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TIMES TOBACCO KITS PROBABLY DELIVERED MEN

CARDS MAY BE EXPECTED FROM SOLDIERS WITHIN SHORT TIME.

Tobacco kits bought with money contributed by citizens of Wichita Falls and forwarded through the Times have probably been distributed to American soldiers in France and within a few weeks letters to the fund may expect to receive postal cards from soldiers acknowledging the receipt of the kits.

Letter in Explanation. The Times in receipt of the following letter from the American Tobacco Co. from which the tobacco for these kits was purchased:

Wichita Falls, Tex. "Gentlemen: We have been very anxious for some time to speed up the acknowledgments by Wichita Falls card of the tobacco kits sent to our soldiers in France, and we have had our representatives in France make an investigation; he has just cabled us as follows: '1600 cases kits on hand American Red Cross. Will all be delivered by Christmas. Red Cross Aided. As you know before we presented to you for consideration the Tobacco Fund plan, we had secured the cooperation of the American Red Cross to transport all kits to France and deliver them to the boys. Major Murphy is head of the American Red Cross in France, and all shipments are consigned to him. The first shipment of kits was made to him in August, and while the transportation to the other side is not so very much delayed, when the goods reach Bordeaux or any port in France, the congestion of the Railroad service is so great that the time they arrive is very uncertain, and it is not safe to figure on goods being delivered in Paris under two or three months. Then there is considerable delay occasioned by the necessity of reshipment from Paris to our troops. We are writing you about this as your readers may have felt some anxiety due to the fact that not many postal cards have been received as yet. However, now that we understand thoroughly why deliveries are so slow, and furthermore, as we know there are so many kits on hand that will be delivered by Christmas, we feel that you might want to tell your readers, if they should ask, the information that we have been able to give you. Very truly yours, THE AMERICAN TOBACCO CO.'"

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MANY APPLICANTS ARE DESIRED FOR GOVERNMENT JOBS

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS ARE TO BE HELD "AT ANY TIME."

Applicants for civil service examinations still fall far short of the needs of the service, and announcements of further examinations continue to pour in, accompanied, in many cases, by raise of pay. The demand for men in several instances that applications will be received and papers graded at any time: under which head are the following: Accessory inspector, small arms ammunition (male), and ballistic inspector small arms, ammunition (male); \$1,200 to \$1,900. Mechanical draftsman (male) (office of chief of ordnance, war department, Washington, D. C.) Grade 1, \$900 to \$1,400; Grade 2, \$1,400 to \$1,500. Senior dairy herdsman (male), \$1,500. Telegraph operator, \$900 to \$1,600. On Jan. 15, mechanical and electrical engineering (male), \$1,500. On Jan. 15, master sheet metal worker (male), \$8.24 per day. On Jan. 15, inspector of rubber (male), \$1,200. On Jan. 15, specification writer (male), \$4.72 to \$7.04 per day. On Jan. 15, tabulating mechanic (male), \$1,200 to \$1,400. On Jan. 23, calculating machine operator, \$900 to \$1,200. On Jan. 23, statistical clerk, \$900 to \$1,200. On Jan. 22, assistant director for agricultural education (male), \$500. On Jan. 22, assistant director for home economics education (female), \$450. On Jan. 22, assistant director for trade and industrial education (male), \$450. On Jan. 22, assistant director for commercial education (male), \$450. On Jan. 22, assistant director for research (male), \$4,000. On Jan. 23, laboratory apprentice, \$540. On Jan. 23, aid, Grade 1, \$600. On Jan. 23, aid, Grade 2, \$720. On Jan. 23, laboratory assistant, \$900. On Jan. 23 and 24, clerk qualified in modern languages, \$900 to \$1,200. On Jan. 23 and 24, local and assistant inspector of boilers (male), \$1,500 to \$2,000. On Jan. 23 and 24, local and assistant inspector of hulls (male), \$1,500 to \$2,000. On Jan. 23, inspector of field glasses, \$1,200. N. B. Where not otherwise specified, persons of either sex are eligible for application, and salaries are for the period of one year.

Three Sleepers Burned To Death in Toledo, O., Christmas Tree Cause

By Associated Press. Toledo, Ohio, Jan. 1.—Fire in a two-story apartment house here early this morning caused when a lighted candle fell from a Christmas tree, trapped three sleepers who were burned to death before firemen could reach them. The dead are: Mrs. Felix Schmidt, 23; William Meinen, 8, and Agnes Meinen, 10.

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FORTY-THREE ARE ENLISTED HERE IN AVIATION CORPS

TWENTY-ONE OF THE NUMBER ARE RESIDENTS OF WICHITA FALLS.

COUNTY SURVEYOR ONE

All Are Assigned Temporarily To Various Sections of the Work To Be Taken Permanently Placed.

Twenty-one young men of this city, including a number prominent in social and business circles, enlisted at Call Field in the aviation section of the signal corps when opportunity for enlistment was given. One Wichita county officer, Joe F. Overbey, formerly of Iowa Park, county surveyor, is among those enlisting.

Temporary Assignments. All have been assigned temporarily to some department of the aviation section. Permanent assignment will be made according to the special training of the men.

There were twenty-two boys and young men from nearby towns who were accepted, in addition to the local recruits, making a total of 43 enlistments received at Call Field.

List of Recruits. The names of the forty-three accepted follow: From Wichita Falls: Dell S. Brashear, Preston H. Brown, Joseph A. Herzy, J. J. Bonner, Frank P. Callom, Paul L. Coupley, Ernest R. Fain, Parker L. Flowers.

Carl A. Hersh, Harry M. Ansen, A. A. Kauffhold, Homer H. Karonbrock, William H. McCutchen, Thomas J. Mills, William C. Moody, John A. Olson, Joseph F. Overbey, Henry B. Riley, Emanuel Reisenberg, Richard E. Schmidt, Rod Zorn. From other towns: Maynor W. Abbott, Henrietta, Arthur V. Hevins, Electra, John G. Cotham, Guwah, Virgil L. Couch, Bowie, C. O. Davis, Irving, Washington, Frank E. Doobers, Electra, Roy J. Gregory, Hollis, Okla., Louis M. Gilliam, Electra, Charles L. Hammond, Charlie, Floyd K. Harper, Binghamton, N. Y. (formerly with the Gisonite Const. Co.) Tony Homoky, Shaddock, Okla., Clarence Hiltonfeld, Henrietta, George W. Moore, Paducah, Homer M. Martin, Electra, Roy Miller, Electra, Wesley W. Moore, Electra, Roy M. McDonald, Iowa Park, Kaspar L. McKinnon, Chillicothe, Robert B. Richards, Electra, S. J. Smith, Comanche, James N. Stokes, Paducah, Ernest A. Vernon, Chillicothe.

WILSON'S PICTURE IS SENT BY WIRE TO NEW YORK CITY

By Associated Press. Ogden, Utah, Jan. 1.—Sending of a picture of President Wilson from Ogden to New York City and return, a total distance of 4,856 miles over telegraph wires was accomplished yesterday afternoon by L. R. Leshman, an Ogden man who has invented a novel code system and receiving device for decoding. Only thirty-seven minutes was taken for actual transmission of the picture code and two hours for all the work in connection with the picture which was received in the presence of city officials.

LUSITANIA SURVIVOR ENGAGED TO U. S. AVIATOR



Miss VIRGINIA B. LONEY

Miss Virginia Bruce Loney, one of the 119 Americans rescued from the Lusitania when that steamship was sunk, will be married to Mr. Robert H. Gamble, of Jacksonville, Fla., who enlisted in the aviation section of the Naval Reserve. Miss Loney's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen D. Loney, were lost when the Lusitania sank. Mr. Gamble is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gamble, of Jacksonville, previously of Richmond, Va. He has been training at the aviation camp at Miami, Fla.

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CLASSIFICATIONS OF REGISTRANTS WELL UNDER WAY

EACH IS BEING GIVEN FORMAL NOTICE OF CLASS IN WHICH HE BELONGS.

NAMES ARE GIVEN OUT

All Claims of Improper Allotment in Lists Expected to Be Made Within Five Days Time.

The exemption board is at work on the task of classifying the registrants according to the information provided in the questionnaires, and two hundred and thirty-five have already been classified, the fourth class being, by far the largest.

Each registrant is being notified of his classification as soon as it is made, and in event of his belief that he has been wrongly classified a claim to that effect must be sent to the local board within five days of the date upon the notification card. This will then be taken up with the district board, and the decision announced as soon as possible.

The following names have been given out by the board as having been classified:

- Class Number 1. Elmer Emmet Adams, Ike Brinson, Harry Hendrix Byman, Ralph O. Caldwell, Buford Wayne Derling, Marvin Lee, Lee Gates, Howard J. McKee, Herman McWhorter, Jake Moore, James A. Pennington, Carl J. S. Von Brink, Lloyd Imberger, Daniel Parker Young, Allen Banks, Ernest E. Brown, Joseph U. Cheairs, John Cavazos, Howard Dyer, Joe Fookagawa, Hubert Scott Goodman, George T. Henderson, Will Mayton, Walter Harry Morgan, Roy D. Ragdale, Lucian P. Saddler, William A. Van Shirely, Alfred R. Waddell, Willie Boyd, Glacey H. Brown, Roscoe Robert Christian, Ed Jim Davis, James Nathan Elliott, Thomas James Frazier, Paul W. Guyan, Amos T. Hunt, Jesse S. Little, Claude A. Seeler, Roy Rich, Thomas Norrell Smith, Edward R. Vaught, J. H. White.

- Class Number 2. Ernest Guy Boardman, Carl McKee, Thomas J. Boardman, Samuel F. Van Hoozer, Ballard Preston Jones.

- Class Number 3. Percy Glen Adair, Elmer Allred, Lester Baker, William A. Blagg, Harry Brown, John Mable Brown, C. J. Bryson, Elmer John Byman, Jesse E. Chandler, George Burk Childress, George C. Collier, Luther S. Cooper, Samuel Thomas Cummings, Albert Denike, Charlie Dickson, Stephen A. C. Eason, Ignacio Flores, Harvey C. Friberg, Ivey Lee Garner, Lester Llewellyn Gowdy, Ennis Aller Green, Arvil Fred Hambrick, Ray Robert Hart, Zeb W. Heath, Henry Pope Harden, William E. Hufflines, Benjamin F. Johnson, Lester Scott Jones, George Wayne Knight, William L. Krottinger, Benjamin J. Latshaw, John Colvin Lewis, Milton Taylor McClure, Charles M. McManus, Green B. Masengill, Homer Alfred Miller, Bennie Lonzo Moreland, Theodore J. Nichols, Albert Parks, William E. Pitt, Charles T. Price, Richard W. Rammung, William Bruce Reeve, Jr., Irving E. Rowe, William C. Shelbie, David Shepherd, Saul Skidmore, William Adams, William L. Anderson, Edgar T. Beatty, George B. Bodkin, James B. Brown, Frank Brittain, Allen Copley, James Sed, George F. Castles, James Monroe Chandler, Thomas Marshall Clark, Cyrus L. Colley, Luther E. Counts, Joe Sherman Davis, Walter James Deery, Josh Drake, Curtis Ebner, Ollie Frank Ford, Alfred L. Friberg, Elmer C. Gid- eon, Reuben Hill Gracely, Henry Claude Green, John G. B. Hornscomb, Ernest Dale Harbour, Earl P. W. Henson, Fred P. Hornscomb, Scott Huey, J. C. Johnson, Calvin Cherry Jones, Doctor F. Knight, Richard H. Landrum, Glenn C. Leavitt, Martin E. Lewis, Ollie L. McDonald, Patrick Joseph McNamara, Norman W. Medlin, Plues Moore, Luther Clark Mott, Homer P. Parrish, James Aubrey Parr, Burney Berge Portez, Frederick A. Pryor, Frank E. Rankin, Earl Rhinefeldt, Charles Edward Russell, Estelle Alice Schneider, Charles Oran Simmons, Charles Walter Smith, Dan Allen, Emmett H. Archer, James Benjamin Blalock, Guy Ashburn Bounds, Earl Brown, Charles Brown, Charles Wm. John Burdick, William H. Chaf- fee, Carl Birch Chesney, Thomas Earl Claunch, Charley Colbert, Harley Roy Coken, Othull Decker, William De- feo, George D. Dunn, Ocle Lee Fine, James William Friley, Thomas S. Galaske, Newman C. Goodlett, George Green, Cyril Hamilton, Joseph A. Hartmann, James Shelton Hawkins, Jose Ross Henson, Oscar Samuel Hubbard, Henry A. Johnson, James Orville King, Conrad Knowleser, Harvey E. Lantz, Andrew Jackson Lewis, Jerry Latus, Billy Japper Mc- Ham, Thomas G. Martin, Ernest B. Merkt, John William Moore, Samuel Lee Mullinx, Alvin Bert Bicket, James L. Powell, Horace Elmer Byle, Andrew Jackson Reid, Claude R. Rodowalt, John Long Sanders, Char- ley Otto Seeds, John W. Shields, James Clifford Smith, John Wade

RAGSDALE TO BE CANDIDATE FOR RE-NOMINATION

WILL SEEK TO SECURE OFFICE OF TAX ASSESSOR FOR ANOTHER TERM.

T. W. (Tom) Ragdale authorizes the Times today to announce his candidacy for re-nomination for the office of county tax assessor. Mr. Ragdale is now serving his first term in this office and believes that under Democratic precedent he can claim a second term provided that he has made a good record in his first term. It is upon the record of the first term that Mr. Ragdale wishes to be judged. Mr. Ragdale claims that the duties of his office have been promptly and efficiently discharged, and points to an increase of \$2,600,000 in the assessed valuations and the fact that the county's rolls were accepted at the State comptroller's office without a single correction or change being necessary as evidence of the satisfactory conduct of the office. Before being elected tax assessor Mr. Ragdale was for a number of years deputy tax assessor doing the field work. He has been on practically every square mile of land in the county and has acquired in every county. He promises, if re-elected, that the duties of his office will be discharged in the same prompt and efficient manner as heretofore.

Smith, August F. Strobeck, George C. Taylor, Henry Charles Townsend, Theron T. Turner, Joseph H. Wade, Stanley Weidman, Walter Lee Whitlow, Emmitt Leo Wilson, Jesse C. Woodall, James Carrie Wharton, Victor A. Wilson, Walter Lloyd Smith, Clarence Erwin Suggs, Claude Clinton Terrell, Edgar Erath Traueck, Wallace E. Vaught, George Neal Walker, Frank Edward White, Emmett N. Wilson, Ernest Wood, John M. Wood, Ernest Wright, Elpa J. Zimmerman, Claude Stalling, William W. Talley, John C. Thompson, Tom L. Turner, Herbert Voelcker, Cleve Waldrop, Charley Clyde White, Leonard A. Wilson, Richard W. Wood, Charles Woodrige Royal Ambrose Yeager, Bert Lee Zimmerman.

Class Number 5. 6 John E. Butts, Hubert Lewis, Glen D. Peeler, Charles E. Byrd, Aubrey R. Dahl, Gilbert Irwin, Gilbert Church, George A. Nicholson, Walter H. Vogel.

Gary, Indiana, Snaps Its Fingers at Order For Lightless Nights

By Associated Press. Gary, Indiana, Dec. 31.—Gary is one of the few cities in the country that snap its fingers at the federal administration's order to observe "lightless nights" in order to conserve fuel. It is not because the city is unparticipating, but because it does not use electricity it has on hand to light the city, the current will have to be dispensed in the blue thin atmosphere. The peculiar condition is the direct result, moreover, of war necessity. The government must have steel. In order to have steel it must have coke; in order to have coke a certain amount of coal must be burned, and in the coking of the coal so many by-products are formed that it would be sheer waste not to use everything. When coal is coked, there are 750 by-products taken off. The most worthless of these is gas and the most valuable is benzol. The gas obtained here drives 56 engines in the power houses, each of 33,000 horse power, besides running the blowers for the blast furnaces and performing other tasks. The gas engines, in turn, generate electricity, not only all that is used for the steel mills in which there are twelve blast furnaces, but also enough to operate the cement plant, five miles away; a bridge company's plant, some big tin mills; lighting for the entire city and to run a couple of street car lines.

The coke ovens also make enough gas for all purposes too much, in fact, for at each end of the steel mills there is a big four foot exhaust pipe which sends a tongue of flame, four feet thick, fifty feet into the air at all times when the ovens are running full blast.

Hence Gary is in no danger of becoming a dark city because of excessive use of its light sources.

PRISONERS VOTE TO SEND SOME TOBACCO TO SOLDIERS

By Associated Press. Calif., Jan. 1.—Prisoners confined at the state prison here voted, with the sanction of Warden James A. Johnson, to send to the men of the American expeditionary force in France and the first allotment, two fifty-gallon barrels, filled with tobacco was ready today for shipment.

LITTLE STIRRING NEW YEAR'S EVE IN WASHINGTON

GOLD WAVE AND PROHIBITION ARE HELD RESPONSIBLE FOR QUIETNESS.

By Associated Press. Washington, Jan. 1.—The cold wave combined with the new prohibition law to make Washington's first New Year's Eve observation the quietest of recent record. Despite the addition of the thousands who have come to Washington in the past nine months to aid its government, war work, hotels and restaurant proprietors made little or no arrangements for the customary celebration. Cooperation with the food administration in the saving of food was given as the reason for the hotels failing to prepare, and even the usual midnight whistles were silenced to conserve coal. Official Washington spent today quietly. Public receptions, which formerly had been an important part of the New Year's day program were abandoned because of the war.

WELCOME OF NEW YORK IS COOLED BY THE WEATHER.

By Associated Press. New York, Jan. 1.—Frigid weather and wartime economies combined to dampen the anticipated New Year's welcome to 1918. It was largely a subdued indoor celebration. Instead of the thousands of merry-makers thronging brightly lighted Broadway to greet the New Year with tin horns, cow bells and other noise-making devices, as in other years, only a comparatively few braved the chilling wind and the celebration was but an echo of former times. The almost deserted thoroughfares darkened by the fuel administration's edict, was forbidden by the police to be hurried to restaurants and cabarets where war time menus greeted them.

RAILROAD SCHOOL WILL BE OPERATED FOR KATY SYSTEM

The railroads are experiencing so much difficulty in obtaining sufficient clerical help that training schools for this purpose are being organized. The M. K. & T. railroad has adopted this plan, and the following circular has been issued concerning the new system:

The task our country is put in winning the war is rapidly depleting the ranks of the railroad employes and various means must be taken to permit of our necessary operations being carried on with the greatest possible efficiency.

To Open School. To meet the need for efficient office and station forces, a school will be opened in Dallas, Texas, on Jan. 7, for the training of clerical employees to fill the vacancies occasioned by enlistment and conscription in our army and navy.

All branches of office and station work will be taught. No charge will be made for tuition, and positions will be provided as early as possible for all who qualify.

Special attention will be given to seeing that all graduates from this school are provided with respectable and comfortable living accommodations.

Railroad Families. Members of families of men now employed on M. K. & T. lines are especially asked to enroll.

The school can accommodate only a limited number. Students will be entered for examination in the order of receipt of applications. Women and girls desiring to take advantage of this opportunity to secure lucrative and interesting employment should send applications at once to "Katy Training School, Room 302 M. K. & T. Building, Dallas, Texas. Minimum age eighteen years.

W. A. WEBB, Chief Operating Officer.

WHEREAS the Supreme Commander of the Universe has removed from our midst Brother Virgil E. Skeen, a long and useful member of Pioneer Lodge No. 49, Knights of Pythias;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, That in the death of Brother Skeen our Lodge has suffered a great loss, and his family lost a kind and dutiful husband, father, son, and brother;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the sympathy of Pioneer Lodge, and the sympathy of Pythians everywhere are extended to the bereaved members of his family.

(SEAL) J. C. WARD, O. T. GORSLINE, C. B. FELDER, Committee.

"BELL RINGERS" TO BE SEEN HERE THURSDAY NIGHT

PART OF PROCEEDS OF ENTERTAINMENT TO GO TO CALL FIELD Y. M. C. A.

The Lions' Club is to present "The Swiss Bell Ringers" in a very meritorious program at the Wichita Theatre next Thursday night at 8 o'clock. The proceeds of the concert to be given to the army Y. M. C. A. at Call Field. Excellent Entertainment. The Swiss Bell Ringers are a company of noted artists, who have toured many European countries as well as the British Isles with splendid success everywhere. It is declared certain that a most excellent entertainment will be afforded to Wichita Falls, and it is earnestly hoped that there will be a large attendance. The advance sale of the tickets has gone very well indeed, and these may be exchanged for reserved seats at the Rexall drug store tomorrow morning. The program, which is a judicious assortment of popular and classical numbers, is as follows:

- Program. Trio, 7th Concert, De BeFort, Violin, Cello, Harp. Cello Solo, Schumann, Schumann, F. L. Georgette. Saxophone Solo, Popular Ballads, Josephine A. Georgette. Trio, Sextet from Lucia D. (Mozart), Mendelsohn, Violin, Harp, Mandolin Solo, Boston Ideal, Siegel, F. L. Georgette. Violin Solo, Mazurka de Concert, Josephine A. Georgette. Musin. Josephine A. Georgette. Ocarina Solo, Cello Obligato, selected Josephine A. and F. L. Georgette. Xylophone Solo, The American Patrol, Diagan, Josephine A. Georgette. Musical Aluminum Tubes, F. L. Georgette. Harp Solo, Serenata Italiana, De Rocco, Signor Miraglia. Banjo Solo, William W. Talley, F. L. Georgette. Swiss Hand Bell Trio (a) Last Rose of Summer; (b) Irish Airs; (c) Southern Belle, F. L. Georgette. Hungarian Dulcimer Solo, Popular Airs, Josephine A. Georgette. Marimaphone Duo, William Tell, Potpourri, Josephine A. Georgette. Musical Flowers, La Paloma, Yradier, F. L. Georgette. Organ Chime Trio, Medley of Popular Airs.

WELL KNOWN LOCAL CONTRACTOR DIES OF HEART DISEASE

On his way home from the drug store where he had gone to secure medicine for his troubles, H. F. Stewart, for twenty years a well known cement and brick contractor in Wichita Falls, was seized with an attack of heart trouble and died within a few minutes last night. The attack came on him at the corner of Seventh and Scott avenue. He was carried into the Rexall drug store, where he expired.

Mr. Stewart is survived by a widow, a daughter, Mrs. W. J. Howard, Jr., and a son, Leland. Mrs. Stewart and her son were out of town when Mr. Stewart's death occurred, having been called to Mineral Wells by the serious illness of Mrs. Stewart's sister.

Mr. Stewart was a native of Alabama and came to Texas many years ago. He came to Wichita Falls from East Texas. He was known as a good citizen and skilled artisan.

The funeral will be held at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. J. Howard, Jr., at 510 Lamar Avenue, at ten o'clock Wednesday morning. Burial will be in Riverside cemetery. Mrs. Stewart and son missed connections at Fort Worth on their way here from Mineral Wells and will not arrive until morning. Arrangements had been made to hold the funeral at four o'clock this afternoon but on account of the delay in the arrival of Mrs. Stewart and son the hour of the funeral was postponed.

CHRISTMAS MAIL PROVES GREATEST EVER IN NATION

By Associated Press. Washington, Jan. 1.—Christmas mail this year was greater in volume than any year in the history of the postal service and was handled, notwithstanding unusual conditions, more promptly than in previous years.

In New York City mail was forty per cent heavier than last year. Five hundred car loads were dispatched from Chicago in the four day period with 1,100 tons of outgoing parcels being handled in one day. At the army camps and cantonments mails were handled expeditiously, more than 100 tons daily being the extent of some camps.

Irrigation Amendment Is Expected Soon to Be Law in Texas

The constitutional amendment dealing with the reclamation and irrigation of land in Texas, which was passed last summer, is expected to become a law shortly as soon, in fact, as the governor calls a session of the legislature, according to a statement given by J. A. Kemp this morning. Mr. Kemp said that nothing could be done in the matter till the legislature had passed the law, but the amendment could not be put into operation till the law was written on the statute books. This will be shortly accomplished, Mr. Kemp believes.

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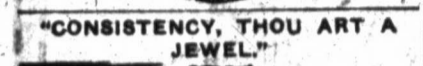
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General Crozier has definitely placed the blame upon Congress, and through Congress, upon the people for lack of heavy artillery in the United States army.

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KAISER PREDICTS SUPREMACY OVER ALL ALLIES SOON

By Associated Press. Amsterdam, Jan. 1.—The Berlin reports that Emperor William has addressed the following order to the army and navy.

Lieut. Fleet Heard Killed By Sentry; Inquiry Is Begun

San Antonio, Tex., Jan. 1.—Lieutenant Fleet Heard, machine gun company 357th Infantry, Ninetieth Division, was almost instantly killed at 11:30 o'clock Monday night when struck by a bullet fired by a military policeman at Camp Travis.

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NORFOLK HOTEL AND STORES ARE LOSSES AT NOON

Norfolk, Va., Jan. 1.—Fire broke out this afternoon in the block on Granby street opposite the Monticello Hotel, which was partially destroyed this morning.

Bundesrat Committee Will Meet in Berlin Wednesday, Is Report

London, Jan. 1.—The foreign affairs committee of the Bundesrat will meet in Berlin Wednesday, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Amsterdam.

CONGRESSMAN TINKHAM ARRIVES IN COUNTRY

An Atlantic Port, Jan. 1.—Congressman George Holden Tinkham of Massachusetts, who has been in Europe since the first American shot against Austria, arrived here today on a French steamship.

PLENTY OF FEED IS NOW ON HAND IN MOST STATES

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Market Report

Fort Worth Livestock. Jan. 1.—CATTLE: Receipts 2,000; market unchanged. Beesves \$1.50@11.25; stockers \$1.50@9.50; heifers \$1.50@7.50; calves \$1.50@11.50.

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CHILD WELFARE BUREAU SEEKS TO HOLD STANDARD

Washington, Jan. 1.—The increased interest in maintaining standards of child welfare during war times was pointed out today by the Children's Bureau in a New Year's warning calling the attention of American citizens to the disastrous effects of exemptions from child labor regulations in foreign countries.

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MORTUARY

Mrs. Anna Stuttle, following a stroke of paralysis, suffered about three weeks ago. Mrs. Stuttle died at 7:30 p.m. Monday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George Davis.

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The First Christian Church announces a New Year's Reception at the Church tonight at 8 o'clock, at which the annual reports will be read. All church members and friends are cordially invited to be present.

Mrs. Krottinger Is In Critical State As Result of Burns Mrs. Barbara Krottinger who was badly burned when her clothing caught fire from an open gas stove Saturday is still in a very critical condition. She is in a comatose state and can recognize no one. The attendance of a trained nurse has been secured and every possible means is being employed for her comfort.

JUDGE NICHOLSON AND FELDER IN PARTNERSHIP Judge E. W. Nicholson and Judge C. B. Felder have entered into a partnership in their law practice. Their offices will be in the same suits that Judge Felder has occupied in the First National Bank building and the firm name will be Nicholson and Felder. Both members of the firm are lawyers of years of experience. Judge Nicholson has been judge of the 78th district court while Judge Felder has been judge of the county court.



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SOCIETY

The New Year. (By Cora Brewer.) May all the seconds of our time Make life to us look more sublime; May thoughts of wrong be left behind. And hearts well-filled may minutes find. May all the minutes that come and go, Make all hearts strong for life's details blow. May we be ready for all good deeds, Where sorrow comes and pity needs. May all the days that we may spend, Bring some great joy to child or friend. May we forget ourselves awhile, And give some helpless one a smile. May all our weeks be fought with fear, Lest we forget to bring some cheer. To some poor silent lonely soul, That lamed, and lost his soul for gold. May all the months bring joy and peace, To those in war may all strife cease; May God forgive, forget the past, Those soulless deeds that cannot last. May all the years bring strength so strong, To all the weary, toiling throng; That peace and joy, good will to man, Will make the earth one joyous band.

WILL ENTERTAIN U. T. C. CLUB ON WEDNESDAY

Mrs. J. T. Gant and Mrs. Leon Deaton will entertain the U. T. C. Club on Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock at the home of Mrs. Gant, 1104 Taylor street.

WATCH PARTY IS ENJOYED AT FIRST METHODIST CHURCH The young people of the First Methodist Episcopal Church enjoyed a watch party at the home of Mrs. J. J. Simon Monday evening. The entertainment as given in honor of the young men of the church who are at home from army training camps. All arrangements were in the hands of Mrs. E. L. Richardson president of the Epworth League. Various games, fortune telling under the direction of Dr. Carrie M. Gibson and other customary New Year activities occupied the time until the morning came. Mr. H. E. Bockman, scout master with his troop joined the watchers at the eleventh hour and waited for the New Year with them. A delicious refreshment course was served to about seventy young people of the church and men from Call Field.

LADIES AID SOCIETY HOLDS PLEASANT MEETING Circle No. 3 of the Methodist Episcopal Church, met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. J. B. Dollard. Business for 1917 was completed and general discussion of the work taken up.

CHRISTIAN LADIES AID DELIGHTFULLY ENTERTAINED Mesdames Parker, Young, Wheeler, Tyson and Hancock entertained the Christian Ladies Aid at the home of Mrs. W. H. Thatcher Monday afternoon. Devotional was led by Mrs. Ola Hamlin. Business of the old year was completed and plans for 1918 discussed. A delicious salad course was served late in the afternoon.

RED DIVISION ENTERTAINS GREENS OF THE B. Y. P. U. The "Red" division of the B. Y. P. U. entertained the "Green" with a watch party at the Baptist Church Monday evening. The church was decorated in honor of the season. About sixty members and visitors from Call Field were present. Music, progressive conversation and games were the order of the evening until a late hour when a delicious salad course arranged to correspond with the names of the two divisions of the organization was served.

CIRCLE NUMBER TWO MEETS WITH MRS. BYMAN Circle No. 2 of the Ladies Aid Society of the First Methodist Episcopal Church met with Mrs. C. Byman Monday afternoon. The business for the old year was completed and plans for the next meeting made. Next Monday an all day quilting meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. C. A. Andree.

B. W. A. MEETS AT CHURCH MONDAY The Baptist Woman's Alliance met at the Baptist Church yesterday afternoon with Mrs. Ralph Hines as leader. Mrs. S. J. Chesby led the devotional. The subject for the afternoon was "China" and the discussion opened with a paper from Mrs. J. C. Miller on "The Walls of China." Mrs. F. C. Barron rendered solo, "What If it were today," and Mrs. R. B. Stayton read a discussion on "China Today." Mrs. J. J. Lory told the story of "Abikwan." On Friday a special prayer service for education will be held at the Baptist Church from two until four o'clock. Such services will be held all over the state on that day.

ELKS CHRISTMAS DANCE GENUINE WARTIME EVENT A genuine war time social event was the Elks annual Christmas Dance, a New Year's dance this year, with more than half the men in uniform and with a simplicity that would meet with approval from all conservation boards characterizing the arrangements. Decorations further than a few potted plants were omitted, but the fascinating dance music, supplied by the Templetons and orchestra quite recompensed for any lack of elaborate decorations. The grand march opened at ten o'clock. Judge W. R. Scurry, chairman of the committee on arrangements leading and favoring Mrs. George Pratt, wife of Major Pratt at Call Field. From then until long after the bells and whistles proclaimed the advent of the year 1918 the dancers, more than two hundred in number, continued the merry swirl to the new music. Refreshments of punch and a sandwich course were served in the buffet. Many Elks who had formerly been ubiquitous at such functions were absent, now with the colors in training camps and in France or Italy, but their places were taken by other men in uniform, here for their first war time Christmas and the "girls left behind" vied with the men whose uniforms were not in vogue, in making the holiday time a merry one for the army here for a brief sojourn, with a thought of those who had been companions at the Christmas dances of last year and others previous and who were finding their Christmas pleasure away from home.

Practically the entire official family of Call Field was present, a number of cadets, visiting officers and others.

men from Camp Bowie and Wichita Falls young men who have enlisted at Call Field. The club rooms have never housed a praver party than that of last night and the liberal sprinkling of uniforms to which every social event is by now accustomed, lent a military air while the bewitching frocks of the misses and the handsome gowns of the chaperones, making a fine feminine touch of the beautiful to lighten the military and believe the dull black of the full dress of the civilians in attendance.

There have been Christmas dances at the Elks Clubs where more money was spent for decorations, there have been far more elaborate arrangements, but it was the general opinion that there had never been a more thoroughly enjoyable affair in the history of Wichita Falls society.

SOCIAL MEETING OF MUSICIANS CLUB POST PONED The social meeting of the Musicians Club, planned for next Thursday afternoon, has been abandoned, owing to the sickness of some members and the absence from town of others.

TWO SPECIAL FEATURES AT THE GEM TODAY "My Little Boy" a Bluebird suggested by Eugene Field's famous poem, "Little Boy Blue" with Ella Hall, Zoe Rae and Emory Johnson are stars. The other feature is "The Reward of the Faithless" in which Betty Shado and Wedgewood Nowell are starred. Guido Caparelli was an adventurer living by his wits and succeeding so well that he had access to the most exclusive society of St. Petersburg. There he met Princess Diane Ragoski and when her father died he applied the artistry of his sympathetic craftiness so skillfully that the girl fell in love with him and they were married. Not content with having gained this much, Guido coveted Katerina Vlasoff, a girl Princess Diane had rescued from the streets. When they thought the Princess dead, the conspirators lived undisturbed in the enjoyment of their sin. But when the awakening came,

they paid the penalty of their villainy and Princess Diane was avenged. In brief this is the outline of the story to be told in gripping episodes in "The Reward of the Faithless," a Bluebird photoplay. "HAVE A HEART" AT WICHITA NEXT WEEK. "Have a Heart," one of the indispensible musical comedy successes of last winter in New York will be presented by Henry W. Savage at the Wichita Theatre Tuesday, January 8. This Bolton-Wodehouse melange of mirth, melody and novelties has been concisely summed up by a New York reviewer as "a splendid panoramic vision of stage beauty. The scenes are laid in the lingerie section of a big department store and in a fashionable summer hotel at Blueport, R. I. The droll comedy complications involve a devoted young couple almost divorced because of a little misunderstanding about a pretty shop girl who evolved into a movie queen. And the hilarious climax is reached when they decide to elope together and begin a second honeymoon. "Have a Heart" is the forty-eighth production of Mr. Savage, whose successes have run the gamut from grand opera to musical comedy. Famous examples are: "The Sultan of Sulu," "The Merry Widow," "The Yankee Consul," "The Prince of Pilsen," "Sari," "Pom-Pom," "The College Widow," "The Country Chairman," "Madam X," "Excuse Me," "The Devil," and the still vital "Everywoman." "HAVE A HEART" PLAYS ONLY LARGER CITIES Wichita Falls is the smallest city in which Henry W. Savage's big musical comedy "Have a Heart" will show this season. It will be here on Tuesday January 8th. It was only through dint of persistent personal effort that L. Markowitz, manager of the Wichita theatre, secured this great artistic success for Wichita Falls. The company carried its own symphony orchestra and enough scenery to keep a small army employed in handling it. "Have a Heart" is the biggest success that will be anywhere in the Southwest this season, and Wichita Falls theater lovers can consider themselves fortunate in the opportunity to see it.

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WANTED—To rent or lease a five or six room residence, modern, close in. Natusbaum's. 198-2tc

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LOST—\$5.00 bill between Sol Liberson's store and Frear Furniture Co. Reward. Return to Times office. —198-3tp.

LOST—At Call Field, gold mesh bag. Liberal reward. Return to Major Pratt —198-3tc.

LOST—Child's white serge coat with silk padding stolen or taken through mistake. Return to Empress. 200-3tc

FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—One car apples in SF 11065 covered by Clifton, Colo., to Wichita Falls, way bill No. 269, Nov. 26th, shipped by W. C. Pope, consigned to W. E. Flowers. Will be sold 10:00 a. m. Friday, Jan. 4th at M. K. & T. freight office to highest bidder, account refused by consignee. Inspection will be allowed at request. A. B. Maples, agent. 198 8tc

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FOR SALE—City Property

IF YOU have anything in the way of a good residence or a nice residential lot that you wish to sell, please phone in, as we will be glad to handle it for you and have calls daily for good homes. N. O. Monroe, Phone 2454. 198 3tp

SIX ROOM HOME, which is all that you could expect it to be, new. We are asked by the owner not to show this home to anyone unless they are in the market for sure enough home. Please do not call unless you can consider information given strictly confidential. Price and terms right. Stehlik & Baber. 198 tlc

FOUR ROOM frame house to be moved off of lot. O. F. Marchman. Phone 2851. 198 tlc

FOR SALE—11 room rooming house 305-11th st. Phone 2366. 162-tlc

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Brick business house on Seventh street, on the alley next to the St. James Hotel. Will sell this property at a bargain or will take residential property that is well located. N. O. Monroe, Phone 2454. —198 3tp.

ASK ME about Eleventh street lots. Have several choice locations and a splendid buy. O. F. Marchman, Phone 2851. 198 tlc

FOR SALE—Several choice lots on pavement on Eleventh street. Will sell you lot and loan money to build. LINSY A. BOYD, 603 Eighth Street. Phone 1861. —168 tlc

FIFTY by Fifty business lot on which we can take in some trade, the owner of this property owns other real estate adjoining and will sell half of wall at cost to the purchaser if so desired. For full particulars see us. Stehlik & Baber. 198-tlc

SIX ROOM strictly modern house with a south front, with good servants house and garage. This house is located in the best residential block on Eighth street, and can give very attractive terms. Can also give immediate possession. Price \$3,500.00. N. O. Monroe, Phone 2454. 198 3tp

FOR SALE—Nice five-room house on Taylor street in Floral Heights, lot 50x150, back yard fenced, barn and chicken house. Terms. See Dr. A. L. Lane. 180-tlc

FIVE room modern house on east front lot only 50 feet off of Eleventh street, for \$3,250. Good terms and a bargain. O. F. Marchman, Phone 2851. —198 tlc.

FOR SALE—By owner, five-room, brand new modern house. Never been occupied and is now ready to move in. This house was built for a home and is located in the best residential section of the city. It is not for rent. Phone 572. 189-15tc

AN EAST FRONT 4-room house, one block off line for \$850, on good terms. O. F. Marchman, Phone 2851. —198 tlc.

IMMEDIATE possession, 7-room modern house, one half block Lamar Park, only \$2,500.00. R. H. Chancellor, Phone 1352.

A SACRIFICE—Five room strictly modern house on corner lot just off Tenth street, on Monroe street. \$2,750. This house cannot be built now for this money, the reason for the sacrifice on this house is that it belongs to a non-resident and it is the only property that he owns in the town. N. O. Monroe, Phone 2454. 198 3tp

FIVE room bungalow, in Floral Heights, two blocks of Tenth and one block from street car line. House all modern, good garage, and electric. Sell this house on very liberal terms to right parties. Price \$2,500. Stehlik & Baber. 198 tlc

A SPLENDID BUY—On Tenth street, this side of Floral Heights, 7 rooms and sleeping porch. A high class piece of property for \$4,000. Good terms. O. F. Marchman, Phone 2851. 198 tlc

EAST FRONT—Five room strictly modern house, close in on Austin street. \$2,750.00. Five room strictly modern house on a 52 1/2 x 165 foot lot in the 1200 block on Eleventh street. \$3,000.00. Five room modern house with full size lot in the 1400 block on 15th street. \$2,400.00. Four room modern house on a full size lot in the 1500 block on Fifteenth street. \$1,500. N. O. Monroe, phone 2454. 198 3tp

SIX ROOM two story house in the 1900 block on Tenth street. \$4,750.00. Five room strictly modern bungalow in the 2500 block on Tenth street. \$3,500.00. Six room east-front home, modern in every respect, with good concrete foundation, concrete basement, situated in the 1100 block on Taylor street. \$3,500.00. N. O. Monroe, phone 2454. 198 3tp

A GOOD LOT—Only 50 feet off of Tenth street belonging to non-resident for \$750.00. O. F. Marchman, 198 tlc

ONE half block Austin school, five large rooms, all out buildings, worth \$2,000.00. Immediate sale. \$2,200. R. H. Chancellor, Phone 1352.

FOR SALE—City Property

FOR SALE—Five-passenger Ford in All condition, 1920 7th street. Phone 1072. 188-4p

FOR SALE AT BARGAIN—Owing to fact that we are going to the factories after January 1st, the following cars must be sold at once: 1 Ford Roadster. \$285.00 1 Ford Touring Car. \$190.00 1 Reo Cyclinder. 5-pass. \$185.50 1 Mitchell 6 cylinder. \$200.00. WILLS CAR CO. Corner 10th and Scott—Phone 2150. 195-tlc

FOR SALE—Bulck six, D-45. See Moxley at First National Bank. 198 3tp

BARGAINS IN USED CARS. 5-Passenger Lozier, cost new \$3,250 for \$1,175. Elgin Demonstrator, cost \$1,175. 7-Pass. Chalmers 6-40, new in Aug. for \$900. 5-Pass. Maxwell. \$400. 2-Pass. Maxwell roadster. \$400. 1917 Maxwell Sedan slightly used as demonstrator, cost new \$1,192 for \$900. Above cars in fine class running condition and big bargains for the price asked. S. BEMROD AUTO & SUPPLY CO. 312 Eighth St. Phone 2551. —198 tlc.

FOR SALE—1917 six cylinder 7-passenger Studebaker. Same as new, can be seen at 707 Scott Ave. —G. C. Leach. 198 3tp

DRESSMAKING Mrs. Frankie Ross, dressmaking, alterations and repairing. 1308 Scott. Phone 1718. 161 tlc

BOARD AND ROOMS BOARD AND ROOM at 1203 Burnett. Phone 1868. 179 26tc

BOARD and room in private home for two people—couple preferred. Address Phone 299. 200-3tc

NOTICES

Subscriptions to THE WICHITA TIMES accepted at NOBLE GRADE NEWS STAND in lobby of FIRST NAT'L BANK BLDG.

NOTICE—Experienced detective work. Strictly confidential. Will open office in this city about Dec. 10th. Address P. O. 560. 174 tlc.

NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of First National Bank of Wichita Falls, Texas, will be held at the office of the said bank on Tuesday, January 8th, 1918, at 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 p. m. of said date for the purpose of electing Board of Directors for the ensuing year, and such other business as the stockholders may desire to discuss. 181-30tc T. J. TAYLOR, Cashier.

NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Times Publishing Co. will be held at the Times Building on Tuesday, January 8th, 1918, at 10 o'clock for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors for the ensuing year, and such other business as the stockholders may desire to discuss. RHEA HOWARD, Secretary.

NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Ziegler Stove Company of Wichita Falls, Texas, will be held in the offices of the president, J. A. Kemp, on Tuesday morning, January 8th, at 10 o'clock, for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the ensuing year, and such other business as may properly come before the meeting of the stockholders. J. C. ZIEGLER, Secretary. Wichita Falls, Tex., December 29, 1917. —198 tlc.

REAL ESTATE

New two story 12 room residence four blocks from First National Bank. Will sell for \$8,000, and throw in furniture for seven rooms. \$3,000 cash will handle this bargain. This property will provide you a good home and rooms already occupied by good tenants will more than pay you ten per cent interest on the whole investment. Act quick.

One new modern five room up-to-date stucco house on Eleventh street. Can give immediate possession for \$4,200 on terms. Beautiful six room bungalow on Eleventh will be ready for occupancy by January first. Will sell at a bargain. Phone or see us for price and terms. A large list of homes and choice vacant lots all over town. See us for real bargains.

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FOR SALE—City Property

FIVE ROOM, strictly modern, bungalow, practically new in the best residential block on Ninth street. \$2,200.00. Five room modern house in the 2300 block on Ninth street. \$2,500.00. Five room house in the 1600 block on P. Monroe street, with 100 foot east front. \$1,600.00. N. O. Monroe, Phone 2454. —198 3tc.

CLOSE in on 7th street, 6 large rooms all modern, new house, only \$2,250. Tenth street, 1800 block, new 6-room bungalow, handsome interior finish. \$6,500. 1600 block, 8 rooms, non-resident owner, quick sale \$7,500. running street, 1700 block, nice new 5 rooms, every convenience, less than cost of building. On Bluff Street, close in, 5 rooms, 1600 block, moving into largest residence. See this at once. R. H. Chancellor, phone 1352. 198-3tc

FOR SALE—A-1 Jersey cow, 5 years old with young calf, 3003 Grant St. in factory district. 197 8tp

FOR SALE—Gentle family horse and buggy cheap, at 2102 Buchanan street. 199-3tp

FOR SALE—Good horse Phone 608. 198-tlc

SITUATIONS WANTED

EXPERIENCED, reliable gentleman wants position in office as bookkeeper or clerical work; or will handle small set at reasonable rates. Box 687. —198 6tc.

EXPERIENCED young lady stenographer desires position. Miss Calwell, phone 2166. 198-3tp

POSITION WANTED—By middle aged woman, housework preferred. Apply 1009 Lamar. 200-3tp

POSITION wanted by young man as cook in hotel. Phone 2867. R. L. Brown. 200-3tp

Hides and Leather Are Added to List Being Investigated

By Associated Press. Investigation by the Federal Trade Commission to determine why the prices of shoes "exceedingly high" will unusually large stocks of raw materials are alleged to be held in storage.

Industry is to be made promptly to ascertain the reasonableness of the profits being made by all persons handling leather articles. It is expected that investigation will commence at the source and after threshing out the prices received by the packers for the raw hides, will go into the expense of tanning, manufacturing and even distribution.

Deeds Filed For Record. The following deeds have been filed for record: F. J. Aten to Otto Stehlik and J. M. Baber, lots 1 and 2 block 247, city of Wichita Falls, \$750.

E. Crow and wife to G. H. Cox, 100 acres of land off the south side of block 18 of subdivision of the Knott farm, \$5,250.

Welch Morgan and wife to G. H. Cox, 96.7 acres of land of the east side of block 18, Henderson plot of the Knott farm, \$4,350.

G. W. Musgrave to M. F. Campbell, portion of block 23 and 24, Burnett, \$300.

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T. F. HUNTER Attorney-at-Law Suite 204-206 First Nat'l Bank Bldg. Phone 421.

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LOCAL POSTOFFICE RECEIPTS IN YEAR RECORD BREAKING

TOTAL FOR 1917, AS COMPILED BY POSTMASTER ED HOWARD, IS \$80,743.55

NET GAIN \$11,526.33

Only Small Part of Increase is Due To Change in Postal Rates Made Recently By Congress.

Postoffice receipts for 1917 showed the heaviest gain ever recorded, there being a total of \$80,743.55 with a net gain of \$11,526.33 over the 1916 receipts...

Table with 2 columns: Year, Receipts. Rows for 1917, 1916, 1915, 1914, 1913, 1912, 1911, 1910, 1909, 1908, 1907, 1906, 1905, 1904, 1903, 1902, 1901.

The greatest increase is recorded in December of this year, more than \$7,000 more than in December of last year. This can be attributed in part to the many men away from home in the training camps...

NEW BRIDGE IS OPENED ACROSS OHIO RIVER

Chicago, Jan. 1.—The mile and a quarter bridge built jointly by the Burlington and Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis Railroads across the Ohio river between Metropolis, Ill., and Paducah, Ky., was officially opened today.

1918



RESOLVED:

That our thanks are due our customers for our business success in the past year. Resolved, therefore, that in the future we will do our very best to make our store the most satisfactory place for you to do your Drug Business...

The year 1918 all are called upon to bury deep their personal ambitions—to think and act only for the coming victory for LIBERTY! May the New Year Find You—and Keep You, Happy, Healthy and Prosperous

First Attention To All Orders For The Sick Special Attention Given Our Prescription Dept.

CITY NATIONAL IS REMODELING AND EXPANDING

In preparation for the 1918 business the City National Bank is undergoing a general remodeling and construction of a balcony to provide room for the growing departments.

The customary 5 per cent Christmas dividend was paid to stockholders this year. The annual meeting of the stockholders is to be held Tuesday, Jan. 8.

DR. J. W. DU VAL Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat. Glasses Fitted. First National Bank Building

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Sixteen Million Join Red Cross As Result Of Christmas Drive

Washington, Jan. 1.—Sixteen million new names were added to the membership rolls of the American Red Cross as the result of the Christmas membership drive.

WILSON'S CASH GROCERY

- 2 cans Calumet Baking Powder... 45c
9 lbs. Blackeyed Peas... \$1.00
7 lbs. Navy Beans... \$1.00
8 lbs Red Beans... \$1.00
8 1/2 lbs Rice... \$1.00
12 boxes Matches... 60c
5 Sunbright Cleanser... 75c
package Tapioca... 13c
2 Grape Nuts... 25c
2 packages Post Toasties... 25c
Wash Boards... 25c and 35c
Large Pork and Beans, Heinz... 25c
3 cans small Lima Beans... 50c
2 lbs. White Swan Coffee... \$1.15
10 bars Swift's Soap... 50c
Prunes, per lb... 15c
Evaporated Peaches, per lb... 15c
Toilet Paper, 3 for... 25c
40c Olives... 45c
Two 25c Jelly... 35c
40c Preserves... 55c
Dust Rags... 20c
Wapco Coffee... 25c

Whiskey Laden Car, Still Able to Run, Taken By Officers

That a car left to its own devices with fifteen sacks of booze may be more amenable to treatment than some men under the same circumstances was proven last night when the federal officers after a long chase of a car they had reason to believe was going to Oklahoma to accelerate the New Year rejoicings...

FIRST ACCIDENT AT CALL FIELD IS NOT SERIOUS

FALL OF 75 FEET DAMAGES MACHINE BUT CADET FINDS HIMSELF UNINJURED.

Call Field's first accident in a plane occurred Monday afternoon when a machine in which a cadet was making his first flight unattended by an instructor fell about 75 feet. The young man was unhurt, and one wing of the plane only slightly damaged.

New Year's Greeting From Zambrana Is Received By Hobby

Austin, Texas, Jan. 1.—New Year's greeting from Nicefero Zambrana, Governor of the state of Nuevo Leon, Mexico, who recently held a conference with Governor W. P. Hobby at Laredo, were received by the governor this morning.

FOR THE NEW YEAR We are preparing to take care of our many old and new customers better than ever before... Wichita Cleaning and Dye Works 1102 Scott H. R. HANKS, Mgr. Phone 620

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