



# GERMANS CLAIM BRITISH BURN MANY VILLAGES

### JUST "GHASTLY JOKE" AS NONE WERE LEFT OF THE ENEMY.

By GEORGE T. BYE  
London, March 26.—A German official bulletin says the English are burning French villages before moving out of them. There was nothing the Germans left that was worth destroying in all this great area after their retreat of 1917.

I have just returned from a tour of the whole country between Arras and Peronne, including the British-Hindenburg line at Croixilles, the British battle positions close to St. Quentin, and the prepared positions in the rear where the Hun is now getting his punishment—and the only inflammable structures saved in this grimy country were some temporary huts occupied by American engineers.

### Is Ghastly Joke.

It is one of the ghastly jokes of the Germans to refer to the French villages as if it were possible for the British to level them any lower into the dust than German clock-mines and torpedoes had long ago reduced them with characteristic thoroughness. This is a corpse country; villages are nothing more than a continuation of the havoc that meets your eyes for miles. There are no walls standing. Those points that are named on military maps are nothing more than former locations and you would not know you were passing a village of the past but for a sign post that helps to give direction to military travelers in this should have included these sign posts among the inflammable material, also the thousands and thousands of crosses that mark the graves, white for British and black for the German.

### Victoria Class Is Awarded Airmen Of Royal Flying Corps

By Associated Press  
London, May 1. Wednesday.—The Victoria Cross has been awarded to Lieutenant Allan Gerard and Alan Arnet McLeod of the Royal Air Force for deeds which stand out even among the exploits in this branch of the service.

Gerard when on an offensive patrol with two other officers attacked five enemy airplanes, shooting one down in flames. He then attacked an enemy airplane, engaging single handed some nineteen machines which either were landing or starting off, and crashed one of them against the airdrome. A large number of machines then attacked Gerard, but seeing one of his companions in difficulty he went to his assistance and destroyed a third enemy machine.

Fresh enemy machines were rising from the airdrome and he attacked them one after another and only retreated when ordered to do so. Five machines pursued him, but he turned, although he was seriously wounded and repeatedly attacked them until overwhelmed by numbers, he was driven down.

McLeod while flying at an altitude of 5,000 feet was attacked by eight enemy machines which dived at him from all directions firing from their front guns. By skillful maneuvers he enabled his observers to fire bursts at each machine in turn, shooting three down.

By this time both McLeod and his observers were wounded and their machine was in flames. McLeod climbed out onto the plane controlling the machine from the side and kept the flames confined to the other side, thus enabling the observers to keep on firing until the ground was reached.

**\$50 Reward**  
To parties arresting the person who put enemy dust in my automobile on the evening of April 30. Phone 2478. W. P. McFall. 303-304

**Fair quick taxi, baggage and livery service phone 432. 115-116**

# TALE OF HEROISM ON LOST STEAMER PROVES THRILLING

### HEAVY LOSS OF LIFE ENTAILED AS VESSEL SINKS IN FIVE MINUTES

By Associated Press  
An Atlantic Port May 2.—Survivors of the coastwise steamer City of Athens which was sunk in a collision with a French cruiser in a fog off the Delaware coast yesterday morning with a French cruiser in a fog off the Delaware coast yesterday morning with a loss of sixty persons related here today many tales of heroism on the part of the crews of the two vessels. All praised the efforts of the French sailors especially, who launched small boats within a few minutes after the accident and aided by the cruiser's search lights picked up many of the survivors from pieces of wreckage.

The survivors agreed that the speedy sinking of the steamer within five minutes after being rammed by the warship—was responsible for the heavy toll of life, although some claimed that the City of Athens life saving apparatus failed to work properly. There were 135 persons including 24 United States marines on board the steamer which was bound from New York for Savannah with a \$2,000,000 cargo of cement, rope, foodstuffs and general merchandise on board.

### Lives Are Saved

Mrs. Florence Pickharc Harrison, wife of a New York real estate agent, whose father, Winchell L. Pickharc, is president of Mercer University, Macon, Georgia, told today how her life, that of her two year old baby and two others were saved through the

bravery of a negro fireman on the City of Athens. Awakened from her sleep Mrs. Harrison barely had time to put a coat over her night dress and hurry to the deck with her child. "I saw a life boat," she said, "but no one was paying any attention to it except a United States marine who lifted the baby into the boat. I was about to climb in with his aid when the steamer toppled and my grasp on the gunwale slipped. I caught up the baby and the ship sank under the swirling water. When I came up choking and almost unconscious from the water with the little one in my arms, we were directly under the bow of a life boat."

She took the baby "A man whom I afterwards learned was James Wallace of Savannah lifted the baby from my arms. When I regained consciousness I found myself in the life boat covered with a piece of canvas which I wrapped around the baby. My coat and night gown were torn from the struggle to drag me in. After that Mr. Wallace rescued one marine and a civilian. That brave negro deserves a hero's medal."

"We were in the life boat for about two hours before we were picked up by the crew of the French cruiser. I can not speak too highly of the gallantry and kindness of the French officers and men during our rescue and the time spent on the cruise."

### SHELL SHOCK SOMETIMES "SIMPLE COWARDICE"

By Associated Press  
New York, May 2.—The extent to which nervous and mental disease have to be combated in the medical department of the army under war conditions was outlined in a further installment of the review of the work of the Rockefeller Foundation, made public here today. "The term 'shell shock'" the report said, "has been hit upon to describe a wide range of causes from paralysis to simple cowardice and to designate correctly these diseases has become a pressing necessity."

Peanut Butter in bulk at 30c per pound, at Sanitary Market. Phone 2627.

# King Ferdinand Is To Be Dethroned Is Now Newest Rumor

### By Associated Press

London, May 2.—The Teutonic powers, the correspondent of the Mail at Annemasse, France, claims to have learned on reliable information, have decided to dethrone King Ferdinand of Rumania and to install a ruler of their own choice. He says that Germany some time ago tried to get Count Czernin, former Austro-Hungarian foreign minister, to consent to such action and that his removal from office has made an agreement possible.



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It is called "Marveilt" and lives up to the name in all respects. It fits perfectly, wears beautifully, and is an economy as every woman knows. Only Kayser's make it; and our assortment in plain, embroidered and lacy styles are complete and fresh. We call your attention particularly to the new Marveilt features. A revelation in beauty and durability.

- Italian Silk Unionsuits, all sizes, price ..... \$3.90
- Italian Silk Chemise, all sizes, price ..... \$2.70
- Italian Silk Knickers, all sizes, price ..... \$2.95
- Italian Silk Vests, all sizes, price ..... \$2.50
- Italian Silk Camisoles, all sizes, price ..... \$2.70
- Arrow Shirts ..... \$1.25
- Arrow Shirts ..... \$1.50
- Arrow Shirts ..... \$2.00
- Arrow Shirts ..... \$2.50
- Arrow Shirts ..... \$3.00
- Arrow Shirts, silk ..... \$5.00
- Arrow Shirts, silk ..... \$6.00
- Arrow Shirts, silk ..... \$10.00
- Keiser Cravats, silk ..... 50c
- Keiser Cravats, silk ..... 75c
- Keiser Cravats, silk ..... \$1.00
- Keiser Cravats, silk ..... \$1.50
- Keiser Cravats, silk ..... \$2.00
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- Keiser Cravats, silk ..... \$3.00
- Keiser Cravats, silk ..... \$3.50
- Keiser Cravats, silk ..... \$4.00
- Keiser Cravats, silk ..... \$4.50
- B. V. D. Union Suits ..... \$1.10
- Gents hose ..... 35c
- Gents hose, silk ..... 65c
- Arrow Soft Handkerchiefs ..... 2 for 25c
- Arrow Collars ..... 20c
- Arrow Collars ..... 2 for 35c
- Arrow Collars ..... 3 for 50c
- Big Bath Towels ..... 25c
- Wash Rags ..... 5c and 10c
- Suit Cases and Traveling Bags, prices from \$2.50 to \$50.00
- Tennis Rackets, prices ..... 75c to \$8.00
- Base Ball Gloves and Mitts ..... 25c to \$5.00
- Ukuleles ..... \$5.00 and \$10.00
- Violin ..... \$10.00 to \$25.00
- Guitars ..... \$5.00 to \$18.00
- Mary Garden Perfume ..... 10c
- Theodor's Black Draught, 25c size, our cut price ..... 20c
- S. S. S. Blood Medicine, \$1.00 size, our cut price ..... 85c
- Doan's Kidney Pills, 60c size, our cut price ..... 50c
- Bayer's Tablets of Aspirin, per dozen ..... 15c
- Doan's Livertone, price 60c, our cut price ..... 50c
- Mentholatum, 25c size, our cut price ..... 20c
- Mentholatum, 50c size, our cut price ..... 40c
- Odo-ro-no 30c size, our cut price ..... 25c
- Nujol American Mineral Oil, 75c size, our cut price ..... 65c
- Sal Hepatica, 30c size, our cut price ..... 25c
- Sal Hepatica, 60c size, our cut price ..... 50c
- Sal Hepatica, \$1.20 size, our cut price ..... \$1.00
- Syrup Pepsin, 50c size, our cut price ..... 45c
- Syrup Pepsin, \$1.00 size, our cut price ..... 90c
- Wine of Cardui, \$1.00 size, our cut price ..... 85c
- Nonspi 50c size, our cut price ..... 34c
- Aviation Special Tooth Paste, 25c size, our cut price ..... 20c
- Woodbury's Soap, 25c, our cut price ..... 20c
- Mavis Talcum Powder, 35c size, our price ..... 25c
- Colgate Shaving Soap, 10c, our cut price ..... 5c
- Djer Kiss Talcum Powder, cut price ..... 30c
- Colgate's Dental Cream, 25c size, our cut price ..... 20c
- Oriental cream, \$1.50 size, our cut price ..... \$1.30
- Hind's Honey and Almond Cream, 50c size, our cut price ..... 45c
- La Creole Hair Tonic, \$1.00 size, our cut price ..... 85c
- Mahdeen Hair Tonic, \$1.00 size, our cut price ..... 85c
- Masatta and Sweet Pea Talcum, 25c size, cut price ..... 15c
- Mennen's Borated Talcum, 25c size, our cut price ..... 15c
- Palm Olive Soap, per cake ..... 10c
- Pear's Scented Soap, 25c size, our cut price ..... 20c
- Pear's Unscented Soap, our cut price ..... 15c
- Pond's Vanishing Cream, 25c size, our cut price ..... 20c
- American League Balls, \$1.50, our cut price ..... \$1.20
- Arrow soft handkerchiefs, 2 for ..... 25c
- Bromo Quinine Tablets, 30c per box, our cut price ..... 25c
- Castoria, 35c size, our cut price ..... 30c
- Chamois Skin, \$1.00 size, our cut price ..... 95c
- Nuxated Iron, \$1.00 seller, our cut price ..... 85c
- One pound box whipped cream chocolate, regular 80c value—our price ..... 39c
- Golf Balls ..... 75c and 95c
- Golf Sticks ..... \$2.50 and 3.50
- Mack Taylor Letter File, 50c, our cut price ..... 35c
- B. V. D. Underwear, cut price ..... \$1.10
- Colorite ..... 2c
- Ender Safety Razor Blades, 25c per package, cut price ..... 2c
- Freezone, 35c size, our cut price ..... 3c
- Gillette Razor Blades, 50c size, our cut price ..... 4c
- Glover's Mange Remedy, 50c size, our cut price ..... 4c
- Horlick's Malted Milk, 50c size, our cut price ..... 4c
- Lydia Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, \$1.20, our price ..... \$1.10
- O' Cedar Oil, 1 gal. can, regular price \$2.50, our cut price ..... \$2.00
- O' Cedar Oil, \$1.00 size, our cut price ..... 8c
- O' Cedar Oil, 50c size, our cut price ..... 4c
- O' Cedar Oil, 25c size, our cut price ..... 2c
- Orchard White, 40c size, our cut price ..... 3c
- Baby Ben Clocks ..... \$3.00
- Big Ben Clocks ..... \$3.00
- American Alarm Clock, \$1.25 value, our price ..... \$1.10
- Eastman Kodaks ..... 75c to \$2.50
- Premium Pencils, big value—2 for ..... 1c
- Putman Dye, any color, 2 packages 20c, our cut price ..... 1c
- Sempre Givone, 50c size, our cut price ..... 4c
- Tennis Balls, now 60c, our price ..... 5c
- "Walnutta" Hair Stain, price 60c, our price ..... 5c
- \$1.50 Fountain Syringe, our cut price ..... 9c
- 47-11 Soap, 25c size, our cut price ..... 2c
- Kodak Films—all sizes ..... 25c to 4c

Visit our Victrola department—over 7,000 Victor Records select from.

- Edison Phonograph No. C. 100 ..... \$100.
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- Edison Phonograph No. C. 200 ..... \$200.
- Edison Phonograph No. C. 250 ..... \$250.
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- VICTROLA No. 9, our price ..... \$57.50
- VICTROLA No. 10, our price ..... \$65.00
- VICTROLA No. 11, our price ..... \$110.00
- VICTROLA No. 14, our price ..... \$165.00
- VICTROLA No. 16, our price ..... \$215.00
- VICTROLA No. 17, our price ..... \$250.00
- VICTROLA No. 18, our price ..... \$300.00
- Hartman Wardrobe Trunks ..... \$25.
- Hartman Wardrobe Trunks ..... \$35.
- Hartman Wardrobe Trunks ..... \$65.
- Hartman Wardrobe Trunks ..... \$75.
- Hartman Steamer Trunks ..... \$15.
- Hartman Steamer Trunks ..... \$20.
- Hartman Steamer Trunks ..... \$25.
- Hartman Steamer Trunks ..... \$35.

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Use more vegetables and corn products, less flour and meats. Let us explain how easy you can do all this by trading with us:

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## Bargains in Ladies' Ready-to-Wear!

### Sale of Ladies' Suits

Time and care has been given to the selection of our stocks of Spring Suits as to style, quality and materials and the immense business we have been doing in suits proves that at regular prices our styles are the newest and values the best.

- \$50.00 Ladies' Suits are now ..... \$37.50
- \$40.00 values in Ladies' Suits ..... \$30.00
- \$30.00 Ladies' Suits on Sale ..... \$22.50
- \$25.00 Ladies' Suits are now ..... \$18.75
- \$22.50 Suits are now on Sale ..... \$16.85

### New and Stylish Skirts

#### Skirts in a Wide Variety and Styles

The widest variety of styles, materials and colors are to be found here. We have just received a shipment of new Failles, Barofet Satins, Washable Silks and Crepe de Chines, in white, sand, grey, navy and black. An attractive skirt is fashioned in Crepe de Chine, deep tucks and hem to match, wide belt, softly shirred pockets and clever button ideas. Various other models too numerous to mention. Priced \$5.00 to ..... \$25.00

# CAMPBELL-ANDERSON CO.

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## Belle of Wichita FLOUR

### Cake in War Time

You need not stop making cake! You can still give the family their regular treat. It is not difficult to make splendid cake even when a high percentage of a wheat substitute is used.

In cake baking or other baking the substitute to use with white flour is Belle of Wichita Pearl Meal—its quality is your assurance of "Good Luck!"

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of money, comfort, luxury, loved ones, and life itself to win the war.

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W. L. ROBERTSON, Asst. Cashier  
R. E. SHEPHERD, Asst. Cashier  
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BOY SCOUTS ARE RAISING TOTALS OF BOND SALES

TOTAL OF \$12,000 IS ALREADY RAISED BY LOCAL TROOPS.

Boy Scouts to date have sold an even \$12,000 worth of Third Liberty Loan bonds...

The standing of the troops and the individual salesmen follows:

Table listing troop numbers and individual names with their respective bond sales amounts.

NAN'S LETTER HOME

My dear Sis: Oh, if I had you with me yesterday how your eyes would have shone...

First of all I slept in the dusty train all the way down to Rickman's...

Place Transformed. It was a place transformed. The wild cherries were in full bloom...

They are putting in a hundred acres of potatoes on the farm and were just about in the middle of the job...

The Land Army girls were hawking trays of seed from the great sprouting-barns...

"Do they work well?" "They do, I've got to admit it; they plod on and on day after day with-

"Altogether we are a quaint party," said Muriel as she waved her hand across the field...

"Of course, in fact I have been alone with them repeatedly, I am not timid. This work has got to be done and we have no men to spare for

ADVANCING WAR WORK OF Y.W.C.A.



Miss Helen F. Barnes, secretary of the National Board of the Y. W. C. A., has travelled half way around the world in advancing the war work of the association.

chaperones at this stage of the war. The Huns are good workers and we are glad enough to have them.

"But couldn't you get enough women and girls to do the work and leave the Hun prisoners to work with men?"

"I'm sorry to say that every woman in England is not equal to lifting an average of eight tons every day.

But there is something more in the country life of England than hard straining work. It's so friendly. Everywhere there is a happy buzzing hum...

A faulty uneven mattress makes a good night's sleep impossible. Let us make over any such mattress you may have in mind.

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SOCIETY

CORNMEAL MUFFINS. 2 cups corn meal; 4 teaspoons baking powder; 1 teaspoon salt; 2 cups sweet milk; 1 egg (may be omitted); 2 tablespoons fat.

NEW IDEA CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. J. E. WOLF. Mrs. J. E. Wolf was hostess to an exceptionally pleasant meeting of the New Idea Club Wednesday afternoon.

HONORING HER GUEST, Mrs. H. C. Mays, of Houston, C. Nickles, entertained the members of the Monroe Sewing club at her home on Wednesday afternoon.

FLORAL HEIGHTS KNITTERS WORK BUT DO NOT MEET. Prevented from holding the regular weekly meeting through sickness in the home of the leader the members of the Floral Heights knitting club are continuing the work and are turning completed garments over to the Red Cross each week.

Three Men Are Sent Away For Training In Engineer Corps. Three men left today for Jefferson Barracks, St. Louis, Missouri, to enter training in the engineers corps.

WARRING TO BICYCLE RIDERS. Bicycle riders are warned that riding on sidewalks is prohibited. Reports have been made recently of injuries to children from bicycle riders.

What is "Spring Fever"? It is simply low vitality, a lack of energy caused by impure blood. GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC restores vitality and energy by purifying the blood and you can soon feel its strengthening, invigorating effect.

WICHITA COUNTY RED CROSS

Workers at the Red Cross rooms Wednesday: Morning, Surgical Dressings: Mrs. Bert Bean, instructor. Mrs. C. P. Heasley, chairman; Mesdames Bert Brubaker, Paul Kelly, Clark, Mark Moore, O. F. Marchman, L. T. Hyatt, L. E. Stone, E. H. Ashney, Dan Boone, W. L. Smith, Harry Baum, H. E. Bradley, W. A. Green, John Lindsey, Fred K. Smith, J. J. Perkins, Lesley Humphrey, E. R. Meek.

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FINE'S SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY

Ladies black Pat Pumps, all sizes, values up to \$4.50, Friday for \$1.95. Ladies' Gray and Ivory Kid Pumps, \$6.85 values, for \$4.48.

Misses' Sport Oxfords, 2 1/2 to 6, \$5.85 values for \$2.95.

Fine's Dry Goods Store

Table listing items and prices: Men's Union Suits 65c, Tennis Slippers 50c, 70c Blue Work Shirts 65c, Men's Ventilated Oxfords \$2.95, \$7.00 Georgette Blouses \$3.95, Carhart's Overalls A pair \$2.00, Boys' Blouses and Wash Pants 35c or 3 for \$1.00.

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No Doubt You Are Thinking of Your Spring and Summer Underwear!

Have You Ever Tried a Drop Seat Union Suit? If you have not, you can't realize the comfort obtained by wearing one of these wonderful garments. We feature:



- Imperial Drop Seat Union Suits for Men—Make Your Selection Now! Imperial Drop Seat Union Suit—short sleeve, 3/4 length, knit bottom, good grade dimity, each \$1.50. Imperial Drop Seat Union Suits, knitted, Honey Comb Mesh, full length, half sleeve, good grade \$2.50. Imperial Drop Seat Union Suit, athletic style mercerized fabric, large check, each \$3.00. Imperial Union Suit, Drop Seat, athletic style, fine mercerized stripe, exceptional value, each \$3.00.

Just In—Boys' Paul Jones Sailor Suits. Heavy white fabric, trimmed in navy, large navy blue collar, long trousers, just the thing for the little fellow, size 4 to 7 years, each \$3.95.

Perkins Timberlake & Co. TELEPHONE 168

Advertisement for furniture and appliances: Ideal Fireless Cookstoves, Refrigerators, and Porch Rockers.

Advertisement for W. A. Freear Furniture Co., featuring O'cedar Mops, Porch Swings, Grass Rugs, and other furniture. Phone 136.

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DR. MUSSELMAN IS CHIEF SPEAKER AT ROTARY LUNCHEON

COMPARES GERMANY WITH LION WHICH AT BAY.

SMOCK TALKS ON FLOUR

Tells Story on Himself Which Said He Was "Hoarding 3000 Pounds at His House."

Germany today was compared to the paining bull by Dr. H. I. Musselman, editor of the Texas School Journal, in a short address before the Rotary Club at its regular weekly luncheon at the St. James today.

Speaking of the German situation, he said that when the drive which was represented by the bull, was ended, the Germans would take the attitude of the lion.

Wool is commandeered. The government has commandeered the wool crop of the country and will use it for making uniforms for the soldiers.

Grammar School Grads Are Ordered Sent To University Of Texas. By Associated Press. Austin, Texas, May 2.—Five hundred grammar school graduates of draft age with some experience along technical lines today were ordered sent to the commanding officer of the University of Texas May 16 by Provost Marshal General Crowder.

CASUALTIES

By Associated Press. Washington, May 2.—The casualty list today contained 96 names, divided as follows: Killed in action 11. Died of wounds 2. Died of disease 7. Died of other causes 3. Wounded severely 7. Wounded slightly 60. Missing in action 5.

COTTON GROWERS URGED TO ENTER BIG FEDERATION

By Associated Press. New York, May 2.—An urgent invitation to American cotton growers and manufacturers to affiliate with the International Cotton Federation was extended by Arno S. Pearce, of Manchester, England, secretary of that organization.

Mr. Pearce asserted that the views of American cotton men were not considered abroad because they are not represented in the international body which was formed more than fourteen years ago as a result of the Sully corner and is composed of leaders in the industry from England, Russia, France, Italy, Denmark, India and Japan.

Mr. Musselman compared the thought in what he called old Germany with that of United Germany dominated by Prussia. He said that Darwin's theory of the survival of the fittest had been adopted by the Prussian philosophy and on this as a basis had worked out the Germans as the fittest to survive and therefore to rule.

ILLINOIS CAPITAL IS DAMAGED BY FIRE. By Associated Press. Springfield, Ill., May 2.—Fire in the roof of the south wing of the state capitol building here this morning was extinguished by firemen before it had done more than slight damage.

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Nujol Receives Testimony from High Sources

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MUCH excellent testimony, similar to the foregoing, establishes the reputation of Nujol as a safe and scientific remedy. Thousands now use it rather than harmful pills and salts. In practically every case of constipation Nujol promptly gives the desired relief, acting as a perfect aid to regular bowel-action.



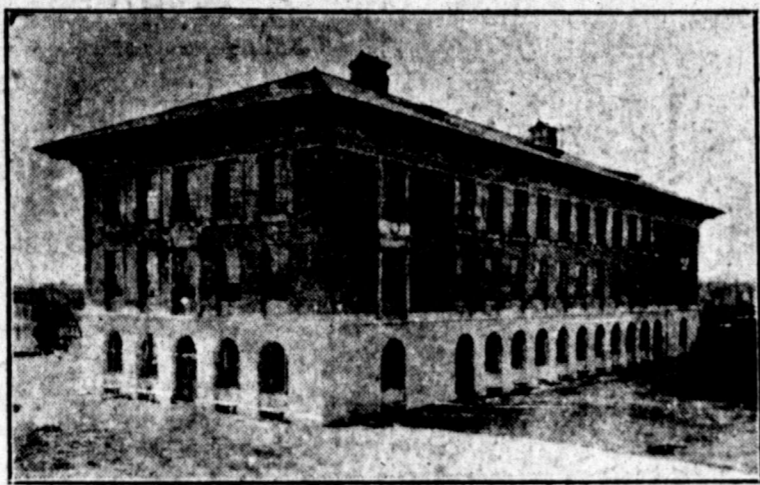
The housewife whose washing is done electrically, knows her work to a certainty:—just what she has to do—how easy it will be—when she will get it done.

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ELABORATE PLANS ARE BEING MADE FOR EXHIBITION

Elaborate plans are being perfected for what school authorities term the largest school exhibition ever held in Wichita Falls...

NEW UNIVERSITY BUILDING WILL BE USED DURING SUMMER SCHOOL



Austin, May 2.—When the first half of the summer school of the University of Texas opens on June 12 the new Education Building of that institution will be ready for occupancy...

Market Report

COTTON MARKET SHOWS DECLINE OF FEW POINTS

CORN MARKET GOES DOWNWARD RESULT OF MUCH SELLING

By Associated Press. Chicago, May 2.—Prospects for fair and warmer weather in the south served to restrict buying and moderate reaction in the cotton market...

By Associated Press. Chicago, May 2.—Free selling today carried prices sharply downward in the corn market. Good weather conducive to enlarged planting was the chief bearish influence...

LET US BRIGHTEN AND FRESHEN YOUR SPRING CLOTHES. You can conserve in your expenditures if you will let us dry-clean your last spring's suits. Phone 404 DE LUXE DRY CLEANERS 914 Scott "We Clean Everything" A. J. VIETS, Prop.

Liberty Cafe 719 Ohio Avenue has been given a most generous reception by the public and has grown in favor daily. GOOD THINGS TO EAT—QUICK SERVICE POPULAR PRICES Private Booths for Ladies and Gentlemen Phone 2534

WANTED! 30 Laborers Apply 811 Indiana Ave. Wichita Falls Water Co.

It Is Our Duty to Keep Well It is our patriotic duty to keep well for upon us, as well as upon our boys "over there," rests the responsibility of winning this war.

New Silk Georgette Crepes Just in, pretty colorings in Pekin blue, peach, sand, white, black and all the new popular shades, 45 inches wide, fine quality, \$2.50 grade on sale \$1.95 \$2.25 grade on sale \$1.85 See these in our store Jones-Kennedy Company 7th and Indiana

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Japanese May Secure Oil From Fields In Mexico Is Report

Tokyo, March 26.—The possibility of the Japanese Government securing oil in Mexico came up before the committee on the industrialization of the Japanese Diet just before adjournment of that body.

Treasures of British Museum Now Stored For Period of War

London, May 30.—The treasures of the British Museum, including its priceless collection of mummies, have been stored for the period of the war in a deep uncompleted subway which was being constructed for the use of the post-office department when the war began.

ENEMY DEFEATS INDICATED BY OFFENSIVE FOR PEACE

London, May 2 (via Ottawa).—The best indication of the enemy defeat in northern Flanders in the view of London newspapers, is the evident imminence of a renewal of the peace offensive. The German papers emphasize the report that the pope is about to issue a new peace note, while the German peace agents are busy in neutral countries.

MORTUARY

Mrs. L. A. Freear. Sudden stricken with heart failure, Mrs. L. A. Freear, age eighty-two, died Wednesday afternoon at the home of her son, W. A. Freear, 1308 Austin.

Body Sent Home

The body of Clarence L. Stephens, who died yesterday of pneumonia at Call Field, was sent to New York City by train today, escorted by Sergeant Vauchenger.

RUBY LAURA BROWN

Ruby Laura Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Brown, died Wednesday night at the family home at 509 Bridge Street. Funeral services were held from the home this afternoon.

PERSONALS

Morgan Jones of Abilene, formerly president of the Wichita Valley Ry. was in the city today. Zack B. Frise, a prominent real-estate man of Mangum, Okla., was in town on business today.

LOCAL STUDENTS NOW IN AUSTIN FOR CONTESTS

Miss Annie Edward Barcus, Edward Wilson and Fred Smith are in Austin representing Wichita Falls in the state preliminary interscholastic contests now being held at that place.

LIVESTOCK

Kansas City Livestock. Kansas City, May 2.—Hogs receipts 7,000; 5 to 10 lower. Bulk \$17.00@17.30; heavy \$17.10@17.35; light \$17.20@17.50; pigs \$13.75@17.50.

Local Brevities

E. G. Hill, undertaker, office and parlors, 400 Scott Ave. Phone 325. Prompt ambulance service. \$2.00. Card of Thanks. We wish to thank the friends and neighbors who were kind during the illness and death of J. C. Wilhite.

Johnson Is Pleased Result of Campaign For Growing of Feed

Glad to be back and more pleased with Wichita Falls than ever are the members of the Chamber of Commerce section of the government for war work, during the past three months.

Fort Worth Livestock

Fort Worth, May 2.—Cattle receipts 3,000; steady. Beeves \$8.50@15.25; stockers, \$8.00@11.75; heifers \$8.00@11.00; cows \$6.50@11.00; bulls \$7.50@10.50; calves \$7.50@12.00.

New York Stocks

New York, May 2.—Industrials were again the foremost issues at the opening of today's stock market. U. S. Steel advanced a large fraction to 107 1/2.

WILSON Praised BY BISHOP DENNY IN HIS SPEECH

EPISCOPAL ADDRESS DELIVERED AT SOUTHERN METHODIST AT ATLANTA

By Associated Press. Atlanta, Ga., May 2.—The Episcopal address to the 18th general conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, was read by Bishop Collins Denny of Richmond, Virginia, at the opening session here today. The address was one of the lengthiest ever delivered to the general conference, reviewing the work of the church during the past four years and making recommendations for the future. Commendation of the action of President Wilson before and after the declaration of war against Germany was expressed by the bishop, who declared "we should be less than patriots and courageous Americans if we failed to give him our cordial support in every way." "It gives us the greatest satisfaction to affirm that our president went to the utmost possible limit to keep us out of the war," said the address. "If he is censurable for anything—and we do not think he is—it is for having been forbearance." The bishops strongly oppose the movement to restrict the areas of the bishops, so that while they are united as to the presidency of annual conferences throughout the whole confederation, they must reside in certain districts for a limited time and be responsible for the development of church work in that district and report quadrennially to the general conference. The address scored the board of missions for beginning to recast the boundaries of the work in Mexico before the meeting of the general conference. Election of five bishops was recommended in the address. Concerning the question of unification of American Methodism, the bishop's address declared a report would be presented by a committee appointed at the last general conference to confer with a like committee from the Methodist Episcopal church in regard to the possibility of union. "It is still our earnest hope that a way may be found for some plan of co-operation among Methodists of America, which shall as far as possible, eliminate warfare and the enmities in the territory which both churches have established themselves," said the address. The bishops reported the membership of the church to be 7,679,367; local preachers 5,153; lay members 2,164,515, an increase of more than 1,700,000 members since the last general conference. The address pointed out that there had been some arrest during the past year in the growth of the Sunday schools but the report for the quadrennium showed remarkable progress. The record gives: 151,732 officers and teachers, a gain of 19,852 and 1,745,745 scholars, a gain of 248,072. Concerning missions the bishop said: "The amount contributed by our church for missions during the past quadrennium is far in advance of any like period in the past, totalling \$5,076,064, a gain over the previous four years of \$1,000,000. This, of course includes what has been raised for woman's work.

The work of the Epworth League, the educational board, the fund for superannuates, the completion of the fund for a representative church to be erected at Washington, and the work of the centenary commission, million dollars during the next five years, also were reviewed in the address.

Many Delegates Are Now In Attendance At Methodist Meeting

Atlanta, Ga., May 2.—With more than 400 delegates in attendance, including members of the college of bishops and other prominent church leaders, the seventh quadrennial conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, began here today. The conference will be in session about three weeks. After the religious service conducted

POSTAL RECEIPTS SHOW GOOD GAIN.

Although the gain in postal receipts for the past month was not as great as had been expected, it shows an increase over the same month last year of about 27 per cent. The figures as given out by Postmaster Ed Howard, are as follows: April, 1918, \$9,143,000; for April, 1917, \$7,199,222. A net gain of \$1,943,778 or about 27 per cent.

WATCH PRESIDENT AND BUY ANOTHER BOND, CHALLENGE

MESSAGE THROUGH DALLAS COMES STRAIGHT FROM HEADQUARTERS

A call for one million Americans to follow the lead of President Wilson in subscribing to another Liberty Bond of the third issue on the installment plan is sent out in a message from the Federal Reserve bank at Dallas. The president's action in straining a bow and purchasing an additional bond on the installment plan, in accordance with the recent suggestion of the loan committee, is expected to bring at least a million other Americans into line in the "buy another" class. The message from the bank at Dallas reads: Here is a message straight from Liberty Loan headquarters at Washington. We got to President Wilson today and told him that more than ten million Americans had subscribed to Third Liberty Loan but that a great many who had subscribed could buy one more fifty dollar bond by paying for it on the installment plan. He, our president, has purchased all the bonds he can well afford, but he said he would go for another fifty dollar bond paying five dollars in and five other dollars per month. If one million Americans will match him, the president will sign application for this bond at a theatre this evening at giving the other fifty dollar bond? See your banker today and tell the president "he's on."

No Irish Home Rule Bill Is Introduced; Date Is Not Yet Set

By Associated Press. London, May 2.—Andrew Bonar Law, chancellor of the exchequer and government spokesman, declared in the house of commons Wednesday that he could not say when an Irish Home Rule bill will be introduced. This according to some lobby correspondents of the morning newspapers covers the fact that introduction of the bill has been deferred and hopes of its passage next week has now been abandoned. The Daily News says the government has met with serious difficulties in its Irish policy and can not find a successor to Baron Wimborne who has resigned the lord lieutenantship, while the committee appointed to draft a bill up to this time has settled virtually nothing except the preamble. Its deliberations, it is added, are being hurried by the giving of the vote to Ulster and also in considering past ministerial promises to Ulster. The only way out of the difficulties is in the opinion of responsible labor members of the house of commons, that the government temporarily abandon both conscription and home rule. It is now improbable, adds the Daily News, that the measure will be introduced in the near future. A sidelight is thrown on the difficulty issues involved by the meeting Wednesday of between 50 and 60 peers and members of the house of commons both unionists and liberals in the Navy League to discuss what to do regarding Irish defense in event of the passing of a home rule bill. The meeting appointed delegates to urge upon the committee drafting the bill that the imperial authorities ought to retain full control of Irish harbors and ports. It is reported in political circles that the more extreme elements of the unionist party have stiffened lately against any form of home rule, and a letter just written by Sir Edward Carson to the secretary of the Southern Unionist committee in Ireland suggests that the rumors are well founded. Sir Edward says in part: "In the present condition of Ireland, it seems to me the little short of readily for any government to reopen the question of home rule. This indeed, is statesmanship manufactured out of panic and founded on broken pledges in breach of trust. If we have to go down let us do so with the flag flying and not in alliance with those whose object is to gain a vantage ground for enforcing further separation policies."

GERMAN LUTHERANS BUY LARGE AMOUNT OF BONDS.

The German Lutheran congregation at Clara subscribed to \$57,000 in Third Liberty Loan bonds, instead of only \$21,000 as was at first announced, R. E. Shepherd, the county campaign manager states. The church went far past their self allotted quota when the time came to subscribe the bonds.

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HUNDREDS OF MEN ARE DETAILED TO A. AND M. FOR WORK

Special to The Times. College Station, Tex., May 1.—More than 600 additional soldiers have been detailed to A. and M. College for special training before they go across, announced Prof. F. C. Bolton, director of the war educational activities of the College. Of this number 275 will enter the Service Company school for Radio Mechanics, bringing the enrollment of that school to 375, and making it the second largest school for radio mechanics at any educational institution in the country, the largest being at Carnegie Tech, Pittsburgh. The other 340 men have been detailed for the "Texas A. and M. College Training Detachment," where 370 men are already being trained as motor mechanics, gas engine repairmen, machinists and blacksmiths, for early service behind the lines.

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BACK OF THE AMERICAN FRONT

By GEORGE T. BYE. At least fifty Hun prisoners at one of the A. I. F. base ports in France were from the United States and had gone to Germany at the start of the war. It was here that a Yank fighter recognized his brother among German prisoners when his transport was putting into dock. There is a military prohibition of speaking with prisoners. Yet many of the Germans start a conversation by asking an American, for example, "Are you from Detroit? That's where my home is." Another story that is much repeated here concerns two Germans who escaped about a month ago. They returned the next day with five others who had been hiding in a wood after

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GARD OF THANKS

We take this means of expressing our sincere appreciation of the kindness and sympathy of our friends and neighbors during the sickness and death of Mrs. Ray Anderson. Especially we appreciate the beautiful floral offerings. Relatives of Mrs. Ray Anderson. Sugar cured picnic hams 25c pound, at Sanitary Market. Phone 2527. Plenty Sour Pickles at Sanitary Market. Phone 2527.

getting out of an internment camp in the interior.

They say the Germans work better around the docks than our black stevedores, and when I presented this insinuation to an easy hunked from Kentucky he had a ready answer: "Good Lawd," said he; "ain't dey been hear three years? We done only got lots to see. And when you look around a great deal, you jus' can't kuhk zactly as hahd as when you keeps your eyes glued on yo' duty." Our ragtime stevedores seem to give great amusement to the Germans. They look up from their work every few minutes to see if the black Yanks are at any new antics. They laughed resoundingly when an engineer ordered the stevedores to return certain bundles to the dockside which they had carried away. The stevedores upon sweeping up the deck platforms had decided that those big rocks were within the province of their orders to clean up the place thoroughly. They had strainingly lugged them behind a dock shed. "Those are weights that little boats tie to," complained the captain.

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Von Tirpitz Accused Of Lacking Foresight In Building Of Subs

Associated Press Staff Correspondent. Amsterdam, April 2.—In the current number of the Prussische Jahrbucher, Professor Hans Delbrueck, German historian, accuses Admiral Von Tirpitz of lack of foresight during his term of office in the matter of construction of submarines. "Von Tirpitz was fascinated with dreadnoughts," he says, "and even during the war hindered the construction of new submarines... Delbrueck calls upon the Reichstag to order an investigation into Von Tirpitz's naval policy."

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GOVERNMENT WILL TAKE SURPLUS OF FLOUR UPON HAND

MERCHANTS WITH TOO HEAVY SUPPLY ON HAND MAY DISPOSE OF IT

If Wichita Falls retailers and wholesalers have flour to turn over to the government in the amount of 60,000 pounds or more, T. B. Smock, county food administrator, is authorized to accept this flour and to ship it to either Galveston or New Orleans for repackaging for shipment to Europe.

Where merchants have on hand a 30 days flour supply based on the former standard of flour consumption, this flour is apt to be a source of annoyance as the government's demands from customers and it will be hard for him to obey the administration's request to sell no flour except in special cases.

Mr. Smock has not yet made any survey of the local stocks, to see if there will be enough flour to justify a shipment but will attend to this matter in a short time.

Dr. Musselman Talks At Chapel Exercises At High School Here

Today was Junior day in the morning chapel exercises at the high school, and a splendid program, featured by presentation of the service flag and a talk by Dr. H. T. Musselman of Dallas, editor of the "School Journal," was enjoyed by the students at the school.

At the Theatres

HARRISON THEATER COMPANY AT WICHITA THEATER.

Opening next Monday May 6, the Harrison Theater Company will play for one week at the Wichita Theater, according to announcement of their advance agent, C. I. Cary who is here making the preliminary arrangements.

It is doubtful if there was ever a show company which left Tyler and left the many friends the Harrisons have left. Coming here as strangers, they won the friendship of the citizens by the courteous treatment, their social and well conducted life while in this city and by their high class and clean plays which they produced.

Show people are often looked upon by the citizens as different from other human beings. They are often looked upon as being of a different class, but with this particular company the rule was reversed and the people here found that they were just like other folks.

ELLA HALL AT THE GEM TODAY.

"Beauty in Chains," the Ella Hall production which is booked to play the Gem Theater today, is played by an all-star cast, headed by Ella Hall, Emory Johnson, who takes the lead in support of Miss Hall, has become very popular through his success in the "Gray Ghost" serial, and other prominent roles in which he has recently appeared.

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PHYSICAL EXAMS. FOR GUARDSMEN ARE UNDER WAY

DR. A. L. LANE WILL BE COMMISSIONED IN MEDICAL CORPS AS FIRST LIEUTENANT

Physical examination of the recruits for the new National Guard in this city began this morning, Dr. A. L. Lane being officer in charge of the examination. Dr. Lane will be commissioned in the medical corps with the rank of First Lieutenant and will possibly raise a sanitary unit, to be auxiliary to the local for the new guard will be expected to present themselves for examination as soon as possible, as it is desired to get the organization completed and in a state to be formally offered to Governor Hobby within a short time.

The officers in charge have worked out a program for each day in the week with the exception of Saturday and Sunday for the National Guard recruits and drafted men, selected by the local board. Drills will be held twice weekly and are open to all Officers and non-commissioned officers of the National Guard and such drafted men as are selected by the board. All classes and drills will be held at the court house except where especially designated.

The program for the week follows: Monday evening 8 o'clock, drill (open to all). Tuesday evening 8:30, Officers school. Wednesday evening 8:30, N. C. of officers school. Thursday evening 8:30 Officers school. Friday evening 8:00, drill night (open to all).

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Heinman, for five years residents of Wichita Falls, left the city for Joplin, Missouri, where Mr. Heinman will enter business, Wednesday morning. They made the trip overland. Mr. Heinman has been in the saloon business during his residence in Wichita Falls. Mr. and Mrs. Heinman were accompanied by Criss Beck, who will be in Mr. Heinman's employ in their new home.

NATIONAL OFFICERS OF THE KNIGHTS AND LADIES OF SECURITY WILL ARRIVE

Membership Campaign Over the Top. The greatest increase that the Knights and Ladies of Security have ever enjoyed in the Wichita Falls result is now being achieved as a result of a membership campaign launched March 15. The goal was set at an increase of two hundred members. The Council has already gone over the top and the campaign has not yet reached its height.

District Manager W. T. Dykeman and his able assistant, Mrs. Fontella D. Lindsay, have been on the field assisting in the campaign. Mr. Dykeman announces that the lodge has more than doubled during the campaign. Also that seventy-nine members have been initiated during the last two council meetings.

But the greatest Council Meeting is yet to come next Monday night when the National President J. M. Kirkpatrick and National Treasurer and Publicity Agent Wm. A. Biby are to be present at the local Council. It is expected that one hundred new members will be initiated at that time. It is expected that a full membership of the Council will be out to hear the addresses of these National Officers from Topeka, Kansas.

One of the most noticeable features of this campaign is the vim and pep put into the campaign by the members of the local Council. Space forbids to mention the many personal workers who are boosting at this time but suffice it to say that the Council is a live one.

The membership campaign will not end with the National Rally here but this is expected to be only the beginning of greater things for the Wichita Falls Council. Odie H. Foster, formerly President of the Wichita Commercial School, has been secured as local county manager and with his experience as teacher and in business it is expected that the Wichita Falls Council as well as those of the County outside of the city will continue to grow until Wichita Falls Council will be among the Big Ten of the State of Texas.

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SUNSHINE STATE OFFICERS CHOSEN AT MEETING HERE JENSEN IS GREATLY PLEASED WITH PROSPECT FOR FUTURE BUSINESS.

Contrast for the Sunshine State Oil Company's refinery to its built north of this city on the Fort Worth and Denver highway, will let this month, to be finished by October 1, according to the announcement made at the annual stockholders and directors meeting, held Wednesday afternoon in the company's offices in this city.

The officers elected were: G. C. Jensen, president; W. F. Rammung, vice president; S. W. Roberts, secretary and treasurer; G. C. Jensen, S. W. Roberts, C. H. Hardeman, E. W. Napier of this city, W. F. Rammung, L. F. Rammung, F. W. Prechel of Iowa Park, F. L. Massey of Vernon and Charles W. Williams of Artesia, N. M., board of directors.

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