



WEATHER FORECAST. West Texas: Tonight cloudy, snow in extreme west portion, slightly warmer in north portion, continued cold in south portion; Tuesday partly cloudy, slowly rising temperature in southeast portion.

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## Clash Between President And Congress Is Expected

### War Cabinet Measure Is Opposed By Wilson; Law-Makers Consider

The cabinet would be given authority over conservation of appropriation acts, subject to the president's revision.

Members of congress saw in the situation the making of an historical contest between the executive and congress.

Lincoln Had Same Trouble.

President Wilson told the leaders with whom he consulted today that he considered the creation of a war council would take the personal direction of America's part in the conflict out of his hands and likened it to the attempts to curtail the authority of President Lincoln.

While the Democrats who stand for the bill were firm there were no surface indications as yet as to how far the rank and file might be ready to vote against the President's wishes, especially when he puts the case so strongly as he did today.

It was generally accepted that the Republicans were for the bill.

Senator Swanson, acting chairman of the war committee, objected to the bill being referred to the military committee alone and it went over until tomorrow without reference.

"We are satisfied the navy is efficient," said Senator Swanson, "and do not think its reorganization should be considered by the military committee alone. It should be considered by both naval and military committees. The navy has measure up and we don't need reorganization."

Another section would give the war cabinet power to use the seal of the United States on any of its executive departments and bureaus.

"Subject to Review."

Subject to review by the president, the proposed cabinet would have authority to make any necessary orders to any department or bureau and all the necessary rules and regulations.

The secretaries of war and navy are directed to cause the cabinet, such commissioned officers as may be requested and that the president may appoint other officials to serve as substitutes of the cabinet. An initial appropriation of \$500,000 is proposed.

A provision limiting the life of the war cabinet to six weeks after the termination of the war and at any other date as may be designated by the president may designate is provided.

### PEACE WITH GERMANY AT ANY PRICE, OBJECT OF FRENCH BANKER



The arrest of Joseph Caillaux, formerly Premier, was due principally to a cable despatch from Secretary Lansing at Washington saying that in 1915 Caillaux had been in communication with the Berlin Foreign Office.

Secretary Lansing's despatch stated that the American representative at Buenos Aires had been able to establish that Caillaux, during his sojourn in Argentina, in 1915, had been in communication with the Berlin Foreign Office through Count von Luxburg, then German Minister to Argentina, with the object of concluding peace with Germany at any price so as to permit the resumption of business.

## STONE CHARGES ROOSEVELT "KAISER'S POTENT AGENT"

### Says That Republicans Are Playing Politics; Others Also Named

Washington, Jan. 21.—The greatest political debate since the United States went to war, burst out today when Senator Stone, disregarding the advice of other administration captains arranged leaders of the Republican party as playing politics with the war with the object of taking the government into their own hands by partisan criticism.

Fully prepared to reply the Republican senate leaders took copious note of the denunciation and gave it closest attention.

Making his general charges in most vigorous of terms, Senator Stone then dramatically marshaled his "witnesses" as if before a court, to prove them.

Takes Them In Order.

Senator Penrose came first; then Chairman Wilcox of the Republican National Committee, and last, the "star" witness, Colonel Roosevelt, whom Senator Stone denounced as "the most potent agent the kaiser has in America," and "the most seditious man of consequence in America."

After several conferences with other leaders who were apprehensive of a partisan address at this time, the Missouri senator delivered his speech with characteristic emphasis and gusto in full, and the Republicans openly prepared to meet the onslaught.

Replying to Senator Stone, Senator Penrose said he pleaded guilty to everything the Missouri senator said about him. Declaring the Republicans had supported the administration in the war, Mr. Penrose added he believed it his duty to criticize the government's inefficiency and seek to have Republicans restored to power, believing more efficient administration would be secured.

Penrose is Awarded.

When Senator Stone declared Colonel Roosevelt apparently could say things which long important persons would not say, Mr. Penrose interrupted him with the words tumbling out, demanding:

"Does the senator advance the extraordinary doctrine that every citizen has the right to say what he thinks of Mr. Wilson without going to jail? Does he say that citizens have the right to say what they think of the president? If so, he is surrounding himself with persons so incompetent that the war program has been seriously delayed or that he hid himself away inaccessibly?"

"I did not say that," Mr. Penrose said. "I only said that the senator should not say things which long important persons would not say."

After citing the arrest of a Mr. Shanks at St. Louis for criticizing the president, Senator Penrose again interrupted:

"Did municipal police or federal agents of the department of justice arrest him?"

Senator Stone replied that it appeared important but he would advise the senate.

Penrose Retorts.

"It is important," persisted Senator Penrose, "because the senator was routed by agents appointed by the president. It was unjustifiable and an outrage and an impressive illustration of the methods of the administration."

Saying he would like to hear Senator Stone "elucidate his argument," Senator Penrose declared Private Grimes L. Snyder at Camp Taylor, near Louisville, Ky., had been sentenced to ten years at hard labor and dishonorably discharged for "vilifying the president and objecting to the draft law. Nothing has occurred in Russia of a greater outrage."

"Is the senator going to present any proof that Colonel Roosevelt is a Republican?" asked Senator Borah.

"He certainly is," rejoined Senator Stone. "He works with you. I don't know if he works with the Idaho senator. He used to but I think he is with the Pennsylvania senator now."

"If it isn't treason, I might say," ventured Senator Penrose, "that Mr. Wilson in his first election was under much obligation to Mr. Roosevelt."

When Senator Stone concluded Senator Lodge made reply for the Republicans and began by saying that the Missouri senator's speech was a most striking injection of partisan ship into the war.

By Associated Press.

Washington, Jan. 21.—Characterizing Former President Roosevelt as "the most potent and willing agent the kaiser has in America," and "the most seditious man of consequence in America," Senator Stone, addressing the senate today charged that republican leaders are engaged in a studied effort to make politics out of the war. Their object is to "take the government over into their own hands" by partisan criticism of the conduct of the war, he declared.

Senator Stone's address, carefully prepared, the first of political significance made in congress since the United States entered the war and regarded as the forerunner of bitter partisan strife, excoriated partisan ship in the war. Besides Colonel Roosevelt the Missouri senator named Chairman Wilcox of the Republican national committee and Senator Penrose among Republican leaders as his "witnesses" to the political plot he alleged.

Investigations by congress of the war operations, Senator Stone also declared, have almost entirely been launched by "Republicans and adroitly exploited for partisan purposes."

"Villainous Screens."

Citing statements of the Republican leaders regarding the political plans and editorials of Colonel Roosevelt which he said are "villainous

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## GREAT OFFENSIVE BY GERMANS IS STILL EXPECTED

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## DIRECTOR M'ADOO SAYS GOVERNMENT NEEDS TO CONTROL

SAYS, HOWEVER, HE IS NOT AN ADVOCATE OF GOVERNMENT OWNERSHIP.

Washington, Jan. 21.—Director General McAdoo told the Senate Interstate Commerce committee today he thought the government should retain the operation of the railroads for some time after peace comes and not return them to private ownership until the constituent assembly laws had been enacted to govern them.

McAdoo Denies Plan.

Director General McAdoo denied that he had anything to do with the fuel restriction order. He said he approved of the order and thought that it would be beneficial.

"It should be borne in mind," said Mr. McAdoo, "that by the end of the war the public and shippers will be accustomed to dealing with the government and I am convinced that a thorough time should be given at the end of the war before the railroads are turned back to their owners."

New Situation.

An entirely new situation, he thought, would be faced when peace came that would have to be met by new and comprehensive laws and that it would be injurious to the stockholders to throw the railroads back into private operation without first adopting "comprehensive and rational legislation." This, he thought, must be done.

"Do you personally believe in government ownership?" asked Senator Watson.

"No," replied Mr. McAdoo, "but I do believe it would be impossible to turn the roads back to their owners under exactly the same system under which they were operated when the government took them over. There must be some form of government control."

Senator Watson asked if the railroads under government control would not continue to operate under their old management except for orders given from time to time by the director general.

The fundamental principles of operation have been changed by orders already given Mr. McAdoo said, and others are in contemplation which will change entirely the routine of traffic.

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## TWO AVIATORS ARE KILLED IN MID-AIR COLLISION TODAY

San Antonio, Tex., Jan. 21.—Cadet Frank L. Serry was almost instantly killed and Cadet D. C. Dunham suffered injuries from which he died at the base hospital, Fort Sam Houston, in a collision of airplanes at Kelly Field at 10 o'clock Monday morning. Cadet Dunham died at 11:35 a. m.

The two cadets were practicing short flights and landing and Cadet Dunham "banked" his plane so that he lost sight of the other and crashed into it, both falling to the ground.

Cadet Serry was from Evanston, Ill., his mother residing at 1111 Foster street, that city. Cadet Dunham's wife resides at 17 Edmonds street, Rochester, N. Y.

## NEW BASEBALL LEAGUE FORMED IN OKLAHOMA

By Associated Press.

Tulsa, Okla., Jan. 21.—The Oklahoma Baseball League, composed of Tulsa, Oklahoma City, Muskogee and Ardmore, Okla., and Fort Smith, Ark., all former members of the Western Association, was formed here yesterday. The promoters hope to add three more towns to the league.

Charles J. Brill of Tulsa, was elected president.

## British Casualties For Week Just Past Total 17,043, Report

London, Jan. 21.—British casualties reported in the week ending today were divided as follows:

Killed or died of wounds: officers, 76; men, 2,277. Wounded or missing: officers, 113; men, 14,477.

These figures represent a decrease of nearly 8,000 from last week when 24,979 casualties were reported, an unusually high total for this time of the year. Two weeks ago the figures were 18,938 and three weeks ago 9,851.

## HEAVY SNOW FALLS OVER NORTH TEXAS; TEMPERATURES LOW

DALLAS, ABILENE, GAINESVILLE, AMARILLO, AUSTIN AMONG CITIES REPORTING.

## SKIES HERE CLEARING

Residents Found Heavy Blanket Covering Early When They Awakened Early This Morning.

Dallas, Jan. 21.—Snow which fell here this morning was general over North Texas, according to reports to the weather bureau here. Sleet fell in East Texas and south practically to the coast. Two inches of snow had fallen in Dallas up to 9 o'clock with the temperature reading 21. Abilene reported six inches of snow and 18 above. At Amarillo it was ten above with one inch of snow. San Antonio 26 with trace of snow. Palestine recorded 26 with sleet. Oklahoma City reported general snow over eastern Oklahoma.

## TWO INCHES OF SNOW FALL OVER THIS SECTION

About two inches of snow fell last night and this morning in town and it fall seems to have covered a very large area, reports coming from over the Katy railroad system and the Denver road to that effect. From Denver to Fort Worth and from Fort Worth to Abilene from two to six inches is reported on a level, with drifts north and northwest.

No great stop-up of traffic is believed to have taken place, however, though trains are late pretty much on all lines. The Fort Worth & Denver southbound today was reported on time, and other trains have been closer to schedule than was expected. But in general there is some delay. The clearing of terminals effected last week, however, resulted in much better conditions and acceleration in the movement of trains.

## FOUR INCHES OF SNOW REPORTED AT FORT WORTH

Fort Worth, Jan. 21.—By 8 a. m. this morning four inches of snow had fallen. No wind is blowing and the wheat will receive the full benefit of the moisture.

Early reports here indicate that the snow is falling over much of the drought-stricken territory. Baird, for instance, reported a nine-inch snow. Stock will be able to weather the storm, too, it is thought, better than the blizzard of ten days ago.

## DUTCH STEAMERS ARE CHARTERED BY GOVERNMENT

Washington, Jan. 21.—Charter to the United States government of all Dutch steamers now being held in American ports has been decided upon by the Dutch government in a provisional agreement just signed in London.

The agreement provides charter for one round trip for the upward of eighty vessels now in American ports. The vessels are not to go into the war zones but five of the steamers will carry material for Switzerland and two will take cargo for the Netherlands overseas trust.

It is part of the agreement that the ships shall carry 150 tons of feed for the relief of the Belgians and may be used for other voyages later in American coastwise trade or elsewhere possibly to Java or sugar.

## ASSISTANT TREASURER CHOSEN BY PRESIDENT

Washington, Jan. 21.—Martin Vogel of New York was nominated today by President Wilson to be assistant treasurer of the United States at New York.

Collector of customs Edmund Billings of Boston, class, to district No. 1. William H. Berry of Philadelphia, district No. 11.

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# DEFENSE COUNCIL

## URGES PEOPLE TO PREVENT ILLNESS

THIS IS DECLARED TO BE ONE WAY TO HELP WIN THE WAR.

Whether the State Councils of Defense receive their inspirations and ideas from the county councils and the small towns within their boundaries, or whether the process is vice versa, is not always clear. Possibly the process works both ways. In any event, Wichita Falls has been urged to put over its campaign which will show the rest of the state a thing or two; and now, after a good deal of local agitation on the milk question, it appears that this matter also is being taken in hand by the State Council of Defense.

The following bulletin has been issued by the Texas State Council of Defense, Committee on Sanitation and Medicine:

Protect the Health of your children. Health is more important than wealth or education. Give them only clean, pure water and food. Impure water and milk may cause typhoid fever and other dangerous diseases. Bad foods may give ptomaine poisoning. Don't let children drink water from open wells or cisterns that may be exposed to pollution. The public water supply is usually safest. If in doubt about the safety of the water, boil it before drinking.

The Government is protecting our Soldiers by systematic inspection of all food stores and dairies near the Army Camps. Our children at home deserve equal protection!

Has Your City a Full-Time, Adequately Paid Food Inspector? If Not, Why Not?

Use milk only from genuinely sanitary dairies that deliver in bottles. Ask the inspector about the dairy or visit it personally. After the milk is delivered to you, keep it cool and protect it from contamination till used. If you have reason to question its purity, heat it to 145 degrees F. for 30 minutes before drinking.

Patronize only those markets, groceries, bakeries, restaurants and food stores that are clean and free from flies.

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If your skin is yellow—complexion pallid or coated—appetite poor—you have a bad taste in your mouth—a lazy, no-good feeling—you should take Olive Tablets.

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## STUNT NIGHTS

### PROVE POPULAR AT CALL FIELD

MUCH TALENT AMONG MEN IS USED TO GOOD ADVANTAGE.

The Stunt Nights at Call Field, pulled off at the Y. M. C. A. shack, and organized by the cadets, the officers, the men, the Y. M. C. A. secretaries, and all and sundry talent that may be found within the confines of the camp, are proving to be very popular. Last Friday night, Lt. Barksdale organized a program, which is claimed was well attended, many officers and their wives being present, and even the aides and all standing room being filled.

The program follows:

PROGRAM  
Stunt Nite  
Y. M. C. A.  
January 18, 1918 at 8:15 p. m.  
Music by Cadet Jazzists—Official Bouncer, Mr. Little.

Please applaud with your hands only, as the use of bricks and questionable eggs are forbidden.

Don't kick at the manager, foot balls are provided for that purpose.

Exhibit A.  
Awkward Squad, by 164th Squadron.

Exhibit B.  
Russian Dance, by Mr. Vogel, 165th Squadron.

Exhibit C.  
Violin, by Mr. Babcock, 162nd Squadron.

Exhibit D.  
We haven't the heart to tell you—by Mr. Smith & Bushey, 198th Squadron.

Exhibit E.  
Heeza Nutt—by Cadet Raymond Beatrice, Collins.

## AMERICAN GIRL

### DOING HER PART FOR THE COUNTRY

How the justly celebrated American girl can do and is doing her "bit" in the great war is told in the shiny sheet of the civil service, in the lists of stenographers, typists and clerks. The following letter from Washington explains some of the services which these girls are rendering:

There is today in the city of Washington in active operation an army whose exploits attract little notice but whose members are doing a very large "bit" toward winning the war for America—an army of stenographers and typists, twelve thousand strong, recruited from every state in the Union. A majority of these soldiers of the keyboard and typewriter are girls. Day in and day out their nimble fingers faithfully click out the tremendous volume of correspondence and the United States cannot stay in the war month without them.

The rapidly expanding departments of the governments in Washington employ stenographers and typists with a greed that seems insatiable. The United States Civil Service Commission estimates that there will be twenty thousand government employees of this class in Washington at the end of this year. Owing to the general demand the commission is finding it difficult to meet the calls of the departments. Examinations are held every Tuesday in 450 cities, and the commission states that an examination will be held in any city at any time, day or night when there is prospect of assembling a class of three or four competitors. Eligibility may be obtained through passing an examination in practical tests—in shorthand and typewriting. It is practicable to complete such examination in one or two days. Representatives of the civil service commission at the post offices in all cities are furnishing definite information to persons interested.

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## COUNTY FOOD ADMINISTRATORS FOR DISTRICT ARE ANNOUNCED

The county food administrators for the 11th district have been appointed by District Administrator B. F. Johnson, and have been instructed as to their various duties. The county administrators are:

District No. 11  
Hardeman county—M. M. Hankins, Quanah, Texas.  
Haskell county—R. V. Robertson, Haskell, Texas.  
Baylor county—J. T. Egan, Seymour, Texas.

Knox county—A. A. Smith, Munday, Texas.  
Clay county—J. J. Robertson, Henrietta, Texas.  
Wilbarger county—R. H. Nichols, Vernon, Texas.  
Young county—B. B. Doty, Graham, Texas.  
Wichita county—T. B. Smock, Wichita Falls, Texas.  
Cooke county—W. W. Leverett, Gainesville, Texas.  
Foard county—J. W. Beverly, Crowell, Texas.  
Archer county—C. H. Thuman, Archer City, Texas.  
Montague county—W. G. Tool, Bowie, Texas.  
Throckmorton county—O. J. Wood, Woodson, Texas.

"MARY'S ANKLE" AT THE WICHITA THEATER TONIGHT

"As good a farce as 'The Boomerang' and 'Turn to the Right' are comedies," is what the New York Globe said of "Mary's Ankle," the sparkling farce comedy by May Tully, which A. H. Woods will present at the Wichita Theatre Monday, Jan. 21st, direct from its run at the Bijou Theatre, New York, where it was one of the decided hits of the early theatrical season. "Mary's Ankle" is a farce comedy in three acts de-

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London, Jan. 1.—An unknown woman gave ten pounds of old bread to an Edmonton girl for bread pudding. The girl, 16 years old, was unable to buy fruit or raisins for a pudding, so tried to bury the bread secretly. She was observed and subsequently fined \$5, which was paid by her father for whom she is housekeeper.

# OUR After Inventory Shoe Sale

Monday was such a success we have decided to continue it until Wednesday evening

Grey, buck top with black kid vamps, turn sole, lace, value \$12.50 ..... } \$5.75  
Natural Buck top, ivory vamp, buttons to match, value \$12.50 ..... }  
White kid, vamp black kid top, turn sole, lace, value \$12.00 ..... }

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DRILLING REPORT OF F. W. BRIDGE IS GIVEN TO PUBLIC

PRODUCTION FIGURES FOR THIS FIELD COMPILED BY EXPERTS

GROWTH OF CITY CITED

Wild Calling Operations Also Are Discussed by Local Representative of Oil and Gas Journal.

A comprehensive report of drilling activities, production, the history of the several pools and other details of the North Texas oil field has been prepared by F. W. Bridge, correspondent here for the Oil and Gas Journal and the oil city derrick. The production figures given below are from Mr. Bridge's report:

Table with 2 columns: Month, Production (bbls). Rows for 1917 Production at Petrolia from January to December.

Table with 2 columns: Month, Production (bbls). Rows for 1917 Production at Electra from January to December.

Table with 2 columns: Month, Production (bbls). Rows for 1917 Production at Dallas from January to December.

Total 1917 Production at Dallas 5,999,998 bbls.

Reference To City

Mr. Bridge's reference to Wichita Falls follows:

"One of the results of the discovery and development of the Electra, Burk Burnett and Petrolia oil fields has been the growth of Wichita Falls from a small town to a large, prosperous and bustling city. Its citizens are heavily interested in the oil industry, not only indirectly but also the extent of leasing and developing oil properties of their own. Many of them are stockholders or officers of companies operating in the defined pools, or will-cattling in an attempt to discover new pools, and others operate independently along the same lines, or speculate in lease-holds contiguous to wild-cat wells.

"The Panhandle Refining Co. of Wichita Falls is operated by local parties and the majority of the stock is owned in the city. It was successful from the start. Beginning operations in March 1916, with four 500-barrel stills, it has been added to until it now has a capacity of 2500 barrels daily. It has built a pipe line to the Burk Burnett field, where it collects the product of its own wells and the output of numerous independent operators which it pumps to its refinery at Wichita Falls.

In order to show more clearly the growth of the business of the Panhandle Refining Co. a statement is hereby appended showing the number of barrels run through the stills monthly for the year 1917.

Table with 2 columns: Month, Production (bbls). Rows for Panhandle Refining Co. from January to December.

Total 791,748 bbls. Local Refining Company. "The Wichita Valley Refining Co. also has a plant, with a capacity of about 1000 barrels at Iowa Park, just west of Wichita Falls, which is busy and prosperous. Another is under construction at Burk Burnett and will be ready for operation within the next thirty days. Two more have been planned for Electra and the grounds secured whereon to build and another is to be erected.

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SEAPLANES AT BOMBING PRACTICE



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at Wichita Falls some time during the first of the year. "Other refineries are situated at Dallas, Fort Worth, Gainesville, Corsicana and Jacksboro, with a combined capacity of 50,000 barrels.

Wheel and Body Works Is Latest Enterprise Launched in the City

Preparations are now well under way for the opening of the Wichita Wheel and Body Works at 1108 7th street, with H. E. Brown and O. D. Taylor, both well known carpenters, as joint owners and operators. Bodies of automobiles and other vehicles will be designed and general repair work in connection with the bodies and wheels of cars undertaken. The floor space of the building is to be enlarged later and all modern machinery used. "Electric power is being installed. The building is expected to be ready for occupation about February 1.

CLASSIFICATIONS ARE ANNOUNCED BY LOCAL BOARD

The doctors of the city have agreed to give their services for the work of the physical examination of registrants in accordance with the request of the exemption board, and to supply two doctors each day, who will serve as directed by Dr. J. F. Stripling, president of the medical association.

- The following additional registrants have been classified and notified of their classification: Class Number 1: Julius Patrick Arrington, Clarence Eady, Elmer Gresham, Ed Albert Knemeyer, Richard Heoperson Sherman, Nathaniel Washington (col), Frank P. Christian, Wm. Estrel Goins, Duke Henson, Frank Palmer, Charles Ernest Tucker, William Earl Weaver, Robert Tom Duncan, Raymond Lyle Goodson, Henry Newell Moore, William James Price, Clarence Turner. Class Number 4: Harry Harper Dickerson, Lee Walter Moore, Herbert Christopher King, J. Cornelius Vanderwood, John William Martin, John Richard Whitmore. Class Number 5: Arthur Vernon Blevins, Alvah P. F. Conner, Homer Murray Martin, Carl Lester Tilletson, Selvirio Chaverri, Hubert Ross Cox, Wesley Worthington Moore, Case Isabel Vasquez, Jose Chavez, Lee Flowers, Obie Charleston Tidmore.

HOISINGTON TO SPEAK TO BOYS DURING BANQUET

WILL BE ENTERTAINED TONIGHT - MAKES ADDRESS AT HIGH SCHOOL IN MORNING.

Fifty boys, students of the junior and senior classes at the high school, members of the Boys' Club, and the men teachers of the high school, will be guests of business men of the town at a dinner tonight at the St. James, when Homer L. Hoisington, secretary of the Y. M. C. A. state boys club work will address them on the work planned for the coming year for the boys to perform. Special attention will be paid to war work. Mr. Hoisington this morning addressed the high school students in chapel talking for his subject, "Loyalty." This dealt with loyalty of the students to the school and to themselves to make the best sort of a school and community and Mr. Hoisington mentioned many points in which the boys club work and the Y. M. C. A. fostered this proper sort of loyalty. Sunday evening Mr. Hoisington occupied the pulpit at the First Methodist church and also addressed the Christian Endeavor society at the First Christian church. Some of the more interesting phases of the Y. M. C. A. war work were recounted by Mr. Hoisington and in addition the special work among the boys was gone into in detail.

SOCIETY

OPEN HOUSE SATURDAY FOR CALL FIELD MEN

The open house held Saturday night at the First Presbyterian church for the men at Call Field repeated the success of the entertainment of the previous week and was much enjoyed by both the soldiers and civilians. Numerous contests provided amusement and musical selections by soldiers and members of the entertainment committee were enjoyed. Refreshments of ice cream, cake and coffee were served.

MEMBERS OF U. D. C. MEET WITH RED CROSS

The members of the U. D. C. met at the Red Cross work rooms Saturday afternoon. In the business session which preceded the work the question of continuing the regular study course was taken up and a decision to substitute Red Cross work for that phase of the organization was reached. Mrs. M. M. Gaffney, who is

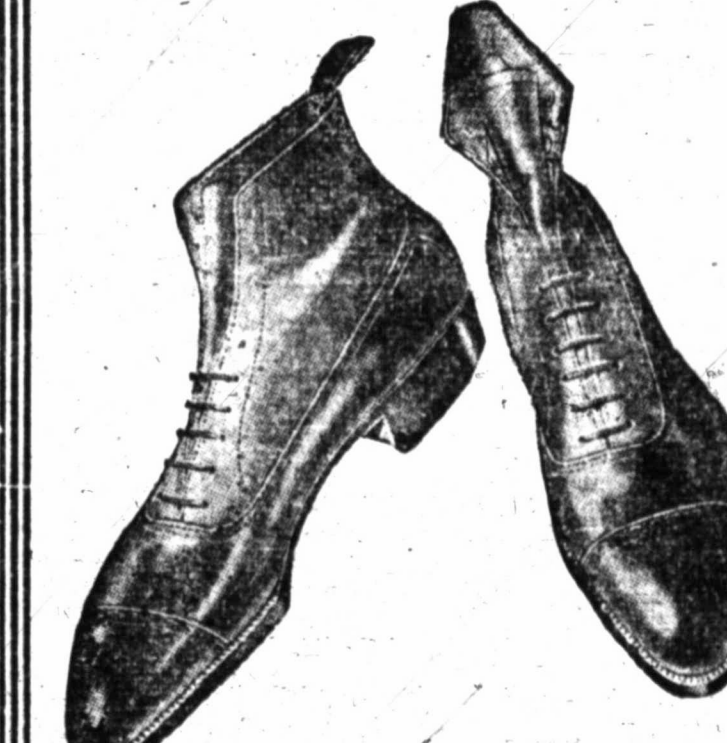
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Table with 3 columns: Value, Sale price, and another value. Rows for Women's Shoes from \$2.00 to \$13.50 values.



Men's Shoes

Table with 3 columns: Value, Sale price, and another value. Rows for Men's Shoes from \$2.50 to \$9.00 values.

Table with 3 columns: Value, Sale price, and another value. Rows for Misses' Shoes from \$2.75 to \$6.50 values.

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MISS HELEN SHIELDS IS BRIDE OF J. W. PHILLIPS. Miss Helen Shields and J. W. Phillips were united in marriage Sunday afternoon at the First Methodist Church, Rev. H. F. Draper officiating with the beautiful and impressive ring ceremony. Only a few friends and relatives were present, the bride and groom being unattended. The bride was beautifully gowned in brown georgette crepe over rich brown silk, with boots and hat in harmonious gold effects. She carried a gorgeous bouquet of pink and white carnations. The groom wore navy blue.

MISS TRAVIS LEE JONES AND G. M. BORTON ARE WEDDED. The wedding of Miss Travis Lee Jones and G. M. Borton solemnized Sunday afternoon at the First Presbyterian Church, Rev. N. F. Grafton, officiating. The bride and groom were unattended, there being only a few friends and relatives present. Immediately following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Borton left for Indianapolis, Indiana, where they will be for about three weeks, returning to make their home in Wichita Falls.

COTTON SHIPMENT MAY NOT BE MADE FROM FEW REGIONS. Austin, Jan. 21.—Upon information furnished him by Fred W. Davis, commissioner of agriculture, Governor W. P. Hobby, today issued a proclamation defining two zones in which the pink boll worm has been found to exist forbidding the shipment of cotton from these zones and providing for the destruction of cotton or cotton plants in these zones with a view to exterminating the pest. Zone Number One, Hearne, Texas, comprises all territory within a radius of three miles of the Planter's Oil Mill at Hearne as a center. Zone Number Two in the southeast Texas district, includes all of Chambers and Jefferson counties, all of Galveston county except the island of Galveston and that portion of Brazoria county lying between the western Galveston county line running from the mouth of the Chocolate Bayou to a point west of Bayou, a portion of Harris county between Pearl and Mykawa, and also a portion of Hardin county between a line running in a northeasterly direction from where the Jefferson, Liberty and Hardin county lines intersect to the town of Kountze, on the gulf. The proclamation is effective at once.



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PHONES—Business Office 1071 Editorial Room 1072 Wichita Falls, Texas, Jan. 21, 1918.

CARRIER BOYS are not allowed to collect for subscriptions 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 message from our collector.

A WAR CABINET President Wilson has announced that he does not favor the creation of a war cabinet of three members, such as has been proposed by the Senate military committee.

To the country at large it looks as if this is the first step of Congress toward "clipping the wings" of President Wilson, so far as his personal conduct of the war and the preparations for it are concerned.

So far as we can see, the war cabinet as planned now, will but increase the difficulties with which the President must contend. Taking upon its shoulders the actual direction of the war, yet its actions must first be reviewed by the executive before they become effective.

We do not know that Congress is satisfied with the manner in which President Wilson has managed the war thus far. It would be strange if congress long has been a jealous body. But we do know that the great body of people of the country are content to allow the President to direct the affairs of the nation during this crisis.

There is no objection to a war cabinet so constituted as to weaken the hand of the chief executive.

WOLTER'S BRAND OF PATRIOTISM.

Hon. Jacob F. Wolters of Houston is quoted as saying at Dallas Saturday that he would support all public officials for reelection from the constable of his precinct to Senator Morris Sheppard, who were standing behind President Wilson and giving him unqualified support.

WHEN FOLKS HAD FIRE!

A good many Wichitians are harking back to the days of fifteen and twenty years ago and are out hunting for a man with a load of mosquito roots or some other character of wood. The lost art of kindling fires is also being revived in many homes and the ax and the sawbuck are re-appearing in backyards.

PUBLIC OPINION

SHIPPER SHIFTS OPINION

Archer City, Tex., Jan. 18, 1918. Editor Times, Wichita Falls, Texas. Dear Sir: The daily papers have all been giving considerable space to "car shortage" and "congested freight" items recently and as usual, the burden of blame is placed upon the shipper, who is too busy to defend himself.

of cotton seed cake which was loaded last Saturday—five days and a short local train each day, and my feed is not here yet. Now what excuse can a railroad company offer for no better service than this? I hold a Bill of Lading covering a car of corn shipped out of Missouri on the fourth of the month—twelve days ago. Where is my corn?

I have just received a car of rice straw from a Texas point which was on the road twenty-one days. A neighbor of mine feeding 1,000 cattle was 22 days getting a car of cotton seed meal from Cleburne. He needed the feed, yet through gross carelessness and inefficiency on the part of the railroad, operators his feed was over 30 days in making a distance that should have been made in 3 days.

A car of cake came through here yesterday, billed to Metzger Bros. at Ananraha that had been loaded in Wichita Falls eleven days—standing on "congested" side tracks. The loads of feed which have been shipped here since last fall and at least 45 of them have been unnecessarily delayed along the line.

The shipper is not to blame for car shortages. He is more than anxious to get his car unloaded and stored away. He knows the penalty for holding a car late in unloading his freight and when the carrier is penalized to the extent of the shipper's loss on delayed shipments you will have no more of car shortages.

Recently I shipped in a car of bran. I unloaded the car the day it was spotted on the side track to save demurrage. That car remained on the side track empty for five succeeding days and yet there stored away. He knows the penalty for holding a car late in unloading his freight and when the carrier is penalized to the extent of the shipper's loss on delayed shipments you will have no more of car shortages.

It seems to me that if some system could be worked out to keep a car rolling when it is loaded, a bill of lading that there would be an adequate number of cars for all purposes. Under the present system, a big part of freight cars are tied up at the various freight terminals, the shipper is materially damaged and the carriers do not get the revenue they are entitled to.

Very truly, W. C. YOUNG.

"MY UNMARRIED WIFE"

AT THE GEM TUESDAY. When Molly Cunningham witnessed an accident that robbed Philip Smith of his eyesight, she decided that she had sent her husband in the nick of time. Molly must marry to inherit a fortune, and time was up. Smith consented and Molly sent him abroad for expert treatment. When Smith came back to America he established himself in an apartment and was anxious to find in his home one day, an Italian girl who insisted upon being his servant. The girl refused to quit, and Smith submitted to her persistency. Molly had promised Smith a divorce if he ever wanted one, and now he was thinking of a move in that direction. When he met with an automobile accident, and had been discharged from the hospital after a long siege he came back to his apartments to find them deserted and neglected. His amazement was unbounded when the ring with which he had married in his blindness, the wife he had never "seen"—a ring of peculiar design—came into his possession direct from the girl who had been the servant in his house.

W. Lee Moore Is Not To Be Candidate For Mayor He Announces

In a letter addressed to the Editor of the Times W. Lee Moore, whose name was mentioned Sunday as a possible candidate for mayor, very explicitly and positively states that he will not be a candidate. Mr. Moore's letter follows: "Editor the Times: I notice in Sunday morning's Times my name mentioned as a possible candidate for mayor. I positively state that under no circumstances will I be a candidate for the office. Respectfully, W. Lee Moore."

McCutchen Will Be Candidate For Seat In the City Council

Friends of C. E. McCutchen, assistant cashier of the First National Bank, authorize the announcement of his candidacy for alderman in the city election in April. Mr. McCutchen was revealed upon to become a candidate through a willingness to serve the city. His friends consider that the city will be fortunate in securing a man of his ability to serve it. Mr. McCutchen is a public spirited and progressive business man who has given his time and efforts freely to public and community undertakings since coming to Wichita Falls a number of years ago.

Case of Mrs. Walsh Is Set For Trial in The Thirtieth Court

Only one case has yet been set for trial in the 30th district court this week, this being that of Mrs. Florence Walsh, charged with murder, for which a special venire of 60 men has been summoned for Thursday. The court has been practically adjourned for the past week, giving the local bar association time to finish up the advisory work in connection with the questionnaires and as this is finished the docket will probably be called early next week and cases set for trial by Judge Bonner. The grand jury is still in session, having recessed Friday at noon over Sunday.

DEFENSE COUNCIL WORK FURTHERED BY CONTRIBUTION

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE HANDLES LARGE AMOUNT OF BUSINESS.

GET MANY NEW MEMBERS

All Bills, Hereafter, Are to Be Paid After Three Officers Formally O. K. Them, Decision.

A great deal of business was brought up at the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce this morning, among the most important of which was the allowing of an appropriation of \$300 as subscription to the State Council of Defense for its work in the food and feed movement now on hand; and the turning over to a committee a resolution of merchants to discriminate against Germany after the war, and the reports of various committees.

Response Generous. Frank Kell, speaking of the movement over the state to increase the acreage of food and feed crops, which was being handled by the state council of defense, stated that the government had made an appropriation for the work of the council, but only sufficient to allow for office work and other stated expenses, and that the state was asked to raise \$5,000 for this purpose, the larger towns to give \$500, and the smaller \$250.

McFarland Made Justice of Peace, Precinct 1, Place 1. C. M. McFarland, a local attorney, was appointed justice of the peace for Precinct No. 1, held by the late Judge W. J. Howard by the commissioners' court Saturday morning. The court adjourned Saturday morning after making this appointment.

DEGREE ISSUED TO DISSOLVE NEW RUSS ASSEMBLY

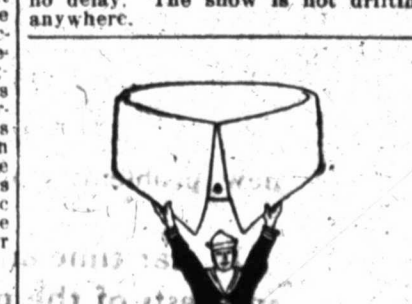
Petrograd, Sunday, Jan. 20.—The decree issued by the central executive committee of the congress of workmen and soldiers dissolving the constituent assembly says that the revolution created the workers' and soldier's council as the only organization able to direct the struggle of the exploited working classes for complete political and economical liberation. During the first period of the revolution the workers' and soldier's congress, it is added, perceived the illusion of an understanding with the bourgeoisie and its deceptive parliamentary organization and realized that the liberation of the oppressed classes was impossible without a rupture with the bourgeoisie.

ROYAL FLYING CORPS COMMANDER TO VISIT CALL FIELD TODAY

Lieutenant Colonel Lee of the Royal Flying Corps was to visit the local aviation camp this afternoon, the colonel sending a message announcing his visit to Call Field this morning. He will make the trip by airplane and is expected to be the guest of the local officers for a day or so. The usual working program was carried out at the camp today. The snow did not interfere with the flying routine and airplanes were up all afternoon.

NORTH TEXAS TONNAGE LESSENE BY ORDER

Fort Worth, Tex., Jan. 21.—Tonnage on north and west Texas trains was lessened this morning in order to prevent any blockades in transportation. Thus far, there has been no delay. The snow is not drifting anywhere.



JACK TAR IS HERE IN Lion Collars FOR SALE BY BAUM-GARDNER

UNIVERSITY MAY HAVE TO RETURN EXCESS SALARIES

By Associated Press. Austin, Tex., Jan. 21.—An amendment to the report on the state university which would require the university to return to the state all money expended for salaries in excess of the amount appropriated for that purpose this morning was introduced today at the joint meeting of the senate and house investigating committee by Senator Westbrook.

Representative Fry contended that it was without the province of the board of regents of the university to increase salaries of its officials. That is a legislative function, he declared. Representative Tillotson submitted a report on the university urging that present conditions be maintained, controlling the university and its branches be amended. President limitations are hampering both the university and the agricultural and mechanical colleges, his report said.

Representative Bryan, discussing the Westbrook amendment, said that salaries at the university should be against Germany after the war, and the reports of various committees.

Three Local Schools Are Closed In City As Result of Cold

Order for dismissal of school on account of the difficulty of keeping the buildings warm was given by Supt. Lee Clark to the principals of the Alamo, Austin, and Sam Houston schools this morning. The high school was also adjourned following the opening this morning for the new term had not yet been completed. The San Jacinto and Travis schools were comfortably warm, as usual, and school continued as usual in these wards.

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MRS. SUSIE FRITZ IS BRIDE OF DR. VAUGHN.

Mrs. Arde Susan Fritz and J. A. Vaughn were united in marriage Sunday afternoon at the home of the bride, Rev. P. G. Cross officiating. Only a few friends and relatives were present. Dr. and Mrs. Vaughn will make their home in this city.

Campbell-Anderson Co. Successor to P. H. Pennington Co. The Climax of Value Giving for the final week January Clearance Sale LADIES' DEPARTMENT Every Winter Coat Suit and one-piece Dress at HALF PRICE. One lot of Coat Suits and Dresses values up to \$12.00, Clearance price \$2.95. We have only a limited number of these. VERY SPECIAL A fine selection of separate Skirts of the very latest fashions, go on sale for the first time at a great reduction. \$7.50 values, Clearance price \$5.98. One lot of Shoes; can't be bought for the original selling price, for next few days One-Half Price. Corsets—Good styles, new stock, front and back lace, \$1.50 values, choice 59c. \$2.50 to \$3 values, Clearance \$1. OUR WHITE GOODS DEPARTMENT IS FILLED WITH CLEARANCE BARGAINS! Visit Our Millinery Department! Every express brings in something new.

No More Worry Over Gas Shortage NUNN ELECTRIC CO. 816 Indiana Avenue Phone 837. At a meeting of several prominent citizens last night, it developed that there is no cause for further worry about low gas pressure in Wichita Falls. A remarkable substitute has been found which will eventually take the place of gas for heating and cooking in all localities. This substitute is an especially designed electrical heater which can be connected to any ordinary lamp socket. The heater is equipped with a parabolic reflector, similar in design to the searchlight reflectors used on the battleships, and when the heater becomes red hot, the reflector picks up the rays of heat and concentrates them, throwing a strong radiant glow in whatever direction desired. It is extensively hygienic, as it does not burn up the oxygen in the room, and can be used with safety in the sick room, the bath room or the bedroom, even while you sleep. Knowing that there would be a great demand for an appliance of this kind the Nunn Electric Company purchased a large supply of them and have placed many of them in Wichita Falls' homes and offices with good results. It is very interesting to drop in at 816 Indiana and see these heaters in operation.



STONE CHARGES TEDDY WITH BEING "KAISER'S AGENT"

(Continued from Page 1.)

nalized a degree of marked success without parallel in the world's history. Undue publicity given present mistakes, he said, have advertised the nation's weakness to the enemy. Republican leaders purpose, he reiterated, is to elect a congress out of harmony with the president.

Concluding, the Missouri senator presented statistics of what he termed were partisan appointments of state war committees. In New York, he said, Republican governor appointed eighty-two Republicans and three Democrats, while in Ohio a Democratic governor named 18 Republicans and ten Democrats. In California the Republican governor, he asserted, named 63 Republicans and four Democrats.

Many Democratic leaders, including Postmaster Burson conferred with Senator Stone today seeking to dissuade him from delivering his speech on "Politics in the War." Mr. Stone first planned to deliver the speech last Tuesday but deferred it.

Senator Stone dealt with published criticisms of the administration for not making use of the capabilities of the Republicans prominent in public life such as Col. Roosevelt, General Leonard Wood, former Senator Root, former President Taft and Charles E. Hughes. He pointed out that Mr. Root had been sent to Russia on an important mission and that former Chairman Willcox of the National Committee had been called to assist the director general of the railroads.

Senator Stone said he did not regard his former colleague as "a sort of Jove sitting Olympus." After speaking of the abilities of some others named, Senator Stone added:

"Mr. Taft and Mr. Hughes, I pass in respectful silence. General Wood had been called repeatedly to great responsibilities, the Senator said, adding that the substance of the criticisms in that case had been failure to call him to supreme command of military forces.

Perishing Republican. "General Pershing is his equal," the senator said, "and a Republican as well as a Democrat."

In anticipation of the speech the galleries were packed and many house members went to the Senator's chamber.

Senator Penrose of Pennsylvania, whose presence was especially requested by Senator Stone and other Republican members, listened attentively.

With characteristic gestures Senator Stone emphasized his points. In shrill falsetto he declared the Republican plans were shrewd. He tapped his fingers in milder emphasis and then pounded it vigorously.

Senator Penrose and Republican leader Gallinger took notes as he

TODAY'S MARKETS

CORN MARKET IS GREATLY EASED; ARRIVALS LARGE

Chicago, Jan. 21.—Largest arrivals yet this season throughout the west proved effective today in easing down the corn market today in the corn market. Steady progress was reported as being made in diminishing traffic congestion. Peace talk also acted to some degree as a bearish factor. Opening prices which showed a decline all around, were followed by a further slight setback.

Table with columns: CORN, OATS, PORK, LARD, RIBS. Rows: Jan, May. Values: 1.22 1.27 1.27 1.27, 78 79 78 79, 45.90 45.90 45.75 45.87, 24.75 24.77 24.73 24.75, 24.00 24.02 24.00 24.02.

proceeded. Senator Penrose and Senator Lodge whispered in conference and the Massachusetts senator also took notes on the address. It was apparent that the Republicans were preparing to make some speeches also.

Cotton Seed Oil. The cotton seed oil market closed quiet. Spot 20.25 bid; Jan. March and May 20.30. No sales.

New York Money. New York, Jan. 21.—Mercantile paper 5 1/2 @ 5 3/4. Sterling 60 day bills 4.72; commercial 60 day bills on banks 4.71 1/2; demand 4.70 1/2; cables 4.70 1/2.

Government bonds steady; railroad bonds firm. Time loans firm; 60 days, 90 days and 12 months 5 1/2 @ 6 percent. Call money firm; high 6; low 6; ruling rate 6; closing bid 5 1/2; offered at 6; last loan 6.

New York Stock. New York, Jan. 21 (Wall Street).—Stocks were firm at the opening of today's market but trading was materially restricted by the new government regulations. Coppers, oils, and obscure war specialties were the strongest feature, their rise extending from large fractions to 3 1/2 points. United States Steel and kindred equipments were moderately better but shippings were again heavy and rails almost entirely neglected. Liberty first 4 1/2 sold at the low record of 96.64.

Dr. M. A. Beckman Is Candidate For City Health Officer

The Times has been authorized to announce the candidacy of M. A. Beckman for city health officer. Dr. Beckman's friends feel that he is eminently qualified to discharge the duties of health officer, having not only the qualifications of education, training and experience, but the desire to serve and the energy and courage to do his duty. Dr. Beckman is a native Texan and a graduate of the medical department of the Texas Christian University. He served one year as house surgeon at St. Joseph's Infirmary at Fort Worth. He has been a resident of Wichita Falls for four years and has high standing in his profession.

E. G. Cook of the Atlas Windmill Company, has gone to San Antonio to demonstrate the Atlas windmill to the Hardware Dealers Association, which convenes in that city January 21-23.

LIVESTOCK

Fort Worth Livestock. Fort Worth, Jan. 21.—CATTLE: Receipts 6,000; market steady. Beaves 7.50@12.25; stockers 8.50@12.25; heavy 10.00@12.25; cows 8.00@11.00; bulls 8.00@11.00; calves 8.50@11.00. HOGS: Receipts 5,000; market steady to 10 cents lower. Heavy 11.00@12.00; light 11.00@12.00; mixed 11.00@12.00; common 11.00@12.00; pigs 11.00@12.00. SHEEP: Receipts 150; market unchanged. Lambs 11.40@16.00; yearlings 12.50@14.00; wethers 11.00@12.00; ewes 10.00@11.00; culls 8.50@9.50; goats 8.50@11.00.

Chicago Livestock. Chicago, Jan. 21.—HOGS: Receipts 48,000; slow, 5c lower. Bulk 16.75; light 15.90@16.65; mixed 14.10@16.80; heavy 16.10@16.80; rough 16.10@16.25; pigs 12.75@15.20. CATTLE: Receipts 20,000; weak. Native steers 11.50@13.00; ewes 11.00@12.00; feeders 7.00@10.80; cows and heifers 6.00@11.80; calves 9.00@16.50. SHEEP: Receipts 20,000; weak. Wethers 7.95@13.35; lambs 11.50@17.85.

Kansas City Livestock. Kansas City, Jan. 21.—HOGS: Receipts 11,000; five to ten lower. Bulk 15.90@16.20; heavy 16.15@16.30; light 15.95@16.20; pigs 11.00@14.50. CATTLE: Receipts 16,000; 10 to 15 lower. Prime fed steers 12.00@13.75; dressed beef steers 10.50@12.25; southern steers 7.00@10.00; cows 6.50@10.25; heifers 7.25@11.00; stockers 7.00@11.00; calves 7.00@13.00. SHEEP: Receipts 9,000; 5 lower. Lambs 16.00@18.00; yearlings 13.00@14.75; wethers 11.50@13.00; ewes 10.00@13.00; mixed 10.00@13.00; culls 8.50@10.00; stockers 7.00@11.75.

St. Louis Livestock. St. Louis, Jan. 21.—HOGS: Receipts 20,000; 5 to 10 lower. Lights 16.20@16.40; pigs 14.00@15.50; mixed and butchers 16.25@16.65; good heavy 16.55@16.65; bulk 16.20@16.50. CATTLE: Receipts 10,000; prospects lower. Native beef steers 8.00@13.50; yearling steers and heifers 7.00@13.50; cows 5.00@10.00; stockers and feeders 6.50@10.00; Texas quarantined first 8.75@10.80; fair to prime southern beef steers 9.00@12.75; beef cows and heifers 6.00@10.00; prime yearling steers and heifers 7.50@10.00; native calves 3.75@15.00. SHEEP: Receipts 2,000; steady. Lambs 14.00@17.50; ewes 11.50@12.00; wethers 11.25@12.75; canners and choppers 8.00@9.00.

Chicago Produce. Chicago, Jan. 21.—Butter steady; creamery 40@48 1/2. Eggs lower; receipts 547 cases; nominal 26.75; ordinary 23.25; low midling 22.75; good ordinary 21.74; ordinary 21.21. Sales 3,000 including 2,700 American. Receipts 32,000, all American. Futures closed quiet and steady. New contracts, Jan. 23 49; March 22.90; May 22.51. Old contracts (fixed prices) Jan. 22 1/2; Jan. Feb. 22.01; March April 21.83; May June 21.67; July 21.59.

Sugar Market. New York, Jan. 21.—Raw sugar steady; centrifugal 6.00; molasses nominal. Refining steady; cut 8.75; 8.95; crushed 8.70; mould "A" 7.95; cubes 8.20; 4 "X" powdered 7.65; powdered 7.60; fine granulated and diamond "A" 4.45; confectioners "A" 7.35; No. 1, 7.30.

Liverpool Spot Cotton. Liverpool, Jan. 21.—Cotton spot quiet prices unchanged. Good midling 23.78; middling 23.25; low midling 22.73; good ordinary 21.74; ordinary 21.21. Sales 3,000 including 2,700 American. Receipts 32,000, all American. Futures closed quiet and steady. New contracts, Jan. 23 49; March 22.90; May 22.51. Old contracts (fixed prices) Jan. 22 1/2; Jan. Feb. 22.01; March April 21.83; May June 21.67; July 21.59.

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Dr. Stripling Will Not Be Candidate For Alderman Here

That he appreciates the intentions of his friends, but will under no circumstances become a candidate for alderman of the city of Wichita Falls, is the statement of Dr. L. F. Stripling, after following the circulation of a petition here last week that his name be placed upon the ticket.

His statement follows: "While I appreciate the kind interest and good intentions of my friends in circulating a petition for me that my name might be permitted to appear on the ticket as a candidate for alderman, I fear that I would not be in a position to accept the office, if fortune should be so kind as to elect me. I have respectfully withdrawn said petition, which I trust meets with their entire approval."

Deeds Filed For Record. D. C. Olliger et ux to J. I. Staley, 115 1/2 acres from the John Deck Survey in Wichita county, 86570. Mrs. M. M. Adickes, et al to Walter Graham, lot No. 5, block 1, Spivey addition to city of Wichita Falls, 82,031.

A. Scott et ux to B. F. Blak, 2.9 acres from the W. P. DuBois survey, Wichita county, 81,400. L. J. Hammond et ux to J. L. Art, 1/2 of lot 18 of lot 18 of Boyd subdivision of lot 2, block 4, Bellevue addition to city of Wichita Falls, 85,500.

Local Brevities E. G. Hill, undertaker, office and parlors, 900 Scott Ave. Phone 325. Prompt ambulance service. 921c Dr. Du Val, Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat. 174-17c

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Brother Shuman, our district deputy, will be with us Monday night, Jan. 21. Social session and initiation. All Elks expected to be there. Committee. 215-31c

Notice. The Yeomen will hold their public installation Tuesday evening, Jan. 22. Members are requested to be present at 7:30; our guests at 8:15. 216-31c

The Wichita Falls Motor company has filed suit against Claude A. Hurdspeth, state senator from El Paso, for debt in the Wichita county court. The amount named in the suit is \$400.

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Music at the St. James during meal hours Saturday night and Sunday noon and night. 208-231c

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Katz orchestra, 16 pieces, at the St. James next Sunday night. 21-41c

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War and Sugar

Before the war, England imported practically all of its sugar from Germany, Austria and far-away Java. France produced all the sugar it needed, and had some to export. Italy supplied itself.

The war abruptly shut off England's supply of sugar from Central Europe. The armies of Europe have overrun the beet fields of Northern France, Belgium, Poland and Russia. Today the battle lines encircle the vast sugar beet area of the Central Powers. About one-third of the world's former production is unavailable to the European Allies.

The main sources of available sugar for the United States and the Allies are narrowed down to the West Indies (principally Cuba), Hawaii, the Philippines, Louisiana, and the sugar-beet fields of the Middle West.

Cuba has now increased its production of sugar cane, but England, France and other foreign countries perforce have increased their importations of sugar from Cuba.

There is an abundance of sugar in far-away Java. It is as useless to the world as unmined gold, because no nation can spare the ships to carry it.

This country and Europe could only procure sugar from Java by using ships badly needed to carry American troops and supplies to France.

It takes 150 days for a cargo ship traveling at the rate of 200 miles a day to go from England to Java and return, counting in the loading and discharging at both ends. The same ship traveling between New York and France takes 50 days for a round trip.

Therefore the same ship can make three round trips between New York and France while it is making one round trip between England and Java.

The competition among nations for Cuban raw sugar has forced up its price, with a necessary corresponding increase in the cost of refined sugar. This competition has now been overcome by the combined efforts of the United States Food Administration, the Allied Governments, and all elements of the sugar industry.

In the midst of such abnormal conditions, this Company has done everything within its power, in co-operation with the Government, to provide an even distribution of sugar to consumers at the lowest possible price.

In constant effort to stabilize the price, we have even sold sugar at less than market prices—for some time at a full cent a pound below the market.

Last February and March there were severe strikes in the refineries of this and other companies. But in the face of the new problems thus created, we

are able to deliver a normal amount of sugar every day. The supply of raw sugar in the early summer gave evidence of being enough for all needs. But the rate of consumption had increased. An extra 450,000,000 pounds were required to meet the needs of the people from June up to November. "You can't eat your cake and have it too."

A part of this increased demand for sugar was due to the nationwide save the fruit crop movement. The sugar thus used is not gone. It is saved. It is simply in the fruit and jam jar instead of the sugar bowl. Sugar has sold in the United States throughout the war at an average price lower than in any other country. It is one of the cheapest foods the nation has. Admittedly one of the reasons for this brilliant showing, in view of changed world conditions, has been the fact that the domestic cane refining industry is in large units. It is a noteworthy tribute to the domestic refining industry which will be better appreciated the more the events of the last two years are studied. Domino Package Sugars have been of great value in the wider and more even distribution of sugar. A barrel holds 350 pounds of loose sugar, all of which usually goes to one grocer. It has been possible to ship practically the same amount of package sugar in three 120-pound cases to three different grocers. The grocer has been able to handle these Domino Cane Sugars already packaged in cartons and small cotton bags, thus tending to check hoarding. It will be necessary for grocers and consumers to watch carefully their distribution and purchases during the approaching period of readjustment. Housewives can co-operate with this plan by buying Domino Package Sugars. The refineries are now starting up and supplies of raw sugar coming forward, but it will take weeks, and possibly months, for the return of normal conditions.

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### MILITARY ROADS CONNECTING ALL POSTS FAVORED

STATE HIGHWAY ENGINEER DUREN WRITES ARTICLE UPON MATTER.

### CITES VARIOUS CAMPS

Their Nearness to the Border is Given as Another Reason for Necessity of Prompt Action.

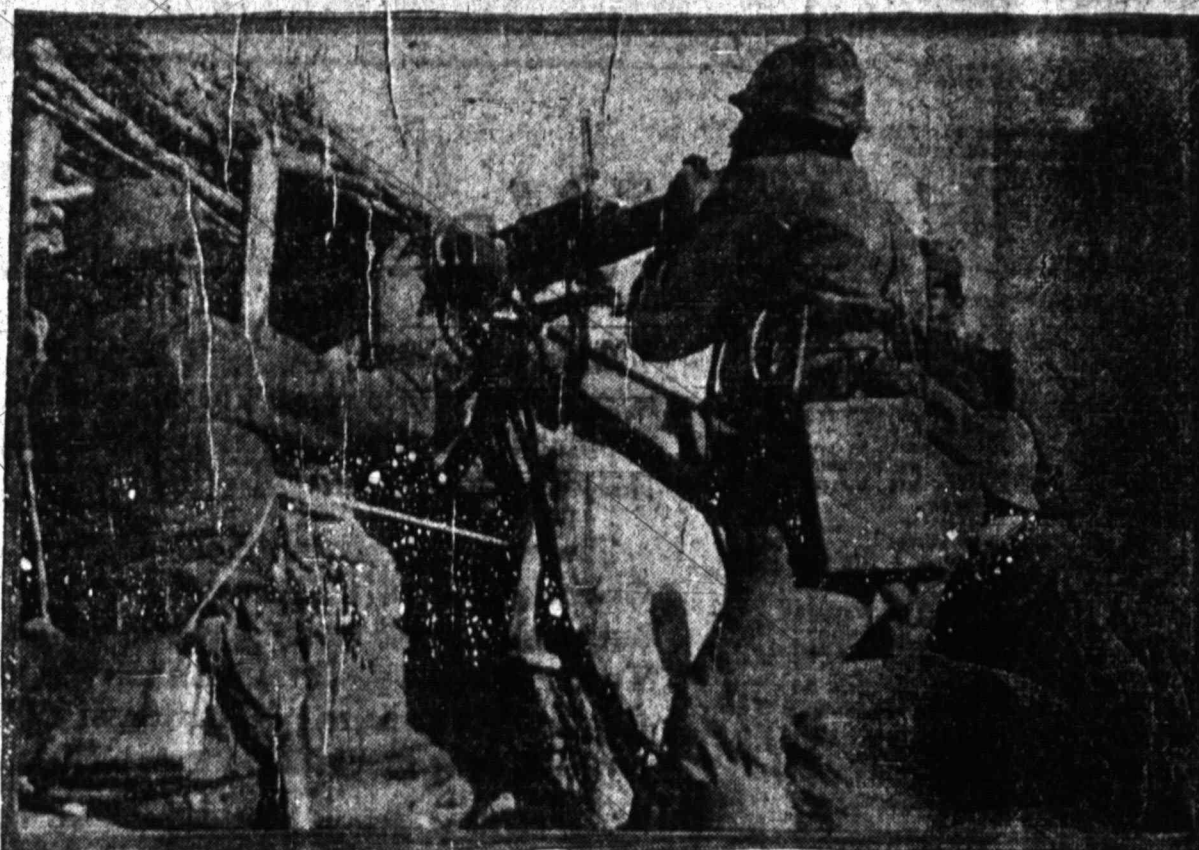
George A. Duren, state highway engineer, in a thoughtful article in the Dallas News says:

The great need of military roads has suddenly made itself manifest to the general public. It is now a matter of common knowledge that the excellent highways of France made it possible with the use of motor trucks to change the results of the war from a sure defeat of the allies to a final victory.

Ferrell's expedition into Mexico brought clearly to our attention the important role that motor transportation would hereafter fill in modern warfare. Great troop movements have already taken place in Texas over our highways and it is telling no military secrets in calling attention to the fact that the Sixth Regiment of cavalry was moved over them from Marfa to San Antonio, a distance of 450 miles, and that at the same time a full regiment, being the Eighth cavalry, was moved over the Highways from Fort Bliss at El Paso to Marfa, and that a regiment of engineers went overland from San Antonio to Corpus Christi, and that an immense army wagon train traveled overland from Fort Sam Houston at San Antonio to Fort Bliss at Lawton, Okla., and that at this time a trip is being made by motor ordinance repair trucks on a tour of the Texas border forts. There is now a constant stream with traffic of troops and equipment with traffic of troops over our state highways.

On account of the enormous resources of Texas and on account of its salubrious climate enormous numbers of soldiers are being trained within the borders of the state. Large bodies of men and a tremendous amount of army equipment with vast expenditures of money are now found on every hand within this state. Some of the points of mobilization and training that should be connected with first-class military highways without delay are as follows: Call Field, aviation camp, at Wichita Falls; Love Field, aviation camp, at Dallas; Tallaferra Fields, Nos. 1, 2, and 3, aviation camps, Fort Worth; Camp Bowie, army post headquarters, Thirty-Sixth national guard division, at Fort Worth.

### ITALIANS CLEVERLY CONCEAL A GUN ON THE TAGLIAMENTE



The Italians have cleverly concealed the gun behind a bank, through which a small hole commanding the enemy's position has been bored.

Camp MacArthur, at Waco. Hicks Field, aviation camp, at Fort Worth. Camp Logan, at Houston. Fort Crockett, at Galveston. Camps Travis, Bullis, Stanley, Morse, Fort Sam Houston, at San Antonio.

Aviation fields: Kelly Field No. 1, Kelly Field No. 2, Brooks Field and Balloon school, at San Antonio. S. M. A. aviation school, at Austin. Signal corps at Brownsville. Fort Ringgold. Fort McIntosh, at Laredo. Marfa, headquarters border guard Army post at Fort Bliss, El Paso, headquarters of Western District of Southern Department, with shipbuilding plants at Houston, Orange and Rockport.

All of the most important points of concentration of troops in the state, as mentioned above, with a few minor exceptions, are situated on the heart of the industrial and agricultural portions of Texas, along with the greatest concentration of the population of Texas. The map shown herewith outlines a system of military highways planned for the purpose of conserving the resources of Texas and for the purpose of concentrating our efforts in order to accomplish the construction and maintenance of the most vital arteries of motor vehicle transportation of the state. In my opinion, the highways shown on the map are of vital importance to the military and also to the industrial welfare of the state of Texas, and to the nation.

The improvement of those highways designated on the map by solid black lines is an immediate public necessity. The entire system of highways shown constitutes a system of important military highways, but in order to accomplish the desired results we must begin with the most important and concentrate our efforts on same for the fulfillment of our purpose. The roads shown by parallel lines are of great military and economic importance, but their construction should not be allowed to interfere with the construction and maintenance of the system shown in solid black lines until their construction is accomplished. We should refrain from interfering with shipments of coal and other shipments essential for war purposes, and we should be careful to avoid encroaching the priority board. Our plan may be submitted to the war council for its consideration, and if in its opinion it deems it necessary or desirable to cooperate, we would gladly receive any assistance it may extend. I suggest that it do extend to us its aid, either by allotting to this work necessary railway service or by allotting, in aid of this work, funds.

In order to raise funds for the construction of this system of military highways, I suggest: 1. That the military importance of these roads is sufficient to warrant their construction out of federal funds as a war measure. The war department is fully advised of the facts relative to army camps, aviation fields, etc., served by this system, and

we respectfully urge that it take over the construction and maintenance of this system or a system of its own designation. 2. The national importance of these roads as post roads is sufficient to warrant a liberal interpretation of the law by the office of public roads and rural engineering and a liberal grant of shipping facilities for their construction. 3. This system is of sufficient state importance, industrially and as a measure of home defense to warrant not only the most liberal interpretation of the state highway act of 1917, but of sufficient merit to warrant a state bond issue. 4. Each part of this system lying within the respective counties and cities traversed is of sufficient local importance as an economic and industrial measure to warrant its construction entirely out of local funds. I am of the opinion that petitions, if strongly urged, as follows, might be granted:

1. Petition to Secretary of War Baker and to a Railway Director McAdoo that necessary railway facilities be allowed for construction and maintenance of this system of roads and that the improved parts of same adjacent to army posts that have been destroyed by army traffic be restored and maintained by the war department. 2. To the Secretary of Agriculture that this system be declared eligible to Federal aid allotments in all of its parts, since they are either used as post roads or probably will be used for carrying United States mails after construction, and to petition him that on same no further formalities be required in the way of proof from postmasters and mail carriers in certificates, etc. 3. To urge the State officials to act in accordance with the most liberal interpretation of the State highway act, since as I understand it was the intent of the framers of the State highway act of 1917 to restrict aid to the construction of ten miles of highway with state aid in any one county in any one year not to exceed one-fourth the total cost of construction of forty or more miles in the county. I should be glad to recommend to the State Highway Commission that Federal aid be granted out of available Federal aid funds to cover not less than 40 per cent of the total cost of the system, and that State aid be granted to an amount of between 20 and 25 per cent of the total cost of same, except where it would exceed one-fourth the cost of building the most expensive forty miles in the county and I would recommend that county bonds or warrants be issued to cover the balance of cost of construction. The recommendation of the Federal Reserve Banking Board that improvements, repairs, and issues be suspended during the war, I endorse in all things except for the necessary bond issue and road district bond issues required to accomplish the construction of this system of highways. I suggest that these bonds be designated as "Liberty Highway Bonds" and that they be sold in Texas if possible, and that an attempt be made to sell them in amounts pro rata with the assisted wealth of the individuals placing 40 per cent or more of the bond issue of the county in question with the people of the county and placing 60 per cent with the people of the State of Texas pro rata with their assessed wealth.

### CLERKS NEEDED NOW BADLY BY CIVIL SERVICE

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On account of the urgent needs of the service, applications for the following positions may be made at any time. Papers will be graded promptly, and applicants notified as soon as possible:

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- Architectural, Mechanical, and Structural Steel Draftsman, Navy Department, and Yard Service—Grade 1, \$4.00 to \$4.48 per day—Grade 2, \$4.48 to \$4.96 per day—Grade 3, \$4.96 to \$5.44 per day—Trained Nurse (Female) \$720 to \$1,200
- Feb. 6th—Guard (Male) Penitentiary Service \$340
- Feb. 6th—Copyist Draftsman, \$2.00 to \$3.44 per day
- Feb. 13th—Draftsman \$1,080
- Feb. 13th—Fish Culturist (Male) \$900 to \$1,200
- Feb. 13th—Apprentice Fish Culturist (Male) \$600 to \$960
- Feb. 13th—Clerk with Experience \$1,500 to \$1,200
- Feb. 13th—Highway Bridge Engineer (Male) \$1,800 to \$2,100
- Feb. 13th—Junior Highway Bridge Engineer (Male) \$1,200 to \$1,600
- Feb. 13th—Assistant Examiner Patent Office \$1,500
- Feb. 15th, March 15th and April 15th—Clerk with knowledge of Stenography or Typewriting \$900 to \$1,200
- Feb. 15th—Chauffeur and Auto Truck Driver (Male) \$900
- Feb. 15th—Petroleum Technologist (Male) \$2,500 to \$3,000
- Feb. 20th—Assistant in Forest Pathology \$1,200 to \$1,440
- Feb. 20th—Assistant in Animal Genetics (Male) \$1,380 to \$1,800
- N. B.—When not otherwise specified, persons of either sex are eligible.

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Organization for Construction. I recommend that the proposed construction be in charge of the State Highway Department, subject to inspection and general supervision of the office of Public Roads and Rural Engineering. I would call on the county officials to turn over to the State Highway Department for their control in the proposed construction all county road machinery, teams and other equipment, as such thereof as may be required. Such counties to be reimbursed by schedule of rental charges such as would be equitable and that contractors organization and equipment be in like manner used on same basis of pay as that of counties furnishing similar organization, tools and equipment. In this connection, the free labor employed thereon might be advantageously regulated on a military basis and trained to the duties of highway engineering corps for active war service. If found advisable, State prisoners could be used and, in addition thereto, county prisoners, wherever legally possible. For later consideration, the use of Federal prisoners may be considered with the view of providing employment for our future supply of prisoners.

The first project contemplated includes 1,232.6 miles of highway. The second project, for approximately the same mileage, all of these highways lie near and adjacent to one or more railroads. Numerous graves and rock deposits are found along and in the center of road construction. In car miles, in team miles, in labor days and in materials used, this system is in part already constructed, and the expenditure of some such dollars expended will accomplish as much or more in results as would the construction of any other highway in the State. It is the opinion that we could do no more patriotic thing than to accomplish the construction of this project without delay.

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Wichita Falls is one of the few towns in the Northern Texas District that has not yet furnished an applicant for appointment to United States Marshal to succeed the late Captain McDonald.

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**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. \$235.00
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Above cars in first class running condition and big bargains for the price asked.

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**FOR SALE**—1918 new 5-passenger Ford. Phone R. D. Adrian 1954. 215-3tp

**FOR SALE**—Reo car first class condition, first check for \$250 gets it. Inquire C. E. Wilson, 708 1-2 7th St. third floor. 216 6tp

**FOR SALE**—second-hand three-speed twin cylinder Harley-Davidson motorcycle. In good condition, cheap. Also piano. Phone 2312. 215-3tp

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**FOR SALE**—Two good milch cows, also nice thrifty Jersey pigs. Phone 9018P13. 213-6c

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\$5 to \$7 daily selling New Fibre Brooms; every woman will buy. Sample by parcel post 55 cents. Wynne Broom Co., Elmira, N. Y. 217-7tp

**HELP WANTED**  
WANTED—Experienced help at Model Laundry. 193-tfc

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Mrs. Frankie Ross, dressmaking, alterations and repairing, 209 Lamar st. Phone 1718. 161-tfc

**WANTED**—Property listed with us as we are unable to fill calls. Stehlik & Baker. 205-tfc

**A SPLENDID** buy almost brand new 5 room bungalow on Ninth with garage and all other conveniences. This side of Floral Heights for \$3500.00. Terms. —O. F. Marchant. Phone 2851. 216-tfc

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**FIVE ROOM** modern house, in every respect, in the 1300 block on Burnett St. \$2500.00. Six room house on a corner lot near the Austin School building. \$2700.00. Four room modern house with an east front 7x15 ft. lot on Travis. \$2150.00.—N. O. Monroe, Phone 2454. 216-3tp

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#### FOR RENT—Bed Rooms

**FOR RENT**—One bedroom and garage 1416 twelfth street, phone 1232. 207-tfc

**FOR RENT**—Double front bedroom, 1109 Eighth street. Phone 2738. 213-tfc

**FOR RENT**—One furnished bedroom \$3.00 per month. Phone 989. 1408 Eighth. 216 3c

**FOR RENT**—Front bedroom, 710 Scott with private family. Phone 1626. 216 3c

**FOR RENT**—Bedroom close in, modern conveniences, to gentlemen only. 807 11th street. 216-3tp

**HELP WANTED—Female**  
WANTED—Colored woman at 601 Scott. 205-tfc

WANTED—Colored woman for house work. Elderly woman preferred. Permanent and good pay to right one. Mrs. Monroe, 101 Brook. Phone 3115. 216-tfc

WANTED—Stenographer at Baumgardner. 213-tfc

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Phone 1305. 216-3c

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**FOR TRADE**—Overland car, 85-c. pretty new, want lighter car or city property. Address W. H. S., 1503 Broad. 216 3tp

#### LOST

**LOST**—Auto number 808 and rear lamp. Finder bring to 804 Indiana and get reward. J. H. Weidman. 213-4t

**LOST**—Cameo brooch pin Saturday 12th. Finder please return to Vaughan at Martin's Book Store. 215-2tc

**LOST**—Near Wichita bridge one new non-skid 32x Goodyear casing on rim. Finder please return to Dr. R. C. Smith and get reward. 216 4tc

**LOST**—Two mules one black, about 16-hands other bay, about 14-hands. One horse mare 16-hands. Phone information 9011-F 4, George Kavarik. 216 3tp

**FOUND**—Auto crank on Tenth street Sunday. Owner call at Times office. 217-tfc

#### SITUATIONS WANTED

**EXPERIENCED** woman stenographer fully capable of holding first-class position desires situation. Address J. M. S. care Times. 202-4tp

**WANTED**—Position by young man experienced in oil company offices. Phone 2298. Best of references. 215-3tp

**POSITION** wanted as clerk or salesman by married man, post office box 186, city. 215-3tp

**EXPERIENCED LADY** wants position in Ladies-Ready-to-Wear shop or department. Phone 2537. 216 3tp

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#### FOR SALE—City Property

**\$1750.00** buys a six room house, strictly modern in every respect, situated on 10th St. in the 1900 block. This home is very desirable in every respect. I will handle a resident lot on 10th St., if priced worth the money, on this place.—N. O. Monroe, Phone 2454. 216-3tp

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**TENTH STREET HOME**—Two story, strictly modern home, in every respect consisting of 8 rooms facing 98 feet on 10th St. This is one of the most desirable homes in Wichita Falls, and can be bought for \$8500.00 on very desirable terms.—N. O. Monroe, phone 2454. 216-3tp

**TEN ROOM** house on Fourteenth St. south front two baths, concrete storm cellar, fruit trees, close to school, will take a small place as part payment. Stehlik & Baker. 204 tfc

**Installation**, five room house on 14th, all modern, large rooms, worth the money, price \$2650.—Stehlik & Baker. 216-tfc

**SIX ROOM**, east front, house in the 1100 block on Taylor St. modern in every respect with concrete basement. All the rooms in this house are nice large rooms and it is a very desirable home in every respect. \$3500.00.—N. O. Monroe, phone 2454. 216-3tp

**IF YOU HAVE** a residence or a resident lot that you wish to sell please phone same in, as I will be glad to handle it for you and assure you that if same is priced reasonable I will sell it for you, as the demand for good resident stuff is more than can be filled.—N. O. Monroe, phone 216-3tp

**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 residence section of the city. It is not for rent. Phone 372. 195-4tc

**SACRIFICE** in five room house, well built, all modern and in good shape. Price \$1650.—Stehlik & Baker. 216-tfc

**NINTH STREET**—Five room modern house, in the 2200 block. \$2500.00. Five room modern house on a corner lot just being remodeled, with new roof, newly papered and painted throughout, with modern home and will be ready for occupancy by latter part of the week, \$2300.00. Will sell this place on very attractive terms.—N. O. Monroe, phone 216-3tp

**\$2400.00** buys a modern five room house, in the 1400 block on 15th St., this place has been occupied as a home since it was built and is well worth this money. Five room modern house, in the 1500 block on 15th St. \$2000.00. Five room modern house, in the 1300 block on 16th St. \$2200.00. Four room, strictly modern, house, with full size lot and garage, in the 1400 block on 16th St. \$2000.00 with very attractive terms, if desired. Call N. O. Monroe, phone 2454. 216-3tp

**FOR SALE**—Nice house, 8 room two-story house, on Tenth street, close in, \$8,000.00. Five room house all modern on 17th street, car line, \$2100.00, \$500.00 cash, balance monthly. 4 room house close in with sewer in house, \$1200.00, \$150.00 cash, balance monthly. Nice 5 room house on Tenth street all modern, fine location, price \$3600.00, terms, New 5 room house with sleeping porch, all glassed in, modern in every respect. All plastered walls, the very finest of light and bath fixtures, inside finish is of Old Ivory. Its a beauty. Price \$325.00.—Thomas & Bland, Phone 59. 203-tfc

**AN EAST FRONT** four room modern house with servants house, garage, concrete cave, \$2250.00. Five room modern house, in the 2300 block on 8th St. \$2500.00.—N. O. Monroe, Phone 2454. 216-3tp

**FIVE ROOM** house with 100 ft. East front, in the 1500 block on Pajonet St. \$1500.00. Six room house on a southeast corner on Kemp Blvd., with 100 ft., \$1650.00. Six room house in the 1900 block on Tilden St., \$1100.00.—N. O. Monroe, phone 2454. 216-3tp

**POSSESSION** today 4 room house, close in, south side \$1250. 350.00 down \$25.00 month R. H. Chancelor, Phone 1352. 215-3tc

**SEVEN ROOM** house on 9th St. close in. In good shape, investigate this.—Stehlik & Baker. 216-tfc

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**6 ROOM** house, back yard fenced, well and cistern, two lots, a bargain, price \$1250.—Stehlik & Baker. 216-tfc

**TWO STORY HOME** \$5500.00. This is an ideal home, situated on a corner lot on 8th St. in the 2300 block, consists of eight rooms with every convenience that could be desired in a home, is very conveniently arranged with halls, closets and is in fact very desirable in every respect and certainly a good buy at the price as this home could not be built now for the money.—N. O. Monroe, phone 2454. 216-3tp

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#### FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

**FOR SALE**—Moving picture machine, slightly used. Half price. Phone 2495. 210-tfc

**SIX** hundred feet eight-inch casing, new; submit offer to K. F. Wilson, Leedy, Okla. 215-3tp

**FOR SALE**—Brick bats for 25c a load at the old jail. C. V. Calvert. 216 2tc

**A BARGAIN**—New piano, standard make cheap, for cash, 1205 Scott. 216 2tc

**FURNITURE** for four rooms, parties can also rent the 5 room house, 1104 9th. 215-3tp

**FOR SALE**—Household furniture, 509 Austin.—A. D. McCowan. 216-4tp

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#### HELP WANTED—Male

**WANTED BOY WITH WHEEL**, at Richardson-Taylor Drug Store. 213-4t

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#### NOTICES

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**ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE THE STATE OF TEXAS**  
To the Sheriff or Constable of Wichita County Greeting:  
J. D. Avis, administrator of the estate of Ruth M. Stevens, deceased, having filed in our county court his final account of the condition of the estate of said Ruth M. Stevens, deceased, together with an application to be discharged from said administration, you are hereby commanded, that by publication of this writ for twenty days in a newspaper regularly published in the county of Wichita, you give due notice to all persons interested in the account of final settlement of the estate of said Ruth M. Stevens, deceased, to file their objections thereto, if any they have, on or before the February term 1918, of said county court, commencing and to be held at the court house of said county, in the City of Wichita, Falls on the first Monday in February A. D. 1918, when said account and application will be considered by said court.

Witness M. P. Kelly, Clerk of the County Court of Wichita County. Given under my hand and seal of said court at my office in the City of Wichita, Falls, this 14th day of January A. D. 1918.

M. P. KELLY,  
Clerk County Court, Wichita County, Texas.  
(Seal.)  
(Jan. 14-21-28.)

#### BOARD AND ROOMS

**BOARD AND ROOMS** at 1203 Burnett, phone 1868. 214-6tc

**BOARD AND ROOM**, home cooking, 702 Scott, Phone 2425. 215 3tc

#### UNFURNISHED ROOMS

**FOR RENT**—3 unfurnished rooms, 1419 14th street. Couple without children preferred. 215-3tp

**FOR RENT**—Two unfurnished rooms at 1316 Eleventh on the line. 216-4tc

#### PETS

**FOR SALE**—I have some very fine English fox terrier pups for sale. Fine raters, will clear the place of rats, polecats, snakes, etc. Price right. Box 25, Goree, Texas. 215-7tp

**TENTH STREET HOME FOR SALE**

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I offer for immediate sale, a splendid, well built, well arranged, modern two-story home, located in the 1800 block on Tenth street.

Large living room, dining room, kitchen and hall on first floor, with hardwood floors and beautiful finishings throughout. Three bed rooms and sleeping porch on second floor.

Drive-way, splendid garage, good servants house with sewer connection.

The lot, if vacant, would readily sell for \$2250. The improvements, if constructed at this time, could not be done for less than Ten Thousand. I offer this property for immediate delivery at

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# BONDS REPORTED STOLEN INTENDED FOR LOCAL BANK?

The \$55,000 worth of Liberty Bonds reported stolen from the Federal Reserve Bank at Dallas, and discovered on the person of W. F. Drummond, arrested in Denver, Colo. last Saturday, is probably the shipment which the Dallas authorities believed had been sent to the City National Bank here.

C. W. Shuler, cashier of the bank, stated this morning that he had received a wire from the Federal Reserve Bank at Dallas asking whether the shipment had been received, and Mr. Shuler declared that the Dallas bank was holding that amount of bonds for his bank.

# Mrs. Lee Appointed War Savings Stamp Chairmen of Women

Mrs. J. W. Lee has been appointed chairman of the War Savings Stamp Campaign among the women in Wichita county and is now working on plans for a school and club campaign Saturday. But details of the campaign which the Dallas authorities believed had been sent to the City National Bank here.

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**Knights of Pythias Lodge**  
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There will be no meeting Friday night on account of the Red Cross variety show.

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R. A. M. Stated convocations second Friday night in each month.

W. Y. HAMMACK, H. P. J. W. WALKUP, Sec.

**Wichita Falls Commandery No. 89**  
Regular convocations fourth Friday night in each month.

C. W. RICHOLT, W. M. J. W. WALKUP, Sec.

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**Wichita Falls Chapter No. 287**  
Meetings first and third Tuesday nights of each month.

W. M. STAMPEFLI, W. M. MRS. MAE BAKAN, Sec.

The women of the county will make a systematic canvass of the schools city and rural. Full details of the joint campaign will be announced in a short time, a slight delay being occasioned by a slight indisposition of Mr. Kemp, who has kept him confined to his home.

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**Municipal Candidates**  
Election to be held in April. All candidates announcing under this head submit their claims to the office to which they aspire subject to a vote of the people.

**For Mayor:**  
E. G. HILL  
W. H. WALKER

**For City Marshal:**  
D. D. McIVER  
R. L. McDONALD  
LENNY HUMPHRIS  
FRED K. SMITH

**For City Recorder:**  
A. W. WEBB  
A. W. HUGH  
ROBERT H. WHITWORTH  
J. W. COVINGTON

**For City Tax Assessor and Collector:**  
H. F. ROBERTSON

**For City Attorney:**  
RALPH MATIHS  
W. LINDSAY BIBB.

**For City Clerk:**  
J. W. WALKUP.

**For Alderman:**  
C. E. McCUTCHEN.

**For City Health Officer:**  
DR. M. A. BECTMAN

**County and District Candidates**  
All candidates announcing under this heading submit their claims for the office to which they aspire subject to the action of the Democratic Primary to be held in July:

**For District Attorney:**  
FLETCHER S. JONES

**For District Clerk:**  
A. F. KERR.

**For County Tax Collector:**  
J. P. JACKSON  
M. L. TITTLE  
E. S. WHITELAW

**For County Tax Assessor:**  
T. E. RAGSDALE

**For County Clerk:**  
M. P. KELLY  
WIGL T. HARRIS

**For Sheriff:**  
R. L. (BOB) McFALL  
C. A. GPOBERT, JR.  
FRANK J. BURNS  
J. L. HUFFINE.

**For County Treasurer:**  
T. W. (Tom) McHAM.

**For County Attorney:**  
JOHN DAVENPORT  
ED YARBROUGH

**For County Judge:**  
SHIELD HEYSER.

**For County Commissioner, Precinct 1:**  
M. K. EMMERT.

**For Justice of the Peace Precinct No. 1, Phase 1:**  
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TO GO TO CALL FIELD

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Both services at the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, yesterday were conducted by Rev. Lewis Stuckey, who has been appointed by the North Texas Conference to be in charge of the work of the Methodist church at Call Field, and for this reason the day was one of unusual interest.

Mr. Stuckey was pastor at Carrollton when he received this appointment and he is now ready to take up his duties, which will be to meet any religious demands that may be made from the aviation camp.

Talks On "Moses"

Sunday morning the young minister took as his subject "Moses" and at the night hour spoke on "Our Attitude and Duty Toward the War." Those who had known him as a boy when his father was pastor of the local church were glad to welcome him to his new work here and took opportunity during the day to assure him of hearty co-operation.

May Move Church.

The plan at present is to move the Allendale church to a location near the entrance of Call Field and to make this church a center of the work in the camp, according to Mr. Stuckey. This will be done as soon as the weather permits. Mr. and Mrs. Stuckey have already taken up their residence here.

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Alien Enemy Is Sent From This City For Internment For War

Wichita county which furnished a record for the state in Liberty Loan subscriptions, Red Cross campaign and other war movements, now has a new war record. It has supplied the first alien enemy to be interned from this federal district.

Thousand Dollars Is Bond Prescribed for Rooming House Man

Bond of \$1,000 was made by Lloyd Horry this morning before Federal Commissioner J. A. Lantz, after the defendant had waived preliminary hearing.

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wide open, sometimes cooling a little when her mother stirred, but never whining or making any trouble.

After a while her young uncle came home. He was in the flying corps and he wanted to see his brother's child. He used to dash in after dinner with the dimpled baby before she went to sleep.

In a little while she began to expect him and would do all sorts of cunning things to show her delight. Sometimes he would fly over the hotel in his machine and we would all go out and wave to him.

One afternoon the papers came out with a tragic story about a young flying officer who had fainted high up in the air from long hours of service and because he had not fully recovered from influenza when he went back to work.

The old parents came down to get the body and take it back to the little town in the north where they had always lived and where he was to have a military funeral.

The three days dragged away and three others, then work began to add up and still no word. After a while the mother, only a girl herself, showed that she was anxious, though she never said a word and as she was nursing Peggy she would not give way to tears.

She settled it for herself; she stated, saying that when he went away her man had told her that her first duty was to their child whatever happened.

After a while the raid came and night after night we all were hustled to the basement. Old Uncle Peggy went, too, bundled up in her soft white wools. There she would sit on her mother's knee, her big eyes open

busy getting rid of everything, and sometimes when the woman came in she looked like a ghost creeping through the fog.

At last everything was settled and it was arranged that Peggy and her mother should go to live with the two old parents at Grimsby. There wasn't much packing to do; all their treasures went into a battered little tin trunk sent back from the front.

I don't suppose I shall ever see Peggy again, but somehow I feel that she will grow up into a good citizen.

All of Examinations Are Not Yet Taken By Mid-Year Graduates

Owing to incomplete examinations on the part of one or two candidates, the list of mid-year graduates, the first class to finish at this time in the history of the high school, is not yet ready to be announced, according to H. E. Bell, principal of the Wichita Falls high school.

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Wine of Cardui, \$1.00 size, our cut price 85c
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Sal Hapatia, 30c size, our cut price 25c
Sal Hapatia, 60c size, our cut price 50c
Sal Hapatia, \$1.20 size, our cut price \$1.00
Black Draught, 25c size, our cut price 20c
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Pear's Scented Soap, 25c size, our cut price 20c
Pear's Unscented Soap, our cut price 15c
Pebbeco Tooth Paste, 50c size, our cut price 45c
Nadine Face Powder, 50c size, our cut price 45c
Dr. Lyon's Tooth Powder, 25c size, our cut price 20c
Masatta and Sweet Pea Talcum, 25c size, our cut price 15c
Mennen's Borated Talcum, 25c size, our cut price 15c
Putman Dye, any color, 2 pkgs. 20c, our cut price 15c
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Pleas of Not Guilty Are Made By Two On Charges of Murder Pleas of not guilty were made by Mrs. Florence Walsh, and Will Shephard, the latter a negro, charged with murder, this morning when they were arraigned before Judge W. N. Bonner in the 30th district court.

WE APPRECIATE THIS KIND An extract from a letter under date of Jan. 14, 1918: "It sounds pretty but does little good to tell a fellow how natural he looks when he's dead, so allow me to tell you how much I appreciate the brand of coffee you are putting out."

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