the city court.

NO CASES IN 78TH DISTRICT COURT UNTIL THURSDAY

None of the cases on the calendar of the 78th district court for today were ready for trial when they were called by Judge Nicholson this morning and there is now nothing on the calendar until Thursday when the case of Charles Folk vs. B. V. Magee is set for trial. On Friday, the suit of H. P. Bass vs. H. B. Hines et al is on the calendar.

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Personals

M. R. Fuller is here from Seymour. J. G. Nisbett and L. W. Carr of Quannah spent Sunday here.

Mrs. W. S. Hubbard returned to her home at Abilene today after a visit with her son A. I. Taylor and family.

L. E. Jones of the Jones-Kennedy Company left today for Amarillo where the company also has a store.

Julius Markowitz and Walter Reid left this afternoon for Galveston where Mr. Markowitz's brother is seriously ill.

Miss Carrie Daugherty left this afternoon for a visit at Eureka Springs, Ark.

A. D. Terrill returned to Randall today where he is engaged in the cotton business.

Mrs. Frank Kell left this afternoon for New York where she will meet Mr. Kell this week on his return from a trip to England.

M. E. Tarver of Seymour was a visitor here today.

S. S. Fasset of Iowa Park, has returned from a four weeks' visit to his former home in Michigan. He was accompanied home by his daughter, Mrs. Beulah Scott, who will visit with her father for several months.

J. E. Laney of Burk Burnett was in the city today. Mr. Laney, who has been connected with the Burk Burnett Star for some time, recently purchased an interest in that paper and will be associated with Milton Clendenin in the publication of it.

J. J. Pritchett of Dallas was in the city Sunday.

Attorney Martin Allday was a visitor here today from Burk Burnett.

J. H. Wood is here from Anson.

J. Clonon of the Colonia Toggery will leave tomorrow for St. Louis, Chicago and New York to buy goods.

Stafford Helm of Dundee was a business visitor here today.

Mrs. T. R. Boger and Miss Eugenia Streater returned yesterday from Dallas where they have been for the past week.

Ed Morgan returned to Fort Worth today after spending a few days here on business. Mr. Morgan is drilling a well in Hood county.

W. H. Wilkins of Paducah was here today on business.

D. W. Doyle was down from Electric yesterday for a visit with friends.

G. C. Grison of Houston, representative in Texas of the International Typographical Union, stopped off here today for a short visit with members of the Wichita Falls local. Mr. Grison is on his way to points north on the Denver to interest the printers of the smaller cities in the union.

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