



2,000,000 FARMER BOYS AIMED FOR IN PRESIDENT'S CALL FOR WAR WORKERS



BOY FARMERS AT WORK

THE TENT IS COMPACT, BUT COMFORTABLE

The government is making a drive for 2,000,000 farmer boys, between the ages of sixteen and twenty-one. It is expected that before the summer is well advanced almost, if not quite, the full quota will be at work in the fields as members of the United States Boys' Working Reserve, adding Uncle Sam to win the war. Boys who are accepted will serve six weeks on salary, and at the expiration of their term they will receive a special service badge from the government. They will live in small but comfortable tents.

PRIVATE MONEY TO BE INVESTED IN NEW VESSELS

CHAIRMAN HURLEY IS ENTHUSIASTIC OVER ORGANIZATION PERFECTED.

150 TO BE CONSTRUCTED

Atlantic and Pacific Company's Plans Will Not Interfere With Government Program, It is Shown.

By Associated Press. Washington, March 30.—A new ship-building program for private interests was approved today by the shipping board as a further offset to the drive after all allied tonnage was being made by German submarines.

Chairman Hurley announced that the request of the Atlantic and Pacific Steamship Company for permission to place contracts with shipyards in Oregon for 150 motor driven wooden ships of 3,000 tons each had been granted, under certain restrictions. Since the new contracts will not interfere with the government program, officials of the board were frankly enthusiastic over the idea.

World Encouraged Building. "We want to encourage American ship owners to put their money into building more ships," Mr. Hurley declared. "If all owners would follow the idea the American flag would sail back on the seas."

The government building program for March surpassed the goal set in launching by 12,000 tons, the shipping board announced today, but fell short in deliveries because of shortage of steel plates. Thirty hulls of 1,785 tons were put into the water and twenty vessels of 152,300 tons were completed.

Growth of the submarine toll has spurred officials to greater efforts to hasten building ships. The four official announcements issued in London this month contained the records of eighty one British ships sunk of which fifty four were of more than 1,000 tons each. In February the loss of sixty-seven British ships of which forty nine were more than 1,000 tons each was recorded. The total increase was fourteen ships or twenty percent.

Duponts Interested. The proposal of the Atlantic and Pacific Company to build the fleet of motor ships was presented to the shipping board by Senator McNary of Oregon. Eastern capitalists were said to be financing the scheme. Their identity could not be confirmed officially, but the Duponts were said to be among those interested.

Each ship would probably cost between \$350,000 and \$400,000.

Senator McNary asked that the following ruling be granted by the shipping board: That wooden ship yards not employed in the construction of wooden ships for this government shall be free to contract with private interests for the construction of wooden ships; such ships to be built by American organizations and sailed under the flag of the United States of America; steamers to be approximately 3,000 tons D. W. capacity.

That any wooden ships that such concerns shall contract to build within the limitations of this ruling and under any contract dated prior to further orders by this government changing such limitations, they, their agents, and equipment of the ships in process of construction by the shipbuilding concern that shall engage in business under the ruling above set forth and further that all such concerns will comply with all instructions as to wages or conditions of employment of labor or process of materials in writing by the shipping board or other agency of the government having control of the subject matter.

The motor ship was said to possess many advantages in construction at

this time. It can be built of smaller timbers than required for the standard Ferris type and being driven by current generated from a Diesel engine, will not require boilers, steam piping, condensers, vacuum pumps and other apparatus used on steam vessels. As the ship will burn fuel, they will not need firemen and as the auxiliary sails to be carried by them will be operated mechanically, it is claimed that they will not make heavy demands for manning and interfere with the operation of the government vessels.

In Coast Trade. The motor vessels probably will be put into the Pacific coast and China trade. Until the program is advanced further, officials declined to estimate the time required for completion of the ships. Their designed speed is from eight to nine knots.

Shortage of steel plates is causing the shipping board much anxiety and may lead to a change in the policy of allotting the output of mills, so that there will be no danger of stopping work in any yard through lack of materials.

LEGAL NOTICES

SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS—County of Wichita.

By virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the honorable county court of Wichita county on the 14th day of March, 1918, by M. F. Kelly, county clerk of said county against the P. P. McClair, for the sum of Five Hundred Seventy Seven and 4/100 (\$577.94) Dollars and costs of suit in cause No. 2759 in said court, styled for two Harrison-Everton Music Company versus P. P. McClair and placed in my hands for service; J. G. A. Hawkins as sheriff of Wichita County, Texas, did on the 19th day of March 1918, levy on certain personal property situated in Wichita County, described as follows, to-wit: One Berry Wood Electric Piano, style A. O. H. No. 9993 and levied upon all the property of said P. P. McClair and on the 11th day of April, 1918 at the Harrison-Everton Music Company's store on 7th street in Wichita County, in the city of Wichita Falls, Texas, between the hours of ten A. M. and four P. M. I will sell said piano at public vendue for cash to the highest bidder as the property of said P. P. McClair by virtue of said levy and said order of sale.

And in compliance with law I give this notice by publication in the English language once a week for two consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Wichita Times, a newspaper published in Wichita County.

Witness my hand this 30th day of March 1918.

G. A. Hawkins, Sheriff Wichita County.

By M. F. YEAGER, Deputy, Mar 31 and April 7.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Wichita County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Wichita, State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for the period of twenty days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof:

Notice of Filing Accounts—Guardianship.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To All Persons Interested in the welfare of Zoda Pearl Blankenship, Emory Brady Blankenship, Elmer J. Blankenship, and Zera Vesta Blankenship, minors.

M. P. KELLY, Clerk. County Court, Wichita County, Tex. By W. J. Bullock, Deputy, Mar. 19, 27, 21-30c.

RENEWED ATTACK ON ARRAS MAY BE IN GERMAN PLAN

(Continued from page 1.)

stricted by the marshy valleys of the Avre and the Somme. What the enemy's ultimate object might be if he should succeed in driving his wedge between the two armies is a matter of speculation but it is not unreasonable to assume that he would proceed to the northwest through Amiens and thence to the sea. On the extreme north the Germans probably will press their attack against Arras for they not only desire possession of this city with its railway facilities but wish to broaden the salient they have driven in the British line.

LONG STRUGGLE IS EXPECTED BY FRENCH TROOPS

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organization at Hebuturne, Bucquoy and Moyenville. It leaves the Colijne river to the east and then joins the original front eastward of Arras. Today all along the line the enemy has been trying to find a feeble spot without success. German divisions have seemed to give a heave at the shoulders here and there to test the strength of the defense and find the weakest spot against which to throw their greatest efforts but they have always found stern resistance.

Morale of Troops Good. The morale of both the French and British troops is notably cheerful and they are confident under trying conditions. They seem to know that their turn is coming. The protection against German gas attacks has been efficacious.

It has been announced that the Germans intended to use something terrible in the way of gas but nothing new has so far appeared. It was proclaimed that the Germans would use a swarm of tanks but only one has been seen and that apparently was one captured from the British at Cambrai. Small bodies of German cavalry have been observed in the neighborhood of Ham, Neule and Peronne but none has reached the front line. The diminution of German aerial activity in the last few days probably is a sequel of his heavy losses in airmen but his bombing squadrons have been more effective at night, especially in the vicinity of railroad junctions.

The French reserves came into action with the greatest vigor, offering the sternest resistance. Von Hutler is utilizing the method of attack which was successful at Rigas but this time he finds himself confronted by troops who are prepared to meet all his rushes. His starrowing division after division into the galle with what appears to be recklessness, but this principle of rickling an entire force in order to attain an object can only be successful when the adversaries are inferior in quantity or overwhelmed by numbers.

The French line is displaying splendid resistance and while the Germans are expending an enormous part of their strength the French troops retain their rifle power by making a strong counter stroke in which they will be aided by their reserves, which, up to the present have

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for the most part only been held in readiness to step into the arena when the enemy shows signs of weakening. Bring Up Gun. The Germans appear to have found time to bring up large numbers of guns and trench mortars. Nothing definite yet has been achieved since today's onslaught began. The French troops are fighting confidentially and cheerfully. It is possible that some small fluctuations in the line will occur in the course of the day only at the heaviest cost to the Germans who have again adopted the game way formation during the attack, offering splendid targets to the famous French field guns and machine guns. A large number of American transport sections are taking an active part in bringing up supplies. Behind the lines especially further north, French and British troops are working in perfect harmony. During the rapid retirement in the first days of the battle many British units became separated but never lost discipline. The larger units now are undergoing reorganization, preparing to take their places in the battle line.

The closeness of the co-operation between the French and British commanders and troops was well illustrated by an incident which occurred recently at a southern part of the front. The Germans were observed taking up positions on a high hill and a small detachment of Canadian cavalrymen, who the previous day found themselves with the French army corps, received orders to occupy the summit. Demounting, they clambered up the hillside but shortly afterwards were driven off.

Use Bayonets. The commanding general reprimanded them for retiring and ordered them to return immediately to the hilltop. The Canadians mounted their horses and rode to the summit under the heaviest fire and held the position ordered to join in the general retreat. Many small groups of British troops now are temporarily acting with the French. They had used all their ammunition when picked up but continued to fight obstinately with the bayonet when the Germans approached too closely. They suffered severely but many of them managed to get through to the French line.

TEXAN SAYS PRODUCERS OF LIVE STOCK HAVEN'T HAD SQUARE DEAL.

By Associated Press. Washington, March 30.—Charging that Food Administrator Hoover has shown himself ignorant of the fundamentals of economic food production, E. C. Lassater, prominent Texas cattleman, and former head of the market division of the American National Livestock Association, today assailed the entire working policy of the food administration before the Senate Agriculture Committee.

"When his campaign 'eat no veal, eat no lamb,' declared Mr. Lassater. "Such a policy made effective would be as disastrous to the dairy interest as to the meat producing interest."

The distrust of Mr. Hoover's intentions to be fair has now become so pronounced by the producing interests of the country that normal supplies of foods and feeds cannot be expected under his administration. A combination of ignorance, duplicity and misrepresentation cannot lead to the production of food that will win the war.

The administration's policy of licensing the canning, packing and sugar refining interests, said Mr. Lassater, has affected the cost of living to the consumer only to a negligible extent. The great food producers, the farmers, cattlemen and stock feeders have been generally neglected while every effort has been made to protect the interest of the middleman or retailer, it was charged by the witness.

Questions Statement. Mr. Lassater questioned the accuracy of the food administration's statement regarding the probability of a beef shortage. Citing figures to show that livestock of the allies actually has increased by nearly nine million head since the beginning of the war, the witness claimed that surplus of beef in cold storage in America had increased in November last year more than fifty seven percent against the same month in 1916. The food administration, claimed Mr. Lassater, has failed to keep its promise to assure reasonable profits to the meat producers.

The reversal of the food administration's announced policy of cost plus reasonable profit to producers of livestock, said Mr. Lassater, took place in November last year. He cited an increased meat production and after approximately 800,000 more stockers and feeders had been taken back to the

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FIRST PHOTOGRAPH OF AMERICAN HEROES BEING DECORATED BY FRENCH OFFICERS. PHOTO © BY UNDERWOOD & UNDERWOOD

This is the first photograph to be published in America of American heroes being decorated by the French. The picture shows General Debeaux, the commander of a French army corps, pinning a medal on one of the Americans. Detachments of American troops can be seen in the background. Premier Clemenceau, of France, attended the decoration ceremonies and can be seen standing to the left. He is the second figure and is in mufti. The color guard is standing to the right.

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### SECOND RED CROSS VAUDEVILLE TO BE STAGED IN APRIL

LOCAL TALENT PLAN TO PUT ON CLASSY SHOW AT POPULAR PRICES

Friday, April 12, the second big Red Cross vaudeville will be staged by Hodgins, Bray and Katz of the Rotary Club. Plans for this benefit 100 per cent of the proceeds of which will go to the Wichita County Chapter, the American Red Cross, were made at a meeting of the board of directors of the Rotary Club, and Messrs. George Hodgins, H. H. Bray and Ernest Katz named as the triumvirate which will be responsible for the success of the undertaking.

Some Brainy Bits  
Hodgins will, he modestly admits, be responsible for the brilliant, brainy bits which will be put on the stage. Bray will hand out the preliminary hot air that will beguile the six bits from the exchequer of the amusement seeking public for the cause of the Red Cross and Katz will direct the music of the show.

Call Field talent will supply several of the acts, it is expected, especially the Hundred and Sixty Fourth Squadron. Several acts will be taken from those put on at the last Stunt Nite of the Call Field Y. M. C. A. the artists having kindly consented to appear for the benefit of the Red Cross.

Townspiece to Aid  
The remainder of the program will be put on by townspiece and Mr. Hodgins reports several clever sketches and acts in course of construction especially for this event. The public is assured of their money's worth and a large attendance is desired, as the Red Cross needs the money.

In connection with benefits for the Red Cross the public is informed that the war department has forbidden any entertainments to be given in the name of the Red Cross unless that organization gets 100 per cent of the proceeds. The Rotary Club guarantees that not one cent will go to any one other than the Red Cross treasurer.

### LOCAL CHURCHES HOLDING SPECIAL EASTER SERVICES

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR WILL THIS YEAR ASSEMBLE AT CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Churches today in Wichita Falls are observing Easter, the anniversary of the resurrection of the crucified Christ, with special services, the resurrection theme being the inspiration of one or both of the preaching services, while many of the Sunday Schools are having special programs.

The Knights Templar, Wichita Falls Commandery, are holding their special Easter observance at the Christian church this year. Dr. Percy George Cross, the pastor of the church will preach the sermon and there will be special music.

Both the Episcopal and Catholic churches will commemorate the close of Lent with special services. This entire week has been one special devotion at the church of the Sacred Heart, (Catholic) and all through Lent there has been the usual service of the forty day period. Being without a rector the Church of the Good Shepherd has omitted the customary special services, but will have a program today.

### ROBOTOM HELD UNDER MANN ACT BY U.S. OFFICERS

Percy J. Robotom, who came here recently in connection with army training camp activities, was arrested Friday night on a complaint charging violation of the Mann act. It is alleged that he transported a negro woman from Little Rock, Ark., to Houston and thence to Wichita Falls. He will be given a hearing on the complaint Monday before U. S. Commissioner Leaty.

### WATER SERVICE NOT TO BE CUT FOR WHILE YET

ADDITIONAL FLUID IN LAKE IS RELIED ON TO TIDE OVER CRISIS

Friday afternoon's rain caused a postponement of the reduction of the water service to three one hour periods daily. Although no rain fell on the watershed of Lake Wichita, there was enough precipitation in the bed of the lake and its environs to fill the old channel of Holiday creek in its course through the lake, thus creating an additional reserve supply of water. Yesterday the water company began the construction of a temporary dam in the Wichita river below its pump in the river bed. There has been a slight rise in the river due to Friday afternoon's rain and it is believed that the construction of this dam will create another reserve supply of water.

About 150,000 gallons daily are being pumped from the wells on the Downing farm, but it is not hoped that this can be greatly increased, for when the wells are pumped hard the flow diminishes and 150,000 gallons seems about the capacity of the sand.

The water company is now digging wells on the north side of the river several hundred yards north of the pump in the river bed.

An Easter Carol.  
(G. W. in Songs of Light and Shade.)  
The world is softly singing  
A resurrection song.  
Of life from death-upspringing.  
Of hope, serene and strong.  
And louder grows the chorus,  
As longer grow the days  
That open wide before us  
Their golden gates of praise.  
For lo! the earth is learning  
A half-forgotten strain;  
And exiles are returning  
To Eden's joy again.  
A Man has passed the portal,  
And sheathed the flaming sword;  
And love is crowned immortal,  
And Paradise restored.

### INCOME TAX MEN ARE TO RECEIVE REPORTS TODAY

THIS IS LAST DATE UPON WHICH PERSONS ARE PERMITTED TO FILE STATEMENT

More than five hundred income tax reports have been filed and sent to Austin this week by the two representatives of the office of the collector of internal revenue, W. S. Michael and W. B. Hestand, who have been here during this last week, to assist the people in getting their reports properly made out. Both of these income tax experts will receive reports and take the affidavits of the persons making the reports today, if the persons properly made out are brought to them. Both Mr. Hestand and Mr. Michael will be at the Joline today. If reports are not in today, there is a penalty attached to those who fall in this respect.

It would be hard to estimate the number of people who will pay income tax this year, but to judge from the reports from the last week, it is believed that there will be at least between 2,000 and 3,000 in Wichita county. Some of these holders of valuable oil properties, will have large sums to pay and there are several corporations who will have large excess profits taxes to pay. In this latter class the oil interests again are taxed heavily.

### Cadet Barracks Are Now Being Enlarged At Aviation Field

Cadet barracks at Call Field are being enlarged, by extending the weather screened porch, which had extended along the entire front of the barracks. This is taken to mean that a larger number of men will be housed in future, though as yet no additional students have arrived.

The squadron quarters are said to be undergoing a similar enlargement. It was necessary some time ago to put up tents to house the entire squadron and to care for the hospital attendants. The crowded condition seems to be general, not at all confined to the officer's quarters.

### HIGH OFFICIALS OF KATY ATTEND MEETING IN CITY

C. E. SCHAFF, C. N. WHITEHEAD AND OTHERS AT DIRECTOR'S MEETING

A number of officials of the Katy railroad from the St. Louis headquarters were in the city Saturday to attend a regular semi-annual meeting of the Board of Directors of the Wichita Falls Route of the Texas lines.

The visitors had just returned from a director's meeting held at Altus, Oklahoma, for the Wichita Falls and Northwestern lines. They were C. E. Schaff, receiver, C. N. Whitehead, assistant receiver, D. S. Murphy, chief clerk to receiver and T. L. Phillips, secretary to receiver.

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CHURCH OF SACRED HEART HAS SPECIAL PROGRAM Special music will feature the morning service of the Church of the Sacred Heart. The Easter program includes: Freude—Katz Orchestra.

Millinery's "Mass in B flat" by Gounod and orchestra. Offertory, "Regina Caeli," by Rossini. Soloists, Mrs. S. Bates, Miss O'Connell and Mr. Vermette. Organist, Ida Harrison.



OFFICIAL

GREAT BRITAIN
London, March 29.—The Germans forced their way into the village of Demuin this morning but were held up at the western outskirts of the village...

London, March 30.—The Germans have captured the village of Aubillers, (5 1/2 miles northwest of Montdidier)...

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MR. DANIELS REVEALS INTENTION TO DOUBLE SIZE OF THE NAVY



Secretary of the Navy Daniels, from aboard the U. S. S. Recruit, in New York city, reviewed the recently graduated Pelham Bay regiment of bluejackets and listened to their singing...

Local Brevities

E. G. Hill, undertaker, office and parlors, 900 Scott Ave. Phone 5218. Prompt ambulance service.
Mr. and Mrs. Z. M. Reed, 301 Sixth Street, are the parents of a ten pound boy, who arrived Saturday morning.

LOAN COMMITTEES
MAY NEGOTIATE TO
GET AID OF ARMY

Washington, Mar. 30.—Local Liberty Loan committees have been instructed by the treasury that they may negotiate directly with commanders of army camps or naval stations near their cities for assignment of soldiers, sailors, airman or other equipment to participate in the loan celebration next Saturday when the campaign for third loan opens.

TURKISH WOMAN,
BELIEVED SPY,
DIES SUDDENLY

New York, March 30.—Madame Despina Davidovitch Storch, the young Turkish woman who was charged with being the leader of a band of German spies taken into custody in this city a fortnight ago, died suddenly today in her quarters on Ellis Island, it was learned tonight.

Arkansas Man Given
Horse Whipping For
Remarks About Loan

Helena, Ark., March 30.—William Chenowitz, a resident of West Helena, a suburb of this city, was taken in charge by a "committee" today and publicly horsewhipped because of alleged derogatory remarks concerning the Third Liberty Loan. Later Chenowitz was arrested on a charge of assault and placed in jail in default of \$2,000 bond.

Mrs. Rena Mooney Is
Granted Release On
Bail After Two Years

San Francisco, Calif., March 30.—Mrs. Rena Mooney was granted release from jail today on bail of \$1,500 against her in connection with a postcard day parade bomb explosion here in 1916, by Superior Judge Frank Lunne.

MANY INDICTED
IN CONNECTION
WITH RIOTING

Associated Press
Kansas City, Mar. 30.—Twenty men and four women were indicted by the Jackson county grand jury late today for alleged participation in one of the riots growing out of the general strike in progress here.

CLEVELAND RAILWAY CO.
MAY NOT RAISE RATES

Associated Press
Cleveland, March 30.—Common pleas Judge Pearson late today granted the city an injunction restraining the Cleveland railway company from increasing car fares on April 1 as it had planned.

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BASEBALL

San Antonio, Texas, March 30.—Exhibition score: New York Nationals 5; 15; 3.
Houston, Texas, March 30.—Exhibition score: Chicago White Sox 11; 15; 2.
Dallas, Texas, March 30.—Exhibition score: Detroit Americans 10; 10; 3.
Little Rock, Ark., March 30.—At Camp Pike: Cleveland Americans 1; 2; 1.
At Atlanta: Georgia Tech 5; Mercer University 2.
At Charlottesville, Va: University of Virginia 8; Virginia Christian College 0.
At Jacksonville, Fla: Philadelphia Americans 7; 12; 1.
At New Orleans: Cleveland Americans 1; 2; 1.

Joe Bailey to Breed Trotting Horses at Point Near Lexington
By Associated Press
Louisville, Ky., March 30.—Special telegram from Lexington today announced that Joe Bailey, former United States senator from Texas, will re-establish his breeding farm there for the development of thoroughbred trotting horses...

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Dear Brothers and Sisters: As such excellent work has been done in several councils in your section of the state of Texas as the result of special campaigns launched recently under the direction of Bro. W. T. Dykeman, your district manager, and Assistant District Manager Mrs. Fontells D. Lindsay for our society, I have decided to grant Wichita Council a special dispensation...



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### MUCH UNLOADING OF GRAIN SENDS PRICE DOWNWARD

Chicago, March 30.—Holders of day as a result of uncertainties of the military outlook and on account of the bearish conditions in the southwest. Corn closed steady, 1/2 cent lower, oats off 1/4 to 1/2 cent, and provisions down 1/2 to 3/4 points. Corn at first showed strength influenced by general prevailing opinion that the war situation was more satisfactory. Pressure from long holders, soon set in especially after news became public that the British had withdrawn from Meziars toward Amiens. Declines which carried the market well below Thursday's closing level. Good rains over Texas and Oklahoma which were said to have benefited growing crops seemed to add materially to sentiment against the bulls, and to increase the desire of traders to reduce risks for the week end.

Table with columns: CORN, OATS, WHEAT, RIBS, etc. and rows for May, July, etc.

Reserve Bank Statement. Washington, March 30.—Increase of \$13,000,000 in gold reserve \$40,000,000 in bills discounted, \$38,000,000 in earning assets and \$42,000,000 in total resources is indicated by this week's Federal Reserve Board statement showing the condition of the twelve banks at the close of business March 28 and 29. The report shows the following:

Banks and Trust Companies. New York, March 30.—The actual condition of clearing house banks and trust companies for the week shows that they hold \$41,339,129 reserve in excess of legal requirements. This is an increase of \$4,433,280 from last week. The statement follows: Actual Condition. Loans, discounts, etc., \$4,335,461,000; decrease \$11,750,000. Cash in own vaults, members Federal Reserve Banks (A) \$192,682,000; decrease \$181,000. Reserve in Federal Reserve Bank of member banks, \$535,104,000; increase \$10,585,000. Reserve in own vaults: state banks and trust companies, (B) \$17,576,000; increase \$370,000. Reserve in depositaries, state banks and trust companies \$7,520,000; increase \$598,000. X—Net demand deposits \$2,782,355,000; increase \$40,236,000. Net time deposits \$183,355,000; decrease \$2,448,000. Circulation \$35,872,000; increase \$409,000. Specie included in (A) and (B) \$76,492,000. United States deposits deducted \$291,415,000. Aggregate reserve \$560,500,000. Excess reserve \$61,399,129; increase \$4,433,280. Summary of state banks and trust companies in Greater New York, not included in clearing house statement: Loans, discounts, etc., \$752,416,500; increase \$9,289,300. Specie \$14,643,700; decrease \$25,100. Legal tender \$67,344,000; increase \$1,485,200. Total deposit \$785,090,700; increase \$7,507,300. Banks cash in vaults \$12,984,400. Trust companies cash in vaults \$69,008,300.

Wilson Packing, were higher by 1 to 3 1/2 points. United States Steel finished with a trivial gain. Allied steels were variable, as were most of the distinctive war issues. Total sales amounted to 110,000 shares. All the day's general news was subordinated to a closer scrutiny of advices on the program of the battle in France. The bank statement reflected the week's smaller market operations, the table of actual conditions showing a decrease\* of less than \$1,000,000, in loans and an increase of about \$6,500,000 in excess reserves. Bond dealings were in keeping with the superficial character of the stock market. Liberty issues were slightly lower.

### PERSONALS

Miss Thelma Taylor is at home from Miss Hockaday's school in Dallas for the Easter holiday. Mrs. George Herron and Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Whitney are spending the week end in Dallas. Sergeant Romer Bullington, Joe Zihlman, J. E. Douglas, LeVallie Childers, E. Taylor and T. J. Taylor, Jr., Wichita Falls boys now at Camp Bowie are here to spend the Easter holiday with relatives. All with the exception of E. F. Taylor, who is with the supply company of the 142nd Infantry, are with the medical corps, commanded by Major Everett Jones. Mrs. G. Fletcher and children who have been visiting Mrs. Fletcher's mother, Mrs. J. W. Akins for the last three weeks have returned to their home in Cleburne, Texas. Miss Winnie Benbow of Lawton arrived Friday night to spend Easter with her brother, Don W. Benbow. Miss Benbow will sing this morning at the First Presbyterian church and tonight at the Methodist Church, South. She will be here until Tuesday. George Wingo and family of Altus, Oklahoma came down Friday night to spend Saturday with friends here. Mr. Wingo who formerly worked here as a printer, is now employed on the Altus News. There are many ways of handling surplus funds but there is none more satisfactory than depositing them at 4 per cent compound interest with the National Bank of Commerce. 377-113

### BIG LEAGUERS TO PLAY GAME HERE THIS WEEK

LARGE CROWD IS EXPECTED TO SEE CINCINNATI AND DETROIT CONTEST. Keenest interest is being displayed by local fans in the exhibition game to be played in this city Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock between the Cincinnati Nationals and Detroit

American and indications now are that the park will be packed with a record breaking crowd. "It isn't the result of the game that is interesting these fans," said a local enthusiast yesterday, "it's the guys that play the game. Folks want to see Christy Mathewson, veteran moundman, now in the role of manager for the Cincinnati club; Ty Cobb whole famous for everything, from batting and fielding to the way he eats his breakfast; Hughie Jennings, whose grip as manager of the Detroit Americans ought to be broken by the shameless manner in which he makes

a fool out of himself—and the opposing players—when out on the coaching line. But what's the use? These two teams have more famous players than a fellow can shake a stick at. They carry the boys that figure in the headlines, and the people down in this country want to see them in action." In support of the forecast that the crowd will be tremendous, is the announcement that the entire surrounding country has been plastered with advertising of the big game, with the added attraction of Call Field aviators doing stunts over the field of "battle."

So far as can be learned, no special entertainment on a large scale is to be provided locally for the opposing clubs, for the simple reason that there will be little time for entertaining. They will arrive on a special train Thursday morning from Fort Worth and immediately after the game they are expected to entrain again for Ardmore, Okla., and other wild districts. However, the local committee on arrangements has prepared to house the players at the St. James and some informal function is deemed probable there.



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# Uncle Sam Insures His Fighters



Secretary of the Treasury, Wm. G. McAdoo, the head of the War Risk Insurance Plan.



War Risk Insurance Workers in the National Museum

Director William C. DeLaney of the Bureau of War Risk Insurance



John J. Crowley, Assistant Director of War Risk Insurance Bureau

## The New War Risk Insurance Bureau In Operation—How It Brings Life Insurance and Disability Remuneration Within Reach of All Soldiers and Sailors—Details of the Great Scheme.

THE WHOLE country knows by this time Uncle Sam has gone into the insurance business. And this is the first instance in all history where a government has done such a thing. But that is not the only amazing and interesting fact about this new war-time venture of your Uncle Samuel. There are many other truly remarkable phases of the enterprise. Consider a few of them:

He's A World Champion. Already Uncle Sam has proved himself the champion insurance seller of the world. In three months the War Risk Insurance Bureau succeeded in writing nearly five billion dollars in insurance policies to soldiers and sailors. No life insurance corporation in the United States or in the world can make a like showing; but this does not influence Uncle Sam to sit back and relax his efforts. On the contrary, he makes the announcement that he regards these totals—already record-breaking—as only a beginning!

Let us take a turn around this war

business which, mushroom-like, has sprung into large proportions almost overnight. In the first place, its offices are housed in a museum, a market and a hospital—the crowded condition prevailing at present in Washington making this necessary.

In charge of the work with the title of director is William C. DeLaney, who has held this position since the creation of the bureau. John T. Crowley, an insurance man of Hartford, Conn., is assistant director, Charles P. Nesbit, formerly superintendent of insurance for the District of Columbia, and for twenty years in the insurance business, is commissioner of the military and naval divisions. The corps of workers, directed by these men, comprises one of the largest forces at work in any one war bureau in the National Capital today.

Uncle Sam To The Rescue. And the work which they perform is one of the most unique in the annals of all of Uncle Sam's activities. Pause a moment and consider that thousands of men have crowded the

envelope and Uncle Sam's pocketbook. In other words, the government promises to go fifty-fifty with every enlisted man in the service in the support of his loved ones while he serves his country.

Secondly, the government says that it regards the work of war the same as that of any other perilous profession, and is willing to grant a compensation—similar to the well-known workman's compensation—to all enlisted men and officers for their part of total disability incurred in the pursuit of that work.

Thirdly, insurance against death or total permanent disability is sold by the government at the lowest possible rate, to all alike, and without medical examination.

Lastly, the government will provide facilities for rehabilitating the injured and reeducating those who are unable after they get well to resume their former occupation. At the outset, all men already in the service were allowed until February 12 last, to apply for insurance, but later the time limit was extended to April 12, inclusive. Also, a newly drafted man has 120 days in which to apply for insurance after he actually enters the service.

Such is the tremendous scope of this great war act. General John J. Pershing, said of it when he applied for the full \$10,000 of insurance: "The army in France is pleased at the announcement that the soldiers' and sailors' insurance bill is now a law. By this act our government has given its soldiers a privilege which no other country has ever granted. The very low rate and other advantages of this insurance are so manifest that it is hoped that every man in the army who needs insurance for those dependent upon him will avail himself of this generous offer. I have made application myself."

Advantages Of The Scheme Are Many. While this insurance and compensa-

tion provision may be said to supplant all future special pension legislation for wounded soldiers and ultimately take the place of the pension office when its pensioners all pass away, there are many other advantages upon which it bases its claim to merit. Suppose we consider all its phases singly.

By means of the allowance for support of the enlisted man's dependents this country for the first time makes an actual provision in advance for the wife and loved ones of any man who wears the uniform of his country. This just and generous measure says that the families of the men in the service of this country shall not be dependent, as heretofore, upon the charity of the communities in which they live; nor shall they be required to turn to some relative or friend for their support.

And this part of the law works in the following way: In the case of an enlisted man who has a wife or child, or a wife alone, he is obliged to set aside half of his pay—that will be \$15 dollars for the private in the army while serving in this country and \$16.50 while serving abroad—to support his wife and children. The government will immediately upon his doing so give his wife an allowance of \$15.00 more per month. In addition, the government will generously add to this, on application, an allowance of from \$5 to \$20 a month according to the size of the family.

Moreover, if the enlisted man himself will make some allotment of his salary to be provision for a dependent parent, brother, sister, or grandchild, they may be included in the government allowance.

Payment For Service Instead Of A Gratuity. Compensation is very much like the present pension except in the underlying thought: instead of being a gratuity it is a payment for disability on the same principle that any employer pays his workmen compensation when they are disabled or killed in the line

of service.

Uncle Sam says, in this respect, that if his soldiers and sailors, officers or enlisted men, Army or Navy nurses incur injury or contract disease in the line of duty, he will pay them a compensation of from \$20 to \$100 a month, and, should he die, compensation of from \$20 to \$75 a month will be paid to his wife, his child, or his widowed mother.

In addition to this the injured man is going to be supplied with governmental medical and surgical treatment and with such appliances as he may need—artificial limbs, eyes and things of that kind.

In order, however, to fully protect each person and family, Uncle Sam advocates that every soldier, sailor and nurse obtain life insurance. And this brings us to the third consideration of the War Insurance Law.

Says Secretary McAdoo in regard to it: "In this law the government has taken for its men the most advanced step in the history of the world. When a man puts the uniform on, it makes no difference how strong he is, how perfect every vital organ, or how good a risk he may be for a life insurance company in time of peace, he cannot get life insurance. There isn't a company in America that would insure him except at prohibitive rates.

Private Rates Too High For Enlisted Men. "When I took up this insurance bill, I wanted to find out what could be done for the men in the way of giving them life insurance. The insurance representative told me that \$55.00 a thousand was the lowest figure at which any company could afford to take such a risk, and then only for a year. At the end of the year they might increase the rate. So that if you desired to take out life insurance from a private company it would cost \$55.00 a year for \$10,000 of insurance. That manifestly puts life insurance beyond the reach of the enlisted man.

"It is provided in this law that every man in the Army and Navy of the United States may within four months after enlistment—he must exercise this privilege within four months, but he does not have to do so—take from \$1,000 to \$10,000 of insurance. From whom? Not from a private corporation but from our Government.

"The rate at which you take this insurance," Mr. McAdoo went on to explain, "is based upon what is called the American table of mortality in times of peace. This table represents the actual cost of insurance, without any overhead charges, without any commission to agents, without any salaries to officers, without any cost of advertising, without any expensive office rent or anything of that sort. The Government will pay all these overhead charges itself.

"The rate that the men will pay ranges from 65 cents monthly, at the age of 21, to \$1.50, at the age of 41, for each \$1,000 of insurance. The policies will be payable on death. For total permanent disability the proceeds will be given to the soldiers and sailors in \$40 monthly installments. It is the best investment in the world, because when the man gets back into civil life again that insurance continues. It can still be carried and then men will not have to re-insure themselves at higher rates in private companies."

Injured Men To Be Made Self-Supporting. A very important provision of the bill is the provision for reeducation and rehabilitation of injured men.

Briefly this provision aims to re-educate each man, who is injured in such a way that he cannot resume the occupation or trade in which he was engaged before the war, so that he may be rendered capable to spend the rest of his life in some other work, equally useful or remunerative. In connection with this opportunity given to the men to learn useful trades whereby they may support themselves the Government will continue to pay him the full amount to which he is entitled for his disability.

# The Daily Times Has Been First

With nearly every big item of news that has broken lately, its early edition has carried practically all the important developments in the war news that its own later edition has printed and that morning papers have printed the following day.

One reason why The Times has been enabled to do this is because it is served by the leased wire service of THE ASSOCIATED PRESS. Another reason is that there is six hours or more difference in the time between Paris and Wichita Falls. When it is noon there the day is just starting here. When it is 6 p. m. there it is only noon here. It can therefore be seen that the afternoon paper has a big advantage in getting the war news.

# Nearly Everybody in Wichita Falls Reads The Times Every Day

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CALL FIELD CAMOUFLAGE

MAJOR BROOKS MAY GO TO ST. LOUIS CAMP AS COMMANDING OFFICER

Major Brooks may be transferred from position of commanding officer of Call Field, this rumor, which while not officially verified as yet is nevertheless from a reliable source, has caused consternation among officers at the camp and among the townspeople...

BRITISH LINE HOLDS WELL, REPORTS OFFICERS

By Associated Press. London, Mar. 30.—The British line held magnificently throughout Friday according to Reuters' correspondent at British headquarters in France.

LOSS OF GERMANS AT ARRAS HEAVY DECLARE BRITISH

HARD FIGHTING REPORTED FRIDAY ON BOTH SIDES OF THE SCARPE

By Associated Press. Arras, Mar. 30.—The German attempt to force the British back along the Scarpe and capture Arras cost them an enormous price in casualties...

British Casualties In March Are Light, States Announcement

By Associated Press. London, Mar. 30.—British casualties reported in March reached a total of 14,959, divided as follows:

Dr. Seely to Speak At Call Field Next Monday to Soldiers

Dr. Seely, Y. M. C. A. social hygiene lecturer, will speak at the Call Field Y. M. C. A. Monday night to the soldiers. Dr. Seely is making a tour of the southern department, lecturing at all the camps to the men and has been secured by the local camp for Monday.

OFFICER'S CALL

Lieutenant (Doc.) Atkinson and Lieut. Kline started for a strenuous holiday at Fort Worth. Sleep overcame them and they missed the train. Do you ever do anything but sleep?

MANY TEXANS ARE INCLUDED IN LIST LOST ON TUSCANIA

By Associated Press. London, Mar. 30.—Today's casualty list contains 55 names, 25 of them soldiers lost in the sinking of the Tuscania. These were reported as missing at sea, but have been positively identified by finger prints taken from the bodies.

Wichita Falls Now Is "Mother-in-Law" To Aviation Section;

Wichita Falls is about to attain a new name, and a new name. The following epigram is among the pearls of conversation that fell from the lips of one Lieutenant Price, gunner instructor at Call Field, on Saturday morning.

Sixteen Airplanes Of Germany Felled By Allied Aviators

London, March 29.—Sixteen German airplanes were put out of action yesterday by the British, it is announced officially. The statement follows:

RADIAL RANGE OF THE NEWEST GERMAN MYSTERY GUN



Interest of American ordnance experts was centered yesterday upon the newest German mystery gun, and they were slow to accept the theory that the shells were fired from a gun, even though the evidence all pointed to that belief.

AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY WILL BE ADDED

Lieutenant Gape Here To Take Charge Work At The Aviation Camp

Aerial photography will be added to the course of instruction this week, Second Lieutenant Lee D. Gape, photographer, having reported for duty the latter part of last week.

Fourteen Grads Are Turned Out At Call Field

This week's graduate class fell rather short of the average, fourteen being the total number getting through Forty hours of flying...

BRIG. GEN. KENLEY PAYS VISIT TO CALL FIELD; INSPECTOR ALSO THERE

Call Field had more than its share of excitement on Friday afternoon, having the honor of a visit from a real live brigadier general, who proceeded the rain but a very few minutes, and a lieutenant colonel, who lit on the field right in the middle of the rain.

GREAT EXCITEMENT AT CALL FIELD AS RESULT OF SHOWER

Vindication has come to the veracity of Wichita Falls who have assured soldiers at Call Field that it does rain in Texas, and especially in this part of Texas.

AIR IS HORRIBLE WITH DEATH ODOR STATE DISPATCHES

By Associated Press. London, Mar. 30.—The Morning Post's correspondent in France draws a gruesome picture of battle field conditions. "Prisoners state that the countryside is full of soldiers and the air is horrible with the odor of death," he writes.

"CURE FOR FLYING" SAYS MAJOR WALSH OF CONTRAPTION

"That is a cure for flying" said Major Walsh, officer in charge of flying at Call Field, when questioned about a queer sort of contraption, mounted on the east end of Hangar No. 6.

Three Lieutenants Arrive at Camp to Assume New Duties

Three new officers, all second lieutenants and all N. M.'s (for inter-pretation of the code call Lieutenant Rooney at headquarters), arrived at Call Field this week for duty.

General Kenley flew from Fort Worth, arriving just before four o'clock. The rain interfered with flying Friday afternoon of course, and in a great measure with any general inspection of the camp, Saturday the round of inspection began, the general flying over the field and the adjoining territory.

Despite the heavy rain, Colonel Curry the former Ellington Field commander, who is coming here from the prettiest landings ever effected at Call Field, with his big 200 horse-power Curtis "R" machine. He drove the plane himself, carrying his mechanic with him. The plane is much larger than any of the machines in use at Call Field and was built in Canada.

Excitement was rampant in the Hundred and Sixty Fourth squadron barracks when the ball commenced to beat on the big stovepipes by the side of the building. The casualties at the camp however, were confined to a disconnected telephone wire between headquarters and the entrance gate and a fading of "Spot" Knott's measles spots.

The spectacle of the battlefield carpeted with the bodies of their comrades has affected fresh troops who in this way discovered that they are great piles of bodies along the roads and between them. The enemy has only recently found time to bury any of his dead.

Among the feats of this British endurance may be mentioned that of a detachment which marched eighteen hours, from London, and in the night and half of the next day, repelled three attacks, twice recaptured a certain village and dug trenches.

CANVAS LEGGINS ARE TO BE WORN BY ALL CADETS

Foundation of a new order, similar to the Knights of the Garter or the Order of the Bath, at Call Field, has been announced. This order is strictly limited to cadets and is known as "The Order of the Canvas Leggin." Washington is responsible for the order the war department having issued an order to the effect that cadets must at all times wear canvas leggings, that no more could they thrill the feminine souls with their bravely appearing self, trim and uniform. Stetsons with white hat bands and topping all, no better say, footed all, a pair of neatly turned calves encased in leather leggings (\$15 a pair and up).

KEEL OF FIRST 9,000 TON VESSEL LAID IN RECORD TIME



Another step forward in the upbuilding of the new American merchant marine was taken at Newburg, N. Y., when the keel of the first of the ten 9,000-ton steel cargo craft to be turned out at the Newburg shipyards was laid. Three thousand persons cheered and waved American flags as the first of the twenty-five foot keel plates was swung into place on the ways. As soon as the steel was in place Mrs. Irving T. Bush, wife of the chairman of the Board of Directors of the company which is to build the ships, stepped forward and placed a large bouquet of flowers on it.

CITY ELECTION IS TO BE HELD NEXT TUESDAY

CANDIDATES IN VARIOUS RACES NOW ON LAST LAP OF CAMPAIGN

Candidates for city offices are on the last lap of their race and will have their final opportunity of handing their cards out to the public and lecturing tomorrow, as Tuesday, April 2, is the date of the biennial election. There have been heated contests only for a few of the offices, J. M. McFall and Dr. J. F. Reed are unopposed candidates to fill the unexpired terms of Alderman Smith and Hill, who have resigned. Harry F. Robertson present tax assessor and collector and M. M. Cook present city engineer have no opposition in their races for re-election. For the position of city recorder and city marshal there are four candidates each, and the contests are expected to be close in each instance. There has also been a great deal of interest aroused in the mayoralty race, and much speculation as to the outcome. The candidates who will have their names on the official ballot which will be voted next Tuesday include: For Mayor: D. D. HILL, J. B. MARLOW, For City Marshal: D. D. MOYER, R. L. McDONALD, LENLY HUMPHREY, FRED K. SMITH, For City Recorder: L. P. WEBB, A. W. HIGH, C. H. (Uncle) BOB WHITWORTH, J. R. (JOE) OGLE, For City Tax Assessor and Collector: H. F. ROBERTSON, For City Attorney: RALPH MATHIS, W. LINDSAY BIRD, For City Clerk: J. W. WALKUP, R. S. DUNNWAY, For Alderman: C. E. McCUTCHEN, W. H. WALKER, STANLEY CRAWFORD, W. I. CAMERON, For City Health Officer: DR. M. A. BECKMAN, DR. A. L. LANE, For City Engineer: M. M. COOK.

HEAVIEST RAIN FOR TWO YEARS FALLS IN CITY

TWO AND FOUR TENTHS INCHES IS MEASURE OF MOISTURE HERE

LAKE GETS SOME OF IT

Entire Watershed, However, is Not Covered by Fall but Several Feet of Water are now in Channel. Two and four tenths inches of rain fell over Wichita Falls and territory immediately surrounding Friday afternoon. The precipitation was the heaviest at any one time since April 1916. The area of heavy precipitation extended over Lake Wichita but did not cover the watershed that drains into the lake. Though water however, was run into the lake to fill the channel to a depth of three or four feet. One and nine tenths inches of rain fell here within less than thirty minutes, the downpour being unusually heavy. Hail continued to fall into the night. Streets were flooded during the downpour and at several points where drifts of paper and trash had choked up the storm sewer intakes the flood water stood two feet or more deep in the streets. Area Not Wide. The heavy rainfall did not extend far beyond July to the east and only a few miles west of town. It did not reach as far south as Holliday and did not extend to Burk Burnett but did extend over the Charles community down the river. At Iowa Park, Electra, Vernon and Acme light rains were reported along the Fort Worth and Den-

FINN RED GUARDS AGAIN DEFEATED; LOSE MANY MEN

By Associated Press. London, Mar. 30.—Finnish Red Guards have been defeated at Tampere, north of Helsinki, by the government forces according to a Reuters dispatch from Petrograd. The rebels are said to have lost ten thousand prisoners and 21 guns.

Light at Petroli. The precipitation was light at Petroli and Byers. From Elk City Oklahoma to Purgan the precipitation was heavy. A good rain also fell from Altus to Red River but the precipitation between Elk City and Altus was very light. The rain here was a great encouragement to farmers and it is believed about fifty per cent of the wheat acreage and a large part of the oats will be saved. War gardens will now flourish and pastures will become verdant. The city will be given a respite from the most serious water shortage it has known since the dam at Lake Wichita was built.

TURKEY IS PREPARING EXPEDITION INTO CRIMEA

By Associated Press. London, Mar. 30.—A telegram from Copenhagen reports that an official statement issued by Turkey announces that Turkey is preparing an expedition to restore order in Crimea. Turkish newspapers have recently asserted that on the basis of right of self-determination Crimea should be joined to Turkey.

BIG TIMBER LAND DEAL CLOSED IN LOUISIANA

By Associated Press. Monroe, La., Mar. 30.—A deal has just been consummated in New York City whereby the heirs of the late Jay Gould sold to the Forest Lumber Company and allied concerns headed by J. B. White of Kansas City, Mo., approximately 102,000 acres of virgin long leaf pine timber lands in Louisiana, involving a consideration of more than \$9,000,000 according to announcement here today by Henry Barnstein, local attorney, who negotiated the sale. The lands are located in Vernon, Rapids and Winn Parishes in Louisiana. This was declared to be one of the largest southern timber land transactions on record.

FOOD ADMINISTRATION DENIES LASATER'S STATEMENT

Washington, Mar. 30.—Food Administration officials today took issue with Lasater's statement before the Senate committee and characterized it as a policy, in reply to his statement that live stock among the allies has increased they point out that inventories show a decrease ranging from 16 to 22 per cent. Food administration officials further declared that they never advocated non use of veal and lamb except on meatless days and that instead of a deluge of immature animals being dumped on the market pointed out that market weights of animals are now of an average weight hitherto unexperienced. The interview to which Lasater referred, food administration officials said, was recorded at the time it was published.

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GERMANS BROUGHT IN TWELVE MILES CITY OF AMIENS

By Associated Press. London, Mar. 30.—The heavy continued pressure of the enemy's converging movement has brought the Germans to within about 12 miles of Amiens, The British line is now west of Marcellave and Demum, but despite this, the situation is still regarded as hopeful...

MRS. DELLIS MOTHER PASSED TO REWARD

The following clipping from the Chickasha Daily Express of last Monday will be of much interest locally, as Mrs. Kendig, the mother of Mrs. D. Dellis of this city, had visited here frequently and had many friends who will extend to the bereaved family sincere condolences...

quite suddenly March 29. The remains were accompanied to Chickasha by the two daughters, Mrs. Esther Wilson and Mrs. Nina Gray and another daughter, Mrs. Myrtle Dellis is here from Wichita Falls, Texas. Numerous friends are here from near and far, including Mrs. Lou Con...

Advertisement for First National Bank, established 1884, with capital and surplus of \$600,000.00. Located at Indiana at Eighth, Wichita Falls, Texas.

Advertisement for Western Auto Supply Company, dealing in automobile supplies and garage equipment. Phone 219, 718 Indiana.

REFURNISHING THE ARMY. By George T. Bye. British Headquarters in France, Mar. 29.—It is not good in any case of business to lay all your eggs in one basket, and this is especially true in the business of war...

all of Tommys old shoes and boots. A quick inspection determines if they are worth repairing. The inspector chalks on the sole the nature of the repair, and issues them to girls who distribute them to proper bins...

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Mrs. Fitzgerald, wife of Lieutenant Colonel Fitzgerald, private secretary to Lord French, was formerly Mrs. Anthony J. Drexel and before her marriage to him was Miss Marguerite Armstrong of Philadelphia.

MORE OF THOSE WAR SIGNBOARDS

By GEORGE T. BYE. British Headquarters, Mar. 2.—The last time I was in the busy British (little zone) I became fascinated by the number of odd signs to be found along the roads.

"Rue de Victor Hugo" Every French city or village of any size has a Rue de Victor Hugo, properly marked by street signs.

When we passed "The Red Rose Camp," and further on in a village, "The Goldfish Chateau." The sign of the Goldfish Chateau was accompanied by an inscription, "Case Alarm."

"Caterpillars and Tanks Must Not Use This Road." In utterly desolate Ypres there are a few brick piles left to carry the signs of the Y. M. C. A.

"Scrap Your Boots Before Entering Here." But he had good cause, if you walk off either side of the road to visit any of the thick masses of concealed batteries your shoes would soon have a coating of ooze several inches thick.

"Beware of Duds and Chats!" I accented a guesser. "Your sign evidently means that there are several dangerous dud shells in that crater pool."

"Brown Uniforms." The brown uniforms of Tommies were well with the color of roads, but it is probable that if the faces of a company of men were turned to the

sky at the same time to watch airplanes, the bright pink of their skin would make a distinguishable spot to aviators.

"Bluer Huis," which I saw so frequently on wrecked buildings in Flanders, meant "beer house" undoubtedly, although officers were not sure of it.

Where labor of many nationalities is used in one area, the "must not" signs are lettered in all the various languages spoken.

Some Town Halls. In the totally ruined area of the several battles of the Somme I found many new notices of the French Government that town halls and cathedrals were to be preserved in their gutted condition as war memorials.

"THE LARGEST CIRCULATING LIBRARY AT THE FRONT." Open to All Who Play the Game RETURN YOUR BOOKS.

"Officers Billet." All Ranks Welcome During Raids." The German signs still to be found in villages along the line of their retreat, permit no mixing of men and that nothing was to be removed from them or disturbed.

"Thank Wrecks." I saw several battered old tank wrecks half buried in battle soil, and one that had two neatly kept graves beside it.

"Signs in Peronne." Peronne also had many new signs, one that strictly forbids the entering of furniture, another warning of an epidemic of rabies among dogs.

"The waste of war like material, particularly of ammunition, is very great. Everything is of value. The replacement entails waste of shipping, rails, material and labor.

"The first contingent of soldiers was sent to Aix-les-Bains, known to tourists the world over as 'The Pearl of Savoy.' This town with a normal population of less than 10,000 inhabitants is located but one mile from the Lake of Bourget on a small plain surrounded by mountains.

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wink of my military escort when we passed significant things. There were many of these winks, because there were many significant things.

American Soldiers On Leave Are Sent To Savoy Department

Associated Press Mail Correspondent. Chambéry, France, Feb. 21.—American soldiers on leave are being sent to the department of Savoy, one of the most picturesque regions of France.

The first contingent of soldiers are being sent.

The first contingent of soldiers was sent to Aix-les-Bains, known to tourists the world over as "The Pearl of Savoy."

Aix-les-Bains, famous and important to its warm mineral springs, known to the Romans. The baths are operated under government supervision.

Chambéry is a town of 22,000 inhabitants about nine miles from Aix-les-Bains. It is the capital of the Department of Savoy and an important center of learning and industry.

Weather for Week is Expected to Be Fair and Somewhat Warmer

By Associated Press. Washington, Mar. 30.—Weather bureau predictions for the week beginning Monday are: West Gulf States: Generally fair, considerable sunshine and somewhat warmer as a whole.

BITISH COLUMN MAKES NEW ADVANCE London, March 30.—The British column which recently won a striking victory on the front along the Euphrates river in Mesopotamia, has advanced to a point 83 miles beyond Hill, the war office announces.

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# MARLOW FOR MAYOR

## SOME OF THE THINGS I INTEND TO DO IF I AM ELECTED *The Water Question Is Paramount*

Long before I entered the race for mayor I was agitating the water question, because I believed it to be the most vital question before the people of Wichita Falls, and because I felt that the future prosperity of the city depended on its solution. In fact, I became a candidate at the solicitation of citizens who felt as I did—that something must be done to provide an adequate supply of pure water or the city would come into the desperate plight that has since occurred. For I certainly do consider it a desperate plight for a city to have to advertise that water will be turned into the mains for only three hours a day.

It was no selfish desire to be chief executive of the city, although I appreciate that honor as much as any man can, but a sincere desire to be of service to the city that has been my home since boyhood.

I have always been confident, and am just as sure today, that there is an abundant supply of good, pure water underlying the lower sections of the city and in the valleys of the river and the creek. No city in all the state has better opportunity for an adequate water supply, and none is in such serious condition for the lack of energy to go after it. To back up my judgment I made a proposition to the water company to drill wells, with the agreement that if I did not get all the good water that was needed the company would not owe me a cent. But if I did get plenty of water the company would owe me \$10,000. I was, therefore, taking all the risk, and this \$10,000 is all that stands between us and an abundant supply of water.

The United States government has distinguished between government ownership and government control of public utilities. I believe in municipal ownership of the water supply, but if this is not practical at this time, there should at least be sufficient control by the city to force the water company to provide water or forfeit its charter, even if it be necessary for the company to spend a little money.

In fact, I believe the water company has already abrogated its contract by serving notice on its patrons that water would be supplied for only three hours a day, and certainly under these conditions it should not ask its patrons to pay the minimum water charge of \$1.00 per month, and if it does make this charge and attempt to enforce its payment, the city council should enjoin them from doing so. I do not believe that profiteering on water shortage is any better or more legitimate than profiteering on food supplies.

Right here, I want to say that I have the very kindest regard for my opponent in this race. I am not fighting him nor his ambition to become mayor. I am making a fight for the people against a foreign-owned water company to force that company to provide water, or get out of the way and let the city provide its own water.

I believe in law enforcement, and always have, and, if elected, I am going to do everything in my power to enforce every law or ordinance on the books. But I am not going to play any favorites. Bill Jones is going to look exactly like Jim Smith to me when it comes to obeying the laws.

There are many other issues which are of vital interest to the citizens of Wichita Falls, which I pledge my word to carry out to the best of my ability, if elected. Among them are extensions of the sewer system and water mains to the more outlying parts of the city, so that all our people can enjoy alike the conveniences of modern city life; an equitable division of the city street work, so that each property owner may enjoy his share of the tax money, and not among the least, the heating of the street cars, so that patrons will not have to endure another winter such as we have just passed.

I also feel that in the work of street paving, practically all the contract work can be eliminated, by the city using its own teams and doing the work itself, and in this way much more paving can be done for the same expenditure of money than under the present system.

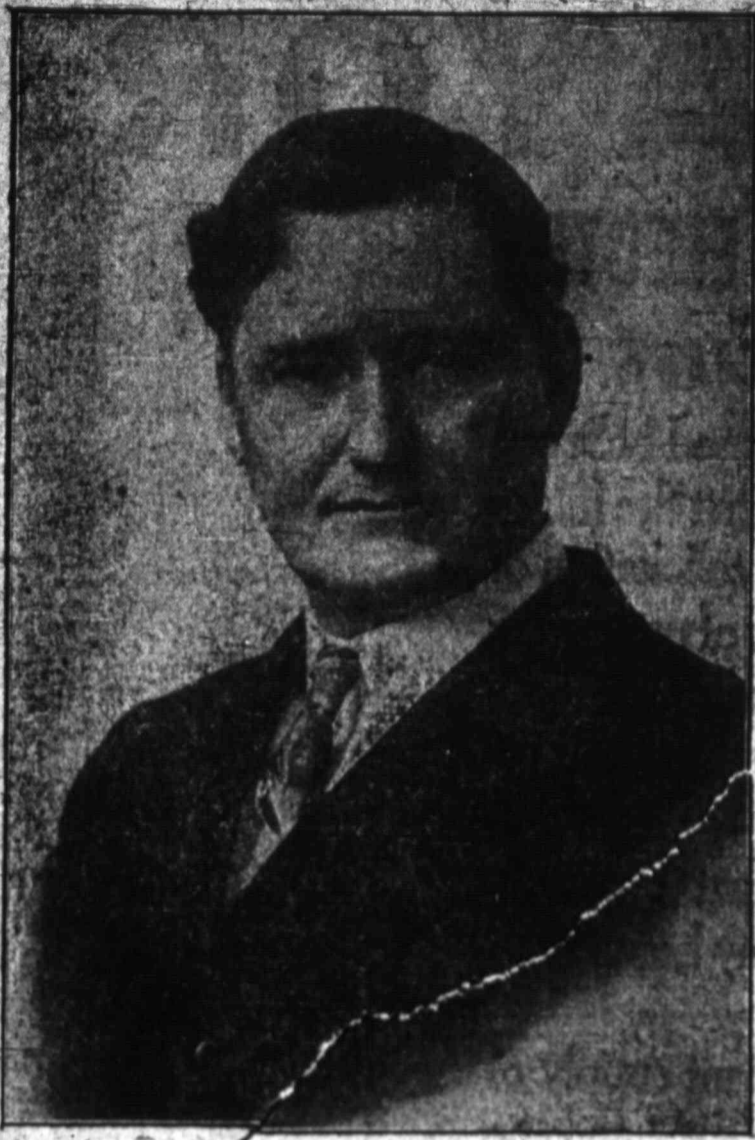
I submit this as a platform, and ask the support of all good citizens who can concur in its intent.

**J. B. MARLOW**

(Political Advertisement)

CANDIDATE FOR MAYOR, CITY ELECTION, TUESDAY, APRIL 2.

# Lucian W. Parrish Of Clay County



CANDIDATE FOR CONGRESS, THIRTEENTH DISTRICT HIS VIEWS UPON SOME OF THE ISSUES OF THE DAY.

To perpetuate the principles of democracy, insure the safety of our cherished institutions, and the happiness and security of our people in their peaceful pursuits, it is needful that we win the present war. To the accomplishment of this purpose our government has pledged its resources, the strength of its manhood and the power of its wealth. It is the duty, therefore, of every person living in the United States to render material assistance to the President and the Government to the end that this terrible war may be quickly and successfully ended. Our representatives in Congress, by reason of their office, one of the greatest in the gift of the American people, are charged with far greater responsibility than other citizens, for upon their judgment and vote we must depend for ways and

dit the war making efficiency of the administration, through medical investigation, favoring strongly of partisan politics. An hour in which American manhood is being sacrificed on the altar of a nation's liberty, is no time for criticism, but it is the duty of every man, whether in office or out, whether a seeker for office or in the private ranks, to teach the doctrine of co-operation, and he who seeks to array one man against another, or one party against another in this critical hour, measures his patriotism by such conduct, and during this campaign I shall on the stump and elsewhere, seek the closer co-operation of all our people, and shall say or do nothing that tends to divide our people or divert their attention from the one great task which is now so heavy upon the hearts of the people. I believe that co-operation, harmony and united effort on the part of all our people, is far more important to our nation at this time than the success of any individual, and whether elected or not, my influence, for what it is worth, will be thrown squarely behind this fight.

After the war is won, and I confidently expect it to be won by the United States and her allies, the people of this country will be confronted with new conditions. The first great question that will demand the attention of the American people will be that of making the world safe for democracy, and under the recurrence of such a struggle as this, impossible in the future. In this connection I heartily endorse the plan presented by President Wilson to Congress, providing for a League of Nations to insure peace, and the consequent establishment of an International Peace Tribunal, which shall settle all disputes hereafter arising among the nations. During the closing days of the war, and the period immediately following the war, this will be the all important question which will occupy the attention of Congress and the people.

The days of reconstruction will call for a study of the most gigantic problems of government that have ever occupied the attention of any people. In entering the war, we expanded the Monroe Doctrine and declared our interest in the lives and the destinies of the people of other nations, and the close of the war will witness the creation of new industrial systems, new social and economic structures which will have to be built; varied and complex problems of State and Nation will confront our law makers and demand at their hands deep and thoughtful study. While no human foresight can now anticipate all the problems which a member of Congress will then be called upon to solve, yet there are a few which can be anticipated and I here express myself upon them reserving the right to discuss and to meet the new issues as they may arise.

1. A matter commanding attention now, is the raising of money for the prosecution of the war. The benefits of our success in the war will extend, necessarily, to posterity, and I favor an adjustment of revenue measures so that at least a part of the expense will be borne by those coming after us. I endorse the principle of the income and inheritance tax, but be-

lieve the excess profits tax should be a war measure only, and I favor the modification of the present revenue measures so as not to throttle, unduly, the development of new territory and new industries, or prevent the proper development of what is known as the wasting industries. Our taxes should be imposed equitably as between the tax payers. The changing conditions and the amount of money that will be required to carry on the war, in all probability, will present new and different theories of taxation and the best that I can say, with honesty to myself, is that I will study the new conditions as they may arise and will act for the best interests of the people of my district.

2. I favor a national appropriation for the purpose of co-operating with the several States of the Union in building permanent roads, and believe that this work is of such importance that their construction should not be neglected or delayed, but should be carried forward as rapidly as practicable.

3. I believe in extending to the young men of our nation, who have not had an opportunity or means to obtain an academic education—especially those who serve in the army or navy, which service must prevent the completion of their education—the broadest opportunity for training in some useful occupation, and to that end I heartily endorse the plan already under way for the establishment of vocational schools whereby the national government will appropriate money, the amount being duplicated by the States, for the establishment of such schools in the several States. (And I also favor extending such schools so as to especially provide for the training of crippled or disabled soldiers and sailors in some useful occupation.)

4. Congress having submitted to the States for ratification, the National Prohibition Amendment, it appears there will be little legislation on prohibition of a national character coming before Congress in the future, but in order that the people may know my views, I am in favor of the National Prohibition Amendment.

5. The European war created abnormal trade conditions. Speculators took advantage of the situation to obtain exorbitant prices for the necessities of life, and only since the government has taken charge of the food distribution and regulation, has the situation improved. At the close of the war such conditions may again develop and I shall use my best efforts to prevent the recurrence of such conditions by supporting laws calculated to reach the evil. The producers should receive all they are entitled to, considering the final selling price of the commodities they produce and the public should not have to pay exorbitant prices for the necessities of life.

6. I am in favor of labor organizations, and endorse the Hours of Service Laws, Child Labor Laws, and laws seeking to better the working conditions of women heretofore passed by Congress and shall favor all measures which seek to give the laborer a just return for the services rendered, so that he may live, rear and educate his family from the fruits

of his labor. I do not believe that compulsory arbitration is the solution of labor controversies. In my opinion a better solution is available through the government mediation and voluntary arbitration and to this end public investigation would prove beneficial in the ascertainment of true conditions.

7. For the present I favor government control of the railroads and shall give the subject my very best study and thought during the time the government shall have control of the railroads and at the close of the war shall favor such legislation concerning our great transportation systems as conditions and experience justify. I believe this question is too gigantic and fraught with too many dangers and difficulties to be decided without the benefit of the experience that will come to us during the period of the war, and I shall reserve the right to study this problem during the time of the governmental operation of the railroads, and will then favor such measures as I believe for the best interests of the people. In view of the circumstances, if candidates for Congress who come out in favor of or against government control or ownership at this time, would, in my judgment, be unwilling to profit by the experience of government control, or would do so for political expediency.

8. I am not in favor of repealing the anti-trust laws, but I am in favor of extending them so as to enable our manufacturers and commercial interests to compete with the foreign markets, or in the markets of the world provided always that such changes would not in any manner permit combinations of trade or create monopolies in the United States that would stifle competition and to this end commerce must be backed by efficient merchant marines.

9. The National House of Representatives having by its recent vote submitted the Woman Suffrage Amendment to the respective States, it is not likely that a member of Congress will be called upon to vote upon any matter affecting this question; however, I favor the National Woman Suffrage Amendment.

10. If this war is won by us, as we confidently expect that it will be, America will become the central factor for the uplift and betterment of the world and people from all nations of the earth will seek a home with us. I shall not favor excluding all foreigners from this country, but I shall favor stringent immigration laws such as will admit only those who will at once become patriotic American citizens and loyal to our government.

11. The Thirteenth Congressional district is situated in the heart of the great Southwest, and has many undeveloped resources, and I shall favor all laws which have for their purpose the development of the agricultural and commercial interests of our district, and that will foster and encourage the efficient development of our natural resources.

University of Texas. I spent seven years in the latter institution, where I took three degrees, Bachelor of Arts, Master of Arts and Bachelor of Laws and during my stay in the University I made a special study of the problems of government. I have been a life long Democrat, have never sought, nor held, public office; I am a lawyer and have been practicing my profession for the past nine years at Henrietta, Texas. I am forty years of age, in the prime and vigor of life and if elected to Congress I pledge the people of this district that I will give the best efforts of my life in representing their interests in Congress. Hard work and devotion to duty will be my constant motto so long as I am entrusted with the responsible duties of the office to which I aspire. The vote and influence of all is cordially solicited.

Respectfully submitted,  
LUCIAN W. PARRISH.  
(Political Advertisement)

## GOOD SCORE MADE AT GUN CLUB IN SPITE HIGH WIND

Twelve participated in the second weekly shoot of the Wichita Falls Gun Club, and while a high wind was blowing causing the targets to loop the loop, make nose dives, tail spins, side slips and other stunts, some exceptionally good scores were made.

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C. J. rate was high gun for the day breaking 47 targets out of 50; He broke the last thirty-five targets without a miss. C. B. Woods and G. C. Wood tied for second place each breaking 44 each.

Among the visitors were Fred Baker, C. C. Cunningham and D. H. Burt of the Remington Arms Co. Next Friday afternoon the club will hold a beginners shoot and will award the Dupont trophy to the shooter making the best score in this class. Only those who have shot less than 500 targets will be eligible to participate.

Official Score.

The score in Friday's shoot follows:

	1st	2nd	Total
	25	25	Possible
G. C. Good	23	21	44
P. Hammond	19	20	39
Fred Baker	21	23	42
G. A. Hawkins	22	19	41
L. Nussbaum	17	17	34
C. B. Woods	22	22	44
C. J. Pate	22	22	44
Dell Shoemaker	20	23	43
Baker	23	20	43
Spelling	9	20	29
G. C. Kilgore	20	21	41
Roy Jones	16	20	36

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He has faith in you—in your honor.

He believes you will pay when the time comes. He does not think you will abuse the privilege—the convenience—of credit. He extends you a rare compliment when he allows you to take his goods out of his store without paying for them.

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The answer is shown in your rating listed in the credit book.

Are you "prompt pay—good credit" or "require cash"?

The first means "Honor," the latter "Without honor."

Now, classify yourself. You know better to what class you belong than anyone else. And you are alone to blame. It's your fault if you have bad credit—or good credit.

### "PAY UP"

Tomorrow is the First. This month's bills are then due. Remember—prompt pay creates credit.

If you owe a hundred dollars, don't think five dollars on the first will settle the account.

Don't pay ten dollars on a four months' old bill of seventy-five and expect to buy twenty dollars worth more in the next thirty days.

You may be turned down.

Now—you must square your old bills before you can make new ones with new merchants.

The Retail Merchants' Association has you spotted. The man who tries to beat his bills—can't get by.

Cooperation and organization is today making the deadbeat pay.

It is also making it easier for the man who does pay his bills to get unlimited credit.

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## Retail Merchants' Association

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FOR RENT—2 furnished housekeeping rooms also one unfurnished room at 209 S. Phone 1285. 274-41c

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FOR SALE—City Property

BARGAINS—The owner of the following property has bought a tract of land and is moving away from Wichita Falls to their land and have made some close prices for immediate sale of their property here.

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FOR SALE—City Property

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in Floral Heights, built for a home on corner, has garage, and all room beat by in town, \$5500.00. If you want to pay more money my home 1617 10th St. is for sale, come and see it, also own 8 room house 605 Lamar St. \$3500, will give good terms, also own three houses that will sell on easy payments. J. J. Simon, Ward Bldg. Phone 472. 258-1c

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WANTED—Girl for general housework. Phone 2319. 273-41c

FOR SALE—City Property

FOR A good rooming house position see Knight & Crawford. 276-31c

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Wichita Falls Lodge No. 435

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FOR SALE OR TRADE—for farm. Brick house, six room modern south front, on car line, best neighborhood, Floral Heights, by owner 2410 9th St. Phone 1944. 273-1c

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FOR SALE—Used Ford, practically as new as new. Motor Supply Co. W. A. Ashby. 254-1c

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FOR SALE—10 acres of land about two miles Southeast of Post Office. See J. M. Blackship, owner. 241-1c

ELECTION NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Wichita. Notice is hereby given that on the First Tuesday in April, A. D. 1918, the same being the Second day of April, A. D. 1918, an election will be held in the City of Wichita Falls, Wichita County, Texas, for the election of officers for the following Offices:

FOR RENT

BUSINESS HOUSE FOR RENT—One of best locations in Wichita Falls, corner of Seventh and Indiana. Will be vacant April 15th. This is a splendid corner for the country as well as city trade. Mrs. Alex. Kahn. Phone 276-1c

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—By first of April, brick business house at 619 Indiana avenue, Lina A. Boyd, 603 8th street, phone 1861. 267-1c

SITUATIONS WANTED

BOOKKEEPER wants position. Fifteen years experience. No bad habits. References furnished. Call at 1401 Bluff St. 274-41c

FINANCIAL

MONEY to loan—Farm and city property notes bought, sold and extended. Stehlik & Baber. 273-41c

BOARD AND ROOMS

BOARD and Room in private family, 1008 11 St. 275-31c

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HOMES

6-room Brick \$3500.00 5-room modern, front 1675.00 5-room E-front, corner 1250.00 6-room near School... 1500.00 5-room Southland... 2000.00 5-room Lucille Ave... 2400.00 5-room close in, 11th at 2700.00 5-room nearly new, 11th 3500.00 5-room new Huff ave. 3850.00

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River farm containing 160 acres 2 miles of Byers, 4 room road farm 2 acres in orchard spring branch—cutting through pasture will take city property as part trade.

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Well built home with all conveniences, well located on Ninth Street. Will sell at reasonable price. Address, OWNER, P. O. Box 476.

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FOR RENT—Bed Rooms

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FOR SALE—Fireless Cooker. Ideal. Just like new. Will sell reasonable. Call at 1209 8th street. 253-11c

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### HERNDON TO MAKE ADDRESS HERE ON DROUGHT RELIEF

Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock H. H. Herndon of Dallas will discuss the drought relief measures recently enacted, at the court house, according to announcement of County Judge Harvey Harris. Mr. Herndon is one of several speakers sent out by the state department of agriculture to inform the farmers as to means of securing aid from the state in financing this year's crops, where crops in past years have failed on account of the drought.

Farmers, members of the county council of defense and of the Chamber of Commerce and all others interested are invited to attend the Tuesday meeting.

**FRIBERG ROUTE 4.**

Most of the farmers around these parts are busy planting corn. Colby Thornton has the mumps. Madams A. G. Friberg and E. Holley spent Tuesday afternoon with Rev. Mr. Denney and wife. Mrs. E. A. Thornton is on the sick list this week. Rev. Denney and wife spent the day Thursday at the Casper Geyer home. One of the flyers from Call Field was out in these parts Wednesday afternoon during the high wind and had to land and fasten his machine to Robert Carey's barn, until the wind went down. Madams Carey, Thornberry and Musgrave were visiting at Thornberry Tuesday afternoon. The young folks, with a few older ones, had singing Sunday afternoon.

# Your Doctor's Advice

is worth only the value you place upon it. If you expect to benefit through his advice you must carry out his instructions to the letter—it's your duty to take his prescription to a druggist who will dispense exactly what it calls for.

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at the George Musgrave home. There will be preaching this Sunday morning at Friberg and also in Easter program at night. Everybody invited.

**DELIGHTFUL DANCE IS GIVEN AT ELKS HALL.**

One of the most delightful dances in which the military have figured conspicuously this season was enjoyed on Thursday evening at the Elks hall, the members of the "Folite Militaire" company being the guests of honor. Between dances, the company favored the dancers with excellent numbers, the best talent in the cast being called into action. A number of officers from Call Field were present the military element making up a large part of the fifty couples on the floor. Katz orchestra rendered splendid music.

## "Rest Good"

Army and Camp Mattress Roll—the U. S. regulation. Officer's Valets—Folding Buckets and Wash Basins—Trench Mirrors and Duffle Bags.



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## The GEM Theatre

MONDAY  
The Universal Star  
BEN WILSON in "THE MYSTERY SHIP"  
Tuesday—Mae Murrey, the adorable, in—"Princess Virtue"—don't miss this.

### Brick Building Will Be Erected Shortly Upon Scott Avenue

Mack Thomas let the contract Saturday for a two story brick building on Scott avenue adjoining the Che-nault building to Naylor and Hammack. The building is to have a frontage of 50 feet on Scott avenue and will be 150 feet deep.

The first floor will be occupied by the Willard Battery Service station and the second floor will be used by E. B. Sanders for an automobile display and storeroom. It will have a driveway from the ground to the second story.

### War Garden Pledges Are Received Here For People to Sign

Cards pledging the signer to plant a war garden and thus become a member of the Patriotic Garden League have been distributed locally, as a part of the campaign for growth of more food and feed crops this year in Texas, of which B. F. Johnson, secretary of the Wichita Falls Chamber of Commerce, is campaign manager. The cards can be had at any of the local banks or a number of other business houses.

### Governor Is Urged Not to Sign Bill Giving Voters' Test

By Associated Press. Austin, Texas, Mar. 30.—Protests have been made to Governor Hobby against approval of the act passed at the recent special session of the legislature which provides a test for voters in the primaries and general elections. It provides that the voter not only must pledge that he will support the ticket from president to constable, but that he voted for the entire ticket at the last general election.

It is claimed that this provision would disqualify not less than 50,000 voters in Texas who could not so aver. That the test been confined to the national and state ticket, it is said, the voters probably could stand the test. The governor has not as yet acted on the bill.

Mrs. J. F. Fride and her father, Mr. Newman are visiting Mrs. W. R. Reynolds.

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American League Balls, \$1.50, our price .....	<b>\$1.25</b>	La Creole Hair Tonic, \$1.00 size, our cut price ....	<b>85c</b>	Pear's Unscented Soap, our cut price .....	<b>15c</b>
Aviation Special Tooth Paste, 25c size, our cut price	<b>20c</b>	Lydia Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, \$1.20, now	<b>\$1</b>	Pond's Vanishing Cream, 25c size, our cut price ..	<b>20c</b>
Bromo Quinine Tablets, 30 cper box, our cut price .	<b>25c</b>	Mahdeen Hair Tonic, \$1.00 size, our cut price ....	<b>85c</b>	Premium Pencils, big value—2 for .....	<b>5c</b>
Castoria, 35c size, our cut price .....	<b>30c</b>	Masatta and Sweet Pea Talcum, 25c size, cut price	<b>15c</b>	Putman Dye, any color, 2 pkgs. 20c, our cut price ..	<b>15c</b>
Chamois Skin, \$1.00 size, our cut price .....	<b>99c</b>	Mentholatum, 25c size, our cut price .....	<b>20c</b>	Sal Hapatica, 30c size, our cut price .....	<b>25c</b>
Colgate's Dental Cream, 25c size, our cut price ...	<b>20c</b>	Mentholatum, 50c size, our cut price .....	<b>40c</b>	Sal Hapatica, 60c size, our cut price .....	<b>50c</b>
Colorite .....	<b>25c</b>	Mennen's Borated Talcum, 25c size, our cut price..	<b>19c</b>	Sal Hapatica, \$1.20 size, our cut price .....	<b>\$1.00</b>
Dodson's Livertone, price 60c, our cut price .....	<b>50c</b>	Nujol American Mineral Oil, 75c size, our price ...	<b>65c</b>	Sempre Givone, 50c size, our cut price .....	<b>45c</b>
Ender Safety Razor Blades, 25c per pkge., cut price	<b>20c</b>	O'Cedar Oil, 1 gal. can, regular price \$2.50, for	<b>\$2.10</b>	Syrup Pepsin, 50c size, our cut price .....	<b>45c</b>
Freezone, 35c size, our cut price .....	<b>30c</b>	O'Cedar Oil, \$1.00 size, our cut price .....	<b>80c</b>	Syrup Pepsin, \$1.00 size, our cut price .....	<b>90c</b>
Gillette Razor Blades, 50c size, our cut price .....	<b>45c</b>	O'Cedar Oil, 50c size, our cut price .....	<b>40c</b>	Tennis Balls, now 60c, our price .....	<b>50c</b>
Glover's Mange Remedy, 50c size, our price ....	<b>45c</b>	O' Cedar Oil, 25c size, our cut price .....	<b>20c</b>	"Walnutta" Hair Stain, price 60c, our cut price ...	<b>50c</b>
Hinds' Honey and Almond Cream, 50c size, cut price	<b>45c</b>	Orchard White, 40c size, our cut price .....	<b>35c</b>	Wine of Cardui, \$1.00 size, our cut price .....	<b>85c</b>
Horlick's Malted Milk, 50c size, our cut price ....	<b>45c</b>	Palm Olive Soap, per cake .....	<b>10c</b>	\$1.50 Fountain Syringe, our cut price .....	<b>99c</b>
		Pear's Scented Soap, 25c size, our cut price .....	<b>20c</b>	47-11 Soap, 25c size, our cut price .....	<b>20c</b>

**NEW VICTOR RECORDS**  
"Little Orphant Annie"  
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### Many Land Sales Are Reported Department For Month of March

By Associated Press. Austin, Texas, Mar. 30.—Land sales and leases, reported by the state treasury department during March amounted to \$12,393. Of this sum \$83,667 was deposited to the various available funds and \$38,230 to the credit of the permanent funds. Of the available funds, \$42,586 went to the available school fund, and of the permanent funds, \$54,975 was placed on the credit of the permanent school fund.

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"IT IS WONDERFUL how an envious competitor will endeavor to malign the reputation of the successful, thinking by their jealousy to influence business in their favor. Happily, the false statements act as a detriment even when they come to the attention of strangers to us. With 10 years service in Wichita, we can substantiate every statement we make."  
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## THERE IS A HUN CARBUNCLE

on the World's neck, and its got to be extracted. It's going to hurt, and hurt like the dickens, but it's got to be done. But, as Mother used to say when I had to have a tooth extracted, "It will feel so good when it's all over"

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**A STATEMENT FROM D. D. McIVER CANDIDATE FOR CITY MARSHAL.**

Editor the Times:  
On account of the critical condition of my nose, for several weeks and for some time ago I have been unable to see many voters whom I would like to have seen in the interest of my candidacy for city marshal. I hope that none will feel that I have slighted them and that they will understand why I have not made a more thorough canvass.

D. D. McIVER.



# IN THE SPHERE OF WOMANKIND

## THE COMING WEEKS SOCIAL CALENDAR

**Monday:** Various church organizations will meet as announced elsewhere in these columns.

**Tuesday:** The Baptist Girls Auxiliary will work at the Red Cross.

**Wednesday:** The Young Women's Alliance of the First Baptist church will work at the Red Cross rooms at 7:30. The Ladies Auxiliary of the Epworth League of the Railway Trammens will meet at the labor hall at 2 o'clock. The Beta Delphian Society will meet at the home of Mrs. J. W. Akln.

**Thursday:** The New Idea club will meet at the home of Miss Clara McCarty, 708 Scott.

**Friday:** The Delphian Society and the New Century club will work at the Red Cross. The Floral Heights knitting club will meet with Mrs. Mary Daniels. The Standard club will meet at the home of Mrs. E. K. Lynn, 1008 11th.

**Saturday:** The Wichita Travel club will meet at the Red Cross. The Merry Makers will meet at the home of Mrs. J. M. Sides, 1504 Burnett.

**Sunday:** The U. T. C. club will meet with Mrs. J. D. Moulder, 1925 9th. The Crochet club will meet with Mrs. A. J. Pepper, 1006 Kemp Blvd. The Royal Neighbors will meet at the Odd Fellows hall. All members are urged to be present. The Musicians club will meet at Mrs. Burris' studio.

**Monday:** The Floral Heights Forty two club will meet at the home of Mrs. P. A. Martin, 2509 8th.

**Tuesday:** The Pathfinder club will meet at the Red Cross.

**Wednesday:** The Wesley Girls will meet at the home of Mrs. Burke, 700 Van Buren.

**Thursday:** The Congenial Crochet club will meet at the home of Mrs. W. H. Bachman, 1216-18th.

**Friday:** The Thursday Forty two club will meet with Mrs. C. W. Suid.

**Saturday:** The First Methodist church, south will hold open house for the soldiers of Call Field. The members of the U. T. C. will work at the Red Cross. The United Knitting club will meet with Lydia Uhrick, 1204 Clark.

## MEN FROM CALL FIELD GIVEN ENTERTAINMENT

The open house entertainment given for the young people of the city and the soldiers at Call Field at the First Methodist church south, attained its usual success Saturday evening. Games and music kept the fun lively during the evening. Delicious refreshments were served to a large number of young people present.

## WESLEY GIRLS ENTERTAINED BY MRS. CHAS. CROWELL

The Wesley Girls were delightfully entertained at the home of Mrs. Charles Crowell Friday afternoon. Busy with Red Cross knitting, the guests enjoyed well selected Victrola music. A number of members and guests were present.

## CONGENIAL CROCHET CLUB ENJOYS MATINEE PARTY

The members of the Congenial Crochet club enjoyed a delightful matinee party at a local theatre Friday afternoon. The regular meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. W. H. Bachman on next Friday.

## MISS PITCHFORD IS HOSTESS TO SENIOR CLASS

Miss Gussie Pitchford was a delightful hostess to the members of the senior class at the high school on Friday evening. In spite of the weather, a number of students were present. Dancing and games were the features of the evening. A dainty refreshment course served at a late hour.

## EASTER EGG HUNT IS ENJOYED BY PUPILS

The younger expression pupils under Miss Hollabaugh enjoyed a delightful Easter egg hunt at the homes of Mrs. J. E. Carter Friday afternoon. After an interesting search for the Easter favors, charming and unusual games were in order. Maurine Clark was the lucky winner of the "prize" in a guessing contest. Cleverly arranged nests of candy Easter eggs were served to each guest. Those enjoying the occasion were: Helen Terrell, Hazel Smith, Hazel Trout, Cecelia Hatcher, Hazel Dell Herring, Gladys Fowler, Jimmie Lee Owens, Isabel Stone, Doris Brown, Marjorie Clark, Hazel Kenley, Dorothy Shambarger, Anna E. Lee, Sybil Wiley, Vidna ay Reynolds, Dorothy and Mildred Reid, Lewis Lee, J. M. Kenney, Wilson Grey, Wilbur Carter, Frank Curtis, I. A. and Don Wiley.

## TRAVEL CLUB HOLDS INTERESTING MEETING

The Wichita Travel Club held an unusually interesting session Thursday morning. After the usual time given to Red Cross work a business meeting was called by the president, Mrs. C. N. Alexander. The club was fortunate in having present Mrs. Wiley Blair of Dallas, the former president of the club. Mrs. Blair gave an interesting talk in regard to women and their part in helping the men win for democracy.

Several questions of much interest to the club were discussed and the officers for the coming year were elected, as follows: Mrs. C. N. Alexander, president; Mrs. W. M. McGreger, vice president; Miss Blanche Potter, recording secretary; Mrs. E. F. Maupin, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Fred T. Couper, treasurer; Mrs. H. G. Omsel, parliamentarian; Mrs. J. W. Akln, critic. The new members elected to be with the club next year are Mrs. A. H. Brittain and Miss Delphine Wyatt. Those present Thursday morning: Mesdames Wiley Blair, H. G. Omsel, W. M. McGreger, J. W. Akln, E. H. Maupin, Fred T. Couper, Andrew Urban, J. M. Kenney, C. N. Alexander and Miss Blanche Potter.

## SPECIAL EASTER PROGRAM PREPARED BY LEAGUE

The following special Easter program is arranged for the regular meeting of the Epworth League of the First Methodist church this evening at 8:45:

## SONG BY ENTIRE LEAGUE

Subject: Lessons from the Risen Christ's Forty Days (Easter).

Special Epworth League song (all standing) followed by sentence prayers.

First Lesson: "The Living Presence of Christ" by 1st vice president.

Second Lesson: "Jesus desires all of his followers to have a share in the salvation of the world" by 2nd vice president.

Special song.

Third Lesson: "The fulness of Christ's forgiveness" by 3rd vice president.

Fourth Lesson: "The Resurrected Life" by 4th vice president.

Bible References.

1st. "What must Easter have meant to the disciples of Christ as a group?"

"What great message of hope comes because Christ arose from the dead?"

"In this day of war and turmoil, has the Easter message a peculiar significance. If you think so, what is that significance?"

"What is the great commission of Jesus? What does it mean for us as Epworthians today?"

"What may I do into, or get out of this devotional service this Easter Sunday that will be a help and a blessing to others and also to myself?"

Prayer.

Song.

Benediction.

## INVITATION SENT OUT BY METHODIST YOUTH PEOPLE

"On ye night of April first at the stroke of eight

Ye Footers and Footers will congregate At ye 'gym' corner seventh and Lamar.

So come and be merry, like all fools are

You are just as welcome as flowers of Spring

And all ye money ye need to bring Are ten small pennies, bright and new

To pay your fines if ye 'cops' get ye

Such is the invitation sent out by the young people of the First Methodist church. Music, games, and jokes are reported in order and fitting celebration of the First expected.

## WITH WOMEN OF CHURCHES

First Methodist Church, South. The all day meeting of the Ladies Aid will be held at the church on Monday, the members of Circle No. 1 serving lunch. Called business session at 1:30.

First Baptist Church. General business meeting of the Ladies Aid will be held at the church Monday afternoon.

First Christian Church. The Bible Study class will meet at the church Monday afternoon. The pastor will lead the study of the third chapter in "What Baptists Believe."

First Christian Women's Board of Missions will meet at the church Monday afternoon.

First Heights Presbyterian Church. The Ladies Aid will meet as usual at the church on Monday.

Central Presbyterian Church. The Bible Study class will meet at the church at 3:30 Monday afternoon.

Church of the Good Shepherd. The Episcopal Guild will meet at the parish house on Monday afternoon.

Lutheran Trinity Church. The Ladies Aid will meet at the church on Wednesday afternoon.

First Presbyterian Church. The Ladies Aid will meet at the church at 3:30 Monday afternoon. Full attendance urged.

The Helen Beavers Chapter of the Westminster Guild will meet at the church Monday afternoon.

The Jewish Ladies Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. Sam Kruger, 1206 11th.

Church of the Sacred Heart. The Altar society will meet with Mrs. J. D. Moulder 1925 9th Tuesday afternoon.

Red Cross.

Monday—Alter Society.

Tuesday—Episcopal Guild: Fowler Bible class.

Thursday—First Methodist Church, South.

First Baptist Church.

Friday—First Christian Church.

# DISLOYALTY AMONG CERTAIN SECTS UPON INCREASE

## MANY PREACHERS OF CERTAIN SECTS OPPOSE TEACHING OF "BAD DOCTRINES"

By Associated Press. Washington, March 30.—Disloyalty fostered by certain religious sects has been growing in the United States within recent months according to Department of Justice officials who have charge of enforcing the espionage acts. Many preachers and religious teachers in public speech and printed pamphlets, officials assert, are urging the doctrine that war against Germany constitutes murder of fellow Christians and the great human folly described in the Book of Revelations.

Seditious in Nature. The department of Justice regards the preaching of opposition to the aims of the war as of seditious nature, and has acted accordingly. It was made plain today. Several German and Austrian preachers and Sunday school teachers have been interned for disloyal utterances and many others, particularly in extreme northwestern states, have been warned to desist from criticizing the allied States' motive in the war. Several publications have been suppressed, and others are being investigated.

The department also is preparing to fight recrudescence of pacifist agitation by so-called "intellectual" classes. Heretofore this tendency has been combatted largely by ignoring miscreants in opposition to war in general and letting public opinion exercise its corrective influence. For several months the pacifist movement has been inactive but officials say that recently several organizations of university men have been formed to spread the doctrine of opposition to all war.

Recent court decisions have demonstrated the difficulty of convicting persons of treason under federal laws either for disloyal utterances, spoken or printed, or for physically obstructing war preparation. As a result of the decision of Federal District Judge Dickinson, at Philadelphia this week, that the Philadelphia Taggart's criticism of the United States did not constitute treason, Department of Justice officials have abandoned hope of classifying seditious words as treasonable, at least until congress passes further legislation.

A Whole Meal in One Dish. We are all learning to accommodate our daily menu to the times. The Food Administration is finding a real response to their request for conservation. And housewives are saving—and thus serving the cause of democracy—every day.

For a "one-dish meal" which both serves and conserves meat, there is no better than the old-fashioned dumplings with dumplings. No bread need be served. You can use mutton or veal, with carrots, onion, parsley and plenty of potatoes. It's just the dish for your family these cool Spring days. And these dumplings made of cornmeal and flour are delicious.

**German Influence May Extend to East**

London, Mar. 30.—"The fear is rightly entertained that Germany's influence may gradually extend eastward and prove a menace to the peace of the far East," said Premier Terauchi in an address to the upper house of the Japanese parliament as quoted in a Reuter dispatch from Tokio. "Should the situation develop in such a way as to endanger the security and well being of our country to call for action to protect the common interest of the allies, the government is resolved to take steps to cope adequately with the situation."

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Georgette, Crepe de Chine and Satin combination—exquisite colorings  
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## WOMEN'S KID GLOVES

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Pretty white kid gloves, \$2.25 to \$3.00  
Black kid gloves, extra quality, \$2.50 to \$3.50  
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Walking gloves, washable kid, all colors, \$2.50  
Kid gloves, white kid with black trimmings, \$2.95 to \$3.50  
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All Sizes and Widths

Lot 7927—J. & T. Cousin's white kid lace Boots, welt sole, French heel; price \$15.00  
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Lot 7933—Brown kid Oxford, J. & T. Cousin's, turn sole \$10.00  
Lot 7931—Cousin's grey kid Oxfords, turn sole, French heel; price \$10.00  
Lot 7929—Cousin's black glazed kid lace Oxford, Cuban heel, cap toe; price \$9.00  
Lot 7935—Cousin's black glazed kid Pump, Louis XV heel, welt sole \$9.00  
Lot 7930—Black glazed kid Oxford, J. & T. Cousin's, light turn sole, French heel \$9.00  
Lot 7934—Cousin's black glazed kid Pump, wing tip, Cuban heel, welt sole \$9.00  
Lot 7937—Cousin's black glazed kid Pump, light turn sole, French heel; priced \$9.00  
Lot 7938—Cousin's white kid Pump, turn sole, priced \$10.00  
Lot 7936—Cousin's black glazed kid, French heel, turn sole; priced \$9.00

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### GREAT CLEAN-UP OF RESIDENTIAL DISTRICT PLANNED

Steps to inaugurate a thorough cleanup of the residential district of Wichita Falls will be taken at the regular meeting of the city league, to be held Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Chamber of Commerce rooms. A large attendance of members is desired in addition to the cleanup program, delegates to the First District Convention of Women's Federated Clubs will be elected. The convention is to be held April 15 and 16 at Mineral Wells.

### SAYS UNCLE SAM TO J. BULL

By GEORGE T. BYE. American Chateau, British Headquarters in France, Feb. 16.—Tonight we have been looking over the register of Americans who have stopped at this Chateau maintained by the British government for Americans visiting the British front. When leaving the chateau each guest registers name and address, and it has become the custom to add a few words appropriate to the occasion. Here are some of them:

Frederick William Wile, formerly of Chicago Tribune. We Britons and Americans only need to "Get together" like this to stay together forever and aye, so may it be.

William Ernest Hocking, Harvard University. Glimpses of the greatest of all wars under such conditions as these, no American can forget what he owes either to his generous hosts or to the boys who are fighting under every hardship for the cause which is now—thank God—our common cause.

Robert Grant, Jr., New York. Any land and America will agree that the difference between the two peoples are mainly superficial. They are alike in essential particulars. If I had not known this before I would have come to know it during my stay here.

Hal O'Flaherty, New York Sun. When the shock and terror of the one who has had experience in this world's greatest war has given way to conditions of peace now dimly remembered, it is my hope and prayer that I may come back to the American chateau, to a valley as beautiful as any in my beloved Iowa, and renew and reflect upon so many overwhelming sensations and memories. Let all who can visualize the new era in the relations between the great English speaking peoples, recognize and revere the spirit of this building.

Reginald Wright Kaufman, U. S. A. peasant. Sets here his hand and seal in testimony of his hearty agreement to all the foregoing sentiments.

Ed L. Keen, Europe director of the United Press. Ditto.

Chalmers Roberts, European editor of World's Work. A grateful salute to this outpost in the crusade for the great cause, of which cause for over twenty years I have been a humble but steadfast servant, which cause triumphant will ensure the everlasting welfare of mankind. Carry on.

Follett L. Wade, Associate editor Philadelphia Public Ledger. Sometimes it is said that America will learn much from the mistakes of England. Whatever she may learn from the admitted blunders of those who are ever their own severest critics, America will have infinitely more to learn from England's magnificent success; from the rule of law and the reign of terror, the sure foundations of peace and justice that underlie the passing lurid hour, the noble dignity and frank confidence, the faith and hope and charity that portray the soul of England here under the roof of this chateau as surely as in Hyde Park or on the plains of India or on the sea that no longer estranges kinsmen.

George A. Hatfield, Saturday Evening Post. We have a lot to learn from the British, both in international affairs and hospitality. This is the solution to the misery of a sick man they took care of.

Erving Bacheller, Collier's Weekly. I see in this Chateau a place which is clearing the way for a great treaty between kindred peoples, in our mingled bloods it shall be written, not in words but rather in mighty deeds and for the profit of all men. This is the cause, the cause of honor and justice have brought us at last to a common battlefield.

Governor Morris novelist. We have always spoken of ourselves, somewhat vaguely, as cousins. If the relationship does not become closer it will not be the fault of the British officers at the American Chateau. Nor will it be the fault of our Americans who will always think of them with admiration and affection.

Medill McCormack Chicago. May we live up to our traditions and so be spared in some measure the consequences of our unreadiness.

Harris Diezson, Vicksburg Mississippian. Here's a hope that some compensating good may come out of this war, when Britain, leagued with the world's greatest republic, will guarantee the future peace of the world.

William Churchill, American novelist. German diplomacy has unwittingly brought about that which Junkerism had most to fear—the union of the English speaking Empire and the British Republic. Henceforth these will act together for the peace and stability of the world.

Howard Wheeler, Everybody Magazine. I suspect myself of not being able fully to measure the importance of what is going on at the American Chateau. My guess is that something of a deep significance has happened when even one American finds his cherished prejudices broken down and discovers himself discerning a new meaning in the old proposition that "Blood is thicker than water."

John B. Kendrick, U. S. Senator from Wyoming. We shall carry away happy thoughts of our visit under the hospitable roof of this old Chateau and the recollections of the delightful friends made here will linger in memory long after we have returned to our homes in far away America.

Jan V. Stephens, Congressman, Fremont, Neb. Greatly pleased to have the opportunity to meet so many splendid British officers and enjoy the hospitality of our Allies in the great war. Some slight London, Miss. Congressman. To reunite a divided people, to return to them a common impulse, to establish in them a common ideal, for these the sacrifice of this war are not too great. To aid in this noble work, the open-minded hospitality of the Chateau is of great potentiality.

Herbert Corey, writer, New York City. It seems to me that the British and the American have been separated chiefly by a lack of understanding based on a lack of acquaintance, and that situation has been played upon



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In a variety of ways by a variety of persons from earnest educators in New York World. It is not fantastic to believe that some day the American Chateau will be reckoned to have played a prime part in that great Anglo-American understanding wherein Germany is to find its most complete, most real and most permanent defeat.

Charles E. Kloeber, Chief of News Department, Associated Press. This appreciation of my visit to the American Chateau is written in full and keen appreciation of the splendid inspiration that founded it. God prosper it and all it represents.

Appreciation has been written also by Major General Scott, U. S. A. John B. Rich, Congressman, Lewistown, Montana; Albert Johnson, Congressman, Houston, Washington; C. Dill, Congressman, Spokane, Washington; H. W. Dalton, Editor, "The Washingtonian," Hoquiam, Wash.

The sword of wrath will not be stayed Till force submit to honor.

So buckle on your armor, boys. The "top" is ours forever. God's final triumph will be won. We'll fight, we'll win together.

Richard Wayne Parker, Congressman, Newark, N. J.; Edward Thomas Taylor, Congressman, Glenwood Springs, Col. James S. Parker, Congressman, Salinas, Cal.; Roscoe H. Mitchell and Julius Lincoln, U. S. Special Food Commission, New York.

Paul D. Cravath, New York City lawyer. If we Americans do as well as our British cousins have done, the war is won.

Edward Price Bell, Chicago Daily News. The future of free society depends upon Anglo-American solidarity. The American Chateau is adding its influence to many other forces now so happily moving in the same direction.

By Associated Press. Texas farmers and truck growers whose operations have been seriously hampered for the past three years due to the scarcity of Mexican laborers, are expecting the recent modifications of

the immigration laws to solve the labor problem during the coming season. Texas, New Mexico, Arizona and Southern California farmers and truck growers have always depended largely upon unskilled Mexican laborers, both in planting and harvesting seasons. They are acclimated to these states, will work long hours and demand a minimum wage. With the coming of the series of revolutions in Mexico and the drafting of men for the United States army thousands of these laborers deserted the American fields and returned to their native country. Many preferred to join in the fighting and others feared for their personal safety, especially after the Villa raid on Columbus, N. M., and Gen. Pershing's invasion of Northern Mexico in search of Villa. Others feared they would be drafted into the United States army.

Then came the immigration law barring illiterate Mexicans and placing an \$5 head tax on every one admitted to this country. These provisions barred practically every Mexican laborer from the United States and American farmers found labor scarce with higher wages demanded by an inferior class of labor.

According to the announcement from Washington received several days ago, many of the specific provisions regulating immigration have been suspended temporarily. These include the head tax and the literacy test. To bring in Mexican laborers the employer must meet them at the point of entry and after making complete arrangements for their admission must furnish immigration officers with full description and two unmounted photographs of the aliens. The employer

must furnish a statement covering the duration of employment, wages paid and any contemplated changes in employment.

With the suspension of these provisions and the restoration of peace over the greater part of Mexico and the assurance that they will not be drafted into the American army it is expected that farm laborers in the Southwest will be plentiful both to plant and harvest the crops.

High Price of Shoes Gets Discharges for Two Negro Recruits

Dallas, Tex., Mar. 24.—While some exemption boards have been weighing the claims of objectors to military service, who had revived long forgotten dependents, at least two Texans willing to serve have received honorable discharges because the army decided it would put too great a strain on the United States Government to keep them in shoes.

The recruits recently were discharged from Camp Travis at San Antonio because of the high price of leather. Both were negroes from the Texas bottoms and both were valiant in their wishes to "go" the German Emperor, if either could have stepped on him. It would have ended the war. Each would have worn shoes number 15 if the army could have supplied them. It was estimated that shoes would have to be made to order for them at a cost of \$25 a pair and so they were sent back to the farms.

Some of the exemption claims have been flimsy. In Dallas, a tearful claimant pictured the suffering of his grandmother if his support were removed. An investigation proved she had been dead twenty years, and in the opinion of the board members, it was the first time the objector had thought of it. He was arrested and is still in jail.

Only a few Texans now ask exemption on conscientious grounds. Training camp customs are becoming familiar to persons in all "arts of the state and the "conscientious objector" knows he is sure of a safe, if not savory, job with the kitchen police.

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Another Dallas man asked the board members to read a packet of love letters in order to convince them of the acute suffering his wife would undergo if he left her to serve with the colors. The board was visibly affected and was weakening rapidly when an investigator brought in word that the man had married after the first call and that the letters had been made to order by a dutiful obedient wife.

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A Dallas negro, suspicious of the virtue of written claims, took his evi-

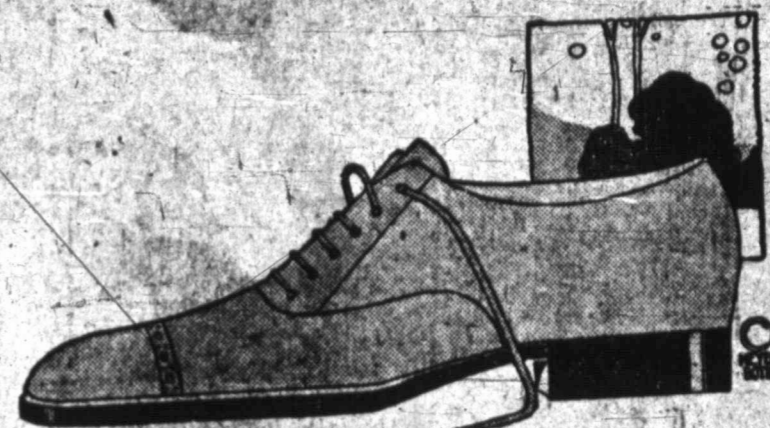


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250 pair of \$5.00 Low Shoes in button and lace now on sale....	\$3.75
100 pair of Men's Oxfords now on sale for .....	\$2.75

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Miss Clara Freeman, one of the Herbert musical comedy success, THE Princess Pat at the Wichita Theatre on Saturday, April 6th. Matt

### PERSHING'S OFFER BRINGS GRATITUDE OF FRENCH PEOPLE

By Associated Press. Paris, Mar. 30.—General Pershing's sincere and manly words in placing at the disposal of General Foch the entire resources of the American army have gone straight to the heart of the French people who dearly love what the French call "fine gesture." The newspapers of all shades of opinion reflect this grateful appreciation both by the prominence they give the incident and in their comments.

### DR. C. M. BISHOP TO PREACH HERE SUNDAY MORNING

Dr. C. M. Bishop, president of the Southwestern University at Georgetown, former pastor of the Methodist Church South in this city, will preach the Easter sermon at that church this morning. He will also occupy the pulpit tonight. Dr. Bishop is one of the most prominent figures in Southern Methodism and his visit here is of much interest, especially to those who were his congregation while he was at the local church.

S. H. Adler, Southwestern Sales Manager, of the Hudson Motor Car Company, was a visitor with the Lloyd Weaver Automobile Company this week. Mr. Newsom, travelling mechanic was also in the city this week.

Satisfied customers recommend the National Bank of Commerce, and direct to it much of the new business with which it is constantly being favored.

### 54 WOMEN KILLED BY NEW HUN GUN IN PARIS CHURCH

#### SHELL STRIKES NORTH SIDE OF CHURCH DURING THE SERVICES.

By Associated Press. Paris, March 30.—Rescue parties at work in the church which was struck yesterday by a shell from a German long range gun, have found more bodies. It is now known that fifty four women were killed. The shell struck the north side of the church, bringing down part of the roof and opening a breach 12 feet high and twenty feet wide. Nearly all the debris fell inward upon the heads of the worshippers sixty feet below. The shell is now a heart-rending sight. The enormous mass of stone, crumbled into all shapes and sizes, lies in the middle of the nave and piled up about the same height as the high altar which was not damaged. The side aisles are littered with less cumbersome wreckage and the pavement is covered with gray dust. All the stained glass windows, some of which were of historical interest are shattered. The church although begun in the middle ages was entirely remodelled in the epoch of the Renaissance. The beauty of its musical services, which were sung unaccompanied attracted many music lovers. In addition to Strehling, counselor of the Swiss legation in Paris, who was killed, it is feared that his wife also is a victim, although searchers have not yet found her body in the debris. Among the injured are Countess Morand, Viscount Molitor and former senator Louis Gauthier.

#### WICHITA THEATER TO HAVE ATTRACTION SATURDAY

Admirers of Victor Herbert's enchanting style of music will welcome the announcement that on Saturday April 6th at the Wichita Theatre "The Princess Pat" the Cort Theatre, New York musical comedy success will be presented. No American composer has a better knowledge of color in orchestration, greater ability in creating atmosphere, faculty to compose more delightful melodies or to produce a more enjoyable opera than Victor Herbert at his best and he without a doubt was in the mood when he wrote "The Princess Pat." To this his latest work he has contributed twenty numbers every one of which has been classed a gem but it is not alone the music that goes to make the play so charming an offering as the book and lyrics of Henry Blossom are especially brilliant and in perfect keeping with the excellent score. The play has a real plot and in it Grace Holbrook is engaged to marry Anthony O'Brien, an old man of means. She has permitted the engagement in order to save her uncle, General Holbrook, from bankruptcy. O'Brien's scapegrace son, Tony, with his new found friend Bob Darow, who lives by his wits, appears on the scene and straightway falls in love with Grace. O'Brien, Sr. in rather gay and boisterous infatuation with the Princess of Montaldo, otherwise Pat, wife of an Italian nobleman. The Prince has been neglecting his wife, and she concludes to teach her husband and also O'Brien a lesson. Pat enters into a mild flirtation with old O'Brien, and when this is discovered by the husband, he is wild with jealousy and when the exposure comes it makes it possible for Grace to get out of the contemplated marriage with O'Brien

and elope with his son. This plan working out to Pat's entire satisfaction serves to bring about many amusing complications. For the interpretation of the important parts, the cast includes Annette Ford, Clara Freeman, Steffi Anderson, Francis Schofield, Nelson Riley, Edwin Stanley, Peter MacArthur, Augustus Buel, John Reinhard and Wilbur Cox. An ample chorus of singers add much to the musical quality of the comedy. The promise is made that not only a meritorious and artistic rendition of Herbert's music will be given but that the scenic environment, from the studio of most famous of American scene artists Homer F. Ewins, will be a notable accessory.

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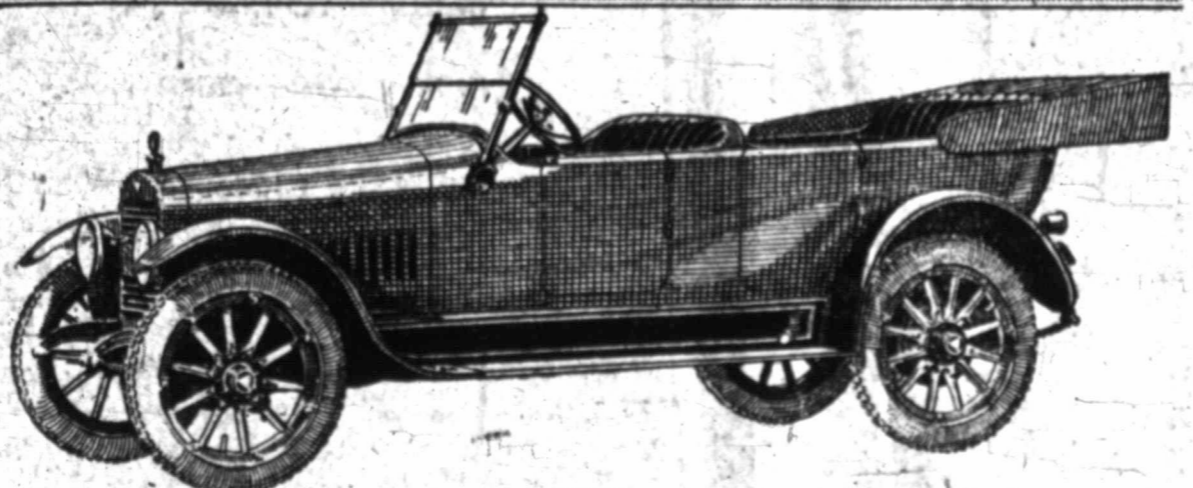
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### SALES OF CARS FOR PAST WEEK ARE MOST BRISK

MANY BUYERS ARE RESIDENTS OF NEARBY TOWNS, REPORT DEALERS.

The car sales reported for this week number almost one hundred, including second hand sales. Dealers report better shipping service and a steady and even increasing market.

Names of buyers from Mineral Wells, Vernon, Ranger, Eastland, Bowie and all of the smaller communities in this immediate vicinity are prominent in the list of sales, and the area covered by the local agencies is growing. Clippings from the "Wichita" speak of the increasing agencies being established all over North Texas and Western Oklahoma for the winter. The company already so widely distributed over the world.

This week's car sales are: The W-W Company: One seven passenger touring car to A. E. Finley. One four passenger touring Westcott roadster to Townsen, Vernon. One two ton Wichita truck to Key & Wilson, Vernon. One two and one half ton Wichita truck to J. B. Sisk, one one and a half ton Wichita truck to I. H. Henshaw, Vernon. One two and one half ton Wichita truck to the Alfalfa Lumber Company. Several second hand sales and a good wholesale business. The company also announces the arrival of a shipment of spare parts for Westcott cars.

The sales follow: Motor Supply Company: Maricle Coal and seed Company, N. H. Martin, Panhandle Refining Company, Humble Oil Company, J. D. Martin, F. E. Hillery, W. B. Hamilton, Wichita Valley Refining Company, C. H. Simpson. Two second hand sales. Overland Sales Company: S. Swanson, Iowa Park; J. H. Street, W. H. Herron, K. E. Stone, Roger Brothers, Bowie, wholesale; J. E. Workman, Graham, wholesale; one second hand sale.

Handers Auto Company: F. E. Bay, Eastland, Joseph Weaver, Eastland, Frank Day, Eastland, T. E. Jackson, Eastland, L. L. Davenport, Ranger, Luther Davenport, Ranger, Arthur E. Adams, Ranger, G. W. Wilson, S. A. Castberry, Vernon. One second hand sale. Lexington Car Company: W. L. Long, Burk Burnett, John Wharton, Burk Burnett, M. P. Kelly. Two second hand sales. Chenault and Wheat: Judge Harvey Harris, Oldsmobile touring car, Tom Quinn, Electra, Oldsmobile club roadster, N. H. Martin, Oldsmobile club roadster, O. B. Deason, Mitchell, two second hand sales. Victory Motor Company: C. C. Bradford, New, Chevrolet, Frisco, special equipment, J. F. Riggs, Premier, E. L. Smith, Page. Two Dorts, wholesale to dealers in Vernon. Hammett Auto Company: George Fleming, Chalmers, George Worke, Vernon, Maxwell truck, Earl Hall, Elgin, Will Conner, Chalmers-Duplex. Four second hand sales. Moon Auto Company: Wise, Electra, Moon touring car. Velle Motor Company: One truck name not listed. McFall and Orth: J. A. Elder, touring car, W. H. White, Burk Burnett, roadster, Mike Spears, Burk Burnett, roadster, Texas Electra Refining and Oil Company, touring car, wholesale sales to dealers in Vernon. Three second hand sales. Stake Motor Company: J. H. Martin, Harmon, C. Shumaker, Buick, Hays and Dillard, Buick. Four second hand sales. The Lord Weaver Automobile Co.: A. B. Huff, Hudson Super Six, Claud A. Smith, Electra, Hudson Super Six, L. Heineman, Hudson Super Six, F. P. Cullum, Hudson Super Six, W. F. Hutcherson, Hudson Super Six. Six second hand sales.

### DRILLING OF WELL IS BEGUN IN COKE NEAR ROBERT LEE

Robert Lee, Tex., March 27.—Drilling for oil on the W. C. Lock ranch a mile south of Robert Lee, began Monday. Many visitors were on hand to see the work start on this, the first oil well of Coke county.

The oil people assure the citizenship that there is no question as to whether there is oil underlying this ground. It is likely to be only a short while until Robert Lee will come into her own, and a big oil gusher will be brought forth.

The ranch belonging to J. Q. McCabe, containing eleven sections, and the W. L. Foster ranch, known as the Garland Odom ranch and containing about nine sections, are under lease. These ranches are located fourteen miles northwest of Robert Lee and have recently been leased by Skinner & Co. of Mine Springs for oil and gas development purposes. The machinery has already been purchased, and it is understood that drilling will begin at an early date, probably within thirty days, or as soon as the machinery can be placed and other arrangements made.

It is reported that the Robert Lee Oil Company plans to drill 3,000 feet and more if oil is not found in paying quantities. They will drill several oil wells in the vicinity of Robert Lee. This company alone has approximately 50,000 acres of Coke county land under lease for oil and gas development purposes. Other oil companies have leased large numbers of acres, nearly every section of Coke county plans to have oil development soon. It is reported that wells will be put down near Bronte, Edith, Tennyson and in the northwestern part of Coke county.

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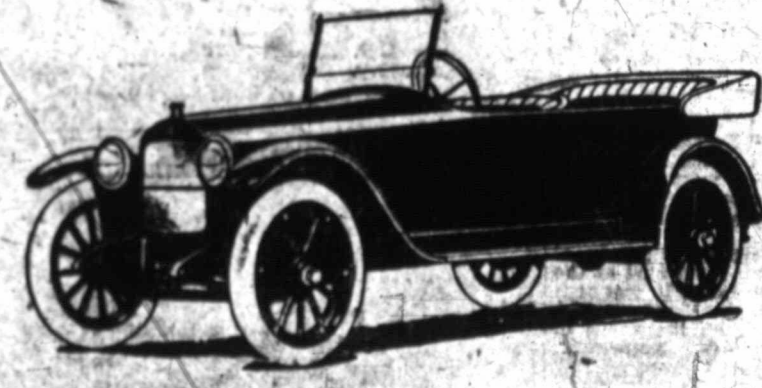
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# SERVANTS WILL FIND LIFE IS MUCH CHANGED

### THE CONDITIONS IN ENGLAND NOT LIKELY TO BE RESUMED.

By Margaret Walter.  
London, March 5, (by mail).—When the 200,000 domestic servants who up to 1917 had volunteered for war work in England are gradually returned to civil life, their old occupation completely reorganized. Women of intelligence have not been doing scrub women's jobs and dish-washing all this time for nothing. When the regular house servants went away, mistresses and their daughters look to doing the work. One result of this new experience is a well started scheme in London for the reorganization of domestic service as a modern industry.

I went to a meeting at the home of Mrs. Herbert Samuel, wife of the former Home Secretary, and I venture to say that the audience that overflowed the ball-room of her big house in Hyde Park has never had its match in London.

**Women Well Known**  
Packed together as close as they could sit were women whose names are known all over the empire for public service and war work, women of fashionable fame and of household and cooks and scrub-women in their best bright colored velvet hats. After some speeches by women who have been trying to get their theories into practice in different parts of the country, there was a general discussion which lasted way beyond the hour announced for the end of the meeting.

Mistresses met their servants for the first time on common ground, heard what they had to say, and put their side of the matter in the most utmost frankness. Parlor maids and cooks told their troubles without embarrassment. And some pretty startling facts came to light. One was that of the women who remain in domestic service 95 per cent. end in the poor house or become dependents. Such facts, of course, pointed to peace times; even before the war there was a growing disinclination to enter house service, especially in London. I gathered that the greatest grievances are the long hours, what they call "living in," and the social barrier between servants and mistresses.

One practice which obtains among women of the leisure classes came in for heated discussions, the habit of lying in bed till morning. One parlor maid said that for fifteen years she had carried three heavy breakfast trays up four flights of stairs every morning of the week except Sunday when the family went to early service, and that when the telephone was installed she sometimes had to rush up to her mistress's room a dozen times during the morning. Fancy not having a bedroom connection when you spend your mornings in bed? Another housemaid said she had had all the time that the children of the family were growing up she was called upon for night duty whenever it was required as the trained nurse refused to be disturbed at night.

**Great Complaint.**  
But the great complaint was the free and the preparing of vegetables. The trials of making a dozen fires every morning and carrying a dozen London coal scuttles up stairs I can sympathize with, but I never heard of protesting against cleaning vegetables. Perhaps the vegetables in England are particularly dirty. Probably the reason is that the need for being always spic and span makes any dirty work difficult for these girls who have to furnish their own uniforms. The other night I found the little chambermaid who does my room in tears because she had been reproved for wearing soiled cuffs and she could not afford to get new ones because they have gone up in price to 60 cents a pair.

One of the most interesting points brought up at the meeting was the new domestic architecture which will be called for after the war. The great houses where every possible comfort and convenience in central heating and room heating are provided, masters will have to be remodelled before the modern domestic worker will take service in them; new houses will have to be built with every possible labor saving device. American domestic architecture was referred to as furnishing a desirable model upon which the houses of the future will be built. It was from the servants themselves that the most helpful and definite suggestions came regarding the simplification of house work.

Headed by the Women's Industrial Council, a committee composed of representatives of both classes explained their scheme. It provides for the training and accommodation of highly skilled house servants of all kinds. Centers are to be established in residential districts of all the large towns in England from which domestic workers are to be supplied daily. The centers are to be self-supporting. A skilled and competent manager is to be in charge of each center. Her duties will be to supervise the training, supply the workers with positions, and to relay their work. An advisory committee is to be attached to each center composed of representatives of employers and workers, whose duties will be to consider rates of pay, hours of work, uniforms and holidays, and all matters governing the treatment of the workers.

Domestic service is to comprise two classes: Skilled women—cooks, housemaids, children's maids, etc.—and general workers ready to act in all capacities in small houses or flats. Workers are to be paid a fixed weekly wage and all employment fees will be paid by the employer to the manager of the center. A limited number of hours a day, leaving plenty of leisure for study and recreation. Households requiring both indoor and outdoor service will have to employ relays of servants. Complaints will have to be addressed to the manager of the center.

In connection with the centers where the workers live, domestic training centers are to be established and for this purpose the Polytechnic schools and the Board of Education are to furnish equipment and grants. The training is to be not only theoretical but the learners are to be sent in charge of skilled workers in the same way that plumbers' assistants accompany their chiefs until they acquire sufficient skill to take on work of their own.

## BELGIAN CONGO STEAMSHIP VICTIM OF HUN SU BMARINE



THE ELISABETHVILLE OF THE BELGIAN CONGO LINE SINKING TO HER GRAVE AFTER A HURRICANE ATTACK

The recent victim of the Hun U-boat was the Belgian Congo steamship Elisabethville, a vessel of 12,000 tons. She was struck by a torpedo in the Bay of Biafra, and a photograph of her, taken while sinking, was just received in the United States. She was in command of Captain M. Hossain, who now commands the French auxiliary Belgian vessel. After the torpedo struck the vessel her engines were transferred safely to the lifeboats. They had been in those only a short time when war vessels, resembling wireless calls, picked them up. Fifteen of the Liverpool force were killed by the explosion of the torpedo. The photograph of the sinking Elisabethville was taken from one of the destroyers which hurried to the aid of the vessel.

## WILLARD W. SIDES WRITES RELATIVES; IS ON BATTLESHIP

### YOUNG MAN TELLS OF GOOD HEALTH AMONG AMERICAN SEA FORCES

Willard W. Sides, formerly of Wichita Falls, writes from the U. S. Florida, in European waters to his cousin, Mrs. Lee Downs, of this city, telling of good conditions, splendid health, and a desire for active service. The letter is cheerful, hopeful and enthusiastic, expressing the spirit of the naval forces of the country.

Mr. Sides' present address is U. S. S. Florida, New York N. Y. Foreign Service, care postmaster.

The letter in full follows:  
U. S. S. Florida, European Waters, Feb. 24th 1918.

Dear Cousin Emma:  
After a long time I finally received another letter from you. Was more than glad to know that all was well. The papers you sent were a real treat. You don't know how to appreciate a newspaper until you get placed in a position where you can't hear from home daily. I am not allowed to write anything concerning our whereabouts or our routine. So there is nothing

much left to speak about except that I am enjoying best of health and everything is lovely. We had lots of good "eat" Washington's Birthday, which the crew enjoyed very much. But Uncle Sammie is at giving us plenty of wholesome food every day. We can't complain at our surroundings considering that we are at war. I am getting rather anxious to see a little active service, but guess I will get to see plenty of that before I get back to the states. We're ready for them, just let 'em come. Winter will soon be over and I will be glad for I have had my share of cold weather. I hope to be able to come back to the dear old U. S. this summer and spend the next winter below the Mason-Dixon line. Father has written me about the severe cold that has played over Texas this winter, must have been unusual cold. The quarantine I mentioned in my last letter has been lifted as I've didn't have any serious cases. I've been ashore twice since I have been over here but hope to get to go soon. I have got lots of souvenirs of this country, but can't send you any. Mr. Sides' present address is U. S. S. Florida, New York N. Y. Foreign Service, care postmaster.

quiet a lot of that myself and you are also lucky to get a good position like the one you mentioned in your letter. I am glad you are using all you can to keep mother in good spirits. There is absolutely no need for her to worry for I am in perfect safety at present and if we go into action I have just as good a chance as anybody else. Tell Brother and Sister Wales I sure did appreciate their letters and tell them to write again. I am sorry that I haven't time to write them separately, but guess they will understand that this letter is just as much intended for them as it is to Sticky and Emma. ha! ha! I will bring them both something nice from over here when I come home. Bro. Wales is doing nicely with his studies and if water isn't careful he'll catch her yet. Too bad the little man had the stomach ache at last writing, hope you are well by now. Write me again soon and be sure and send me some more papers if you can spare the time and will promise to remember your kindness when I come to see you. Lots of love and best wishes to all.  
WILLARD SIDES.  
Same Address.

## Eleven War Savings Societies Formed in City During Week

Eleven War Savings Societies from Wichita county have been registered with the district executive board at Dallas this far. Next week R. M. Shepherd, the county campaign manager, expects to spend the greater part of the time visiting the country.

## WORK ON BRIDGES UPON ROAD SYSTEM BEGINS MONDAY

### CONTRACTOR FOLEY HAS ENTIRE OUTFIT READY TO GO TO WORK

Work is to begin Monday on the concrete bridges and culverts—beginning on the Charlie road and working towards Wichita Falls, then on all the various roads of the Wichita county permanent road system, according to the road superintendent J. H. Crockett. C. H. Foley of Sherman is the concrete contractor and his outfit is ready to begin work. A. E. Morgan of Temple is here to be in charge of the concrete inspection.

Up to Saturday the nine outfits at work grading had completed thirteen miles of road. Monday two more outfits will be put to work. The Womack Construction Company will put some of its own teams to work at the Wilbarger county line on the Electric road and P. D. Findley will have an outfit to begin work on the Burk Burnett road. In about three weeks a third sub contractor will start grading on the Burk Burnett-Chara road at the Wilbarger county line.

**Rain Helps Work.**  
Several more rains like that of Friday afternoon, hard and penetrating rain, as when the grading is finished the dirt has to be allowed to get the dirt packed down, before gravel is begun. To make the best road bed the dirt should be packed down by heavy rains. After the grading is completed it will be two or three months before it will be possible to begin surfacing, according to Mr. Crockett, county engineer.

schools and organizing those not yet organized and other committees of the county War Savings organization will be put to work in order that this record be brought more nearly up to what is expected of Wichita county. The societies already organized and registered are: Prairie Cottage school; two societies at the Fairview school; Troops 2, 4 and 6 of the Boy Scouts; Magnolia Petroleum Company, District No. 6, Electric; W. R. Scurry Chapter U. D. C.; Wichita Falls Central Labor Union; Burk Burnett Branch American Red Cross; and the Baptist Woman's Bible class.

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8:45 Sunday school with interesting classes.  
11:00 a. m. Morning worship with Easter anthem and sermon. Voluntary, "Spring Soliloquy" by Wenzel. The white cross covered with Easter lilies service.  
2:00 p. m. Junior League studies, also Resurrection.  
7:00 p. m. Intermediate League presenting special program.  
7:00 p. m. Epworth League the four Vice Presidents will lead using the ceremonial candle service.  
Easter Program 8 p. m. by Voluntary, "Pastorale in F" by Bloch.  
Orchestra Selection.  
"Christ Arise, song by all.  
Crescendo Selection by Mrs. G. Taylor.  
"Calvary"—Solo by Mr. George Taylor.  
Scripture lesson.  
"Awakening Chorus" by Gabriel.  
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**Lutheran Trinity Church**  
Cor. 14th and Hill Sts.  
Easter Sunday, March 31. No Sunday school. Easter service with Holy Communion begins at 10 o'clock. The following young people will be confirmed: Christina Puchs, Frieda Zeraski, Mary Koch, Elizabeth Davlier, Fr. Maier, Walter Bousa, Albert, Barfield and John Welsa. The church will be decorated. The choir will render special music. A collection for Seguin College will be taken.  
W. UKESZ, P.

**The First Baptist Church**  
Sunday school 9 a. m.  
Preaching service 11, Subj. "The Servant of All."  
Special music by the choir. Mr. Marchison will sing solo.  
8:45 p. m. Special music and program.  
Preaching service, Subj. "A Great Auction Sale." Men are cordially invited and the women with them. Come see how you can get a lot or be bid on for. There will be special music.  
The District Sunday School Convention comprising thirteen churches will meet with our church on April the seventh and continue for one week. Leading specialists and speakers of Texas and the Southern Baptist Convention will take part on the program. The delegates will be entertained by the members of the church on the Harvard Plan, bed and breakfast. The members of the other churches are cordially invited to attend these meetings and get all the good they can out of them.  
The pastor expects to follow this meeting with an Evangelistic Campaign beginning on Sunday the fourth of April. The singing will be conducted by Mr. B. H. McKinney of the South Western Baptist Seminary of Fort Worth. He will be assisted by the best singers of Wichita Falls. Get ready for these meetings.  
O. L. POWERS, Pastor.

**First Methodist Church, South**  
Corner 10th and Lamar.  
Gina Barnes, Pastor.  
Sunday school at 9:15. There will be a short program in the Primary and Beginners department, down stairs. About a 30 minute Easter program will be given upstairs also. Parents and friends will be welcomed. A special visitors class will be taught by the lecture method.  
Dr. C. M. Eshen, former pastor, now president of Southwestern University will preach Sunday morning. Special music. The choir will sing "Spirit of God" by Tinsman. Miss Hamilton will sing "I Know that My

Redeemer Liveth." Miss In Cook organist.  
Epworth League program at 8:45. Subject "The Christian Life," Lead. J. J. Hanzel.  
"The Effect of Justification by Faith," Miss Munk.  
"The Difference in Living by faith and under the Law," Mrs. J. S. Ogle.  
"How may I Know that I am Justified," Miss Opal Shaver.  
Evening service at 7:45. Some visitor at District Conference will preach. The choir will sing, "Ten Thousand Times Ten Thousand," Miss Benbow of Lawton, Okla., who has been doing such efficient singing in entertaining the soldiers at Camp Donivan will sing Sunday night.

**First Presbyterian Church**  
Miss Benbow will sing a solo at the morning service and the choir will sing: "Why Reek Ye the Living Among the Dead?" The subject of the morning sermon will be: "The Power of an Endless Life." An opportunity will be given for church membership and for infant baptism at the morning service. At night the choir will present an Easter Cantata entitled: "Victory Divine." This sacred Concert will be well up to the standard raised by Miss Venie and her choir. No attempt will be made to conform with the Daylight Saving Order this Sunday.  
N. F. Grafton, Pastor.

**Church of the Good Shepherd**  
(Episcopal)  
Easter Sunday.  
Sunday school at 9:30.  
Morning prayer and service at 11 a. m.  
The choir will sing:  
Processional.  
"Welcome Happy Morn."  
"Christ Our Passover."  
"Te Deum Laudamus."  
"Agnus Dei."  
Hymn, "Angels Roll the Rock Away."  
Offertory Solo—Shelly's "Resurrection"—Miss Simpson.  
Benediction.  
Recessional.  
"Christ the Lord is Risen Again."  
Everone is welcome to the church. Seats are free and the services inspiring. Come.

**Fourth Street Baptist Church**  
The pulpit will be filled Sunday by Rev. Mr. Summerhill who is a teacher in the High School.  
COMMITTEE  
First Christian Church.  
10th and Travis.  
Bible school at 9:30.  
Special Easter services begin at 10:45. Wichita Falls Commandery No. 49 will attend these services in a body. Visitors and friends are requested to be on time to facilitate the seating of the congregation. The mid-

The section of news is reserved for the Sir Knights. The sermon for the occasion will be "The Necessity of the Death of Jesus." The choir will sing "The Resurrection." Mrs. Chase will sing "Immortality" by Shoppard. The night services will be given over to the team of Minute Men who will put on one of the most gripping programs ever given in this section of the State. This battery of speakers will deliver the final facts of the Men and Millions drive. The program will begin at 11:45. The Junior Intermediate and Senior G. B. will conduct their meetings beginning at 7:45 closing in time to attend the Minute Men meeting. Be on time to secure a good seat.

**AFTER TAKING 2 BOTTLES OF PEP PILLS, LADY GAINS TWELVE POUNDS**  
Was Run Down and Couldn't Sleep at Night.

Miss A. P. O'Rielly, 567 West Sixth Street, Fort Worth, in an interview with our representative, had the following to say:  
"I suffered with stomach trouble and a general run-down, nervous system. My appetite was poor and I was unable to sleep at night. I was in misery all the time and could not perform my duties without getting easily fatigued.  
"For a long time I endured this misery and when I couldn't stand it longer, I began a search for a tonic that would correct my stomach. The first trial was with a stomach blood supply.  
"Pep Systemic Pills were recommended to me and after taking only two bottles, I gained twelve pounds and my stomach trouble disappeared. My nerves became calm and I enjoyed sound sleep at night, which made me refreshed."

"I cannot say too much in praise of this wonderful tonic and heartily recommend it to anyone who may be in my former condition." This was interscholastic meet.  
On account of the condition of the roads, representatives of the schools of the county were unable to reach Electric for the county interscholastic meet planned for today. According to the present plans, the contests will be held on next Saturday.

**Ninth Street Paving Is Suspended Until City Has More Water**

Paving of Ninth street has been suspended, pending the improvement of the water condition. Mayor A. H. Brittain stated Saturday, that he thought to be the best course by L. H. Roberts the contractor, and Mr. Brittain and work has been stopped. Grading of the block between Lamar and Travis has been completed and the street ready for the concrete. Work will start again when the water scarcity is overcome.



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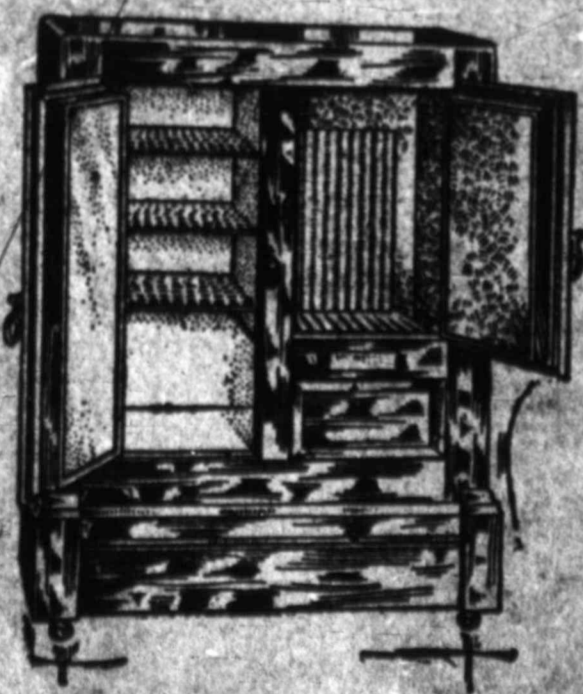
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