

The Times receives the full day and Sunday morning leased wire service report of the Associated Press.

West Texas: Tonight and Tuesday fair.

Fall Of Jerusalem Given In Detail

STORMING TROOPS ARE USED AGAINST LONDON SOLDIERS

FIERCE TURKISH ATTACK IS PRECEDED BY HEAVY ARTILLERY FIRE.

ROADS DEEP WITH MUD

Some of Sacred Edifices Within City Said to Have Been Mined By Enemy—Populace Friendly.

By Associated Press. London, Dec. 17.—In attacks preceding the surrender of Jerusalem the Turks employed storming troops in successive assaults on Nebi Samuel, northwest of the Holy City, then held by London troops, according to a Reuters dispatch from British headquarters in Palestine. The dispatch which was sent by airplane gives details of the capture and the entry into Jerusalem.

THIS INTOLERABLE THING OF WHICH THE MASTERS OF GERMANY HAVE SHOWN US THE UGLY FACE.



N. Y. Herald.

HOUSE VOTES ON PROHIBITION AMENDMENT TODAY REQUIRES RATIFICATION BY STATES IN 7 YEARS

PERMANENT PEACE FOR RUSSIANS IS EXPECTED BY ALL

GERMANS MOVE TROOPS

DELAY IN SUPPLY OF GUNS REACHING CAMPS IS PROBED

WICHITA FALLS BOY TELLS OF LEAPING INTO BRINEY DEEP

PICTURE HOUSES OPERATE SUNDAY FOR SHORT TIME

WRITERS OF TORPEDOING OF AMERICAN VESSEL AND LOSS OF MANY LIVES.

DECISION NOT TO OPERATE MADE ON SATURDAY IS FINALLY REVERSED.

GUNNER UPON ANTILLES

FUTURE PLANS NOT MADE

MANAGERS BELIEVE TO MAKE EXPENSES THEY MUST OPERATE FOR ENTIRE AFTERNOON AND NIGHT.

REVERSING THEIR DECISION REACHED SATURDAY MORNING, THE MAJESTIC AND GEM THEATRES WERE OPEN SUNDAY

DETECTION OF METAL IN WOUNDS IS NEWEST SCIENTIFIC CERTAINTY

BRITISH PLANES BOMB POSITIONS OF THE GERMANS

CREWS OF TRANSPORTS MAY BE ENLISTED SOON; SHARPE MAKES REPORT

14 ALLIED AND NEUTRAL VESSELS SUNK

GASOLINE EXPLODES; TWO IN HILLSBORO ARE FATALLY BURNED

CIVIL WAR WOUND CAUSES VETERANS DEATH.

LIBERTY MOTOR GETS BRIEF RECOGNITION IN REPORT OF OFFICIAL

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Recognition of Bolsheviki Is Now Forecast by London Press To Save Nation From Passing Under German Heel

By Associated Press. London, Dec. 17.—The war situation of today is summarized by the Associated Press as follows: The armistice agreement between the Russian government and the Central Powers goes into effect on the eastern front today.

By Associated Press. London, Dec. 17.—Inquiry into alleged delays in supplying the army with guns and the curtailment of funds recommended by the ordinance bureau for that purpose was taken up again today in open session by the senate military committee after a two-day examination of Major General Crozier behind closed doors.

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WETS AND DRYS BOTH CONFIDENT DURING MORNING

FORMER PREDICT VICTORY BY "SMALL BUT SAFE" MAJORITY OF THE BODY.

LATTER EXPECTS 20 LEAD

Favorable Action Will Mean That Difference Between Senate and House Units Must Be Abolished in Conference.

AMENDMENT IS PASSED BY VOAE OF THE HOUSE

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Had Hard Task. The Londoners had a hard task on the steep slopes of the Judean Hills where it was impossible to bring field guns to the support, but some mountain batteries and howitzers rendered magnificent service and by midnight that morning the Londoners had stormed and captured all the enemy works west of the town.

Safe and Feeling Fine. I am safe and feeling fine though I had a slight swim in the briny deep. I was picked up by an American patrol ship and taken back to a foreign port. I lost all my clothes and am having to supply another outfit out of my own account, but will probably hear from Washington and receive the amount lost.

Further north the Turks were established in a long series of trenches around the Villages of Beitles. These trenches were carried with a rush and the British line advanced beyond the village. Welch troops advancing from the south pushed across the road east of Jerusalem leading to Jericho and through the Turkish reinforcements sent advancing along this road to meet Jerusalem.

The co-ordination of all our movements speaks praise for the admirable staff work. On conditions in Jerusalem I learned that in the early days of the war the shore Turkish attacks against the Suez Canal the Turkish losses in spack animals exceeded 45,000 dead from neglect, lack

Reversing their decision reached Saturday morning, the Majestic and Gem theatres were open Sunday between 1 and 4 o'clock, but this keeping open was due more to unusual circumstances than anything else, according to a picture show man, who stated that he could not say at present whether he would keep his house open next Sunday and those following and that he could not speak, of course, for any other theatre.

The theatre managers had decided that they could not make expenses keeping open only in the afternoon. But it happened that both the Majestic and the Gem had films in the city Sunday that cost them no more to run Sunday afternoon than if they had been lying in their metal carriers at the express office or the theatre.

By Associated Press. Washington, Dec. 17.—Elimination of trouble constantly arising in civilian-manned army transports by the military adjustment of crews is recommended by Quartermaster General Sharpe in his annual report published today.

By Associated Press. London, Dec. 17.—The British war office statement on aerial operations issued last midnight reads: "Although the weather was fine Saturday, a very high wind and ground mist interfered with reconnaissance and artillery work. Many rounds were fired during the day into enemy trenches and bombs were dropped on numerous targets including two positions of long range guns southwest of Lille. Later we again bombed these gun positions.

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**CHILDREN HEAR BISHOP MOORE AT EPISCOPAL CHURCH**

WOULD HAVE THEM LET SPIRIT ENTER AS GENTLY AS DUE COMES AT NIGHT.

**TOLD TO LIVE ARIGHT**

Paints Out Christ Studied Ten Years For Every Year That He Taught the People.

Those who heard Bishop Harry T. Moore, coadjutor at Dallas, in his address to the Confirmation candidates at the Episcopal Church last night, declared that it was a most helpful, sympathetic and beautiful talk to children. The Bishop's remarks revealed a complete understanding of their minds, the difficulties which confront them in their spiritual life, and the problems which they have to solve.

Setting forth briefly what their sponsors had promised for them in baptism, the Bishop told the candidates that in receiving confirmation they were beginning the Christian life on their own responsibility, and that henceforth they must begin to stand on their own feet, becoming responsible for what they did and answerable for what they left undone.

"As God Wants You To," "You will now try to live as God wants you to live, and to keep from the things that God doesn't want," he said, "and you will find many things to baffle you and to tempt you. How are you going to get strength to live this life? You will get it from the Holy Spirit. Perhaps you do not fully understand what the Holy Spirit is—and perhaps I do not. But though it may be difficult to understand just what He is, it is very easy to discover how He works, and to tell if He is helping you. For the Holy Spirit will give you an ever increasing source of strength, although He will work very quietly."

"Have you ever gone out early of a summer morning and seen the dew on the grass and flowers? Do you know how it came, or why? It does not matter. It is there, a source of strength and life and refreshment to the flowers. It comes quietly in the night, and they receive the benefit of it. So will the Holy Spirit work in your life, if you will let Him. Do you ever want to do something which your conscience tells you is wrong, and which you know you shouldn't do? That is the Holy Spirit telling you, and if you fight off the temptation, that, too, is the work of the Holy Spirit."

**How Will You Secure It?**  
 "How will you receive the Holy Spirit? In many ways; but especially through the sacrament of the Eucharist. You will find, however, that you will get careless, and that you have done a great many things which you had not intended to do. What will you do then? Will you become discouraged, and stop trying? You should then examine yourselves thoroughly; and then, when you find you have done wrong, you must ask God to forgive you, and try again. You must come to the Holy Eucharist, and come often; for that is spiritual strength."

"Will you try to live nearer to God? Your life is in trust to you, and tomorrow you will be in charge of this church here, when your father and mother have passed on. It may be that one of you will take up the work of the ministry of Christ. If so, if you should be called to that life of service, you will find that the Holy Spirit will have become a close companion in your life, though you may know much more about Him than you do now. But will you try to live closer to God, to examine yourselves thoroughly and honestly, to ask God to forgive you when you have done wrong, and always go on trying. God bless you."

**Sermon Following.**  
 In the sermon following the confirmation address, the Bishop, speaking from the text "Be ye therefore perfect, even as your father which is in heaven is perfect," said that he believed the text to mean "Be ye therefore imitators of the perfection of your father which is in heaven."

"When one looks at the life of Christ," the Bishop began, "it looks at first like an endless round of public work—sermons, instructions, miracles acts of mercy, and of grace. But there is another side—the life hidden with God. Have you ever thought that of His thirty years, were Abraham and Samuel Bashara."

**CHRISTIAN CHURCH PROGRAM IS PREPARATION FOR YEAR.**  
 Forecasts of the work planned for 1918 in the various departments of the church, given by heads of the departments, formed the program of the Sunday morning service of the First Christian church. The speakers were: W. J. Bullock, of the board; J. W. Bradley, superintendent of the Sunday school; Mrs. A. O. Scharff, president of the Ladies Aid; Mrs. T. W. Caskey, president of the C. W. B. M.; W. S. Willis, chairman of the Tithing Band; E. Shepherd, superintendent of the adult department; D. A. O. Scharff, church treasurer and Paul Pond, president of the Intermediate Endeavor. The program was one of much interest.

**FIRST BAPTISTS MAKE OFFERING TO ORPHANS**  
 A free will Christmas offering amounting to \$50 was taken for Buckner's Orphanage at the First Baptist Sunday school yesterday morning. The Sunday school and the church will make its usual contribution to local charities next Monday, Christmas Eve.

**GRAFTON MAKES APPEAL FOR ALL TO AID IN WAR**  
 An appeal to his congregation to assist in every way possible in the waging of the war, especially through the Red Cross, the authorized agent of the government, was carried in the Sunday morn-

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only three were spent in public works and teaching—and that there was ten years of preparation for every year of work. He was preparing in the lessons he had at his mother's knee, in his father's workshop, listening to the rabbi; but especially in his inner life with God. That was the secret of his strength. You cannot find one instance of the life of Christ where he was ever uncertain as to what to do, ever hurried or flustered, ever in difficulty—over the solution of a problem. The secret of that was that for every year of work, there were ten years of preparation, and his chief preparation was his inner life with God.

**Too Much Strength.**  
 "There too is the strength of the church, and of the individual. If you and I are to be imitators of the perfection of our father, we must have a source of strength to guide and control our lives. We must build up an inner life and a strength which we can draw upon in our hour of need. You will often hear a man say that he left home in the morning, having no intention of doing any wrong; but that at the end of the day, he finds he has done wrong. He says that he did not realize the temptation till it was all over, and the thing done. But he had yielded to the temptation, long before it ever approached him. He had built up no spiritual, inner life, and had nothing with which he could combat the temptation when it came."

**Millionaire's Death Due to Poisoning Is Opinion of Coroner**  
 By Associated Press.  
 Chicago, Dec. 17.—The death of Lucius B. Berdan, millionaire of Toledo, Ohio, in a hospital here last Wednesday, was due to poisoning, in the opinion of Dr. F. J. Port, who attended him during an attack of convulsions at a hotel before being taken to the hospital.

**Assistant Secretary Chamber of Commerce Arrives in the City**  
 Dow Williams, of Kansas City, and formerly of Wichita Falls, arrived yesterday to take up his duties as assistant secretary of the Chamber of Commerce. H. C. Howard will leave for Altus about the end of December, and Mr. Williams is putting in the interim, becoming familiar with his new work. Mr. Williams was formerly with the Wichita Falls and Northwestern Railroad, in the office of A. P. Winn.

**CORPORATION COURT HAS LIVELY SESSION**  
 The usual Monday morning accumulation of undesirables was lined up in the police court this morning, and there was a room full. Thirteen vagrants at five each, six drunks at the same figure, and two affrays at ten; besides sundry cases dismissed and passed for further trial gave the judge a busy and harassing morning.

**Investigation into the death of Berdan has already been started by Coroner Peter M. Hoffman and today he expected to receive the report of Dr. W. D. McNally, coroner's chemist, who is perfecting an analysis of the stomach contents.**  
 Four other physicians who attended the post mortem examination expressed the opinion that Berdan's death was caused by intestinal nephritis, but admitted the possibility of poisoning.

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WILL MEET ON TUESDAY

Demonstration of How to Solicit Memberships Will Be Given by Manager W. D. Cline.

All canvassers and solicitors for the Red Cross Christmas Membership campaign are notified to meet tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 at the campaign headquarters in McFall and Orin sales room on Ohio Avenue.

At the meeting tomorrow afternoon, W. D. Cline, general campaign manager, will give a demonstration of how to solicit memberships, and it is particularly requested that every possible objection that can be thought of be brought out in the demonstration.

The same solicitors will meet on Wednesday at 8 o'clock a. m. at the campaign headquarters, where J. M. McFall will have fifteen cars collected for the purpose of taking the ladies to their various stations from which they will start their canvassing.

The city has been divided into zones or districts, and the following committees appointed to canvass those districts:

DOWNTOWN DISTRICT, North to South—Fifth to Fifteenth Street, East to West—Michigan to Scott Street.

- Mrs. Frank Kell, Chairman. Mrs. Annie Hood, Phone 1695. Mrs. R. C. Smith. Mrs. C. J. Barnard. Mrs. W. W. Robertson. Mrs. S. A. Ashmore. Mrs. Robert Stavton. Mrs. J. J. Lory. Mrs. Fred Barron. Mrs. O. E. Maer. Mrs. C. T. Shumake. Mrs. O. F. Marchman. Mrs. W. B. Shepherd. Mrs. J. T. Brooks.

District No. 1: North to South—River to Seventh, East to West—Scott to Burnett Street.

- Mrs. C. W. Beavers, Chairman. Mrs. J. W. Culbertson. Mrs. D. G. Whitney. Mrs. E. W. Carter. Mrs. Orville Hollington. Mrs. L. J. White. Mrs. Ola Hamlin. Mrs. C. M. Alexander. Mrs. H. A. Allen. Mrs. E. P. Bass. Mrs. G. W. Fligo. Mrs. George Hawkins. Mrs. H. F. Cauble. Mrs. A. O. Hancock, phone 255.

District No. 2: North to South—Seventh and Tenth, East to West—Scott to Burnett Street.

- Mrs. J. W. Stone, Chairman. Mrs. Frank Collier. Mrs. Burton Stayton.

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District No. 3: North to South—Tenth to Fourteenth Street, East to West—Scott to Burnett Street.

- Mrs. C. M. Miller, Chairman. Mrs. B. F. Johnson. Mrs. W. S. Curlee. Mrs. H. E. Barchman. Mrs. J. D. McConkey. Mrs. J. W. Akin. Mrs. Walter M. West. Mrs. J. C. Mueller. Mrs. J. W. Bradley. Mrs. C. S. Mudd. Mrs. M. A. Bundy. Mrs. F. B. Grey. Mrs. R. E. Strange.

District No. 4: North to South—Fourteenth to Valley Tracks, East to West—Scott to Burnett.

- Mrs. R. J. Goodale, Chairman. Mrs. Wade Walker. Mrs. R. J. Shefferley. Mrs. G. C. Raley. Mrs. T. D. Wiley. Mrs. A. R. Prothro. Mrs. C. H. Hardeeman. Mrs. B. M. Ballard. Mrs. M. J. Bashara. Mrs. W. E. Pratt. Mrs. J. T. Young. Mrs. W. W. Brown. Mrs. J. L. Maxwell. Miss Blanche Potter.

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- Mrs. J. Cohen, Chairman. Mrs. Bert Bean. Mrs. T. B. Smith. Mrs. A. J. Brauer. Mrs. Leon Loeb. Mrs. A. J. Lyon. Mrs. R. L. Taylor. Mrs. M. M. Walker. Mrs. Dan Hardy. Mrs. W. H. Davis. Mrs. R. H. Hall. Mrs. E. H. Maupin. Mrs. A. K. Short. Mrs. D. J. Douglas. Miss Kathleen Stonecipher.

District No. 6: North to South—Seventh to Tenth Street, East to West—Burnett to Brook Street.

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Manager W. D. Cline announces that he has secured over one hundred volunteers among the business men who will go out into the country in teams of from three to five each to work the smaller towns and the farm homes.

Dollars Pour in

Early Monday morning dollars began to pour into the booth at headquarters. The people are roused to the desire to maintain Wichita County's reputation of meeting every demand made upon them and doing more than their share. People were waiting at the office before the doors were opened in order to pay in their dollar for a Christmas membership.

Tom Smock has undertaken to arrange for public booths in the banks and department stores. Young women in Red Cross uniforms will preside over the booths and they will be escorted by a detail of soldiers from Call Field if Mr. Smock plans materialize.

McFall Is Honored

By "Royal Prince" Title By D. O. K. K. Order

J. M. McFall, of this city, was recently honored in Fort Worth by the Azotes Temple, No. 175, Dramatic Order Knights of Klorassan, by having the title of Royal Prince conferred on him. Conferring of this honor was on account of a large class of "Tyros" that were secured for initiation so that a special trip of the "hooky" team from Fort Worth to this city was necessary.

Mr. McFall, through his untiring efforts, being very instrumental in securing the necessary number for such an occasion it is said. This is another few men have conferred upon them, for each D. O. K. K. Temple has to have an increase of 50 members before they are permitted to confer the title of Royal Prince on a member.

Mr. McFall has served the local Knights of Pythias lodge for several terms as Master of Finance, and last Friday night was elected grand representative to the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias for the year 1918.

APPEAR IN "THE OLD HOMESTEAD"



Famous "Double male quartette" with the grand revival of Denman Thompson's "The Old Homestead" which will show here on Christmas day, matinee and night, at the Wichita Theatre.

Advertisement for First National Bank. Includes text: 'Since 1884', '100% PATRIOTIC', 'Every officer, every employee and every member of the family of officers and employees of the First National Bank has become a member of the American Red Cross for 1918 by paying dues in the Red Cross Christmas campaign.' Lists officers: R. E. Huff, President; W. M. McGregor, Active Vice Pres.; F. M. Gates, Vice President; T. J. Taylor, Cashier; C. E. McCutchen, Asst. Cashier; J. R. Hyatt, Asst. Cashier; F. C. Barron, Asst. Cashier; W. M. Coleman, DIRECTORS; F. M. Gates, J. G. Hardin, R. E. Huff, C. E. McCutchen, W. M. McGregor, J. T. Montgomery, T. B. Noble, T. W. Roberts, J. W. Stringer, T. J. Taylor.

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Buy Him A SUIT or Overcoat For Christmas. Our Stock comprises a wonderful assortment of Models and Fabrics. Select from our stock tomorrow. Men's Suits \$15.00 to \$35.00. Men's Overcoats.....\$10.00 to \$24.50. Bath Robes, Pretty Patterns, \$4.95, \$5.95, \$6.95 and \$7.50. Fur Caps.....\$3.00, \$5.00 and \$6.00. Automobile Gauntlets \$2.50 to \$8.50.

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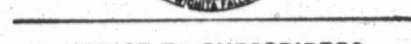
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#### NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS

Carrier boys are not allowed to collect for subscription to The Times, except in the factory district and on north side of river. Our collector will call on you or else you will receive a statement from us through the mail.

Caruso paid \$4,000 for a box of oranges auctioned in New York City for the benefit of Italian refugees. This was a pretty high "note," even within the usual neighborhood amount of...

The New York Herald is publishing the complete lists of Austrian enemy aliens to be found in the city. This should make it uncommonly hard for the enemy aliens to "put anything over" so long as their neighbors retain the usual neighborhood quality of curiosity.

"Speed, and yet more speed, along with thoroughness" is the cry at Washington in connection with preparations of the forces of the country for opposition to the German borders. The queer thing about it is that the members of congress themselves are making much of the noise. This augurs well for the future conduct of the war.

#### A GERMAN PEACE.

Never yet have the Germans made gains of any considerable importance, that these were not followed by peace overtures. The German never forgets to take advantage of the psychological moment.

Such peace terms as will be offered in the Kaiser's Christmas message will naturally be entirely favorable to the Germans. But the peace terms that will finally be signed between the Germans and the Allies will by no means appear pro-German. Nor will the Kaiser, himself, figure as the representative of the German people when these terms are made with the United States.

This government has decided that the word of the German ruler is not to be trusted. It has decided that no agreement could be made with a member of the House of Hohenzollern which would prove worth the paper upon which it is written.

Therefore the American people will not become highly excited over the proposed "overtures" of the Kaiser at Christmas.

#### Modern Woodmen Hear Address of N. A. Rooks and Plan For Future

The recent meeting of the local camp of the Modern Woodmen of America was addressed by State Deputy Colonel N. A. Rooks of Dallas. He set forth the facts that the fraternal organizations of the country were doing great things toward helping win the war by their loyalty, patriotism, and by making provisions to pay the soldiers' death claims and providing for their families while they are fighting for peace and democracy.

While in the city, Col. Rooks assisted in the organization of "The Wichita County M. W. A. Booster Club" and launched a membership campaign which will close with a class adoption in Wichita Falls Monday, Feb. 4. Visitors within a radius of fifty miles were present at the meeting and joined the Booster Club and will participate in the campaign.

#### This City's Claims For New Factory to Be Offered Dec. 19th

The date for the hearing of the various claims for the factory of the Texas Motor Car Company has again been changed to Wednesday, Dec. 19th inst. and Messrs Huff, Kell and Johnson will go to Fort Worth on that day to present the claims of Wichita Falls.

## ARMISTICE TERMS GIVEN IN DETAIL IN AUSTRIAN CABLE

INTERCOURSE BETWEEN ARMIES ON FRONTS IS ARRANGED FOR.

## TRANSFERS OF TROOPS

Sinking of Vessels in Certain Zones is Restricted by Russo-German Agreement.

By Associated Press.  
Petrograd, Sunday, Dec. 16.—The terms of the Russo-German armistice, according to a statement issued here, obliged no transference of troops until January 14 (January 1, Russian); no increase in troops on the fronts or on the islands in Moon Sound or a regrouping of forces. The Germans are not to concentrate troops between the Black Sea and the Baltic east of the 15th degree of longitude east of Greenwich. Recourse between the troops is to be allowed from sunrise to sunset. Groups are limited to 25 persons a time who exchange newspapers and unsealed mails and who may carry on trade and exchange articles of prime necessity.

A special argument will be made by the naval general staff regarding the extension of the armistice to the White Sea and the Russian coast in the Arctic zone. It is agreed also that attacks on war and commercial vessels must stop in these regions in order to avoid attacks in other seas.

**Scope of Armistice.**  
The armistice on the naval front embraces all of the Black Sea and the Baltic sea east of the meridian 15 degrees east of Greenwich. The demarcation line fixed for the Black Sea is from the lighthouse of Sinliks to the estuary of the Danube to Cape Garos. In the Baltic the line runs from Reoguel to the western coast of Worms Island to the island of Baegher to Khegarna.

Russian war vessels must not cross south of this line and the other parties must not go north. The Russian government guarantees that the Russian war vessels will obey the rules of this provision and that Russian warships will not be allowed to sail among the Aland Islands. The text of the armistice agreement follows:

**Text of Armistice.**  
"Between the representatives of the higher command of Russia on the one hand and of Bulgaria, Germany, Austria Hungary and Turkey on the other hand for the purpose of achieving a lasting and honorable peace between both parties, the following armistice is concluded:

"The armistice shall begin on December 1 (December 17) at two o'clock in the afternoon and continue until January 1 (January 14). The contracting parties have the right to break the armistice by giving seven days notice. Unless notice is given the armistice automatically continues.

"The armistice embraces the land and aerial forces on the front from the Baltic to the Black Sea and also the Russian Turkish front in Asia Minor. During the armistice the parties concerned obligate themselves not to increase the number of troops on the above fronts or on the islands in Moon Sound or to make a regrouping of forces.

**Transfers of Troops.**  
"Neither side is to make operative and transfers of units from the Baltic Black Sea front until January 1 (January 14), excepting those begun before the agreement is signed. They obligate themselves not to concentrate troops on parts of the Black or Baltic Sea east of fifteen degrees of longitude east of Greenwich.

"The line of demarcation on the European front is the first line of defense. The space between will be neutral. The navigable rivers will be neutral, their navigation being forbidden except for necessary purposes of commercial transport or on sections where the positions are at great distance. On the Russo-Turkish front line of demarcation will be arranged at the mutual consent of the chief commanders.

"Intercourse will be allowed from sunrise to sunset, no more than 25 persons participating at a time. The participants may exchange papers, magazines, unsealed mail and also may carry on trade in the exchange of articles of prime necessity.

"The question of release of troops freed from service who are beyond the line of demarcation will be solved during the peace negotiations. This applied also to Polish troops.

**Black and Baltic Seas.**  
"Naval fronts: The armistice embraces all the Black Sea and Baltic Sea east of the meridian 15 degrees all naval and aerial forces. In regard east of Greenwich, applying to all to extension of the armistice to the White Sea and the north Arctic Russian coast a special agreement will be made. Attacks upon war and commercial vessels must cease in the above regions and attacks in other seas must be avoided.

After fixing the lines of demarcation in the Black and Baltic Seas limited navigation of the seas will be permitted under rules to be formulated before a commission.

After the signing of the armistice peace negotiations are to be begun. It is provided that measures shall be taken for the exchange of prisoners, invalids, women and children under 14 years old for amelioration of the conditions of the war prisoners. The treaty concludes with the words:

**Resume Relations.**  
"With the purpose of facilitating the conduct of peace negotiations and the speedy healing of the wounds caused by the war, the contracting parties take measures for re-establishment of cultural and economic relations among the signatories. Within such limits as the armistice permits, postal, commercial relations, the mailing of books and papers will be permitted, the details to be worked out by a mixed commission representing all the interested parties at Petrograd.

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### We want you to have the opportunity!

### Just One Week Until Christmas

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Indiana at Eighth

## STORMING TROOPS ARE USED AGAINST LONDON SOLDIERS

## DATE IS CHANGED FOR EXAMS FOR CIVIL SERVICE

(Continued from Page 1.)  
of food and drink. The people were so famished for hunger that they used to fight for the bodies of the animals that died in an about the town. Then there was suspicion and persecution.

**Many Are Executed.**  
"Everybody suspected of sympathizing with the allies was imprisoned or killed. Many persons were executed. Among them was the Mufti of Gaza, belonging to a distinguished Arab family, who after an attempt to escape, was captured and hanged with his son outside the Jaffa gate. All aged subjects were sent away but the American colony of about 300 was not molested. It did noble work in relieving distress, aided by funds from America.

"Recently Germans attempted to obtain the exile of all Americans from Jerusalem. The Turks opposed the proposal but a number of younger males were sent to Damascus.

**Sacred Edifices Mined.**  
"Early in November Enver Pasha (the Turkish minister of war) came to Jerusalem and returned to Constantinople where he recommended that the town be evacuated. Three days later, however, a change was made and reinforcements were hurried down. A proclamation was issued saying that the Turks would hold out to the last. The new forces were very truculent and it is even said some of the sacred edifices were mined.

"Later General Von Falkenhayn arrived and took control of defense measures. The day prior to our entry workmen were still engaged in fitting his headquarters with electric lights.

"The population of Jerusalem is heart and soul with us and there cannot be the slightest doubt of the attitude of the Jews and Arabs. According to the Turkish estimates there are in Palestine nearly 25,000 Arabs and Jews who deserted the army to evade military service, but it is said that the Turks lately have avoided undue severity as they were beginning to realize the mistakes of their policy.



## A Christmas Greeting by Telegraph

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### Ladies' Suits at Half-Price! Ladies' Hats at Half-Price! Ladies' Shoes on Table Half-Price!

Thousands of bargains are offered in this Mighty Purchase Sale of Pennington's by Campbell-Anderson Co. One Table of Woolen Dress Goods .....61c  
Hosiery, underwear, men's shirts, sweaters, boys' and girl's wear, ladies' and children's caps are all included in this Mighty Purchase Sale.

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—Here are Lamps of all descriptions.

—Here are floor lamps, table lamps piano lamps, reading lamps, library lamps, card table lamps, side wall brackets.

—Here are lamps in which period designs.

—Here are lamps of mahogany, of lacquer—in fact, one needs but to step in our store to realize that this assortment of lamps stands incomparable.

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**TODAY**  
COTTON MAKE EA

New York market open advance of 1/8...  
Cotton futures...  
Cotton close...  
After selling...  
Cotton open bid: Jan. 27...  
Cotton close: Oct. 26...  
Cotton close of 41 to 43...  
The market very steady...  
1 o'clock...  
Bullish...  
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**LIVESTOCK**  
Fort Worth...  
TLE: Receipts...  
CATTLE: Receipts...  
to 10 high...  
\$13.00 to 15.00...  
\$11.00 to 12.00...  
\$5.00...  
\$8.00 to 11.00...  
cows \$6.00...  
SHEEP: 15 higher...  
yearlings...  
\$11.50 to 13.00...  
stockers \$7...  
St. Louis...  
receipts 12,000

TODAY'S MARKETS

COTTON MARKET MAKES ADVANCE EARLY IN DAY

New York, Dec. 17.—The cotton market opened steady today at an advance of 19 to 29 points on a renewal of covering and trade buying which had been in progress at the close on Saturday. There was a good deal of Wall Street and local selling, however, and the market soon turned easier with January leading off from 28.93 to 28.67 and March from 28.50 to 28.28 or about 6 to 10 points net lower. Trade interests continued buying on the decline and prices steadied up a few points toward the end of the first hour. Traders seemed to find no fresh factor of importance in the news.

CORN MARKET IS EASED FOLLOWING LARGE RECEIPTS

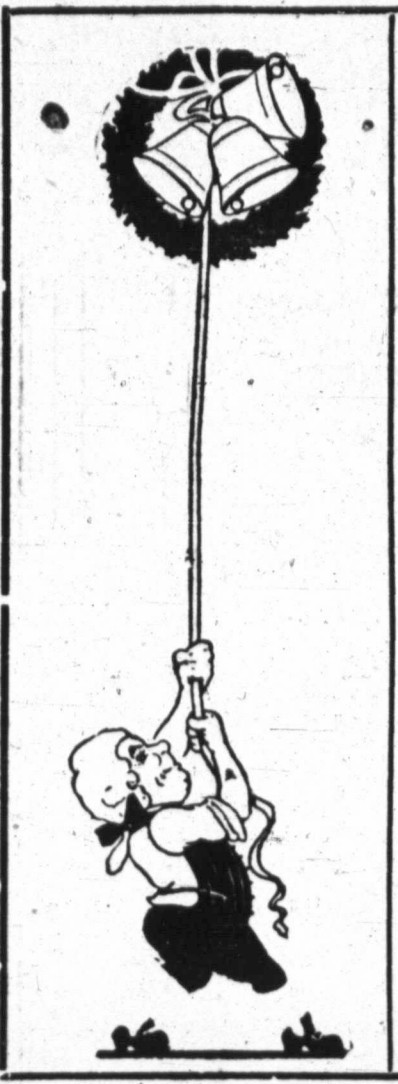
Chicago, Dec. 17.—Increased notices of consignments today eased down the corn market. Some enlargements of receipts counted also as a bearish factor. Besides, more moderate temperatures indicated that chances were improving for an accumulation of stocks. Opening prices, which ranged from unchanged figures to quarter and 3/4 lower with January at 1.21 1/4; March 1.19 to 1.18 1/4 were followed by declines all around, although not of a radical sort. Shutting off of export inquiry had a bearish effect on oats. The market on oats also sympathized with the weakness of corn.

GENERAL CROZIER MAKES REPORT ON ARMY'S ADVANCE

MACHINE GUNS ARE GIVEN PLACE OF PROMINENCE IN DISCUSSION. OUTPUT CHIEF TROUBLE

American Field Pieces Will Be Similar in Calibre To Great French "Seventy-fives."

By Associated Press. Washington, Dec. 17.—Army ordnance conditions at the beginning of the present fiscal year are treated on briefly by Major General Crozier, chief of ordnance, in the annual report of his bureau made public today. The report shows that up to June 30th orders had been placed for one million Enfield rifles, details for the rechartering of the British standard gun for American ammunition having been completed June 1. On the machine gun situation General Crozier says that general types of weapons have been found efficient by the machine gun board but that procurement of an adequate supply was a question of securing deliveries.



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New Orleans Cotton. New Orleans, Dec. 17.—A fairly good demand sprang up on the opening of the cotton market here today and caused a raise of 9 to 15 points. This improvement brought off selling of the same sort that featured the quotations last week and prices promptly fell off standing 5 to 11 points under Saturday's close at the end of the first half hour.

Table with columns: CORN, OATS, PORK, LARD, HOGS. Rows for Dec, Jan, May with prices.

Local Brevities. E. G. Hiu, undertaker, office and parlors, 900 Scott Ave. Phone 225. Prompt ambulance service 92 t/c.

Local Brevities

Some of them would rather have chocolate, why not a box of Nunnally's—Morris Jewelry and Drugs, 83 W. Cor. 8th Indiana. 186-t/c. Don't let an amateur tinker with your battery. Bring it to us and have the right thing done and done right. And we'll supply you with a rental battery while yours is being fixed. Phone 606 Willard Service Station, 619 Scott Ave. 124 t/c.

Liverpool Cotton. Liverpool, Dec. 17.—Cotton quiet, prices easier. Good middling 22.68; middling 22.16; low middling 21.63; good ordinary 20.63; ordinary 20.11. Sales 3,000, including 2,700 American.

Kansas City Cash Grain. Kansas City, Dec. 17.—Corn, No. 2 mixed \$1.58 1/4; No. 2 white \$1.65 1/4; No. 2 yellow \$1.63 1/4. Oats, No. 2 white 77 1/2; No. 2 mixed 75 1/2.

Manufacture in Quality. Both these and the machine guns are under manufacture in quantity, the report says. A considerable number of the anti-aircraft guns figured for mounting on motor trucks, also had been adopted.

Reports of Offensive By Germans Labelled "Enemy Advertising". By Associated Press. Washington, Dec. 17.—Reports heralding an imposing German offensive on the western front are attributed to "bold enemy advertising" by Secretary Baker in his weekly review of the military situation published today.

LIVESTOCK

Fort Worth Livestock. Fort Worth, Tex., Dec. 17.—CATTLE: Receipts 12,500; steady. Beaves \$6.50@10.25; stockers \$6.50@9.50; heifers \$6.50@10.00; cows \$5.00@9.00; bulls \$5.50@7.00; calves \$5.50@11.50. HOGS: Receipts 4,000; steady. Heavy \$16.00@16.25; light \$15.75@16.00; medium \$15.50@15.75; mixed \$15.25@15.50; common \$14.50@15.00; pigs \$9.00@13.50. SHEEP: Receipts None; steady. Lambs \$15.00@16.00; yearlings \$12.00@13.00; wethers \$10.00@12.00; ewes \$10.00@11.00; culls \$5.50@7.50; goats \$5.50@7.50.

Chicago Livestock. Chicago, Dec. 17.—HOGS: Receipts 32,000; firm. Bulk \$15.70@16.15; light \$15.25@16.05; mixed \$15.50@16.25; heavy \$15.50@16.30; rough \$15.60@15.75; pigs \$11.00@13.50. CATTLE: Receipts 15,000; firm. Native steers \$7.25@14.40; western steers \$6.35@12.90; stockers and feeders \$6.25@10.35; cows and heifers \$5.00@11.10; calves \$9.00@16.25. SHEEP: Receipts 12,000; firm. Wethers \$8.90@13.00; lambs \$12.50@16.80.

Lion's Club to Elect Officers Wednesday at Mid-Day Luncheon. The annual meeting and election of officers of the Lion's Club will be held on Wednesday next at the St. James Hotel at 12 o'clock. B. F. Johnson, N. H. Martin and C. E. Rodgers have been appointed nominating committee for the offices of President, first and second vice-presidents, secretary and treasurer.



CREATIONS FOR THE BRIDE. Our Jewelry Store is the Logical Place to Buy Gifts of Lasting Value. There are many things here that are beautiful, useful and that will hold their worth almost indefinitely. Numberless articles in Jewelry, Diamonds, Cut Glass and Ivory that will give much pleasure to the bride are found here. Hatton & Friedly, High Grade Diamonds, 614 Eighth St., Wichita Falls.

CATTLE AND SHEEP RANCHES IN NEW MEXICO. New Mexico, the ideal range country for cattle or sheep, now offers to stockgrowers the final opportunity to buy desirable grazing lands at reasonable prices. I offer exceptionally good grazing propositions in New Mexico at attractive prices to stockmen who are ready to do business now. These properties come as dead land, leased land, open range and in combinations; stocked or clear. They are well located and possess all the essentials of first-class stock ranches. They are both large and small and include a few very large properties. W. H. GILLENWATER, ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO.

Just received fine car of bulk Colorado apples, winesap, York Imperial and Gano. Come to my fruit stand 509 Ohio, just opposite Palace-Horse Shoeing shop and get prices before you buy. M. D. OVERFELT. Attention Members. There will be business to come before the lodge tomorrow night, that will be of interest to every member of The Knights and Ladies of Security. Be sure and be there at 7:30. E. HUNTER, Pres. I have taken over all of Dr. Miller's business and office. Will be glad to meet all his customers and patients. Will treat you in a professional way. Hoping to meet you 187 t/c. L. C. TYSON. B. F. Johnson, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, left this afternoon for Austin, whither he has been summoned by Attorney General Looney on business for the State Insane Asylum. A fine cut glass perfume bottle, filled with fine perfume makes a nice present.—Morris Drug and Jewelry S. W. Cor. 8th, Indiana. 186-t/c. L. A. Childs, the Gas man, gas fitting, repair plumbing, phone 534. 235 t/c. Diamonds that were bought before the raise, at the old price.—Morris Jewelry and Drugs, S. W. Corner 8th and Indiana. 186-t/c. Jewelry of every description bought right, sold right.—Morris Jewelry and Drugs, S. W. Corner 8th, Indiana. 186-t/c. Pecans—We have them shelled or in the shell. Ours are hand picked and something nice.—Lone Star Candy Co., 610 Ohio St., Phone 2016. 184-t/c. Just arrived, large shipment of Thermite and Johnson's Freeze Proof. Get yours now, Western Auto Supply Co. Phone 218—718 Indiana. 180 t/c. Diamond Ring, Bracelet Watch, Diamond Bar Pin, Diamond Ear Screws, Kodak, will please her.—Morris Jewelry and Drugs, S. W. Cor. 8th Indiana. 186-t/c. Suits Filed. The following suit was filed today in the 78th District court: Pierce McRee Produce Company, a

Practical Gifts

for the —WIFE —FATHER —MOTHER —SWEETHEART —CHILDREN. Very Special Tomorrow 25 Carpet Sweepers at 98c —easily worth \$2.50. On sale 9 o'clock. shop early P.B.M.C. DEPARTMENT STORE Carry your small pkgs.

GIVE A \$5.00 UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT BOND FOR CHRISTMAS INSTEAD OF A GOLD PIECE

Every loyal American will be glad to receive such a gift. Every one given aids your government to save some American soldier's life. They cost \$4.12 in December and bear 4 per cent compound interest. We can supply you for Christmas.

Capital, Surplus and Profits \$500,000.00 CITY NATIONAL BANK WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS CAPITAL, SURPLUS AND PROFITS, \$480,000.00 P. P. LANGFORD, Vice Pres. C. W. SNIDER, Cashier. R. O. HARVEY, Vice Pres. W. L. ROBERTSON, Asst. Cashier. C. H. CLARK, Vice President. E. T. REESE, Asst. Cashier.

OLD MATTRESSES MADE NEW. A faulty uneven Mattress makes a good night's sleep impossible. Let us make over any such mattress you may have in mind. We'll return it to you, not just as good but better than it was when you bought it new. And as to our own special make, we will not only guarantee its substantiality, workmanship, but guarantee you a good night's sleep, if it takes only a comfortable mattress to induce it. Bell Mattress Co. T. J. EDMONSON, Manager. Phone 2412.

F. A. BLACK, D. C. Chiropractor. Consultation and Analysis Free—Lady Attendant. Office 702 Indiana Phone 2559. Office Hours: 9 to 12—1.30 to 3—7 to 8. Marriage Licenses. Charles H. Farmer, Electrician and Mrs. Vincy McInnes, Electrician. John E. Dean, sergeant at Fort Sill, and Mrs. Margaret Mason of Fort Worth. J. H. Marriott to J. W. Winston, lots 21 and 22 of block 48, town of Electric, this county. Consideration \$1802.10. Maer, 114 acres of the Richard Brown survey; \$575 cash, royalties and other considerations. partnership, vs. Roy Seigler, doing business as state distributor, for debt and garnishment; amount involved \$912.19. Oil and Gas Lease. Mrs. Cornelia J. Bell to M. D. Walker, 50 acres out of 492 acre tract owned by Mrs. Bell; consideration \$350 cash, \$100 annual rental and 18 royalties. C. W. Borgfeld and wife to W. N.

GIVE SOMETHING ELECTRICAL THIS CHRISTMAS

Each one of your friends has different likes and dislikes. You know what some of them will most appreciate—others you don't.

Electrical Household Appliances

and labor saving devices will fit in with any home routine. They are sensible and useful gifts. Your dealer will supply you.

Wichita Falls Electric Co.

At the Theatres

The Empress. "Reaching for the Moon." Douglas Fairbanks' latest production for Art-Craft, now at the Empress theatre, was written by Anna Loos and John Emerson, expressly for the noted star, who fairly revels in the part of Alexis, a youth occupying a humble position in a button factory until he discovered he was the missing heir to a European throne.

The adventures of Alexis are extremely trying, and Fairbanks is afforded ample opportunity of displaying the extraordinary athletic skill for which he is noted. Alexis learns that the royal road is a rocky one. He is beset at every turn by assassins who constantly hatch plots against him.

RUTH STONEHOUSE AT THE GEM, TUESDAY

Mendelssohn's "Spring Song," a musical classic destined to live for all time, has formed the inspiration for a moving picture scenario and the result will be shown in Bluebird Photoplays at the Gem theatre on Tuesday under the title of "Love Never Dies."

The Most Practical Present For the Boy—the Girl—AND OTHERS WHO NEED AND APPRECIATE.

CAN YOU THINK of anything of more, far-reaching benefit for your son or daughter, or some one else's son or daughter than to place them in live touch with the first and most important implement of modern business. Get Someone A Real Gift.

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Majestic Theatre

MABEL TALIAFERRO

IN METRO'S SEVEN REEL PATRIOTIC SENSATIONAL SPECTACLE

DRAFT 258

Directed by Wm. Christy Cabinoe, the man that made the SLACKER and is said by all reviewers to surpass that successful picture in force intensity and patriotic appeal—a picture that deals in a broad and faithful way with one of the greatest events in American history.

20c 10c 5c

SHOWS START 1:00, 3:00, 5:00, 7:00, 9:00

No Vaudeville This Week.

Empress Theater

DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS

"Reaching For The Moon"

"Doug" has a new cognomen. Listen! "Alexia Caesar Napoleon Brown," do you bet that! Can't you just see Doug as the hands off of it? Well just for a change he doesn't do it in this picture. Doug feels sure that he must be a descendant of some noble family.

ALSO PATHE NEWS SHOWING LATEST CURRENT EVENTS.

ADULTS 15c—CHILDREN, 12 and over, 10c—Under 12, 5c

DISTRICT COURT CONVENES HERE FOR BUSY TERM

GRAND JURY IS EMPANELLED WITH MARSH BARWISSE AS FOREMAN.

The Thirtieth Wichita County District court convened Monday morning for the December term. Judge Bonner called the old docket at the morning session setting a few cases for trial and ordered about fifty divorce suits taken from the docket. The order affects suits filed prior to 1916 and on which no action has been taken.

Monday afternoon the grand jury was empanelled with Marsh Barwisse as foreman and the following other members: E. A. Dale, C. G. Knight, P. F. Warren, Locke Lowrance, S. Y. Ferguson, Clarence McDonald, T. J. Roberts, Jesse Van Horn, Brandon Smith, Frank Collier and W. W. Gardner.

PERSONALS

Miss Mabel Anderson and Miss Pearl Broyles of Gainsville spent Sunday with Mrs. Sanders. Mrs. R. F. Winn of Cashion, Okla., Stonehouse with her sister, Mrs. Sanders and Mrs. Johnson.

MANY TEACHERS IN ATTENDANCE ON INSTITUTE

With sixty-seven teachers and principals of the schools in Wichita county in attendance, the annual institute week was opened this morning in the high school auditorium, with County Superintendent E. C. Hall presiding. Following the opening half hour devoted to the routine business of the institute, the program was taken up.

DENIAL MADE THAT JAPS LANDED AT VLADIVOSTAK.

Washington, Dec. 17.—Further denial that Japanese troops have been landed at Vladivostok was contained in dispatches to the state department from the American embassy in Tokio.

Hon. Lucian Parrish, candidate for Congress in this district, was up from Henrietta today. Mr. Parrish says he is in the race to stay and to win. Mr. Parrish has many friends here who believe he has more than a fair chance to win the nomination.

G. E. Friberg has received a letter from his son, Floyd, in Chicago telling of his enlistment with the 19th regiment of engineers in Chicago. Mr. Friberg was formerly connected with Martin's Book Store here, going to Chicago several years ago where he has been employed. He expects to be sent to the training camp at Waco.

Claude Woessner, who has been employed by the Telephone company here in its engineering department, and who recently enlisted as an ensign in the army, has been assigned to the 14th regiment of engineers at Camp Devens at Ayer, Mass. Friends here have received letters from him saying that he is enjoying his work greatly and expects, before long, to be in France.

GLAD TO TESTIFY Says Watoga Lady, "As To What Cardui Has Done For Me, So As To Help Others."

Watoga, W. Va.—Mrs. S. W. Gladwell, of this town, says: "When about 15 years of age, I suffered greatly. . . Sometimes would go a month or two, and I had terrible headache, backache, and bearing-down pains, and would just drag and had no appetite. . . It would last . . . two weeks, and was so weakening, and my health was awful. My mother bought me a bottle of Cardui, and I began to improve after taking the first bottle, so kept it up till I took three. . . I gained, and was well and strong, and I owe it all to Cardui. I am married now and have 3 children. . . Have never had to have a doctor for female trouble, and just resort to Cardui if I need a tonic. . . I am glad to testify to what it has done for me, so as to help others." If you are nervous or weak, have headaches, backaches, or any of the other ailments so common to women, why not give Cardui a trial? Recommended by many physicians. In use over 40 years. Begin taking Cardui today. It may be the very medicine you need.

FIRE CRACKERS IN CITY LIMITS WILL BE TABOO

POLICE CHIEF HUMPHRIS AND FIRE CHIEF MCCLURE ISSUES NOTICE.

There is to be no more setting off of fire crackers within the fire limits of the city, according to a public notice issued by Fire Chief McClure and acting City Marshal Lindley Humphris. This practice, the officers state, is not only extremely irritating to everyone in town, but dangerous, besides; and they are determined to enforce the ordinance for its prohibition.

THIS CITY THIRD IN RECRUITS FOR NAVY DURING WEEK

Wichita Falls stands third in the list of sub-stations for navy recruits up to the week ending Thursday 13 inst. at noon; twenty-two out of the thirty-two applicants sent in up to that time having been accepted at Dallas. Instructions regarding the enlistment of further applicants follow.

Candy and Tobacco "Only" Are Wanted By Avis in France

J. D. Avis has received the following cablegram from his son, Robert, who is a member of the Railroad division, announcement of whose arrival in France was recently made: "Arrived safely, feeling fine somewhere in France. Write often. Send nothing but candy and tobacco. With Love. 'ROBERT'."

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

WANTED—To rent servant house to family with not more than one child, 2712, 10th street. Phone 344, 187-31c

SIXTY-ONE PEOPLE OF GERMAN BLOOD JOIN RED CROSS

Sixty one members of the St. Paul's Lutheran Church, all of them of German birth or descent, took out membership in the Red Cross in response to the pastor's appeal for the Red Cross Christian membership campaign, made at the morning service yesterday.

- Fred Vogtsberger, Mrs. Fred Vogtsberger, Robert Thormann, Lester Luecke, Wm. Kroettinger, Jake Kroettinger, Miss H. Tammann, Mrs. Jake Kroettinger, Chas. Rathgeber, Mrs. Helen Rathgeber, Miss Math Kroettinger, Mrs. J. M. Cloud, Mrs. Chas. Walbrick, Chas. Walbrick, Mrs. Wm. Vogtsberger, Miss Emma Vogtsberger, Hermann Kroettinger, Albert Thormann, Harry Vogtsberger, Aug. Vogtsberger, Fred Thormann, Arthur Jentsch, Alvin Jentsch, Robert Vogtsberger, Wm. Vogtsberger, Jr., Alvin Jentsch, H. C. Luecke, John Thogmann, John Rathke, Mrs. Fr. Thom, Peter Berger, Miss Anna Rathke, Miss Mary Rathke, Miss Alma Fienhold, A. J. Schulz, John Hirsch, Mrs. J. Hirsch, Raymond Hirsch, Miss Lillian Hirsch, A. L. Fienhold, Fred Fienhold, Walter Fienhold, Miss Ruth Fienhold, Miss Frieda Schulz, Miss Eva Schulz, Miss Ruby Dicks, Miss Amanda Serrien, Miss Frieda Serrien, Miss Lizzie Forsch, Miss Ruby Kuehn, Miss Aggie Luecke, Miss Ida Ernst, Miss Martha Horst, Fred Kroettinger, Chas. Kroettinger, H. Buerger, Chas. Votsberger, Prof. John Kollmeyer, Rev. C. M. Beyer.

CANADA IS TODAY HAVING ELECTION; INTEREST INTENSE

BORDEN, FOR CONSCRIPTION, AND LAURIER, AGAINST, ARE PREMIER CANDIDATES

BOTH SIDES CONFIDENT

Decision Will Be Given, According To Prevailing Opinion, By Soldier and Women Votes

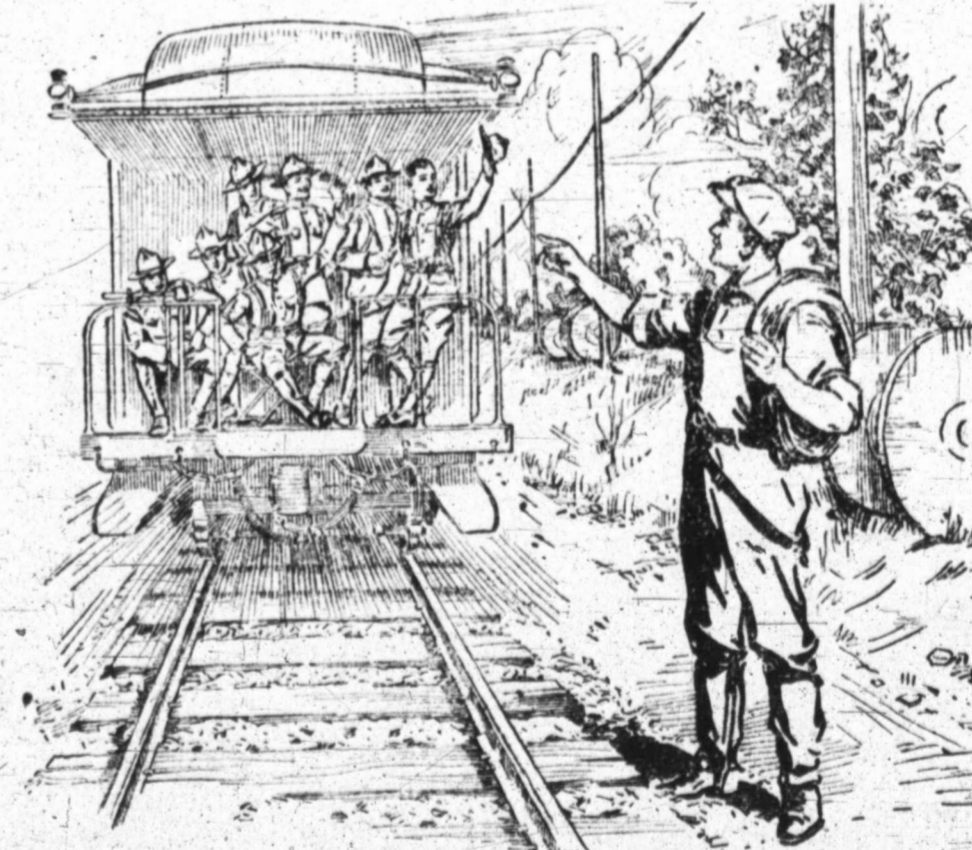
By Associated Press. Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 17.—Upon the decision today of the voters throughout the dominion rests the fate of the new Union government, which, if retained in office, will enforce selective conscription to fill the ranks of the Canadian army overseas. Opposing Sir Robert Borden, leader of the Union forces, is the veteran Liberal leader, Sir Wilfred Laurier, who proposes a referendum as an alternative to the compulsory conscription law, pledging the liberals to abide by the will of the voters.

MORTUARY

Arthur Hatfield, Dr. P. G. Cross was called to White Hill neighborhood near Jolly, Sunday afternoon to conduct the funeral of Arthur Hatfield, who died Saturday, following a long illness with the tuberculosis. The service was held at White Hill school house, burial in the nearby cemetery. The young man was 26 years of age and unmarried.

MISS FITZGERALD, MISS MORGAN AND MRS. MEADOWS OF ALTOUS, OKLA.

Miss Lois Fitzgerald, entered the newly organized K. N. Club at her home last Friday. Knitting for the soldiers was the order of the evening and the club adjourned at a late hour to meet again with Miss Frances Gillon the first Friday in January.



The Telephone Vanguard

The soldier off to camp finds that the telephone man has preceded him. It has been the telephone man's job to help make the camp ready for the soldiers. He has gone ahead with the contractors, installing temporary telephone equipment to facilitate the work of construction.

The Southwestern Telegraph & Telephone Co.

Johnson's Freeze-Proof PREVENTS FROZEN RADIATORS Protect Your Car Now—Ask Us. Western Auto Supply Company Phone 219 718 Indiana

Vertical text on the right edge of the page containing various notices and advertisements.

Wanted To Buy Second-Hand Furniture and Stoves!
Star Furniture Co. Phone 1011

BE READY FOR THE COLLECTOR

Receiving Want Ads by telephone is the final detail in making the Times Want Columns promptly and perfectly useful to the readers.

Telephone ads cost no more, in money—and less in time—but the Times must employ collectors to follow the phone.

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS

WANTED—To buy second hand furniture and stoves. Phone 1613, Gas Stove and Furniture Co.

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

FOR RENT—2 furnished rooms for light housekeeping to parties without children, 1319 11th street.

Ponder

The Second-Hand Man BUY, SELL, REPAIR and UPHOLSTER.

FOR SALE—City Property

FOR SALE—11 room rooming house 1205-11th st. phone 2366. 162-tfc

Second Hand Furniture THE BLACK DIAMOND FURNITURE CO. We Sell On Installments We Buy, Sell, Rent and Repair

NOTICES

Subscriptions to THE WICHITA TIMES accepted at NOBLE GRAY'S NEWS STAND in lobby of FIRST NATL. BANK BLDG.

SALESMEN WANTED

IMMEDIATELY—Six men of good appearance to sell an automobile accessory. experience unnecessary.

BOARD AND ROOMS

BOARD AND ROOM at 1203 Burnett. Phone 1858. 179-26tc

LAWYERS DIVIDED TO AID DRAFTED MEN WITH PAPERS

Wichita Falls attorneys were divided into three groups at a meeting of the bar association this morning.

LOST

LOST—Cameo ring. Return to Essie Bell, 1409 Halliday. Phone 1988. Reward, 183-3c

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE—OR TRADE—Pair small suitcases, will trade for good second hand lumber and brick.

FONVILLE OPTICAL CO. We grind all our Lenses. 621 Eighth St. Phone 2161. Exclusive Mfg. Opticians

Dodson Furniture Company Successors to Wichita Furniture Co. We buy, sell and exchange—All repair work done promptly 908 Indiana Phone 528

Correctly Fitted Glasses Are not merely a matter of machinery and lenses but require an accurate comprehensive knowledge of anatomy, physiology and physics.

Haltom & Friedly Optical Parlor Entrance through Jewelry Store 614 Eighth St. Phone 576

HOG SALT IN BAGS FOR YOUR FRESH MEAT KING'S Grocery 721 SEVENTH STREET Phone 604 Try a Times Want Ad.

LODGE DIRECTORY. The Brotherhood of American Yeomen meet every first and third Friday night of each month at new Odd Fellows' hall, 708 1/2 Seventh Street.

Knights and Ladies of Security Council 2361 meets every Tuesday evening. Masonic Temple 10th and Scott.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 322, K. A. M. Stated convocations second Friday night in each month.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 237 meetings first and third Tuesday night of each month.

BETTER BE SAFE THAN SORRY

Anderson & Kepley OIL PRODUCERS BUY AND SELL Leases and Production 418 First National Bank Bldg. Phone 2656

PROFESSIONAL CARDS ATTORNEYS: ROBERT E. HUFF, Attorney-at-Law, Notary in office, Office: Hear First National Bank. MARTIN, GULLINGTON, BOONE & HUMPHREY, Attorneys-at-Law, 311-12-14-14 K & K Bldg.

Highest prices paid in cash or trade for second hand furniture, rugs, stoves, etc. Patton Furniture Co., 719-12 Seventh street. Phon. 1660. 179-26tc

WE RENOVATE and recover old mattresses and make them just like new. Patton Furniture Co., 719-12 Seventh street. Phone 1660. 179-16tc

WANTED—By old Confederate soldier board and room, willing to do chores around the place in exchange for my room and board. Address G. S. Burkhalter, Gen. Del., city. 185-3tc

WE WILL take orders for Mexican pecan candy, 1102 7th street. 186-61p

WANTED—To dig earthen tanks by the job. Gene Lynsky, Route 4, City. 186-31p

WANTED—3 unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping. Dr. E. B. Hatley, phone 1428. 186-32c

WANTED—To take care of babies day or night, or by week. Phone 1952. 186-42c

CARPET CLEANING—New club rates to old and new customers. My Harmless Vacuum Process more than pays the small cost for cleaning often for estimates. Phone 2268. R. A. Bailey. 187-17c

WANTED—To keep one or two good milk cows for their feed. Write J. W. Nicholson, P. O. Box 586. 187-11p

WANTED—Chores or any kind of work by man not able to do hard manual labor. Will work cheap. Phone 2522. Ask for George Tomlinson. 187-37c

WANTED—Woman to do general housework. Good pay to right party. Phone 563. 187-37p

WANTED—Girl for general housework, 1508 Bluff. Phone 2226. 186-32c

WANTED—Girl for general housework, 1617 11th street. 186-32c

WANTED—Girl for general housework, 1608 Bluff. Phone 2226. 187-37c

USED AUTOS FOR SALE

1916 5-passenger Ford in first class condition for sale at once. Willis Car Co., Masonic Bldg. Phone 2150. 163-tf

FOR SALE—1915 model Hupmobile. Address room No. 2 Ward building. Phone 2816. 174-tfc

FOR SALE—One six cylinder Mitchell Auto in first class running condition, new tires all around, for sale at once. \$400.00 cash. Phone 2150, WELLS Car Co., Masonic building. 174-tfc

FURNISHED HOUSES

FOR RENT—Furnished cottage close in for 2 months to couple without children. Reference required. Phone 294. 185-32c

DRESSMAKING

Mrs. Frankie Ross, dressmaking, alterations and repairing, 1306 Scott. Phone 1718. 161-tfc

HELP WANTED—Male

WANTED—Boy who is not afraid of work. If under 16 need not apply. Texas Sea Food Co. 187-27c

WANTED—At Westland Hotel experienced operator, could use young man of good family. 187-32c

WANTED—Colored man for general work around place. Apply Mrs. J. L. Jackson, 819 Denver. 187-77c

FIVE-ROOM house on Lamar, between 7th and 8th streets, coming business property, right price. Phone only \$5,200. This is a beautiful home. Thomas & Bland. Phone 99. 180-1p

FOR SALE—A real nice 6-room house; hardwood finished, plastered walls, close to high school, paved street, price only \$5,200. This is a beautiful home. Thomas & Bland. Phone 99. 180-1p

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FOR SALE—One of the best corner lots on Tenth street, \$2,900. Marlow Bros. & Abernathy, 511 Eighth street. Phone 63. 182-tfc

FOR SALE—Several choice lots on pavement on Eleventh street. Will sell you lot and loan money to build. LINA A. BOYD, 603 Eighth Street. Phone 1861. 186-tfc

FIVE-ROOM modern house on a corner lot, on 9th street, \$2,600. Five-room house on Eleventh street, with 1,500 block with 100 foot east front, \$1,500. Four-room, east front, brick stucco, on Denver street, \$3,900. This is one of the nicest homes of its size in the city. N. O. Monroe, Phone 2454. 186-31p

FIVE-ROOM, very neat house recently overhauled on Denver street. Price \$5,000. Stehlik & Baber. 186-31p

FOR SALE—Lot on Tyler with frame building, 24x40, rents for \$25 per month, \$1500. Marlow Bros. & Abernathy, 511 Eighth street, Phone 63. 182-tfc

FIVE ROOM bungalow east front on Taylor street in good shape. All modern. Has three large closets, shrubbery, shade trees, garage, etc. Price \$2,650.00. Stehlik & Baber. 174-tfc

THREE vacant lots on Seventh street, close to city park. Dandy place for medium class real houses, with walking distance of business part of town. Price \$1,000.00 for three lots. Stehlik & Baber. 174-tfc

FOR SALE—Nice lot on 10th street, good location, bargain, \$1,400. Thomas & Bland. Phone 99. 180-1p

FIVE-ROOM modern house, close in on Burnett street, \$2,500. A six-room modern house on a corner lot, near the Austin school building, \$2,700. Five-room, strictly modern house near the Austin school building, \$2,550. N. O. Monroe, Phone 2454. 186-31p

FOR SALE—A good 6-room house on 10th street. Garage, servants house and concrete driveway; lot 50x115 feet. This side of Brook street, price \$5,500 and worth the money. Thomas & Bland. Phone 99. 180-1p

FOR SALE—Nice five-room house on Taylor street in Florida Heights, \$6,000. 50x150, back yard fenced, barn and chicken house. Terms: See Dr. A. L. Lane. 180-tc

FOR SALE—Six room house, all modern, within three blocks of business district, \$3,900. Will take good automobile. Marlow Bros. & Abernathy, 511 Eighth Street. Phone 63. 182-tfc

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HUFF Avenue lots. It has been about six months since the paving was started on 11th street, now practically every lot has a house on it, or the contract is out for one. Some of these lots have been sold three and four times, with each party that sold them making a profit. The same opportunity is now offered to anyone that buys a lot on Huff avenue, as this street is soon to be paved and it will then be built up as 11th now is. Any one, living in Wichita Falls at this time is bound to know of the demand for good homes. At any time that you wish to see these lots and get the prices on them, I will be glad to show you. N. O. MONROE, Phone 2454. 186-31p

FOR SALE—One hundred lots, Ward and Todd Subdivision number one, Electra Field, write or visit A. W. Harper, 325 Plymouth Bldg., Minneapolis, Minn. 187-37c

PRACTICALLY new, five-room, south front modern home in Southern addition. This place has three edge grain floors, all rooms nice size, nice electric fixtures and is a well built home in every respect. \$3,700. This price is less than this house can be built for at present. N. O. Monroe, Phone 1454. 186-31p

FIVE-ROOM stucco house on 11th street, never been occupied. You can get immediate possession of place. Stehlik & Baber. 186-tf

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—Position by experienced woman stenographer salary less than \$15 per week not considered. Address X. Y., care Times. 180-tfc

EXPERIENCED lady stenographer desires position. Miss Caldwell, Phone 2166. 184-31p

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

PARTNER WANTED—In nice little confectionery business. Few hundred dollars will handle deal, have splendid trade and location. Phone 2654. 185-51c

FOR SALE—Nice little business splendid trade and location or bargain. Act quick. Would give terms on part. Phone 2654. 185-51c

WE HAVE a buyer for all production and good proven leases. Would like price direct from owner. All transactions confidential. Jensen and Roberts, 212 First National Bank building. 185-71p



We may have on our lists just such a home as pictured in your dreams. Cravens, Walker & Co. Phone 694. K. & K. Building

### CHRISTMAS GIVING OF CITY CHURCHES TO FOLLOW CUSTOM

FIRST PRESBYTERIANS PLAN "HOOVER" AFFAIR, LACK-ING CANDY.

### WOULD MAKE ALL HAPPY

Pantomime Will Be Feature at First Christian Church—Baptists to Remember Orphans.

Wichita Falls churches this year will have a "Giving Christmas" as has been the custom for several years and those who are omnipresent will receive of the bounty of the more fortunate of the community. Practically every church in the city will make offerings of charity instead of distributing gifts to the members of the Sunday school.

In addition to giving instead of receiving the First Presbyterian Sunday school will have a "Hoover Christmas," the candy having been eliminated from the treat which has been formerly distributed at Christmas time. The tree will be held Monday night and a program of readings and songs from the different departments given. The contributing to charity will consist of edibles to go in the baskets to be given to the poor.

**Christmas Pantomime.** Very spectacular is the Christmas pantomime, "The White Christmas," which is to compose the program of the First Christian church. The pantomime will be given next Sunday evening and there will be no program on Christmas Eve. Gifts for charity will be taken up in the course of the pantomime, the theme of which is "white gifts for the King."

A Christmas cantata on Sunday night, "The Morn of Glory," by the choir, and a Christmas tree and program by the Sunday school on Monday evening is on schedule for the First M. E. Church, South. This Sunday school will bring its gifts for the poor and will receive a simple treat from the tree. The program will be supplied from the various departments.

**Christmas Cantata.** "The American Santa Claus," a Christmas cantata, will be given Christmas Eve by the Sunday school.

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of the First Methodist church. On Sunday evening the choir will have a special musical program, making two Christmas programs. This church will observe a giving Christmas.

A beautiful service is planned by the Church of the Good Shepherd at midnight Christmas Eve, with Holy Communion and special music by the choir. Late Monday afternoon a tree will be held at the parish house for the members of the Sunday school, the usual treat to be distributed following a short program.

**First Baptist Church.** The First Baptist Church and Sunday school this year will divide their Christmas charity between Buckner's Orphanage and the needy of Wichita Falls. The Christmas program will be held Monday evening at the church—a simple treat given the children and an offering of clothes and food for the poor taken.

Following their usual custom the Central Presbyterian Sunday school will have a Christmas tree on Christmas Eve. Special music and readings will make up the program, candy and fruit will be given the members of the Sunday school who will in turn make an offering for the poor.

In the other churches of the city there will be the usual appropriate services, announcements of which will be made later.

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## SCHOOL HOLIDAYS WILL BE DECIDED BY BOARD TONIGHT

The question of Christmas holidays in the schools will come up before the board of education at its regular meeting to be held tonight. It is understood that the school children will know just how many care free days they will have to spend between Christmas and New Years. In the ward schools, particularly among the lower grades, special Christmas exercises are being planned to be given just before the departure for the holidays. Nothing, however, will be undertaken in that nature of an elaborate Christmas observance, it is understood, except that on Tuesday evening of this week the musical and gymnastic departments of the high schools will give a public program in the high school auditorium.

## Y. W. C. A. War Fund Expected to Close in Early Part of Week

Only a little more than \$100 remains to be raised of the \$1,000

## Comfort Committee Is Appointed Here To Help Local Camp

For the one purpose, that of providing comfort and entertainment to the men of Call Field, the Army and Navy Mothers Comfort Committee of Wichita Falls has been appointed with Mrs. J. W. Lee as chairman. The appointment comes from the president of the National Congress of Mothers, Mrs. Frederick Schoff of Philadelphia, Penn.

Mrs. Lee has chosen on her committee Mrs. A. H. Bratain, Mrs. J. W. Stone, Mrs. J. T. Montgomery and Mrs. C. B. Felder. The committee will at present attend to what ever needs may arise at the camp and is in close touch with the commandant's office, so that they may be of the greatest amount of service. They are making a request for current magazines for the personal use and ask that all who will contribute magazines for Call Field phone any member of the committee.

pledged by Wichita Falls women to the Y. W. C. A. war fund. This deficiency will be made up early in this week and the money dispatched to headquarters only a few days behind the time set for closing the fund.

The committee in charge of the fund campaign desires to thank W. J. Wilke, manager of the Empress Theatre, for his contribution of \$26.15 per cent of the profits on his Thursday feature, "Jack and The Bean Stalk."

### RAILROAD TIME TABLE

Missouri, Kansas & Texas	Ar.	Lv.
<b>Eastbound—</b>		
To St. Louis, Kan. City and Dallas	5:00 a. m.	
To Indian, St. Louis	2:20 p. m.	
To Kansas City	7:55 p. m.	
From Forgan	11:35 a. m.	
From Elk City		
<b>West Bound—</b>		
From Dallas	9:25 a. m.	
From Indian	10:20 a. m.	
<b>Fort Worth &amp; Denver City.</b>		
<b>Northbound</b>		
To Denver	3:25 a. m.	3:45 a. m.
To Amarillo, Childress	1:40 p. m.	2:05 p. m.
To Electra	7:00 a. m.	
<b>Southbound—</b>		
To Fort Worth	2:05 a. m.	2:15 a. m.
To Fort Worth	2:05 p. m.	2:20 p. m.
From Electra	6:15 p. m.	
<b>Wichita Falls and Northwestern</b>		
<b>Northbound—</b>		
To Forgan, Woodward and Elk City	7:00 a. m.	
To Elk City, Mangum and Frederick	3:15 p. m.	
<b>Southbound—</b>		
From Forgan	7:35 p. m.	
From Elk City	11:15 p. m.	
<b>Wichita Valley</b>		
<b>Westbound—</b>		
To Abilene	3:25 p. m.	
From Byers	1:25 p. m.	
From Byers	5:45 p. m.	
<b>Eastbound—</b>		
From Abilene	1:25 p. m.	1:35 p. m.
To Byers	10:20 a. m.	
<b>Southbound—</b>		
Wichita Falls & Southern Ry.	3:25 p. m.	
To Newcastle	11:00 a. m.	

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