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## SERIOUS MUTINY REPORTED IN HUNGARIAN GARRISONS; BOLSHEVIK GOVERNMENT AT MOSCOW OVERTHROWN

### 2000 MEN CONDEMNED TO DIE; REVOLUTION MOVEMENT SPREADING

By Associated Press.

PARIS, June 28.—There have been rebellious outbreaks among the garrisons of the cities of Győr and Pécs, Hungary, as the result of which 2,000 of the military involved in the mutiny have been condemned to death, according to reports received by the Matin today.

Both Austria and Hungary are affected by the revolutionary movement which is said to be in progress on a large scale in Austria, the newspaper's advices declare. The spirit of revolt is said to be strongly pervasive in the army.

Violent demonstrations are reported to have occurred in numerous cities.

Pécs is the Hungarian name for the city of Funfkirchen, 105 miles southwest of Budapest. The city has a population of about 45,000.

Győr, more commonly known as Raab, is a city of some 28,000 population sixty seven miles northwest of Budapest.

### 11 KILLED IN AIR RAID OVER PARIS MUCH DAMAGE DONE

(BULLETIN.)

By Associated Press.—(Havas.)—Eleven persons were killed and 14 others injured through the explosion of bombs dropped by German airmen in last night's air raid over the Paris district.

Reports of the raid indicate that there were several groups of enemy machines which took different courses in an effort to break through the defensive barrier fire. During the commotion in the air there were several cases of careless handling of the machines which resulted in a penetration, for bombs began to drop almost immediately. There was shortly a lull after which the bombardment again grew in intensity and then finally subsided.

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M. Teyssiere, chief of the Paris fire department died of suffocation while directing the rescue of victims of Wednesday night's raid.

### BOATLOAD OF MEN FROM STEAMER DVINSK LANDED

(BULLETIN.)

By Associated Press.—(Havas.)—A boatload of sailors from an American vessel sunk by submarine off the North Atlantic coast was landed this morning by a fishing vessel at Shelburne, N. S., says a message from that port today. The men were picked up sixty miles southwest of Seal Island in Lawrence Bay. They had been drifting for eight days, subsisting on a small quantity of bread and water.

The sailors, numbering twenty-four, were from the steamship Dwinsk, a later message said. Previous reports of the destruction of the Dwinsk, a British ship under American charter, said she was sunk June 18, seven hundred miles east of the Delaware Capes.

### EVERY TRUE PATRIOT CALLED UPON TO PLEDGE SAVINGS FOR STAMPS

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, June 28.—The intensive nationwide campaign for the purchase of war savings and thrift stamps, closed today with the observance of National Thrift Day set aside by President Wilson for the final drive.

"Every true patriot" was called upon by Secretary McAdoo to join "the army of war savers before the day closes. In practically all states the day was observed governors having

### NO CANDIDATE IS WANTED MEMBER OF DRAFT BOARD

By Associated Press.

AUSTIN, TEX., June 28.—That members of draft boards should not be in politics was the sense of resolutions adopted at recent meetings of the boards in various districts of the state. Major General J. C. Townes, in charge of the Texas selective service, said today upon his return to the capital after attending these meetings. Resolutions were adopted expressing belief that "no candidate for a national, state, district, county or precinct elective office should remain on the local board or act as clerk thereof, or appeal agent or inspector thereof." Major Townes said. The resolution, however, does not apply to candidates for school trustees.

Resolutions also were adopted that the actions of some school boards in prohibiting employment of married women as teachers should be rescinded. It also was recommended that the state board of education be requested to renew the certificate of any woman teacher whose husband is in the draft age without requiring further examination. Another resolution recommended that Major Townes advise Provost Marshal General Crowder that it is the sense of the local board that the rules should be amended so as to require that all married men who have no children be put in class two unless they have some other grounds for deferment.

Still another resolution "condemns the practice of lawyers charging or accepting fees from registrants for siding them in answering questions relating to securing deferred classifications, and if such conduct does not now constitute a crime we recommend that it be made a crime under the law."

STREET CAR MEN WILL WEAR OVERALLS AND JUMPERS

(BULLETIN.)

By Associated Press.—(Havas.)—As a conservation measure, the local street car men's union announced that in the future its members will appear in the attire of overalls and jumpers in the place of the regulation uniform. "A war time necessity, cutting down expenses," was the explanation given.

VON HERTLING WILL VISIT ARMY HEADQUARTERS

(BULLETIN.)

By Associated Press.—(Havas.)—Count Von Hertling, the German imperial chancellor, will pay a visit today to German army headquarters to attend an important conference, according to the Berlin Vossische Zeitung.

### CONFIRMATION OF REPORTS MURDER FORMER EMPEROR

(BULLETIN.)

By Associated Press.—(Havas.)—The court marshal at Darmstadt, Germany, received a telegram signed "Tschetcherin" announcing that Nicholas Romanoff, the former Russian emperor, had been assassinated, says a dispatch to Matin, from Berne. The assassination took place between Ekaterinburg and Perm. The dispatch from Berne gives weight to the increasing reports of the assassination of the former Russian emperor. Darmstadt is the capital of the Grand Duchy of Hesse and the former Empress Alix is a sister of the reigning grand duke. It is not unlikely that the Russian government, through Foreign Minister Tschetcherin, would inform the Hessian court of the death of Nicholas Romanoff, before making it public through regular channels.

### VON KUELMANN'S RESIGNATION IS REPORTED OFFERED

CAMPAIGN FOR THE REMOVAL GROWING IN STRENGTH—ANGER AT HIS CONFESSION.

### EMPEROR IS WILLING

Chancellor Von Hertling Not Disposed to Retain Him—Outbursts in Reichstag.

By Associated Press.—(Havas.)—Dr. Von Kuehlmann offered his resignation as German foreign secretary on Wednesday says a Zurich dispatch to the Journal. The dispatch adds that it is believed the emperor will accept the resignation.

CAMPAIGN FOR REMOVAL GROWING IN STRENGTH

(BULLETIN.)

By Associated Press.—(Havas.)—The campaign for the removal of Foreign Secretary Kuehlmann is growing in strength. Emperor will not be willing to dismiss him, says Chancellor Von Hertling in a dispatch received here. In the Reichstag and the press, anger at his confession of helplessness in a violent attack on the foreign minister in the Reichstag Tuesday Deputy Haase, independent socialist, says Vorwarts, suggested that on the receipt of a certain telegram Chancellor Von Hertling hurried to the house to openly hand Von Kuehlmann the "silken cord." Deputy Haase described Von Hertling, Von Kuehlmann and Von Feyer as "chancellor as 'big leaves to hide the nakedness of the military government' and asked why the real ruler of Germany, General Ludendorff, was not made chancellor.

BELIEVE HIGHER COMMAND PROMPTED VON KUELMANN

(BULLETIN.)

By Associated Press.—(Havas.)—The Westminster Gazette says: "The notion that Von Kuehlmann is a clumsy speaker who has blundered into saying things which he did not mean, or which were not authorized by his superiors, may be altogether dismissed. No foreign secretary in Germany would dream of making a statement in public about military operations without submitting every word of it to the higher command and obtaining their endorsement of it down to the last letter."

"If Von Kuehlmann spoke as he did" (Continued on page 5.)

### PERSONNEL RUSS COMMISSION NOW BEING MADE UP

(BULLETIN.)

By Associated Press.—(Havas.)—Plans for sending a commission to Russia to assist that country economically and industrially have advanced to the point where it is possible to announce an official authority that the personnel of the commission is now being discussed. Men familiar with industrial conditions in Russia and especially those acquainted with the transportation system, its uses in an industrial way. For that reason the chairman likely will not be a man connected with the government or who has held high position and been constantly in public life. Rather it is hoped will be a man for the commission who has been intimately connected with big industrial enterprises and who can approach the Russians with singleness of purpose to offer expert advice on industrial reconstruction.

The object of the commission will be solely to help Russia. There will be no show of force accompanying it but it is expected that due precautions will be taken to safeguard the life of the members. If any action becomes necessary it will be of a police nature rather than military.

### POSTPONEMENT OF SUFFRAGE VOTE DECIDED UPON

(BULLETIN.)

By Associated Press.—(Havas.)—Indefinite postponement of a vote of the Senate on the woman suffrage resolution blocked yesterday, virtually was decided upon today by Senate suffrage leaders. They were ready to abandon the plan to force a vote next week and thought they would withhold action until after the proposed recess of congress.

### NEW GERMAN OFFENSIVE IS EXPECTED TO COME SOON

MILITARY OBSERVERS BELIEVE IT WILL BE ON MONTDIDIER—YPRES FRONT.

### ARTILLERY ACTIVE

German Fire Has Been Violent On Several Sectors—British Making Nightly Raids.

By Associated Press.—(Havas.)—Dispatches from Copenhagen today carry unconfirmed reports of the overthrow of the Bolsheviki government at Moscow. The reports which are received "with caution" in London, because of their origin in "German sources" state that Generals Korniloff and Kaledines led the anti-soviet forces which took Moscow. They add that Grand Duke Nicholas, cousin of the former emperor and commander in chief of the Russian army during the campaign early in the war has been proclaimed emperor.

Generals Korniloff and Kaledines are (Continued on page 5.)

### SUPPLY SAVINGS STAMPS EXHAUSTED EARLY IN THE DAY

CAMPAIGN LEADERS CONFIDENT CITY'S QUOTA WILL BE SUBSCRIBED TODAY.

### NUMBER LIMIT MEN

No Reports from School Districts But Believed County Will Go Over Today.

By Associated Press.—(Havas.)—Pledge Day in Wichita Falls started off with a flourish at 8:30 this morning, and War Savings Stamps were sold by the hundreds until the entire available supply was exhausted. The campaign leaders, Mrs. J. W. Lee and R. E. Shepherd, were very enthusiastic over the success of the pledge day and were confident that Wichita Falls will easily go over the allotted quota, \$24,000 in today's pledges. If the savings stamps had not given out thousands of dollars would have been invested in the stamps today, in addition to the amounts pledged for future purchase. At the War Savings Bank alone 13 \$100 stamps were purchased to buy \$1,300 worth of the stamps. This bank's sales for Thursday amounted to more than \$4,000. It was found early in the day that the window on the sidewalk would not suffice to take care of the crowds applying for stamps or to make their pledges, so the two other windows in the little building were pressed into service and there were three lines of waiters before the bank through the day.

The Chamber of Commerce office and the office of the county tax collector at the court house, as well as the high school offices, were also visited by hundreds of people, making their pledges of economy and saving in response to the President's appeal.

R. E. Shepherd, the county campaign manager, had had no report from the school districts outside the city early this afternoon, but from the forecasts received earlier in the week confidence was expressed that every district of the county could be relied upon to come up to its allotment. Mr. Shepherd will endeavor to compile a complete report by Saturday of the amount pledged and the amount actually purchased on Friday. In the meantime all who are working with the War Savings Stamps are hoping for a new supply to be received for Saturday's sales.

GASOLINE TANK EXPLODED ONE KILLED, ANOTHER INJURED

By Associated Press.—(Havas.)—Palestine, Tex., June 28.—Mrs. Stanley Carroll was instantly killed and Mrs. Edw. H. Hutchinson was severely scalded here today when a gasoline tank used for the heating soldering irons exploded at the community cannery of the Tennessee colony. Several workers were more or less seriously burned in the explosion.

### PROMOTIONS FOR LARGE NUMBER OF ARMY OFFICERS

(BULLETIN.)

By Associated Press.—(Havas.)—Nominations of eight brigadier generals in the national army to be major generals and of 43 colonels to be brigadier generals, were Monday, the Senate notified by President Wilson. The brigadier generals recommended for promotion were Mason M. Patrick, Edward M. Lewis, William J. Snow, William B. Smith, Peter E. Traub, William S. Graves, James G. Harbord and Charles P. Sommerlat. Colonel Cornelius Vanderbilt of New York and Colonel Douglas MacArthur, chief of the late Lieutenant General MacArthur and chief of staff of the Rainbow division, who was recently wounded in a drive on the German trenches, were among the colonels nominated to be brigadiers.

Colonels nominated to be brigadier generals were: Charles C. Walcott Jr., Edward R. Christian, Edwin B. Wines, William J. Jackson, Samuel D. Rockenbach, Meriwether L. Walker, Otto B. Rosenbaum, Edward L. King, Harry G. Bishop, M. G. Ewing, Alfred W. Bjornstad, George V. H. Mosley, Douglas MacArthur, John H. Sherburne, N. G. Lullus, L. Duffee, James G. Harbord, Harry A. Smith, John G. Bradley, Howard R. Hickok, William C. Cruikshank, George H. Shelton, William D. Connor, Andrew Moses, Robert C. Davis, Henry J. Hatch, Wilson B. Burt, Har- old C. Pike, Cornelius Vanderbilt, N. C. Charles A. Hedekin, James J. Morrow, George C. Saffarans, Hanson E. Ely, Charles W. Stutz, Francis Lej Parker, Merch B. Stewart, Albert J. Bowley, John E. Stephens, Oliver L. Spaulding Jr., Ewing E. Booth, Richard C. Marshall Jr., John N. Hodges, Herbert M. Lord, Q. M. Corps, Jefferson R. Keen, Medical Corps.

### GEN. KALEDINES, AIDED BY HUNS, REPORTED TO HAVE TAKEN MOSCOW

By Associated Press.

LONDON, June 28.—According to unconfirmed reports today the bolsheviki government in Moscow has been overthrown, says a dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company from Copenhagen.

Moscow, the reports add, has been captured by General Korniloff, supported by German troops.

Advices from the same source assert that Grand Duke Nicholas has been proclaimed emperor.

Nikolai Lenine, the premier and Leon Trotzky, the minister of war are said to have fled to the Murman coast.

The Copenhagen newspapers, the agency dispatch adds give prominence to a Berlin dispatch quoting the Tagezeitung of that city as saying it had received a message from its Petrograd correspondent reading as follows: "It is believed that the bolsheviki government will soon be overthrown and that Kerensky is the man of the future in Russia."

General Kaledines is said to have co-operated with General Korniloff in the capture of Moscow.

The advices declare that the supporters of Grand Duke Nicholas have overthrown the soviets throughout the Siberian provinces of Irkutsk, Blagovischensk and Khabarovsk.

The defeat of the bolsheviki is said to have been made possible by the victories of the Czech-Slovak forces and the treachery of the Red Guard. Several detachments of the Red Guard are declared to have murdered their officers and then surrendered.

### NO DISSENTING VOTE ON EIGHT BILLIONS BOND

(BULLETIN.)

By Associated Press.—(Havas.)—Without a dissenting vote and with virtually no debate the House today passed the bill authorizing an additional bond issue of \$8,000,000,000.

GERMAN FIGHTING TANKS LOOK LIKE TURTLES

(BULLETIN.)

By Associated Press.—(Havas.)—The fighting tanks built and used in Germany look like a turtle surrounded by a turret. They are of a large type generally. The armor plating is very strong, possibly double, and affords effective protection against special infantry munition but it is not gun proof.

In battles between British and German tanks, the English tanks armed solely with machine guns were powerless against their opponents, while those armed with guns of larger calibre drove back the German tanks. The speed of the German tanks is very limited in broken country.

### Major Brought Down 72 Planes in 3 Weeks; Given Staff Position

(BULLETIN.)

By Associated Press.—(Havas.)—With 72 German airplanes brought down to his credit, the greatest number of enemy machines destroyed by an entente aviator so far, Major William A. Bishop has been transferred from the Canadian active force at the front to a position at the office of the British chief of the air staff. The recall of the major was advised by Lord Weir, British air minister, at the special request of Sir Edward Kemp, Canadian overseas minister of militia, who represented that his unique war experience could be best utilized in connection with the organization of the Canadian air force. Three weeks ago Major Bishop took to France a hand picked fighting squadron of whom a large percentage were Canadians. The squadron was

### BOLSHEVIKI AND GERMANS AGREE ON POLISH AFFAIRS

WILL UNITE IN CRUSHING POLISH NATIONALIST ASPIRATIONS RUTHLESSLY.

(BULLETIN.)

By Associated Press.—(Havas.)—Germany and the Bolsheviki in a secret convention regarding the future of Poland have virtually agreed to cooperate in crushing Polish national aspirations. Details of the treaty have been printed in the newspaper, The Nation's Voice of Cracow, Galicia, according to a dispatch to the Times from Milan.

The bolsheviki government pledged itself to recognize Austria-German hegemony in Poland and to aid in defending it against the former allies of Russia.

The German newspapers describe the treaty as a "scandalous document" showing the treachery of the bolsheviki and the Germans.

The articles are described as follows:

"First—The Polish policy shall be conducted by Germany."

"Second—The Russian government pledges itself not to interfere with the organization of Poland."

"Third—The Russian government may keep in touch with democratic and revolutionary clubs in Poland through agitators known to the German information bureau."

"Fourth—The sending of agitators to Germany and Austria shall be suspended by the Russian government."

"Fifth—Russia shall exercise strict vigilance over Polish and Russian groups so as to prevent them from entering in the Russian territorial army."

"Sixth—Russia shall consider violation of the frontiers of Lithuania and the Ukraine by Polish troops as a declaration of war on Germany and Austria-Hungary and shall aid in crushing such troops."

"Seventh—Russia shall prevent citizens from investing their own or French, British or American capital in any industrial undertaking in Poland."

"Eighth—Russia pledges itself to recognize the eventual new state of things to be created by Germany and Austria in Poland and to defend it against Russia's former allies."

There was great political unrest in Poland last February after the central powers and the Ukraine had signed their peace treaty providing for the annexation of the province Cholm by the Ukraine and while the Russo-German peace was being completed. The Polish ministry at Warsaw resigned as a protest and there were serious outbreaks throughout Russian Poland and Russia.

On the morning of the day he received the order to return to England which was quite unexpected by him, he went out for one last fling at the enemy, and before his return brought down five machines. On landing he said goodbye to his comrades, jumped into a motor car and caught the boat for England.

### WICHITA FALLS YOUTH OVER TOP IN RECENT FIGHT

SAYS EVERY MAN IN COMPANY WAS GRINNING FROM EAR TO EAR.

### WAS A HAPPY BUNCH

Reports Capture of Over 200 Prisoners and Says Many Times That Number Killed.

"One good American soldier can whip a dozen Germans," is the opinion of Corporal Morgan Smith, one of Mrs. P. A. Smith, expressed in another letter to his mother written on the first of June after he had taken part in one of the recent brilliantly successful American attacks in France, probably in the battle of Cantigny.

In describing his experience at the front, Corporal Smith writes enthusiastically of the spirit of the Americans in contrast to the poor equipment and morale of the opposing forces.

His letter follows: "Just a few lines to let you know I am all right. I received a letter from you yesterday that was dated May 7, and I sure was glad to hear from you.

His First Time Over Top. "I guess you have been reading about the attack the Americans made. Well, I was in it. It was my first time over the top. The French and British all say that the first time a man goes over the top he feels pretty shaky. But this was the happiest bunch of soldiers I ever saw. There was not a man in the company but had a grin on his face from ear to ear, when he went over. We captured over two hundred prisoners and killed five or six times as many. The prisoners had just about half the equipment they needed and about one out of ten had helmets. They must have turned them in for shrapnel for they are getting short of shrapnel material. They are using cement shrapnel and wooden shells.

"The Germans don't want to fight. They were scared nearly to death when they saw us coming after them. Lots of them would run, others would fall on their knees and cry 'kamarad'. There was one German kid not over seventeen that came over and surrendered and fought his own men to keep from killing a corporal who was wounded and helpless. One good American soldier can whip a dozen Germans with a bayonet. All he would have to do would be to stick one and the others would surrender.

"We advanced two kilometers, which is about two miles. We took a town that the Germans had been holding for some time. I mean we took what was left of it. There was not a wall left in it over two or three feet high. Our artillery had battered it down to a pile of bricks. The good part of it is the Germans had it long enough to get good dug outs and caves made and we got the benefit of them. That sure saves a lot of hard work.

Saw Many Air Fights. "You speak of airships there. Well, I saw two or three shot down every day while I was at the front. They would burn up before they hit the ground and others would be shot to pieces. Sometimes I could see twenty five or thirty in the air having a war. But our allies seem to rule the air. You will have to excuse this writing for I missed much sleep while I was at the front and I am a little nervous.

Corporal Smith had been in the front line trenches a number of times previous to the attack he describes and in speaking of the conditions at the front in a letter written on May 28, he says, in part: "Some What Shrapnel Sounds Like. "I have made two or three trips to the front lately, but this time things were a little livelier than before. We had quite a few games of Anti-over. But not the kind we play at home with a ball. These were with shrapnel, gas and high explosive shells. They tried their very best to get me, but they could not make it stick. The Sammies are too wise for them. Now this may be sort of fishy but it is the gospel truth.

"When some of the big shrapnels the Germans shoot over explode, we hear pieces going through the air that sound like cart wheels, wash tubs dish pans, buckets, chains and barrels. Sometimes they play a tune that sounds like 'Home Sweet Home' as they go through the air. But they haven't got the Sammies bluffed—not one bit. They are getting their medicine all right—three or four times what we are getting."

### BOLSHEVIKI WEAK AND COULD BE EASILY OVERCOME

By Associated Press LONDON, June 28.—That the Bolsheviki in Siberia are weak and could be overthrown easily but for the support of armed prisoners released by them is the contention of the Harbin correspondent of the Daily Mail. In a long dispatch dated June 23 he says that of 20,000 prisoners fighting on the side of the Bolsheviki in Trans-Baikal 4,000 are Magyars who are the chief source of Bolsheviki strength.

Two or three Allied divisions, says the correspondent, could put down all opposition in Siberia. He adds: "The weakness of the Bolsheviki may be imagined from the fact that a few scattered Czech-Slovak forces are able to hold the Siberian railway from Tcheliabinsk to Nijni-Ussinsk, a distance of fifteen hundred miles and keep in touch with the counter-revolutionary movement in southwestern Russia led by General Alexieff.

"Bolshevism is a living corpse. Allied intervention is vital not only to save the Russians from the Germans but to save the Russians themselves.

FIRST BALE RECEIVED EARLIER THAN USUAL GALVESTON, TEX., June 28.—The first bale of the 1918 cotton crop was received here June 21, weighed 226 pounds and sold for \$675, or more than \$1 per pound, compared with middling cotton on the local exchange quoted at 31.75. It was grown in Starr county and was ginned at Mission.

Only twice within the last ten years has cotton been brought in earlier than this season, those years being 1905 and 1916. In 1905 the first bale arrived June 20, one day earlier than this year, and in 1916 the first bale was brought in June 10 or 11 days earlier than this year.

Following is the tabulated list showing when the first bale came in and the counties it was from: 1905—June 20, three bales, Starr, Duval and Nueces. 1909—June 21— 1910—July 10, Nueces. 1911—June 24, Hidalgo. 1912—July 12, San Patricio. 1913— 1914—July 30, Nueces. 1915—July 16, 1916—June 10, Cameron. 1917—June 26, 1918—June 21, Starr.

STILL HIGHER PRICES FOR PRINT PAPER FORECAST

By Associated Press WASHINGTON, June 28.—Award of a general wage increase of ten cents an hour for workers in the wood pulp and newspaper industry, with equal prices for men and women doing the same work, was announced today by the war labor board, which at the same time made public a letter to the federal trade commission recommending that newspaper paper prices recently fixed be reconsidered to determine whether there should be a further increase to cover the advanced cost of production.

The wage advances are binding upon nineteen companies and affect the membership of eight unions. The new scales running from 25 to 35 per cent over schedules established in October, 1917, give inside day workers the lowest rate of 28 cents per hour, increasing for more skilled trades to a maximum of fifty cents per hour for mechanical repair men. Eight hours is made a day for mill workers and nine hours for employees outdoors, with time and one half for overtime. An arrangement is made for a revision of the scales on January 1 and July 1 of each year in accordance with the rise or decline of commodity prices.

AMERICANS OUTNUMBERED, FOUGHT TO THE LAST

By Associated Press AMSTERDAM, June 27.—Telegrams from the German headquarters on the Lorraine front of June 24th Human Katsche, war correspondent of the Koelische Volks Zeitung says: "In the course of our dashing attack to the north of Renneles Wood (northwest of Seicheprey) the American occupants of a position which had been untouched by our preparatory fire refused to surrender and fought hopelessly, outnumbered to the last. We could only bring in as prisoners two men who were overpowered."

The despatch goes on to say that "these two prisoners declared their detachment had fought so desperately because they had been told that Germans tortured and mutilated prisoners, which the correspondent of course characterized as a base calumny."

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### 2 VERNON WOMEN BADLY HURT IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Special to The Times. TOW PARK, TEX., June 29.—Mrs. J. W. Ladd of Vernon was severely injured and Mrs. S. E. Anderson, also of Vernon, was painfully hurt in jumping from a moving automobile when a box of matches in the car caught afire on the road three miles south of Iowa Park yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Ladd hit the ground on her head and was rendered unconscious. Mrs. Anderson suffered sprains and was badly bruised. The women with their husbands were returning to Vernon from Mineral Wells. The box of matches was packed in with other things and started a vigorous blaze in order to keep from being burned the women were forced to jump before the car could be brought to a stop.

After putting out the fire the two husbands carried their wives on into Iowa Park where they were given treatment. Last night Mrs. Ladd suffered a hemorrhage through her ear but this morning she was able to start on the remainder of the trip to Vernon.

HURLEY SAYS WILSON FOLLOWS INDUSTRY CLOSELY

By Associated Press CHICAGO, June 28.—An intimate picture of President Wilson's familiarity with the industrial phases of America's war preparations was given today by Edward N. Hurley, chairman of the shipping board in an address before a meeting here of the Illinois Manufacturers Association.

"We are applying manufacturing principles to the shipbuilding business and we find these methods successful," Mr. Hurley said. "Incidentally, I may interest you to know that the methods adopted have been followed with close interest by President Wilson.

"I think there is no impropriety in telling you that the President handles all his work so systematically that he finds time to give a part of his time even to the more intimate problems of the various departments.

"The President knows more about costs than any of you would believe to be possible in the case of a great war executive. You know that congress allotted the president an appropriation of \$100,000,000 for emergency war purposes. He personally kept his accounts and you may be confident that every dollar was carefully expended under his direction.

"The President has been steadfast in his determination that there shall be no profiteering in this war and I am willing to stand sponsor to the fact that he knows what constitutes profiteering and what, on the other hand, constitutes a margin of profit that enables the manufacturer to expand his plant to meet the nation's needs in this war."

WACHINISTS MAY BE GIVEN DEFERRED CLASSIFICATION

By Associated Press WASHINGTON, June 27.—Granting of deferred classification in draft to skilled machinists and furloughing those in cantonments is under consideration by the war department to meet the shortage of machinists in necessary industries, the federal employment service announced today.

Government arsenals are short about 40,000 machinists and three eastern states alone have reported a shortage of 80,000 to be given employment service.

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Announcements of further vacancies in the offices of the civil service department of the United States show a wide range of positions open to skilled workers along a number of different lines with salaries ranging from \$600 to \$3000.

At any time: Wireless telegraph operator (male), \$750 to \$1,140; mechanical laborer (male), \$1,000 to \$1,400; electrical laborer (male), \$1,000 to \$1,400; associate chemist \$1,800 to \$2,500; junior chemist \$1,200 to \$1,800; expert in business administration, grade 1, \$2,000 to \$2,400, grade 2, \$2,600 to \$3,000.

On July 16: Laboratory aid and engineer (male), \$800 to \$1,200; assistant ceramic engineer (male), \$1,800 to \$2,400; ceramic assistant (male), \$1,200 to \$1,800.

LITTLE BUSINESS BEFORE COUNCIL LAST NIGHT

An ordinance, granting the Wichita Valley Railway Company permission to lay two tracks of siding to the new mill being constructed in the south part of town by the Wichita Mill and Elevator company, was passed on its first reading last night by the city council, meeting in regular session.

Notice. All persons are hereby notified not to herd cattle on vacant lots in Highland Heights addition; also not to stake cattle within reaching distance of sidewalks.

No Worms in a Healthy Child. All children troubled with worms have an unhealthy color, which indicates poor blood, and as a rule, there is more or less stomach disturbance.

SAN ANTONIO FIRM GETS CONTRACT FOR INSANE ASYLUM

NINE BUILDINGS CONTRACTED FOR TO COST \$343,048—ALL HEATING BIDS REJECTED.

Construction contracts for the North-west Texas Insane Asylum to be built at Lake Wichita, were awarded on Thursday to J. C. Dellman, contractor of San Antonio, the board awarding the contracts sitting at Austin.

The building plans adopted will cover several years, the board stated. There will be an administration building, male and female receiving wards, male and female infirmaries, dining hall, nurses home, laundry and power house.

AT THE THEATERS

JIM BAILEY REPEATED AT TENT THEATRE FREE TONIGHT

Mr. Harrison, the oldest show man in the state of Texas, who for 12 years has never left its borders and never closed his show, summer or winter, has the standing reputation of looking out for the safety of his patrons first, last and all the time, so last night at the big tent he posted ten men around the tent to study the clouds that were gathering, while he tried to give the show, but when the big cloud arose in the southwest and nearly covered the tent, and the lightning commenced to play his only thought was to get his audience to their homes before they got wet so he came to the footlights and announced:

"Folks, I am no weather prophet. There is a storm approaching. I can't tell whether it will strike in one-half hour or one hour or not at all, but I want all you folks to pass out quietly and get to your homes before it gets here, and remember we will give you the same play 'Mr. Jim Bailey' tomorrow (Friday) night, absolutely free to all, who are in this tent. Now everybody remember where you are sitting and I will depend upon your word of honor: just come to the front door and tell the ticket takers you were here last night and you will be admitted to your same seats absolutely free." The box office will be open for those who were present last night to purchase tickets and pay their war tax to the government to help win the war.

Remember tonight that big feature play, "Mr. Jim Bailey," everybody come out and see this play.

Announcement. Mr. Charles J. Templeton of the Teppleton Viola School, has been called to Colorado Springs by illness of his father, Mrs. William Thompson, a pupil of the Kidd-Key Conservatory of Music, experienced teacher and accomplished violinist, will have full charge until his return. Phone 1292 for information. 39-31p

GOODFELLOW'S FRIENDS ACTIVE IN HIS BEHALF

DEPUTY U. S. MARSHAL HERE IS APPLICANT FOR APPOINTMENT NORTHERN DISTRICT.

Petitions have been circulated in Wichita Falls urging that Robert Goodfellow, deputy U. S. Marshal for the Wichita Falls court, be appointed marshal to fill the unexpired term of Marshal John Terrell, who died at Fort Worth last Saturday.

Already more than 1,000 signatures of prominent business and professional men have been secured to these petitions by friends of Mr. Goodfellow, who will present the documents to the proper authorities soon.

WICHITA M. AND E. CO. PAYING BONUSES IN WAR STAMPS

The Wichita Mill and Elevator Co. in agreement with its employees, has inaugurated a plan for the payment of bonuses in war savings stamps that might well be followed by other corporations that are paying bonuses.

The mill is now paying its employees their bonuses in war stamps. For some time the mill has been paying a bonus of eight per cent. This is paid quarterly. For its quarterly bonus the mill this week bought war stamps to the amount of \$95,175.

YOUNG WICHITAN GUN CREW CAPTAIN ABOARD CONVOY

T. W. Caskey, sixteen year old son of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Caskey, who enlisted in the navy shortly after the outbreak of the war, has met and fought an enemy craft. He writes of the encounter to his parents as follows:

"Have been out about two months I guess. We were attacked on the thirtieth of May, and I guess we sunk the enemy craft, at least the others of the convoy said we did. We fired seven shots out of the six inch and they fired eight of the six pounder. I am gun captain of the six inch. We could not see what we were firing at after the first shot went behind the breach but the pointer and trainer could see all right. It was so rough going over that we had to get on our hands and knees and crawl along the deck, and believe me it was some sea sick. Coming back it was not so rough but was rather squally. I do not know where we are heading, but New York, I suppose."

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June 28th is Your Day This war will be won when every able person in these United States has a feeling of personal responsibility, and not until then. This is a war for you—for your wife—your mother—your children—a war to make tomorrow safe for them. Does that "strike home"? It must! There is no "half-way"—Either you are all American or you are no American at all—You are Washington, D. C., and Washington, D. C., is you. Do you realize that? You Must! To win this war we must have money; that money must come from the savings of Americans—from you—from me—from John Smith, from Bill Patterson, from Annie Gray—it can come from nowhere else. Do you think of that? You Must! On June 28 you will pledge yourself—pledge John Smith, pledge Bill Patterson, pledge Annie Gray—to save hard in every way and from those savings to buy War-Savings Stamps, so many every week until the end of the year. We will win this war! We must! Our boys are fighting for you—you must fight for them; fight your needless desires; fight your aversion to economy; fight your cravings for nonessentials; fight to save for those who fight for you. That's the square deal. PLEDGE TO WIN! WE SELL WAR SAVINGS STAMPS Wichita Falls Electric Company DO YOUR BIT—SAVE WHEAT AND FATS—HELP WIN THE WAR

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PATRIOTISM AND BACKBONE.

In states where there is a more even division of the vote between the parties than in Texas the movement to disregard party affiliations and support the strongest candidates for congress is being urged by men of all parties and there are indications that the old partisan appeals will fall upon deaf ears in this campaign.

There are no issues in this campaign in the ordinary sense. There is but one purpose in America today, and that is to win the war. A candid date for congress ought to be chosen solely with regard to his qualifications of sound patriotism and backbone, which will include integrity, steadfastness and ability. The records of all candidates for congress ought to be searched for these qualities or the lack of them, and the voter ought to choose the man who can give them in the fullest measure.

The tariff, prohibition and all other issues may well be disregarded and the selection of a candidate made from the standpoint of character, patriotism and ability. In other sections the voters are laying aside partisanship to assure these qualities in their new congressmen. Surely here in Texas we can disregard minor issues to make sure of our congressmen being the staunchest and ablest of the candidates.

STILL HOPE FROM RUSSIA

Former Premier Kerensky is coming to America.

An American commission is being organized to go to Russia.

These facts are significant and there is hope that out of them will come hopeful results. President Wilson's great vision was never better proven than when he spoke the assurance of America's sympathy for Russia and America's promises that American power would be exerted to protect Russia from the despoiling hands of the Germans.

If European statesmen foresaw the effect of such assurances they had failed to make them. From the moment they were made the movement to form a responsible government in Russia began to gather strength. There are now evidences that it is gathering momentum and there is a possibility, which did not appear to exist when President Wilson spoke, that Germany's plans to seize the material resources of Russia and to use her manpower in the effort to crush democracy will fail.

When the Russian government fell and her army failed the great mass of the Russian people were so sick of war that they were ready to accept any price. But in the few months Russia has been helpless under the German heel, they have come to a better realization of the price of such a peace. Now they realize their mistake and are again getting ready to make sacrifices for democracy and a peace that will not dishonor them.

President Wilson's words have revived hope in a demoralized and stricken people. With hope to spur them on the Russian people can yet accomplish much.

RELIEF FOR THE INSANE.

For a long time there has been a dark spot on the fair name of Texas, because of the shameful lack of sufficient facilities for caring for all the insane, and because of the even more shameful custom in some counties of throwing those unfortunate enough to be "convicted" of lunacy into county jails, there to await for many months, or even years, a place in an asylum.

domestic improvement should be that of enlarging the present asylums or building additional ones until there shall be sufficient room to make it unnecessary to use the jails, few of which are suitable for the purpose of incarcerating those suffering from mental diseases.

As it is frequently necessary to restrain insane persons of their liberty, with the asylums crowded, the ordinary prison is about the only place left in which the unfortunate person can be safely kept. Perhaps necessity has had a good deal to do with the practice of using jails for asylums, but the reason that asylums have not been provided is doubtless due to the fact that the people have not progressed as far in their knowledge of mental diseases as they have in knowledge of bodily ailments. Hospitals have been provided for the treatment of other diseases and for the practice of surgery. If a man breaks his leg or his arm an ambulance rushes him to an emergency hospital or if he is attacked by disease of long duration he responds in a sanitarium where he has the benefit of careful and medical attention. But if something snaps in his brain, if he becomes mentally ill, he is haled into the court house and if "convicted" is turned over to the sheriff for safe keeping.

These conditions are too well known to need repetition. The state is to be congratulated on the steps being taken to relieve them, at least in part, but a sentiment is needed in Texas that will demand that every insane patient be removed from jails and provided with treatment in an asylum. Such a sentiment will build sufficient asylums and equip them to save hundreds of individuals to society.

To build up such a sentiment the development of a larger sympathy for the insane and more popular education on the nature of mental diseases is needed. Everybody sympathizes with the sick or injured in body, because everybody understands something of the nature of the ailment, but because of the general lack of knowledge of mental troubles and the habit of smiling at people whose brains are diseased, one so afflicted is much more unfortunate than those suffering with other ills.

BRITISH STEAMSHIP ATLANTIAN REPORTED SUNK

A GULF PORT, June 28.—Private advices have been received here to the effect that the British steamship Atlantian has been torpedoed and sunk. There were no casualties, the report says, but no date or place of the disaster are given. The ship was laden with munitions.

TERMS OF AGREEMENT FOR OPERATION K. C. M. & O.

WASHINGTON, June 28.—The Kansas City, Mexico and Orient Railway, now in receivership, will be operated under government management as soon as a contract, which has been agreed upon, is signed. It was learned today that the government will pay the receiver \$150,000 a year to meet the receiver's obligations and will divide any earnings above this amount equally with the railroad. This agreement may be terminated at the end of six months, in which case the government would pay the receiver \$350,000 a year.

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CLEO MITCHELL CASE REVERSED AND REMANDED

AUSTIN, TEXAS, June 28.—The court of criminal appeals today reversed and remanded the case of Cleo Mitchell, Fannin county, who was convicted of assault to murder his wife and sentenced to ten years in the penitentiary.

LOCAL SHOWERS FELL IN NORTHWEST TEXAS LAST NIGHT

DALLAS, TEX., June 28.—Rain yesterday and last night was not general, the local weather bureau announced today. The precipitation here was 1.25 inches and is the heaviest reported. Only light rainfall is reported over portion of the northwestern and north central portions of the state. Some rain fell from Mount Pleasant to Amarillo and to Abilene, the precipitation being under half an inch at intermediate points.

CHARGED THAT MERCHANTS ASKED UNFAIR PRICES

WASHINGTON, June 28.—The food administration was asked today by the department of labor to investigate charges that merchants supplying foodstuffs to zinc workers in Oklahoma were causing labor disturbances by asking unfair prices for food. The labor department said every increase in wages granted the men had been followed by a corresponding increase in food prices.

OFFICIAL AMERICAN.

WASHINGTON, June 28.—Asks the repulse of hostile raiding parties in the Vosges, General Pershing's communique for yesterday says there is nothing to report from the American fronts.

BRITISH.

LONDON, June 28.—Considerable artillery activity developed last night on both sides in the region southeast of Gommecourt, southwest of Arras, the war office announced today. British patrols inflicted casualties upon the Germans in clashes in this area. British troops carried out a successful raid yesterday near Mericourt, northeast of Amiens. An attempted raid by the Germans near Moyenneville, south of Arras, was driven off with loss to the enemy.

TYPHOID EPIDEMIC REPORTED RAGING IN GERMAN ARMY

AMSTERDAM, June 28.—Rumors are in circulation here that an epidemic of typhoid is raging among the German soldiers in North France. Several units are reported to have had virtually their entire personnel affected by the disease. This condition with the losses sustained by the enemy in the last offensive, is said to thus account for the delay in resuming the offensive.

Big Inventory Sale for Saturday and Monday.

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1000 lbs. good old home made country Bacon for lb.....35c  
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Large bucket Crisco.....\$1.90  
Large gal. pale White Swan and White Beauty Shortening for.....\$1.85  
Small bucket Swift J. C. Lard.....75c  
50 lb. can Swift Jewel C. Lard.....\$1.50  
bars White or Clean Easy Soap.....25c  
bars Ivory Soap for.....25c  
1 gal. best White Cooking Oil.....\$1.95  
Wesson Oil, sale price, can 40c and 80c  
5 lb. can best Peanut Butter, sale price.....\$1.40  
20c large can White Swan Pork and Beans for.....15c  
20c best Lima Beans for.....15c  
No. 2 Armour 30c can California Peaches for.....25c  
25c No. 2 best red pitted cherries for only.....30c  
No. 3 20c can California Bartlett Peas, 2 cans for.....45c  
2 cans No. 1 Pineapple for.....25c  
2 cans No. 1 1/2 best Tomatoes.....25c  
Best gal. Blackberries for.....85c  
Best gal. Pitted Cherry for.....\$1.25  
2 can best Tiney Tot Peas for.....35c  
No. 1 can Creole Dinner for.....10c  
3 lb. jars pure South Texas Strain Honey for.....\$1.00  
23 oz. jars Strain Honey for.....60c  
100 jars Hunt's Supreme Yellow Cling Peach, worth 65c, sale price.....40c  
50c can pure Fig Jam for.....40c  
35c jars P. & S. Pure Jam Preserves, sale price.....25c  
20c bottles Armour Pure Grape Juice, sale price.....20c  
2 cans 25c can Cook's Pride Baking Powder for.....35c  
40c bucket Good Luck Baking Powder for.....30c  
Patty Cake Flour, package.....25c  
6 boxes Searchlight Matches.....30c  
Big line choice dried Peaches, Apples, Prunes, Apricots, Dried Apples; make some very low prices.  
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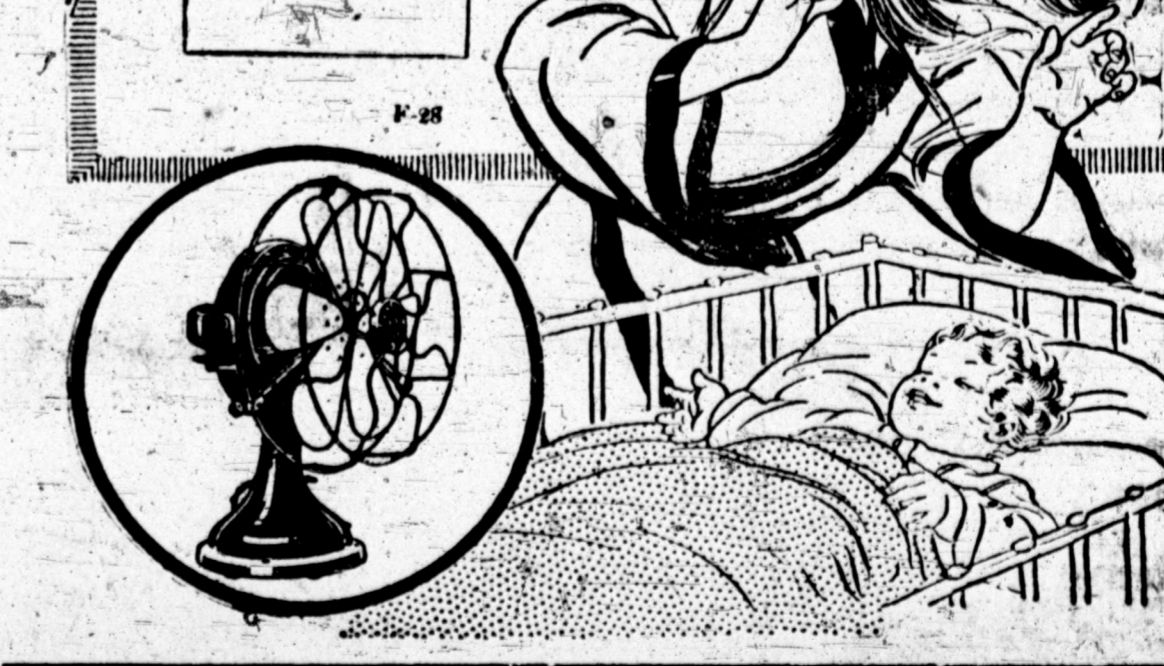
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NEW GERMAN OFFENSIVES EXPECTED SOON

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said to have been assisted by German troops in the reported capture of Moscow and this adds another note of confusion to the account, as no German troops have been reported near enough to Moscow to render the generals any aid, even if Germany were inclined to array herself definitely against the bolshevik authorities, which she has seemed undispensed to do.

The two generals named, it may be noted, have both previously been reported killed in battle or assassinated. Disparagingly carried news assertions that Emperor Nicholas has been assassinated. There are yet no outward indications as to when and where the German command will launch its next stroke against the Allied lines. The fighting lull on the western front continues with only raids and local attacks along the Lys, Albert, and the Austrians, reeling from the shock of the repulse on the Piave seemingly are content to allow the Italians to have the initiative.

It is two weeks since the German crown prince ceased his ineffectual efforts to reach Compiègne and the breathing space, which has been longer than between the offensive across the Alsne and that on the Noyon-Montdidier front, has been sufficient to permit the Germans to prepare fully for a renewal of the offensive. Allied capitals look for another enemy move soon. Military observers believe it will come on the front between Montdidier and Ypres.

For the past few days the German artillery fire has been violent on several sectors, each of which might be selected for an attack. These sectors are south of Arras, the northern and southern legs of the Lys salient, and south of the Alsne. The Germans may, however, attempt to surprise the Allies by attacking where they hope they will not be expected.

Aerial activity is above the average. The Germans have raided Paris two nights in succession. No great damage was caused Wednesday and on Thursday slight material damage and aerial casualties resulted. Allied bombing squadrons are active against German military targets behind the lines. The British are making night raids into Germany, especially against manufacturing and railroad towns between Metz and the Rhine.

Unsettled conditions in Austria-Hungary may keep the Austrians from immediately resuming the offensive in Italy. The food situation continues so serious that reports from Switzerland say martial law may be proclaimed throughout the dual monarchy.

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VON KUELMANN'S RESIGNATION IS REPORTED OFFERED

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It was because the military authorities desired him so to speak and because they thought it necessary to speak and because they thought it necessary to break to German people the news that the speedy and decisive victory which a few weeks ago they were themselves promising is not now within their grasp."

GERMAN SOCIALISTS HECKLE VON KUEHLMANN  
By Associated Press  
WASHINGTON, June 27.—German socialists heard of Secretary Baker's announcement on June 16 that more than 700,000 American soldiers had been sent to France in time to use the information in heckling Foreign Minister Von Kuehlmann during his recent speech in the Reichstag.

Advices reaching France through neutral country and received here by cable today, quote the socialist deputy, Haare, as blaming the war on Austria, denouncing the policy of German government and ridiculing in France the submarines to keep soldiers out of France. He said: "In our country the ruling party is military. It is very desirable that this situation should be cleared up, at least that General Ludendorff should come forward at once instead of the chancellor and take the responsibility of power."

It is said that money is the ruling motive with the English. This war has shown that the homage to the golden calf is as ardent in our country as in England or America.

Many times we have been told that victory is ours. On the first of January, 1917, when the submarine warfare was begun Herr Hefferich assured us that America would not take any active part in the war. Admiral von Capelle marked the entry of America into the war with an effective result which amounts to nil. Now there are 1,000,000 American soldiers in France. The submarines have not been able to impede them in any way.

This war was caused by Austria. The Jewish movement that we imagined is pure swindle. The situation of Estonia and Livonia under our occupation is deplorable and hopeless. That is what they temporarily call liberation of the smaller peoples from Russian oppression. If the Russian people rise again it will be a life and death struggle between us."

Political news continues to have its effect in the trading up to 12 o'clock were put to 18 points over yesterday's final.

INDIANA PROHIBITION LAW UPHOLD BY COURT  
(BULLETIN)  
INDIANAPOLIS, IND., June 28.—The Indiana state-wide prohibition law was upheld by the state supreme court here today. The decision was 4 to 1, Judge John W. Spencer of Evansville, casting the only dissenting vote.

O. W. Hines, Undertaker, Funeral Director, Office and Parlors 702 Scott Avenue. 29-lfc

PARIS, June 28.—Lieutenant Mezergues of the air service, one of the noted French aces who escaped from prison in Germany and resumed his flights, has been seriously wounded in a fight with an enemy airplane, the Havas Agency reports. The bomb thrown on Mezergues' machine was killed in the encounter.

PARIS, June 28.—Three barbed wire fences, one of which is charged with electricity have proved ineffectual in hindering German soldiers from deserting across the frontier into Switzerland, says a Havas dispatch from Basle. The German military authorities have attempted to remedy the evil by cancelling all leaves of absence and special privileges for soldiers hailing from Alsace-Lorraine.

BRITISH LABOR WANTS HOME RULE FOR IRELAND  
LONDON, June 28.—The British labor conference at its concluding session here today passed a resolution calling on the dominion statesmen now sitting in the conference in London "to insist on the British government settling the Irish question by granting to Ireland a large measure of home rule."

TODAY'S MARKETS

Cotton Market

NEW YORK, June 28.—The cotton market was irregular early today, July opening at an advance of 24 points on further covering which came largely from houses with Liverpool connections while later months were one point lower to six higher. The favorable character of weather and crop advices led to increased selling after the call with July easing off from 28.15 to 27.95, while October declined from 25.15 to 24.97, or 17 points net lower. There was southern as well as local selling on this advance but the offerings were well taken below the 25 cent level for October and the market was steady at the reaction. Considerable attention was attracted by Washington advices indicating that manufacturers of goods would be permitted to use any grade of cotton that would produce materials of the desired quality and this was supposed to be responsible for the improved demand recently reported for lower grades in mills in the south.

July broke sharply during the middle of the morning owing to reports that the few new crop deliveries still circulating. That delivery sold at 27.50, or 40 points net lower. There was continued demand for October on a scale down from 25 cents level, however and the decline was checked at 24.92 for that delivery, or about 32 points under last night's close. Prices then rallied with the market quiet and steady all the while and when July ruled around 27.50 and October 25.10 there were rumors from North Carolina that the spot situation was easier. The market turned firmer earlier in the afternoon on reports of internal troubles in Austria and renewed covering. For a time there appeared to be very few contracts for sale with July selling up to 28.00, or ten points net higher while new crop deliveries showed net advances of 20 to 21 points with October selling at 25.36. There was enough realizing to check the advance at this level but the market held steady within a few points of the best around 2 o'clock.

New Orleans Cotton.  
NEW ORLEANS, June 28.—Bearth expectations concerning pending buy reports caused selling of cotton today under which prices of the new crop months lost 22 points in the first half hour of trading. July showed no activity. Continued drought in Texas made the tone steady at the decline.

Reports of a revolution in Austria had a favorable effect on the market and prices were sent 1 to 2 points over yesterday's close. At noon the active months were 5 points down.

LIVERPOOL Cotton.  
LIVERPOOL, June 28.—Cotton spot quiet; prices steady. Good middling 23.22; middling 22.59; low middling 22.06; good ordinary 21.06; ordinary 20.54. Sales 2,900 bales, including 1,600 American. Receipts none. Futures closed irregular and unsettled. New contracts July 22.43; August 21.35; Sept. 20.23; October 19.63; Nov. 19.21. Old contracts fixed prices: July 21.34. Non-closing values: July new contracts 23.19; June old contracts 21.44; June July old contracts 21.36.

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Livestock

Fort Worth Livestock.  
FORT WORTH, TEX., June 28.—Cattle, receipts 2,000; 10 to 17 up. Beeves \$7.00@16.75; stockers \$7.00@10.00; cows \$6.50@8.50; heifers \$7.00@10.00; bulls \$6.50@9.00; calves \$7.00@14.25. Hogs, receipts 700; active; 10 to 15 cents up. Heavy \$17.00@17.05; light \$16.90@17.00; medium \$16.75@17.00; mixed \$16.50@16.75; common \$15.50@16.25. Pigs \$9.50@16.25. Sheep, receipts 2,500; steady. Lambs \$14.00@16.00; yearlings \$13.50@14.50; wethers \$12.50@14.00; ewes \$12.00@13.50; culls \$6.00@9.00; goats \$6.00@7.75.

Kansas City Livestock.  
KANSAS CITY, MO., June 28.—Hogs, receipts 3,500; strong to 5 high. Bulk \$16.45@16.65; heavy \$16.55@16.70; light \$16.35@16.60; pigs \$16.00@16.50. Cattle, receipts 3,500 including 1,000 southern. Steady. Prime fed steers \$17.25@17.25; dressed beef steers \$13.40@17.00; southern steers \$8.00@16.50; cows \$6.00@12.00; heifers \$8.00@14.25; stockers \$7.50@14.25; calves \$8.00@14.50. Sheep, receipts 1,000; steady. Lambs \$15.00@18.00; yearlings \$14.00@16.50; wethers \$12.00@14.50; ewes \$10.00@15.00; stockers \$6.50@15.55.

New York Stocks  
NEW YORK, June 28.—The only noteworthy movement at the irregular opening of today's stock market was a four point advance in Superior Mining, based on a favorable court decision. Otherwise changes were unimportant and main toward lower levels, reflecting the mixed character of the overnight news. Tobacco, leather and equipment soon developed heaviness, also U. S. Steel and New Haven. Nominal gains were made by Baldwin Locomotive, Crucible Steel and Marine preferred. Liberty Bonds were irregular.

AMUNDSON WILL AGAIN ATTEMPT TO REACH POLE  
By Associated Press  
CHRISTIANIA, June 28.—Rodd Amundson's ship, Maude, in which the famous explorer will attempt to reach the north pole, left Christiania today for the north. Captain Amundson himself will board the vessel when she reaches Tromsø. Before he left for Tromsø Amundson received a message from President Wilson through Secretary Lansing wishing him good luck.

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Grain Market

CHICAGO, June 28.—Continued buying was evidenced in the corn market today owing to continued hot dry weather in the southwest. Opening prices, which varied from unchanged figures to 3/4 higher with July 1 1/4 to 1 1/4 and August 1 1/4 to 1 1/4 were followed by decided gains all around, and then something of a reaction. Oats reflected the strength of corn. After opening a shade to 1/4 higher, with August 6 3/4 to 6 5/8, the market scored a moderate additional upturn. Provisions advanced with corn and hogs.

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CHICAGO, June 28.—Butter, unsettled; creamery 37 1/4 43. Eggs, receipts 13,836 cases, unchanged. Potatoes, higher; old receipts 18 cars; Michigan, Wisconsin and Minnesota 1.65@1.75; do sacks 1.83@2.00. New receipts 40 cars, Louisiana and Arkansas, sacked, Triumphs 2.50@2.90. Poultry, alive, unchanged.

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# CASUALTIES

**ARMY.**  
**WASHINGTON, June 28.**—The army casualty list today contained fifty six names, as follows:  
 Killed in action 24.  
 Died of disease 2.  
 Wounded severely 22.  
 Wounded, degree undetermined, 2.  
 Prisoner 1.  
 Died from wounds: Private Albert J. Jester, 106th Light Infantry, Cavalry, Corporal Arthur E. Bond, 25th Cavalry.

**Killed in Action.**  
 Lieutenant Karl H. Pagan, 1st Cavalry, O. J. Johnson, 25th Cavalry, 1st Lt. Norman J. McCray, 101st Cavalry, James S. Timothy, Highland Falls, N. Y., Corporal Robert H. Jackson, 101st Cavalry, 1st Lt. Alexander A. Johnson, 101st Cavalry, 1st Lt. John J. Kelly, 101st Cavalry, 1st Lt. Thomas E. Pagan, 101st Cavalry, 1st Lt. John J. Ryder, 101st Cavalry, 1st Lt. Charles E. Clark, 101st Cavalry, 1st Lt. Alfred M. Johnson, 101st Cavalry, 1st Lt. C. Craven, 101st Cavalry, 1st Lt. Ernest A. Johnson, 101st Cavalry, 1st Lt. Detroit, 101st Cavalry, 1st Lt. H. H. Harsch, 101st Cavalry, 1st Lt. N. Y., 101st Cavalry, 1st Lt. Harry McKnight, 101st Cavalry, 1st Lt. S. H. Johnson, 101st Cavalry, 1st Lt. N. H. Johnson, 101st Cavalry, 1st Lt. Walter, 101st Cavalry, 1st Lt. Gilbert Wilson, 101st Cavalry.

**Died of Disease.**  
 Sergeant Fred A. Johnson, 101st Cavalry, 1st Lt. Arthur H. Bond, 101st Cavalry, 1st Lt. Albert H. Jester, 101st Cavalry, 1st Lt. Howard Van Camp, 101st Cavalry.

**Notice of Sheriff's Sale of Personal Property.**  
 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, Texas, on the 25th day of June, A. D. 1918, by the clerk of said court, in the case of Farmers State Bank of Burk Burnett, Texas, versus A. M. Warren, No. 244, and to me as sheriff, directed and returned, I will proceed to sell within the hours prescribed by law for sheriff's sales on the 28th day of July, A. D. 1918, at the Burkhart wagon yard, in Burkhart, Texas, of Wichita county, the following described personal property, to-wit:

One grey gelding, 8 years old, 16 1/2 hands high, weight 1150 lbs.  
 One bay gelding, 12 1/2 hands high, 8 years old, weight 1200 lbs.  
 One grey gelding, 10 years old, 16 hands high, weight 1300 lbs.  
 One grey gelding, 10 years old, 16 hands high, weight 1200 lbs.  
 One practically new Weber wagon, 3 1/2 inch stiff tongue.  
 One practically new Weber wagon, 3 1/2 inch drop tongue.  
 One practically new Studebaker wagon.  
 One set of all leather harness.  
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Witness my hand this 25th day of June, 1918.  
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**Died of Disease.**  
 Major Albert L. Grubb, Berkley Springs, W. Va., 1st Cavalry, George Holmes, Springfield, Mass., 101st Cavalry, Louis Rosenberg, Kilsburgh.

**Wounded Severely.**  
 Lieutenant Theodore S. Sien How, 101st Cavalry, Canada, Corporals Ernest C. Blakely, Northboro, Mass.; Wilbur C. Dabrow, Lynn, Mass.; Marcel S. Morrison, Cloverport, Ky.; Donald T. Cook, East Haven, Conn.; Geo. E. Van Vort, Traver, Mont.; Privates Zed H. Adams, Newport, Ky.; Charles E. Baker, Chicago; Raymond A. Carter, Jamaica, Mo.; Charles H. Creenclear, Santa Barbara, Calif.; William H. Kern, Madison, Wis.; Adam J. Manzig, Buffalo; William F. Martin, Pittston, Mass.; William J. Moore, St. Louis; George A. Miller, Yam Hill, Ore.; Samuel Moffet, Brooklyn; Louis L. O'Leary, Birmingham, N. Y.; John C. Partridge, Oakland, Calif.; Paul H. Patch, West Toledo, O.; Herbert Brownell, Concordia, Mass.; Charles Schmidt, St. Louis; Clayton S. Wickland, Edmonds, Wash.

**Wounded, Degree Undetermined.**  
 Corporal Samuel Ayres, 25th Cavalry; Floyd Gibbons, 25th Cavalry, 1st Lt. Priscilla, Captain Elmer J. Pappert, Philadelphia.  
 Prisoner, previously reported missing.

**Private Edward W. Pringle,** New Haven, Conn.

**MARINES.**  
**WASHINGTON, June 28.**—A marine corps casualty list today carried fifty names, divided as follows:  
 Killed in action 17.  
 Died of wounds 5.  
 Severely wounded 26.  
 The list:

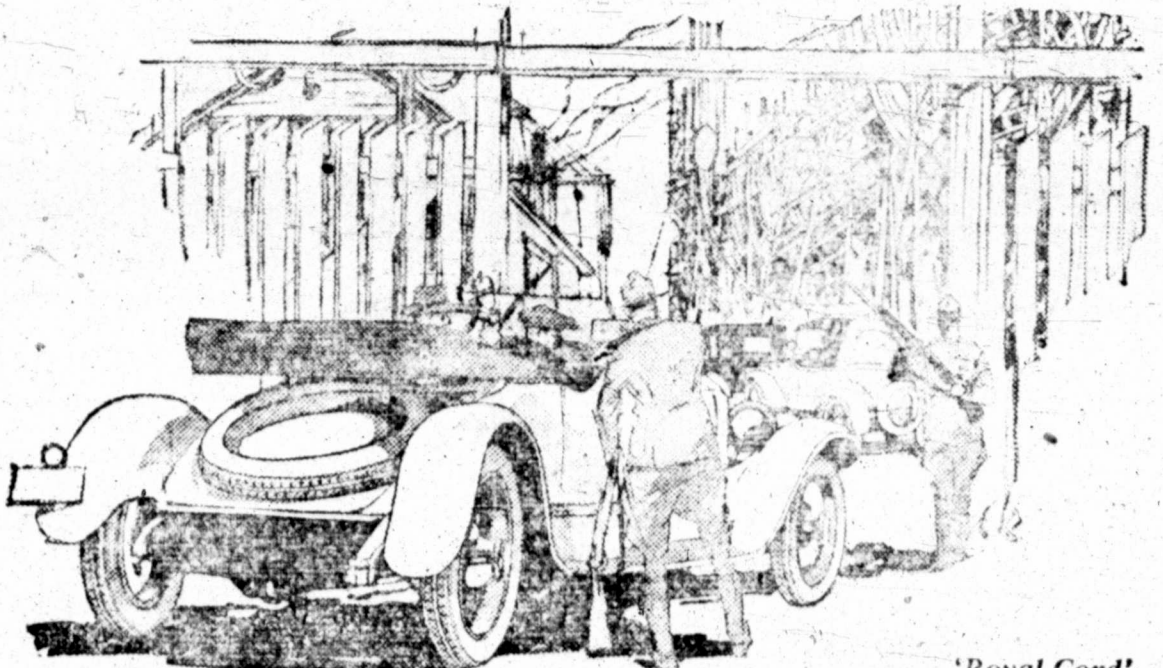
**Killed in Action.**  
 Sergeant Thomas P. Arnett, Chicago, Ill.; William R. Cleveland, Crosby, Wis.; Thomas Reato, Philadelphia; Corporal Robert J. Clark, Lees Summit, Mo.; Anthony J. Kowars, Frankville, Pa.; Private Arthur J. Aggs, Kilmorie, Pa.; William V. Benton, Mayodon, N. C.; Lowell B. Hall, Holly, N. Y.; William W. Hays, Moore, Mo.; Joseph P. Kelly, Albany, N. Y.; George S. Keating, St. Louis, N. Y.; Paul M. McCorwin, Irvington, N. Y.; William M. Mount Vernon, Ill.; Joseph S. Mumford, Chicago, Minn.; Charles A. Neill, Cincinnati; Robert A. Stronow, Milwaukee, Wis.; James A. Lutz, Galloway, Wis.

**Died of Wounds Received in Action.**  
 Corporal David A. Johnson, 25th Cavalry; Private Lloyd Evans, 25th Cavalry; William B. Jones, 25th Cavalry; Grant P. Leman, 25th Cavalry; William E. Mack, 25th Cavalry; Robert M. Shier, Edgewater, N. C.

**Wounded in Action Severely.**  
 Corporals Christie C. Foster, 25th Cavalry; Richard W. Ross, 1st Cavalry; Mont. Carr, N. J.; Privates Bart Anderson, Dallas, Ohio; CLAUD W. DALLEY, 101st Cavalry, Texas; George J. Bohal, Hastings, Pa.; Paul J. ...

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 NOT OPEN UNTIL 2 P. M.  
 For the duration of the heated season the work room of the Red Cross will not open in the afternoon until 2 o'clock, the director of women's work announces. The rooms will be open from 9 a. m. until 12, and from 2 p. m. until 5 p. m. Those who are accustomed to work at the Red Cross are asked to bear this change of time in mind.

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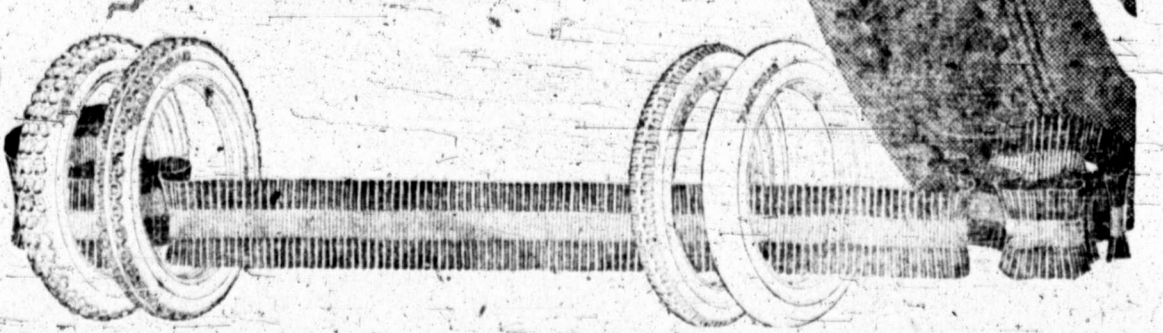
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The Chalmers has always been a great motor car—speaking of the car in general terms.

For many years past you and every other motor-wise person have considered it among the first two or three high class cars.

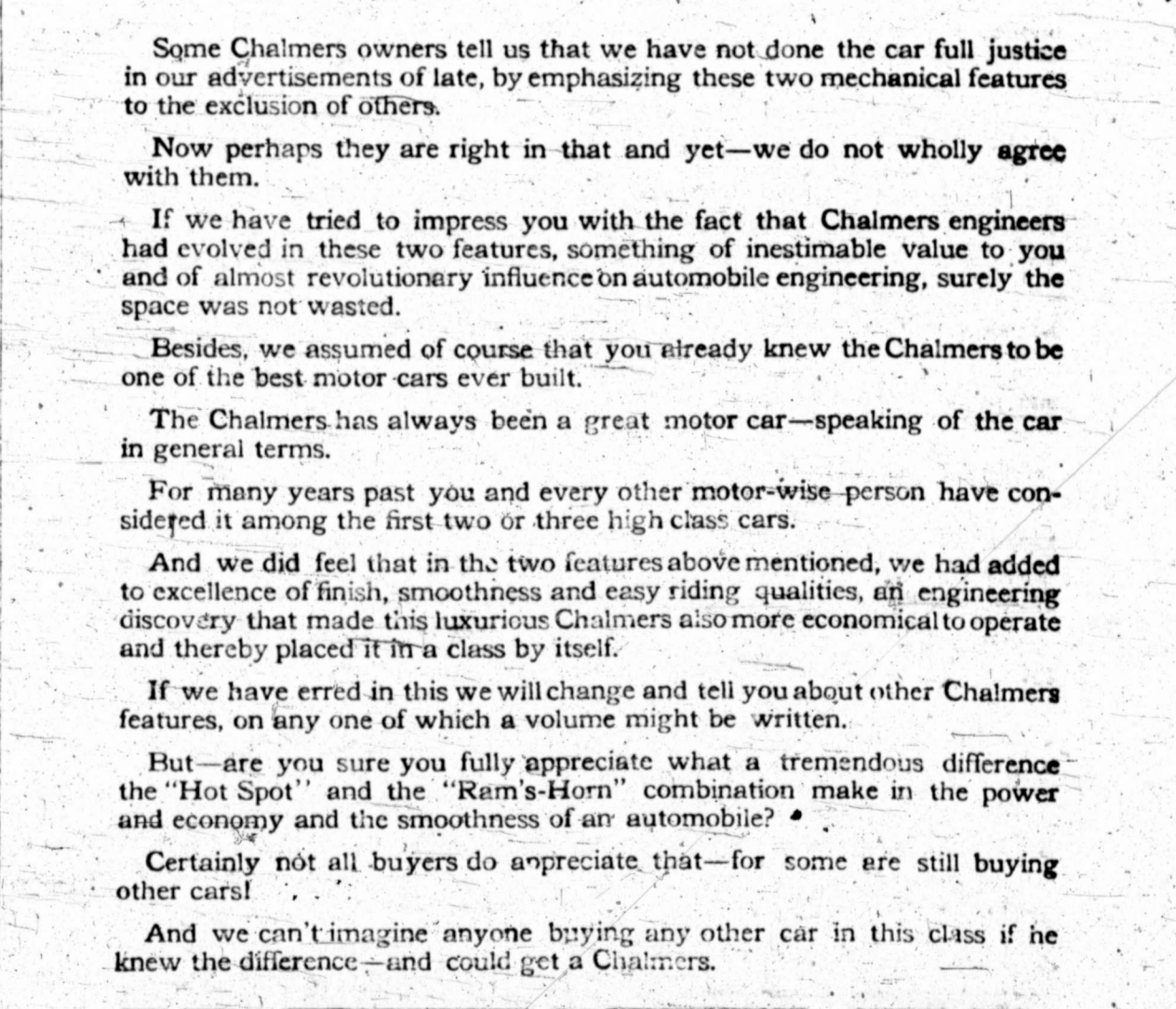
And we did feel that in the two features above mentioned, we had added to excellence of finish, smoothness and easy riding qualities, an engineering discovery that made this luxurious Chalmers also more economical to operate and thereby placed it in a class by itself.

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PLUMBING—Quickest yet repair shop. Anderson Plumbing Co., 910 1/2 Indiana, Phone 2588 or 1347. 9-tfc

FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

EVANGELIST BROWN in his sermon to mothers, stated he purchased The Book of Knowledge for his children. If he had not replaced it, he would not take \$1,000 for the book. If you care to examine this wonderful book, address, Box 825, Wichita Falls, Texas. 34-tfc

FOR SALE—700 feet of 4 inch pipe or will trade for 5 passenger car. Phone 2580. 24-9tp

FOR SALE—Complete furnishings of 12 room boarding house, close in on car line. Phone 2142. 29-tfc

FOR SALE—Slightly used piano. Same cap as seen at McFall Transfer and Storage, 612 7th st. 29-tfc

FOR SALE—1040 feet of 6-8 inch casing; 754 feet of 8 inch casing; 169 barrel oil tank, all in good condition. Phone 3784. 33-tfc

FOR SALE—2000 feet 6-14 inch casing, second hand in good condition, 90c per foot. Phone North Texas Oil Co., or A. Taylor Russell. 33-tfc

WINONA MILLS, Underwear, Hosiery and Suspenders. Orders taken now for fall delivery. T. M. Smyre, sales agent. Phone 273. 37-39tp

FOR SALE—Fine Kingsbury Piano slightly used. Phone 1702. 40-3tp

FOR SALE—Lawn mower in good condition. Phone 608. 37-tfc

FOR SALE—Heavy Ford Worth spading machine and 30 horse gasoline tractor, new, \$2500 if sold at once. G. B. Fridley, North and Michigan, east of Denver viaduct. 39-3tp

SALOON FOR SALE—Good location cheap rent, lease long as you want. Receipts seven hundred per week. Cheap for quick cash sale. Address, A. A. Akin, 526 North Main, Joplin, Missouri. 40-2tp

FOR SALE—Cheap for cash, good, standard, used piano, walnut case. See it at McFall Transfer & Storage Co., 617 7th st. 40-2tp

FOR SALE—Player piano with forty-three double disc records. Phone 1556. 40-3tp

FOR SALE—Furniture for three rooms. House can be rented, 908 Ninth street. Phone 2705. 40-3tp

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—One of best business corners in city—not a saloon corner. Phone 64 or 65. 306-tfc

FOR RENT—2 room servant house, 606 Travis. 36-tfc

FOR RENT—Garage at 1009 19th st. 39-1t

LIVESTOCK

STRAYED—From my place Sunday evening eight miles east of Wichita Falls one dapple gray mare with roach main, weight 1350 pounds; one black male with 11 branded on left jaw, 2x on left shoulder. Seen last in the edge of Wichita Falls. Reward, J. P. Hawthorn, phone 1576. 37-5tp

TAKEN UP at my place one black male about 16 hands, one bay male about 15 hands. Seven miles north of Wichita Falls. J. H. Shaw. 39-3tp

STRAYED—Dark bay mare with cross brand on each hip. Reward for information or delivery, 1309 16th street. 34-12tp

STRAYED OR STOLEN—Dark bay Shetland pony horse, no brands. Piece of log chain around left foot. \$5.00 reward for information. W. W. Humphreys, Route 1. 39-34tp

FOR SALE—Small horse and good trap buggy. Mrs. C. C. Newton, 35-3tp

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Near corner of Tenth and Monroe streets, Ingram's Radio Dial watch with Wichita Southern fob. 1910 10th street. Phone 935. 37-tfc

LOST—Somewhere in the business section of the city on Wednesday morning, a lady's gold wrist watch. Reward for recovery. Phone 1671 or 54. 38-tfc

LOST—One 34x1-2 smooth tread Good-year casing, and rim for Chandler car. Finder please notify P. B. Cox. 38-4t

LOST—Brown leather hand grip north-east of city Wednesday morning containing ladies' and baby's clothes. Phone May Griffith at Thornberry. Reward or leave at 1508 Broad. 38-3tp

LOST—Two army discharges, one for Philippine Island service, one for regular army service. Finder please leave at Times office. 40-3t-4

WANTED—To Rent

WANTED—To rent house by reliable party. Address, P. O. Box 110. 37-tfc

WANTED—To rent four or five room cottage. Phone Continental Supply Co. 35-3t

Ponder THE SECONDHAND MAN New Refrigerators just received. Phone 718.

FOR RENT—Bed Rooms

NICE ROOMS at the American Hotel. 8-tfc

FOR RENT—Upstairs bed room to gentlemen only. 904 Austin. Phone 1426. 34-tfc

FOR RENT—Large east front bedroom modern conveniences. 1200 Burnett. Phone 752. 38-4t

FOR RENT—At 702 Lamar, well furnished front southeast bedroom. Phone Mrs. Hertrum, at P. B. M. Co. or 1829. 38-tfc

FOR RENT—South bedroom and garage. 1316 12th st. 38-3tp

FOR RENT—Furnished front bedroom. 916 Scott. 38-3t

FOR RENT—One bed room, modern with private family. 1311 Burnett. Phone 2298. 38-tfc

FOR RENT—Furnished bedroom convenient to bath. 865 Lamar. Phone 1918. Also garage. 38-3t

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished upstairs bedroom adjoining bath, close in for gentlemen only. Phone 597. 40-2tp

FOR RENT—Front bedroom, bath and electric fan. 700 Lamar. Phone 563. 39-3tp

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FOR RENT—Three nicely furnished rooms to parties without children, for the summer. Phone 2347. 1572-12th street. 40-2t

FOR RENT—Three well furnished housekeeping rooms. References exchanged. Phone 1877. 36-5tp

FOR RENT—2 furnished housekeeping rooms to couple without children. 1406 Broad. Phone 244. 37-tfc

FOR RENT—2 well furnished housekeeping rooms, couple preferred. Phone 1823. 40-3t

FOR RENT—3 furnished light housekeeping rooms. Phone 17. 1501 Travis. 39-tfc

FOR RENT—3 nicely furnished housekeeping rooms at 707 Lamar. 39-3t

FOR RENT—Two well furnished housekeeping rooms, one cool furnished bedroom. Phone 2287. 39-3tp

CLOSE IN well furnished light housekeeping rooms. Phone 2372. Inquire 601 Scott. 40-3tp

RESIDENCES—For Rent

FOR RENT—Part of Tenth st. home, furnished, best location, reference required. Address, D. 3, care Times. 39-3t

FOR RENT—Furnished home for summer. Phone 968 or 206. Dr. W. P. Bolding. 40-3t

FOR RENT—Five room east front modern house between 9th and 10th on Indiana. O. F. Marchman, 723 Indiana. Phone 2851. 39-tfc

FOR RENT—For 2 months to responsible parties, five room modern house 1925 9th st. Phone 1664. 39-1t

FOR RENT—To couple without children, five room modern furnished cottage, east front, on car line, and 100 feet off Tenth street; best location in town. This house is nicely furnished with every convenience. Bed rooms are on southeast part of house. Has good garage, garden, fruit trees and chicken yard. This is one of the best locations in town. Price \$50.00 per month. References. Phone 1178. 39-tfc

FOR RENT—Modern house if parties buy furniture. One block from car line. 1105 18th. Phone 1499. 35-1tp

FOR RENT—4 room furnished house, Call at 305 Burnett. 38-3t

HELP WANTED—Female

WANTED—Maid at Westland Hotel. 34-tfc

WANTED—A neat appearing nurse girl, white or colored, to go to Colorado at once. Phone 414. Mrs. E. P. Greenwood. 40-3tp

WANTED—Cook at 810 Lamar, colored woman preferred. 31-tfc

WANTED—A good cook at 900 Burnett. 29-tfc

WANTED—Experienced girl for general housework. Phone 841. 36-tfc

GOVERNMENT Needs 20,000 women clerks at Washington. Examinations everywhere July 7. Experience unnecessary. Women desiring government positions write for free particulars to J. G. Leonard, (former Civil Service Examiner), 478 Kenosia Bldg., Washington. 25-6tp

HELP WANTED—Female: competent help at Pond's Laundry. Highest wages paid. 29-tfc

WANTED—Chambermaid. Apply St. James Hotel. 38-4tp

WANTED—Four dining room waitresses. Apply—St. James. 38-4tp

WANTED—Girl at the Elite rooms at once. Phone 539. 4-tfc

OIL EXCHANGE "Your Surest Place To Keep Posted" New wells coming in every day. Profits enormous. Every week you hear of some of your local friends who have struck it rich in the oil business. The quickest and greatest returns in the world have been made in oil. It is to your interest to be posted. We handle everything pertaining to the oil business and can make and save you money. Call and see us. HUEY & COTTON Office next door to Maern Hotel Phone 2036 and 1478 Office Suite 305—Kemp & Kell Bldg. Phone 1478 and 2036

HELP WANTED—Male

WANTED—Reliable salesman to stock a first class reliable oil and stock proposition combined. With holdings in Ranger and Electric oil fields; good position for either men or women. C. R. Cox, 517 7th street. St. James Hotel. 24-26tp

WANTED—Laborers for either day or night crew, good wages. Apply 1806 Bluff. 34-tfc

WANTED—Young man; excellent opportunity for ambitious man. State age and experience. Address, B. R. care Times. 27-tfc

WANTED—Two elevator boys about 18 years old, for First National Bank building. Apply at office First National Bank. 34-tfc

WANTED—Two painter helpers at Lucius & O'Daniels Paint Shop, 1106 7th st. 38-3t

WANTED—Boy to sell Ft. Worth Records. Phone 523, or call at 1207 Indiana. 38-tfc

SALESMEN WANTED—We have openings for five or six first class oil lot salesmen. A first class proposition. Applicants must furnish high class references. Good territory will be assigned. Write fully, Dallas Electric Development Co., P. O. Box 567, Electric, Texas. 38-4tp

WANTED—Driver for wholesale milk wagon, at once. Pure Milk Products Co., 705 Tenth. 38-3t

LABORERS WANTED—Burnett st. bridge. 29-5tp

WANTED—Young man from 17 to 25 years of age; must have good habits and ambitious to learn; good paying proposition. E. G. Hill, phone 225. 39-tfc

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—Position by first class saleslady, 14 years experience, typing and selling, can sell girls' furnishings also. Will apply at once in person. T. H. care Times. 40-8tp

EXPERIENCED young lady stenographer desires position. Phone 1594. 38-3tp

POSITION WANTED by experienced lady stenographer. Phone 781. Reference furnished. 39-3tp

UNFURNISHED ROOMS

FOR RENT—2 unfurnished housekeeping or one furnished bedroom. 1305 11th st. Phone 1713. 39-6t

ROOMS FOR RENT—Two front south rooms, unfurnished, reasonable. Call at 607 11th st. 40-2tp

USED AUTOS FOR SALE

COMPLETE line new and second hand cars for sale or trade. Sell on good terms. Bring your old car and get a good one. Look today. Lambert Thornton, 717 7th street. Phone 2007. 40-3tp

FOR SALE—Hupmobile roadster, 1917 model, driven 10,000 miles, 3 new tires, \$800.00. Leaving Car. Phone 2683, ask for Lieutenant Horner. 39-3t

FOR SALE—5 passenger Maxwell car in good condition at 1307 Burnett. 40-3t

FOR SALE—New Vette Roadster at a bargain. Columbia Auto Sales Co., 809 Ohio ave. Phone 828 or 506. 29-9tp

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One (two) Republic truck in good running order. Apply to W. M. Webber, 602 1/2 Indiana Avenue. 37-19tp

FOR SALE—1917, five passenger Reo, practically new. Five Good-year cold tires. This is a bargain. Call 2322. 54-tfc

FOR SALE—Practically new six cylinder Oldsmobile. Only been run 2700 miles; had best of care. Call 315. 40-1tp

YOUR CREDIT is good for car—large. Plenty of cars to select from. Lambert Thornton, 717 7th street. Phone 2007. 40-3tp

FOR SALE—Practically new 5 passenger Ford car, \$475.00. Columbia Auto Sales, 809 Ohio, Phone 828. 31-tfc

FOR SALE—1916 model Maxwell, 5 passenger in good condition, cheap. Also number 5 new Oliver typewriter. Going away. Apply 1923 7th st. Phone 2797. 40-3tp

FOR SALE—Maxwell runabout in first class condition, worth the money. See B. B. Woodall, Pure Milk Product Co. 40-3t

SEVEN PASSENGER Hudson Super-Fix. I bought four Hudsons, have sold three of them and will be at the Westland Hotel Saturday with other one. This car is new and if you want a real automobile and at the right price, see me Saturday. R. L. George. 40-tfc

FOR SALE—Oakland six roadster at a bargain. Good condition. Terms. Phone 2816. 35-tfc

FOR SALE—1918 model Ford touring car. Phone 1384. F. G. Payne. 37-tfc

WILL TRADE almost new 5 passenger Oldsmobile for 4 or 5 room cottage, well located and pay difference. O. F. Marchman, 723 Indiana, phone 2851. 38-tfc

ELEVEN AUTOMOBILES, must be sold by July 1st, all good second hand cars, many different makes. Am ready to draft for service July 1st and must sell these cars before I leave. Terms \$100. Lambert Thornton, 717 7th street. 40-3tp

FOR SALE—City Property

FOR SALE—5 room modern house 1516 13th st. Belongs to non resident and wants to sell at once; terms. Phone 2155. 27-tfc

FOR SALE—23 room roofing house on Indiana Ave. over where Turf Bar formerly was. Nicely furnished and all ready for business. Patton Furniture Co., 710 1/2 7th st. Phone 1680. 37-tfc

FOR SALE—2 story dwelling, 1006 Brooks, or will rent to responsible parties. Phone 87. Anderson Patterson. 36-tfc

IF YOU SEE this home you will buy. Five room modern, nice lawn and trees, garage, an exceptional good buy at \$7500. Terms. Roy R. Nanny, Phone 635. 38-3tp

FOR SALE—At a bargain look at 3 room house, 1408 Mt. St. Price only \$2100.00. Must sell at once. Phone 1575. 26-tfc

MUST BE SOLD, new six room house in Floral Heights, extra large lot, owner has to leave city, hence you save \$500. Price this week only \$2750. Roy R. Nanny, phone 635. 38-3tp

WE ARE very anxious to show you some real bargains around the Austin school; let us show you today. Knight & Crawford, Phone 477. 39-3t

A BARGAIN—Nice 5 room modern home with garage on large lot, nicely located on Elmwood (now paved), lot 4300, good terms. O. P. Marchman, 723 Indiana ave. Phone 2851. 37-tfc

SIX ROOM house for sale, five blocks from business center, terms. D. M. Jones, Phone 44. 270-tfc

7 ROOM modern home on 100, foot east front lot close to High school for \$5500. O. F. Marchman, 723 Indiana avenue. Phone 2851. 37-tfc

IF YOU WANT to sell your home phone 635, you are assured prompt and efficient service. Why? Because he has the buyers. Roy R. Nanny. 38-3tp

\$4250.00 BUYS a strictly modern and up-to-date six room home on 10th st. with nice garage and driveway. N. O. Monroe, phone 2454. 39-3tp

BARGAINS IN REAL ESTATE. We have homes of all sizes in any part of the city for sale on easy terms. Stop paying rent. Come in tomorrow, let us show you some real bargains. What have you got for trade? We buy and sell everything. We have a number of good farms worth the money. Can sell you a farm that will make you money, take in a place in the city if preferred. Call us up—Patton & Gullahorn, phone 2375. 35-3tp

CITY PROPERTY any part of the city. The price and terms are the thing, and we've got 'em both. Phone us and we'll do the rest. Phone 477. Knight & Crawford. 39-3t

AN EAST front 70x150 ft. with 8 large rooms, close in on Travis, \$4500. This place would not be sold at this time for less than thirty-five to thirty-eight hundred dollars and is situated on a lot that is worth \$2,000.00. Will accept trade, this place, or very easy terms if desired. N. O. Monroe, phone 2454. 39-3tp

FOR SALE—A four room house to be moved off lot, bargain. O. F. Marchman, 723 Indiana, Phone 2851. 38-tfc

IF WE should not advertise the kind of model, drive, and waiting, call us. We've got it, and anxious to show you. Phone 477. Knight & Crawford. 39-3t

WILL SELL, and give possession by July 1 large 6 room modern home in Floral Heights. Price \$2750.00. O. F. Marchman, phone 2851. 723 Indiana Avenue. 37-tfc

EXCEPTIONAL bargain on Eliza 12th street, possession to be given 20th. Will not attempt to give details here, but only say that it is complete. Roy R. Nanny, phone 635. 38-3tp

IF YOU have a house or a resident lot that you wish to sell, please call; we will be glad to handle same for you and would be glad to refer you to those who have listed their property with us. This is the best and best of our sales and not our ads of what we are selling, as advertising is very. N. O. Monroe, phone 2454. 39-3tp

IT'S JUST a cottage or a two story bungalow on the pavement or off the pavement we have. The price is right. Go. Phone 477. Knight & Crawford. 39-3t

BEAUTIFUL BUNGALOW on 9th st. practically new, very modern conveniences and improvements, has been incorporated. If you want a nice home you can eliminate the cares of building here for less than original cost. The price will surprise you considering the character of property. Roy R. Nanny, phone 635. 38-3tp

TIME IS MONEY, and we'll prove it if you buy a home from us. We'll make you money—try us. Phone 477. Knight & Crawford. 39-3t

IF YOU are in the market for a nice home or a resident lot we'll be glad to have you call as we have a complete list of each that is direct from the owners of the property, and we have obtained same by collecting lists of the property that is most marketable. N. O. Monroe, phone 2454. 39-3tp

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FOR SALE—An all modern well built five room house in good location, one block of car line, garage, barn; lot fenced and cross fenced, on easy terms. \$2500.00. J. J. Moran, phone 886. 38-3t

FOR SALE—Good six room house, modern, hot and cold water, gas, on 11th st. 1500 block, has garage, good cemented sidewalk, concrete storm cellar. Place will sell quick. Barstow price \$3700.00. Terms to suit. Phone 2506. 40-3t

FOR SALE—Modern 5 room house on 14th st., by owner. Phone 1378. 29-tfc

FOR SALE—8 room modern house very convenient to school, price reasonable if sold at once, by owner. Phone 4201 or call at 1511 14th st. 39-3tp

5 ROOM house on Travis near river, in good repair. \$500 cash, \$2000 monthly payments. Phone 2121. 29-tfc

FIVE ROOM brick cottage, modern throughout and very desirable part of city in Floral Heights for sale at

DRILL TONIGHT MAY BE LAST BEFORE FEDERALIZATION

Announcement from the headquarters of the Wichita Falls companies of the Texas Cavalry states that tonight drill will be held commencing at 8 o'clock and that all members of the guard are expected to be present.

Cooling System Christian Church Very Gratifying

As announced in the papers yesterday and from the report of the cooling system in the First Christian church was put into service last night and rendered the building much more comfortable than it has been at any time since the Vawter meeting began.

J. W. Bradley led the song services with Mrs. J. C. T. Christensen at the piano. R. E. Shepherd sang "His Plan" by Mrs. C. H. Morris, accompanied by Mrs. Shepherd.

There are no shop meetings to be held today as this is W. S. S. Day. Troop No. 7 of the Boy Scouts are very active in the solicitation of sale of War Stamps.

LIEUT. MCCLINTOCK SHOOT AND KILLS HIMSELF

By Associated Press NEW YORK, June 28.—Lieutenant Alexander McClintock, U. S. A., of Lexington, Ky., shot and killed himself today in his room at the Murray Hill baths here, according to a police report.

LIEUT. GISH REACHES ALTITUDE OF 15,100 FEET

By Associated Press FORT WORTH, June 28.—Lieutenant Gish, American aviator, reached an altitude of 15,100 feet this morning, the record for the Fort Worth fields. Two auxiliary fields were added today to the pursuit school at Benbrook.

EVERY SECTION REPRESENTED IN CITATION LIST

By Associated Press WASHINGTON, June 28.—American officers and soldiers, noted for heroism and gallantry in action during the recent Cantigny operations by the commanding general of the French army whose names were mentioned in dispatches June 24 and 25 by the Associated Press correspondent with the American army in France, are from almost every section of the country.

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The Coolest Place in Town

FRANK NICHOLSON HOME FROM OPERATION IN ST. LOUIS

Following two operations undergone within the last three months at St. Johns hospital in St. Louis, after a number of unsuccessful operations here, Frank Nicholson, son of Judge and Mrs. E. W. Nicholson, was able to return to Wichita Falls on Thursday and his condition is expected to improve rapidly.

the second involving a new and difficult process, which is expected to result in a good bone union. Mrs. Nicholson went to St. Louis about a month ago and returned with her son Thursday.

SHORT LINE RAILROADS ASK INCREASED RATE

By Associated Press WASHINGTON, June 28.—More short line railroads today joined in a request to the interstate commerce commission to increase their passenger rate to three cents a mile. Among them is the Union Traction Company, operating in Kansas and Oklahoma.

Heavy Rain Fell At Stamford and Anson Last Night

Heavy rains fell last night between Seymour and Anson, the greatest precipitation being at Stamford where two and one-half inches are reported. Light showers fell at Fort Worth and Quannah got a fairly good downpour.

Deeds Filed For Record.

Mrs. Grace Gerdeman and husband to W. R. Grant lot 9, block 7, Southland addition to the city of Wichita Falls, \$225. A. H. Lafferty and wife to R. E. Beach, lot 5, Goodwin addition to Burk Burnett, \$500.

BENTLEY BACON HAS ARRIVED SAFELY IN FRANCE

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Bacon have received a cord from their son, Bentley, announcing his safe arrival in France. He is a member of an infantry regiment.

Nature's Best Remedy

Wichita Mineral Water S. W. STOUT, PROP. 1600 Holliday St. Phone 33

Plaza Cafe

807 1/2 Indiana Avenue A Regular Place for Regular People at Regular Prices H. O. GOSSETT, Proprietor. Phone 2499

Wichita Cleaning and Dye Works BETTER SERVICE Phone 620

Second Hand Furniture THE BLACK We Sell On Installments We Buy, Sell, Rent and Repair DIAMOND FURNITURE CO. 820 Ohio Ave. W. I. CAMERON, Prop. Telephone 2765

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without having gained, in all his boyhood experiences, the first idea of thrift. T-h-r-i-f-t is another way of spelling—Oh, a number of good words: Prosperity, for a community; success for an individual; credit in business, and security at home.

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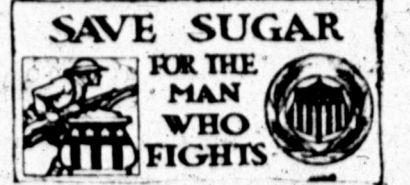
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## IN BRILLIANT ATTACK AMERICANS CLEAR BELLEAU WOOD

### NO CHANGE WILL BE MADE DRAFT AGE LIMITS FOR PRESENT; AN ENLARGED ARMY IS BEING PLANNED

#### BAKER AND MARCH OPPOSE CHANGE IN DRAFT LIMIT NOW

ENOUGH MEN IN CLASS 1 FOR IMMEDIATE NEEDS, SAYS WAR SECRETARY.

#### ENLARGED PROGRAM

Made Known Administration Will Ask for Larger Army in Near Future.

By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, June 26.—The Senate failed to reach a vote today on the bill amending the question of extending the draft age limit went over.

By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, June 26.—Secretary Baker and Major General March, chief of staff, informed the Senate military committee today that they opposed as premature and unnecessary the proposed extension of the army draft age limit.

Provost Marshal General Crowder, whose approval of the extension had been cited by advocates of the change in the Senate, also appeared before the committee to say that while he was not insistent upon immediate legislation, he thought action should be taken in time to secure new registrants under the revised age limits early next year.

In asking that the draft legislation be laid aside for the present, Secretary Baker said that within sixty or ninety days, probably about the middle of August after the proposed recess of Congress, the administration will submit a new comprehensive army program, covering not only the number of men it is proposed to raise, but also dealing with shipping and other problems.

Secretary Baker said an "enlarged" program for the army is planned, but the statement made at the hearing had been closeted with the committee for nearly three hours with his aids.

Enough For Present. "I presented the committee statements," said Mr. Baker, "that for the present there are enough men in class one sufficient for our prospective needs and when the enlarged program of the United States is ready for presentation to Congress we will at the same time have complete data on which to base any recommendations for changes in the age limits of the draft."

After the conference with Secretary Baker and his aides the military committee decided to follow their recommendations and to press for legislation at this time changing the draft age limit.

After Secretary Baker and General March, chief of staff, had opposed a revision of the age limits and announced that within sixty or ninety days the war department would submit to Congress a new and enlarged army program, the Senate military committee today decided to oppose any legislation to change the draft age.

Secretary Baker, General March and General Crowder, it was stated, all opposed the amendment by Senator Johnson of Calif., proposing that in future draft calls, states which already have furnished by voluntary enlistments an excess over their quotas, should be credited for such excess.

Senator Johnson was satisfied with the statement that the present system without credits is fairest, and planned not to press his amendment.

When the Senate re-convened and began consideration of the army bill Chairman Chamberlain formally outlined the statements given by Secretary Baker, General March and Provost Marshal General Crowder.

"Both the secretary and General March are of the opinion," said Mr. Chamberlain, "that no change ought to be made in the age limits at this time. They say that in order to have proper consideration of what the limits should be, a complete investigation (Continued on Page 3)



WOULDN'T YOU STOP IT IF YOU COULD?

#### ITALIANS ATTACK AUSTRIANS ALONG MOUNTAIN FRONT

GAIN GROUND ON MONTE GRAPPA SLOPE AND TAKE MORE THAN 1000 PRISONERS.

#### RAIDS BEING MADE

Believed That Further Heavy Fighting on Western Front Likely—Huns Advance in Russia.

Now that the Piave line is again intact, the Italians have begun operations on the mountain front looking to the further improvement of the positions there. On the northwestern slopes of Monte Grappa between the Brenta and the Piave the Italians have gained considerable ground and taken more than 1,000 prisoners. Italian attacks on the mountain front probably are for the purpose of forestalling any intended enemy effort there as well as to improve the Italian positions. Strong raids are being carried out also on the Asiago plateau.

The Italian gain on Monte Grappa however is most important as the mountain is the key point to the terrain between the Brenta and the Piave and dominates the hills southward to the Venetian plain. It was on this height that the Austrians met with failure in their attempt ten days ago to reach the plain from the north.

In completing the capture of the west bank of the Piave the Italians added 1,600 prisoners to the already large numbers taken from the enemy. While the sudden rise of the river distressed the Austrians, who had crossed to the western bank, the river fell during the enemy retreat, but again has risen, hampering the Italian pursuit on the eastern bank. Apparently the Italians have been content to hold to strong bridgeheads on the eastern bank rather than to attempt to pursue the enemy any distance eastward.

Vienna officially places the Italian losses at 150,000 including 50,000 prisoners. It admits the retirement across the Piave from Montello to the Adriatic but intimates that the Italians did not press the retreat as vigorously as they are reported to have done on the mountain front. It is added, the Italians were repulsed completely.

Raiding operations continue on the front from Switzerland to the sea, especially between Ypres and Rheims where further heavy fighting undoubtedly will take place. German soldiers are reported as being depressed over the Austrian defeat and it is held in some Allied quarters that Germany may make a strong effort almost immediately in an effort to keep up the German and Austrian morale behind the lines.

Apparently Germany has given up hope of reaching a decision on the field of battle if the speech of Foreign Secretary Von Kuehnemann is an indication. He declares that peace must come through negotiation and said that the appearance on European fronts of soldiers from overseas had made this necessary.

#### VON HERTLING DECLARES CONFIDENCE UNSHAKEN

#### GERMANY WILL NOT TAKE CHANCES IN PEACE LEAGUE

VON HERTLING SEES THAT ENEMY PURPOSES TO BE IN CONTROL OF SUCH LEAGUE.

By Associated Press. AMSTERDAM, June 26.—There will be no further discussion of President Wilson's four principles for a basis for general peace by Count Von Hertling, the imperial German chancellor. This announcement was made by the chancellor in the reichstag in the debate after the speech of Foreign Secretary Von Kuehnemann. Proposal of a league of nations after the war is not looked upon with favor by Count Von Hertling, who intimated that such a league might make it uncomfortable for Germany.

"I originally had no intention of taking part in this debate," said the chancellor. "The reasons for my contemplated move are obvious, namely, the experience I had had, together with my predecessor.

"If I spoke our willingness for peace that was regarded as a symptom of weakness and our immediate impending collapse. By others it was interpreted as crafty traps.

"Did we speak of the other hand of our unshakable will to defend ourselves in a war of conquest so criminally thrust upon us, it was said that it was the voice of German militarism to which even the leading statesmen must submit willy-nilly.

"I went a step further on February 28, and expressly stated my attitude toward the message of President Wilson, in which he discussed his four points and gave, in principle, my assent to them. I said that these four points of President Wilson might possibly form the basis of a general world peace. No utterances of President Wilson whatever followed this, so that there is no object in spinning further threads there started.

"There is still less object after statements which have since reached us especially from America. These statements indeed, made it really clear what is to be understood from a peace league of peoples or a league of peoples for maintenance of freedom and justice.

#### Times Will Post Numbers As Drawn

The Times will receive the draft numbers tomorrow as they are drawn in Washington. The numbers will be posted on the windows of the Times building where those interested are invited to call to see them.

The drawing at Washington will start at about 9:30 in the morning and it is expected that it will be completed within three or four hours.

The names and registration numbers of the 1918 class have been published in the Times.

#### CZECHO-SLOVAK LEADERS FAVOR DISARMAMENT

By Associated Press. LONDON, Tuesday, June 25.—It is announced officially in Moscow, says a belated Reuter's dispatch from that city, that some of the most influential leaders of the Czecho-Slovaks are advocating the disarmament of their revolting followers, the number of which they desire to submit to the soviet government is increasing. The soviet government has invited the Czecho-Slovaks to come to a peaceful understanding on the basis of disarmament.

#### AUSTRIA-HUNGARY INTERNAL AFFAIRS NOT IMPROVING

By Associated Press. LONDON, June 26.—The internal situation in Austria-Hungary continues to be disturbed intensely according to the correspondent of the Daily Mail at Annaberg, on the Franco-Swiss frontier, who claims to have authentic sources of information. Under date of Monday, he says the strikes in Hungary are extending. The telegraph and postoffice are working badly.

The unrest, he says, generally has a Bolshevik and anti-military character. Innumerable deserters from the army are taking part and in certain parts of the country these men are arming robber bands.

In Budapest a revolutionary strike is in progress. The food situation in Austria has not improved and the correspondent says it is not probable, despite Germany's help, that the entire country is slowly starving to death.

#### ITALIAN GUNS SLAUGHTER ENEMY BY WHOLESALE

EVEN AFTER AUSTRIANS CROSSED PIAVE-TIES OF WERE CAUGHT BY DEADLY FIRE.

#### LOSSES VERY HEAVY

Estimates Place Them as High as 200,000—Italians Capture Much War Materials.

By Associated Press. ITALIAN ARMY HEADQUARTERS, Tuesday, June 25.—Under the fire of Italian machine guns and artillery which were brought up rapidly the Austrian withdrawal across the Piave soon became a disorderly rout. It is estimated the Austrian losses total more than 200,000.

It was a terrible sight as the maddened Austrians fled under the deluge of Italian bullets and shells. They leaped into the river, and grabbed pieces of wood or anything that would aid them; they tied themselves to mules and horses but their efforts were in vain, for as the enemy troops reached the opposite bank they were again caught by the fire of Italian guns which had been trained accurately on the eastern bank for some days.

On the Montello the slaughter was terrific. Bodies of Austrian troops were mowed down almost in their entirety. On the crossing at Nervesa both banks of the river were strewn with dead and dying while hundreds of bodies were carried down in the current to the sea.

Bodies Cover Ground. At one place the correspondent counted three hundred bodies while walking a distance of half a mile. One regiment of covering troops which originally was composed of more than 2,000 men had left Monday but 88 men to the company and these were prisoners.

Along the lower Piave the Austrians fought themselves, if possible, in a worse position and sustained heavier losses. A single episode shows how and why the retreat started. On Saturday the Austrians sent the 51st Scheutzen brigade composed of regiments numbers 31 and 32, with orders to widen the Austrian breach at Lampol and to do this at all hazards. The brigade attempted to carry out this order and fought like wild men, but the Italian pressure was so terrific that they were unable to accomplish their object, which was to succor the Austrian divisions already surrounded in this section.

After six attacks which continued Saturday night and Sunday morning there remained at one o'clock Monday afternoon only 90 men of this brigade. The others were either prisoners, wounded or dead. The command of 59 men committed suicide and the rest surrendered.

A Proud Anniversary. Yesterday was the anniversary of the battle of Solferino, in which the French and Italian armies defeated the Austrians 59 years ago. The victory was proudly emulated by the Italian army.

#### OVERCOME CRACK HUN TROOPS; 216 PRISONERS COUNTED UP TO 10 A. M.

By Associated Press. WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, June 26.—In an attack upon the German lines on the Marne front last night the American troops extended their line northwest of Belleau wood. Up to ten o'clock this morning 216 prisoners had been counted together with a number of machine guns and other booty. Additional prisoners are coming in.

The attack was preceded by a thirteen hour bombardment from the American artillery.

German prisoners taken pay tribute to the brilliant dash of the Americans, declaring the men in the assaulting party fought like demons.

The Americans now are in possession of virtually all the valuable tactical possessions in the Belleau wood sector. Most of the prisoners taken belong to the 347th German division.

On Sunday the Germans placed the crack 201st division opposite a portion of the American line. Despite this the Americans went through in steam roller fashion.

The Germans also had attempted on Saturday to fill the wood with gas, but the determination and heroism of the Americans could not be checked by the circumstance.

The American artillery brilliantly carried out its part in throwing the entire line into confusion.

#### ITALIAN FORCES CONTINUE ADVANCE ALONG THE PIAVE

By Associated Press. ITALIAN ARMY HEADQUARTERS, Monday, June 24.—The Duke of Aosta's third army continued today to advance along the Piave front, in the Capo Sile region, cleaning up the positions abandoned by the Austrians, picking up the abandoned war material, burying the masses of dead and reorganizing the entire defense system which has been badly cut up during the last ten days.

The silence of death, it might be said, prevails today along the greater part of the Piave river line. The scene at some places where the fighting had been extremely severe, such as the Montello region was one of awful confusion. From this region to the sea, also, every little village near the fighting line was a ruin with hardly a house left, one stone or brick left in place, the dead being mixed up with the heaps of debris in an unextricable tangle.

Former Director D. A. R. INDICTED IN NEW YORK

By Associated Press. NEW YORK, June 26.—Following an investigation of the financial affairs of the National Emergency Relief Society, Mrs. William Cummins Storey, former director general of the Daughters of the American Revolution, was indicted here on charges of grand larceny, petit larceny and conspiracy.

#### KANSAS CITY POLICE CHIEF IS DEAD

By Associated Press. KANSAS CITY, June 26.—Thomas P. Flahive, chief of police of this city, died today after a long illness. He was 59 years old.

#### BRITISH PLACE EVERY CONFIDENCE IN LIBERTY MOTOR

By Associated Press. LONDON, June 26.—Tests which recently have been applied in France to the country to the latest Alexander Kerensky engine have justified the prediction that it would prove a most valuable contribution to Allied resources and the United States can go ahead and push its production with every confidence.

These are the words of Sir William Weir, the new secretary to the air ministry, who presided at the Weir Wright lecture delivered by Dr. Dr. Ward, scientific attaché of the American embassy, in the central hall at Westminster, Tuesday evening.

#### NEW SECTOR HELD BY AMERICANS IN GEBVILER REGION

By Associated Press. WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, June 26.—The new sector held by American troops in Alsace is in the region northwest of Gebviller. This sector is not far from the famous Hartmannswamp, the scene of so much hard fighting in the past.

The Americans are now holding a considerable front in three different sectors in Alsace.

#### KERENSKY FORMER RUSSIAN PREMIER REACHES LONDON

By Associated Press. LONDON, June 26.—Alexander Kerensky, former provisional premier of Russia, has arrived in London.

Former Premier Kerensky is on his way to America.

Ex-Premier Kerensky has been in London for several days. He has kept in retirement however and few Americans have been aware of his arrival. His health is bad and those who have seen him say he has gone through many adventures in escaping from Russia and in his journey to England.

"I believe, indeed I am certain," said the former premier, "that the Russian people will shortly join you in the fight for the great cause of freedom.

Kerensky reached London incoherent four days ago. Since then he has moved about quietly though busily conferring with prominent Russians in England over the necessity of Entente Allied assistance in Russia.

Kerensky expects to go to America in a week or ten days.

WASHINGTON SPECULATES ON KERENSKY'S MISSION

By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, June 26.—London dispatches today reported Alexander Kerensky there and on his way here besides bringing the first information of former Russian dictator's whereabouts since he was deposed over eight months ago, Kerensky's visit here has caused speculation on the purpose of his visit here. Various reports are of dying or dead and always a fugitive from the Bolsheviks, nothing is known here of how Kerensky, hailed by many as a man of destiny, managed to make his way out of Russia.

Arriving in London at a time when the Entente governments and the United States are considering as a foremost question how they shall aid Russia to release herself from the German yoke, Kerensky's visit is regarded by many officials and diplomats as having large possibilities.

#### 50 NAMES ADDED CASUALTY LIST OF THE MARINES

By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, June 26.—The brilliant fighting of the American marines in France has not been without its toll of death. Today's casualty report added fifty names to the list, forty-six being killed in action and brought the total marine casualty list to date to 1,112.

A summary of marine casualties issued today shows 341 deaths, of which 13 were officers; 769 wounded of which 29 were officers and two missing in the hands of the enemy.

#### MORE TIME GIVEN FOR RETURN OF RAILROADS

By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, June 26.—After amending so as to prohibit relinquishment of federal court over one railroad while control over a competing line is retained, the Senate interstate commerce committee today ordered favorably reported a resolution extending from July 1, 1918, until January 1, 1919, the period provided in the rail-road control act during which the government can return carriers to private ownership.

OVER 900,000 AMERICAN TROOPS SENT OVERSEAS

GEN. MARCH SAYS ENEMY HELD FIRMLY BUT EXPECTS FURTHER HEAVY BLOWS.

THE VITAL FACTOR

America Must Get Enough Troops Across to Give Gen. Foch a Mastering Superiority.

By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, June 22.—Definite word from Rome of the repulse of the Austrian drive in Italy coupled with announcement by General March, chief of staff, that American troop movements in France had now actually exceeded 900,000 added today to the growing cheerfulness apparent at the war department recently.

General March told the newspaper men in his conference that the United States is five months in advance of its schedule for troop movements. He outlined the battle positions in France and drew the conclusion that the enemy was being held firmly on all fronts, though expecting further great blows.

The chief of staff's statements furnished the first authoritative information as to progress made by the government in meeting the challenge of the latest German drive. When the first blow was struck on the Cambrai-Quenoin line March 21, troop shipments were behind schedule.

200,000 Men in Two Weeks. Approximately 200,000 men have been embarked the last two weeks. The total movements during May was more than 240,000. Only two weeks ago Secretary Baker announced more than 100,000 had been shipped; a week later, at the first conference with the newspaper men, General March said the 800,000 mark had been passed.

On this showing the million mark should be passed by July 1. The problem of transportation forbids a definite prediction.

General March made it clear that time gained in getting abroad enough American troops to give General Foch supreme command, a mastering superiority over the enemy, is the vital factor.

"The general situation looks well," was General March's comment as he looked at the great war map where all the operations are marked out. "The lack of fighting along the French front is of primary importance to the Allies, by giving us a chance to get more man power over."

Great Battle Not Over. "The present lull on the western front simply means Germany is re-fitting her combat divisions and preparing for another drive. It does not mean the great battle is over. We can look forward to a repetition of what we have been passing through these past few months, as far as German activity is concerned."

General March refused to comment on the proposal to send an international expedition into Siberia. He was exceedingly reticent also as to American participation on the Italian front.

American troops have done well wherever the test of battle has come thus far, General March said regarding the character of the troops, whether national guard, national army, regulars or marines.

The fight at Cantigny, the most important engagement in which American troops have participated, because it gave opportunity to judge of the full measure of the fighting spirit of the troops, was fought by the first division commanded by Major General Robert L. Bullard. This division is now, he said, a thoroughly trained, high grade unit which was the first American division to reach France.

A Great Achievement. One of the most striking things on the western front, the chief of staff declared, was the supreme importance of a unified command. This was first advocated, he added, by President Wilson, and carried through under the President's constant pressure and the appointment of General Foch.

General March regarded that as one of the greatest single military achievements of the Allies, which was already showing its effect in the fighting.

During the past week General March said, the fighting in France has been of a minor character. Interest in the Allies has centered on the Italian front where the Austrian drive at two points on the Piave line penetrates deeply enough to cause concern. That offensive has now been checked, he added, and the swollen waters of the Piave side in repelling the attack.

General March deprecated discussion of the participation of American combat forces on the Italian front for the present.

Some American ambulance sections are in Italy but the chief of staff thought it wisest to disclose any other movements in prospect for that front at this time.

CHINESE TROOPS AVAILABLE TO USE WITH JAPANESE. LONDON, June 22.—Chinese are available for co-operation with the Japanese at Harbin and near the Siberian frontier and if necessary more will be sent, General Tsan Chi Juli, Chinese premier and war minister, told the Peking correspondent of the Daily Mail.

The threatening situation on our frontier certainly demands safeguards. We do not want the bolsheviks in China.



BILLIONS FOR HEAVY ARTILLERY WILL BE SPENT

LARGEST APPROPRIATIONS EVER MADE IN HISTORY FOR THIS PURPOSE APPROVED.

WASHINGTON, June 22.—Plans of the war department for carrying the warfare on the western front by a vast production of heavy mountain, siege and field guns were made known today through the approval by the House appropriations committee of the largest fortification program ever submitted by any government.

The bill carries a total of \$5,435,096,224, the principal expenditures being for heavy artillery. Of the entire sum \$2,909,000,000 is asked as cash appropriation and the remainder for contract authorizations.

Based on an army of three million men the plans which the measure supports have been approved by the inter-Allied war council through General Pershing. It was stated by Representative Borland of Missouri, chairman of the subcommittee which framed the bill, while the program provides for home defenses from possible German air raids and for coast defense, the chief concern is for the production of field artillery.

The total appropriation for heavy guns is \$1,221,731,295. The report of the committee shows that the new government plant for production of heavy guns at Neville Island, in the Ohio River, near Pittsburgh, is to equal the famous Krupp plant in Germany.

For the Neville Island plant \$40,000,000 is appropriated. Manufacture of heavy pieces will be carried on also at plants of the Bethlehem and Midvale Steel plants, the report discloses.

The report of the committee gives facts obtained from the war department showing that General Pershing has been buying field artillery in large quantities from French manufacturers a portion of the total appropriation will go to pay these contracts.

YOUNG DENTIST ACCIDENTALLY SHOT AND KILLED AT DALLAS. SAN ANTONIO, TEX., June 22.—Dr. Isadore Freshman, 21 years old, of Dallas, was shot and fatally wounded in a shooting in the morning in his apartment in the Lanier Hotel.

The bullet was fired from a pistol in the hands of Dr. Charles W. McCullough, 33 years old of Comanche, Texas, his "chum" since boyhood days.

9 Strikers Killed; Others Wounded in a Clash in Budapest

By Associated Press. AMSTERDAM, June 22.—Nine strikers were killed and 36 others wounded in a clash today with the police at the government railway shops in Budapest, according to a telegram received here from the Hungarian capital.

EXTENSION OF STRIKE DEEMED INADVISABLE. By Associated Press. AMSTERDAM, June 22.—The Arbeiter Zeitung of Vienna says that the labor council which submitted detailed demands to the government and expressed the hope that the "harmful" strike in the industrial world would be sufficient to show the government that wages and food conditions urgently need reform, has decided that an extension of the strike is inadvisable pending negotiations.

A London dispatch of June 20 quoting a telegram to the Exchange Telegraph from Zurich said that more than 150,000 persons had gone on strike in Vienna and that riots had occurred in the suburbs of the city.

FALSE VERSION EMPEROR'S SPEECH SENT TO AUSTRIA. By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, June 22.—Emperor William's latest speech was not permitted to reach Austria-Hungary in its original form. An official dispatch from Zurich today says the Zurich Volkrecht on comparing the official text with the versions prepared by the official Wolff Agency for transmission to Austria found several "suggestive falsifications."

LUDENDORFF SAYS GERMANY HAS NO MORE FOOD RESERVES. By Associated Press. PARIS, June 22.—A dispatch from Basel, Switzerland, to the Havas Agency says that Ludendorff, first quartermaster general of the German armies in reply to an appeal to the mayor of Vienna for assistance in the food crisis, said he was taking "from my heart, his serious diffi-

culties, but it is unfortunately impossible from German sources—more than ever before, all the importations of cereals from the Ukrain, Rumania and Bessarabia have been allotted, without exception to Austria.

Notwithstanding the difficulties of our own food situation, I placed in April, May and June shipments destined for the west front at the disposition of Austria. But now there are no more reserves of this sort and I am not in a position to furnish other aid.

In a similar vein, the mayor of Budapest, after expressing his sympathy for Vienna's situation, declared it is impossible for him to aid the inhabitants of the Austrian capital. He added, however, that he was passing forward the request for assistance to the Hungarian food minister.

VIENNA COUNCIL CALLS ATTENTION TO SITUATION. By Associated Press. PARIS, June 22.—The municipal council of Vienna has drawn up resolutions calling the attention of the government to the grave danger in Vienna and the threatening of public tranquility by the bread reduction and other serious food difficulties, according to a dispatch to the Havas Agency from Basel, Switzerland.

The Vienna newspapers print stories of street disorders which include the derailing of trams and attacks on stores and cafes. Bakers wagons also have been pillaged during the agitation over the reduction of the bread allowances. The police are taking rigorous measures to prevent a recurrence of the disorders.

RUMORED ATTEMPT ON LIFE AUSTRIAN EMPEROR (BULLETIN). LONDON, June 22.—Reports are current on the Amsterdam Exchange today that an attempt has been made on the life of Emperor Charles of Austria, says a Central News dispatch from Amsterdam. The reports are unconfirmed.

WASHINGTON ON GUARD AGAINST PEACE OFFENSIVE. By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, June 22.—Warnings by British Foreign Minister Balfour, statements by Count Buhan, the Austrian foreign minister, and editorials in Austrian and German newspapers, all bearing on the question of peace negotiations, have put the officials here on their guard against what has come to be known as a German "peace offensive."

They find on a close study of the diplomacy of the great war up to date that these movements always are to be expected when the central powers have completed an offensive which has resulted in a gain of entente territory.

89 VESSELS WILL BE LAUNCHED IN U.S. ON JULY 4TH

LARGEST NUMBER SHIPS AND GREATEST TONNAGE PUT INTO WATER IN ONE DAY.

349,886 TONNAGE

Launchings on Independence Day Will Be One-Third More Than in Entire Year.

By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, June 22.—Celebration of July 4 this year will be notable by the launching from American shipyards of the largest number of ships of greatest tonnage ever put into the water in one day.

Independence Day's contribution to the merchant fleet will be at least 89 vessels with a capacity of 349,886 deadweight tons. In addition, workmen are straining every nerve to complete six other hulls which would make the total tonnage 470,886.

The conservative estimate of launchings to take place July 4 is one-third more than the entire production of sea-going tonnage in the United States yards in the fiscal year 1915-1916 and exceeds by 42,000 tons the launchings for 1901, the record year in American ship building.

The shipping board's banner construction month of May will be eclipsed in one day.

Thirty-seven hulls to be launched will be steel, with a tonnage of 254,686. They will include the 12,500 ton cargo carrier William Penn, the 12,000 tons Challenger of the same type, the Three Sisters, Independence, Victorious and Deffiance, all of the 11,800 ton class, three refrigerating ships of 9,400 tons each and eight 3,800 ton freighters.

GERMANS CLAIM BLOODY REPULSE FRANCO-AMERICANS

By Associated Press. BRUSSELS, June 22.—French and American partial attacks northwest of Chateau Thierry were "repulsed with great slaughter," says the German official statement today.

"Between Arras and Albert the enemy's violent partial thrusts were kept up yesterday and up to this morning. They ended in complete failure for the enemy."

"On both sides of Scarpe, near Boiry-Becquerelle, Hebuterne and Hamel and in the Aveluy wood strong British detachments were driven back in some places in bitter hand to hand fighting. At other points on the front the British also pushed forward several reconnaissances in vain. In warding off the enemy thrusts and in our own thrusts south of the Somme we captured prisoners."

"An enemy air raid on Bruges caused casualties to the population. The text of the statement follows: "Southwest of Noyon the enemy, using strong detachments, repeated his fruitless attacks south of Vandeleucourt. There has been lively enemy activity between the Oise and the Marne. Reconnoitering thrusts several times launched by the French were unsuccessful."

Among the injured are the following: Arthur Adair, Chicago; M. Anderson, Chicago; A. M. Ball, Cincinnati; Jack Baily, Peru, Ind.; Williams Burns, Lockport, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Brown, Denver; R. B. Briny, Charles Brown, Erie, Pa.; Bullard, Baraboo, Wis.; W. H. Curtis, West Baden, Ind.; Mrs. W. H. Curtis, Joe Coyle, Cincinnati; Ben Carpenter, Everett, Wash.; Frank Vanvorst, James Crawford, Bernard Carmen, Philadelphia; William Dalley, Providence, R. I.; John Dempsey, New York City; William Davis, Columbus, Miss.; Decker, George, Danabun, Middletown, O.; Frank Dilley, Ed Devone, Mrs. Donovan, Lillian Davis, Jos. Donohue, Indianapolis; Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Enos, Bloomington, Ill.; Charles Emerson, Charles Gross, Indianapolis; G. H. Goodman, Carl Green, Geo. Green, James Grasper; The Garracks; Charles Hitchcock; James Hitchcock; Carl Hutchinson, Earl Hitchcock; Albert E. Ingram, Lexington, Md.; James Johnson; Paul Kramer, Peru, Ind.; Gus Lindstrom, Bloomington, Ill.; Ardell Lesman, Reading, Pa.; P. Wright, Louis, Tenn.; Lolo James Leo; Reno McCree, Toledo, O.; Bertie McIntosh; John McFadden; John Moore; James Matthews; John Miller; William Michael; Charles Emerson; James Moore; Steubenville, O.; Alonzo Moore, Deffiance, O.; John Nelson, Joliet, Ill.; Dewey Nunnell, Lexington, Ky.; Charles Norcross; Max Nitzhorn; Chas. Olson; Bob O'Connor; Arthur Parks; John Pfelekenberger; Albert Palmer; Chester Polk; Manuel Rickard; Elmer Runstedter, Detroit; G. F. Ryan; James Reed; Ed Rapier; Jack Robinson; A. F. Roberts; Memphis, Tenn.; W. M. Steeter; Columbus Smith; Wm. Smith; S. Steinhouser; M. Strong; Wm. Summers, Bloomington, Ill.; S. S. Turnbull; Wm. Thurman; Wm. Thurman; Parson Waddell, Columbus, O.; Mr. and Mrs. Ward, Bloomington, Ill.; Gus Werner, West Baden, Ind.; C. F. Wright; Louis Williams; and Williams; Alex. Williamson; Nick Williams; Walter Williams; Wm. Ward; Thomas Young.

Fritz cautioned to look out for "bad boy" Sammy.

By Associated Press. WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, June 22.—The American soldiers now are regarded by their German antagonists as "bad boys" for whom the German soldiers are cautioned to "look out," according to a young German deserter who surrendered to the Americans last night.

This willing prisoner added that conditions in the German lines are constantly were growing worse. He had deserted because he was war weary and underfed and he declared many of his fellows would desert if they had the chance.

There have been lively machine gun and rifle fire actions and intermittent artillery fire in the northern section of the Belleau wood, where the Americans gradually are smoking out the remnants of the German machine gun nests. Otherwise the Marne front has been quiet.

The 28th German division has been relieved by the 37th. The new comers are said to be only a second rate, whereas the 28th was considered by the Germans as one of their best.

GERMANY WILL SEND 5,000 TONS GRAIN TO AUSTRIA. COPENHAGEN, June 22.—A Vienna dispatch reports that Germany has agreed to send 5,000 tons of grain from her military stocks to Austria. Germany demands, however, that a similar amount of grain must be returned before July 16.

TRAIN OF EMPTY CARS SMASHED CIRCUUS TRAIN STALLED ON SWITCH

By Associated Press. GARY, Ind., June 22.—Sixty one persons are known to be dead and 178 are in hospitals in Gary and Hammond tonight as a result of a collision at dawn today between an equipment train and a Wallace-Hagenback circus train on the Michigan Central Railway, five miles west of Gary. Virtually all victims were members of the circus.

Thirty seven bodies, all except one charred beyond recognition, had been placed in Gary undertaking establishments tonight. Twenty three bodies have been taken to Hammond. Identification of all except a few corpses was not attempted today. The identified dead:

At Gary—Mrs. Alex Todd, Bloomington, Ill.; Hammond: John Collins, property man; Arthur Derrix, Belgian strong man; Mrs. Joe Coyle, and two sons, aged 9 and 2 1/2.

Search of the wreck car bodies continue today. A troop train of 21 empty cars, traveling a straight track, totally demolished three of the flimsy circus coaches and badly damaged a fourth.

Stalled By Hot Box. According to reports to local authorities, the circus train pulled part way into a switch, and stalled there on account of a hot box. The flagman went on the main track and set fuses as a warning of danger. The circus train was in this position when the equipment train plowed into its four sleepers, reducing them to a pile of tangled steel and timbers.

Fire started by the gas lighting system of the circus train, broke out almost immediately and when rescuers reached the scene the entire wreckage was in flames. Clowns, bareback riders, trapeze performers and acrobats, many of them veterans in the circus world, perished in the crash. Other victims were suffocated and burned.

Attempts of the Gary fire department to curb the flames failed for lack of water. Survivors struggled about the wreckage, screaming for relatives or friends and only force prevented some from rushing into the blazing wreckage. Hours after the crash, bodies were recovered as the derricks of wrecking trains thinned out the pile of debris.

Lost Wife And Two Babies. Joe Coyle, a clown, wept bitterly as he stretched a stretcher and told how his wife and two babies had joined him only recently after months of absence and how all three had been crushed to death at his very side.

His babies had been so sick that he could have died with them.

Wild rumors spread that several lions had escaped from the train to the woods south of the wreck. Circus authorities said no wild animals were on the train. They also discredited reports that one circus woman, named, had saved the doctors and traced off into the woods, clad only in night clothing.

The circus was to have played today at Hammond. It was estimated that a number of the dead and injured are negroes employed as "razor-backs."

The Known Dead. Earl Michael Berry, Schenectady, N. Y.; M. Veronica Connor, Mrs. Joe Coyle and two sons, Cincinnati, O.; Miss Louise Cottrell, London, Eng.; John Collins, New Haven, Conn.; Mr. and Mrs. D. Cattaneo, Chicago; Arthur Derrick, Erie, Pa.; Joseph Derrick; Max Derrick; Miss Jewell; Fred Lidgett; Mrs. Hatie McCree; Henry Miller; Miss Louise Moseley; Ross Howland, John Howland; Mrs. Jennie Todd, Bloomington, Ill.; Fred Whipple, Michigan City, Mich.

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ENGINEER SARGENT RELEASED FROM CUSTODY. KALAMAZOO, MICH., June 24.—Alonzo K. Sargent, engineer of the train of empty Pullman cars which crashed into the Hagenback-Wallace circus train near Gary, Ind., Saturday was released from custody this forenoon.

ENGINEER SICK; DID NOT SEE SIGNALS. By Associated Press. HAMMOND, IND., June 24.—Attorney Charles J. Mcadden, representing the Wallace-Hagenback circus, today explained that Engineer Alonzo Sargent of the empty train which crashed into a circus train near Gary Saturday, was sick owing to illness and did not see the signals of danger. Sargent, he said, remained near the wreck for six hours and then being worn out left for Kalamazoo.

BULGARIA AND TURKEY FALL OUT OVER THE SPOILS

AMSTERDAM, June 22.—Differences have arisen between Bulgaria and Turkey over the division of lands taken from Rumania under the peace agreement with the central powers. Dr. Von Kuehlmann, the German foreign secretary, indicated yesterday, in addressing the reichstag, the first reading of the Rumanian peace treaty.

"As in the present case it is a matter of difference of opinion between two of our allies, which will be bridged, we must bound our aid as by an act of equal ties to Bulgaria and Turkey, avoid everything which could evoke the impression abroad that the German policy favored the claims of one of the parties."

"The question of Dobruja or of the compensation due to Turkey, if this question be solved in the Bulgarian sense, has in a high degree excited public opinion in both countries, which are looking with keen anticipation for every expression of the central powers."

PATHEPIC SCENES ON SHOW LOT IN HAMMOND. HAMMOND, IND., June 22.—A weeping and bandaged bronze of men and women gathered silently about the wreck and killed ticket wagon on the Hammond circus grounds this afternoon.

They were the survivors of the Hagenback-Wallace circus train wrecked, and were seeking word of the fate of their friends and fellow players, who were to have given Hammond its first circus of the year today. Birmingham, Charles Dollmer, manager of the show, who escaped from the wreck after throwing his wife from a window, began the task of registering the sur-

PHONE OPERATORS GET WAGE RAISE STRIKE CALLED OFF

INCREASE OF 18.10 PER CENT IN PAY OF ALL OPERATORS GRANTED.

WALKOUT IS AVERTED

Company Will Be Given Hearing on Application for Raise in Rates.

All danger of a strike of the operators of the Wichita Falls exchange of the Southwestern Telephone Company is now over. Mr. B. Marlow stated Saturday afternoon, after a prolonged conference had been held by business men of the city, heads of the telephone company and the operators.

The fact that a military camp was served by the local exchange complicated matters and delayed possibility of a walkout. There was no organization among the operators, but some of those acting as spokesmen stated that they felt that in view of the fact that the rates to subscribers had been increased, their wages should be raised.

The letter sent to Mr. Gates follows: "The Southwestern Telephone and Telephone Co., Wichita Falls, Gentlemen: "On your application for a hearing for an increase in rates for exchange service at your Wichita Falls exchange."

"You are hereby notified that we will give you an opportunity for a full and complete hearing at the regular meeting of the Board of Arbitration of the City of Wichita Falls, Texas, to be held Thursday evening, July 11, 1918, and at such meeting on the days following as may be necessary to enable you to present your facts fully and completely."

COMPLETE LIST CANDIDATES FOR STATE SENATE

- By Associated Press DALLAS, TEX., June 22.—The following is a complete list of candidates for nomination for the state senate in the democratic primaries of July 27. Senators hold over in districts in which no candidates are named: District 1: R. P. Dorrough, Texarkana.

MRS. L. J. KELLY CHARGED VIOLATION MILK ORDINANCE A complaint charging violation of the pure food regulations in regard to the sale of milk was filed against Mrs. L. J. Kelly, living about nine miles from Wichita Falls Saturday.

THESE ASPIRE TO CONGRESSIONAL HONORS IN TEXAS

By Associated Press DALLAS, TEX., June 22.—Numerous candidates are eager for the nomination for congress from the eighteen congressional districts in Texas, according to a list compiled from reports from a large proportion of the counties in the state.

The following is the list: First district: Eugene Black, of Clarksville, incumbent. Second district: George C. O'Brien, Beaumont; J. C. Box, Jacksonville; V. A. Collins, Beaumont; Stephen King, Nacogdoches and C. A. Ricks, Huntington.

Third district: James Young, Kaufman, incumbent. Fourth: Sam Rayburn, Bonham, incumbent; R. E. Lovelace, Ravenna, incumbent; Hatton W. Summers, incumbent.

Sixth: Rufus Hardy, Corsicana, incumbent and E. A. Bechard. Seventh: Clay Stone Briggs, Galveston; W. L. Hill, Huntsville, incumbent; Alexander W. Greig, Palestine, incumbent; Jeff McLemore, congressman-at-large; Joseph J. Masfield, Columbus, incumbent. Tenth: James P. Buchanan, incumbent.

Eleventh: Tom Connally, Marlin, incumbent. Twelfth: James J. Wilson, Fort Worth, incumbent; and James W. Swayne, Fort Worth. Thirteenth: Charles F. Spenser, Decatur; Lucian W. Parrish, Henrietta; Edgar P. Haney, Wichita Falls.

Fourteenth: James L. Slayden, incumbent; Carlos Bee, A. P. Barrett, all of San Antonio. Fifteenth: John C. Garner, Uvalde, incumbent. Sixteenth: Zach Lamar Cobb, Claude; B. Hudspeth, both of El Paso.

Seventeenth: Thomas L. Blanton, Abilene, incumbent; Joe Adkins, Brady; William G. Blackmon, Oscar Galloway, Avoca. Eighteenth: Marvin Jones, incumbent; J. W. Grudginton, Amarillo; J. L. Luckey, Claude.

PATE AND WILFONG MAKE HIGH SCORES AT WEEKLY SHOOT

S. A. Wilfong and C. J. Pate shot in fine form at the regular weekly shoot of the Wichita Falls gun club Friday afternoon. Each broke 47 out of fifty targets, Pate winning in the 25 target shoot off breaking all of them. In the last fifty-one targets Pate broke all without a miss. Wilfong did not have such good luck in the shoot off breaking only 19 of the 25 targets.

A feature of the shoot was the work of Frank Wood, breaking 43 targets while Chas. Greenburg, a new man at the traps, broke 42 out of a possible fifty. Observers are picking Mr. Greenburg as a "comer" in the shooting game. He hasn't yet mastered the left angles and when he does it is predicted that he will be a strong contender for first honors.

LOCAL BOARD WILL ENFORCE WORK OR FIGHT ORDER

REGISTRANTS WARNED MUST BE AT USEFUL WORK BY JULY ONE.

ONLY 2 SIDES NOW

One is Army and Other is Industrial Organizations Supporting the Army.

Draft registrants who are not engaged in some useful employment, on July 1 will not be reclassified but will be picked up and sent to a training camp for army service, according to a statement issued by the Wichita county draft board today.

Insurance agents, real estate agents and lawyers have been added to the classes considered by the provost marshal general as in employment necessary to the maintenance of the country, according to the board. The board quotes the following excerpt from the "Work or Fight" as giving the definition of non productive occupations, with the statement that the above named classes have been also included in the non productive occupations.

"Section 121K. Definition of non productive occupation or employment. "In the present emergency it is not possible to extend the protection of deferred classification to those registrants engaged in certain occupations or employments which are non productive. There is a great demand for labor in all productive occupations and especially in agriculture and other necessary industries. Therefore, registrants who have been given deferred classification and who can engage in some productive occupation without substantial financial loss or hardship to themselves or others should be willing to seek some productive occupation or enter the military service, rather than remain in an occupation or employment which the army is rendering no effective assistance to the nation."

"If a registrant is idle, he, of course, is not occupied or employed at all and his status of idleness is ground for the withdrawal of his deferred classification or late order number, and the regulations applicable to idleness shall be deemed applicable also to members of all description and employees of race tracks and bucket shops and fortune tellers, clairvoyants, palmists and the like, who for the purpose of the regulations shall be considered as idlers."

Those Who Must Change. "The employment or engagement of any able bodied registrant of military age in any of the following occupations or employments is not sufficiently effective, in the present emergency, to justify the postponement of his call into military service, notwithstanding he may have a late order number and notwithstanding he may have been placed in Class II, III or IV on the ground of dependency, and all registrants engaged as follows are to be considered by local and district boards as engaged in non productive occupations or employments: "Persons engaged in the serving of food and drink, or either, in public places, including hotels and social clubs."

Passenger elevator operators, and attendants; and doormen, footmen, carriage operators and other attendants in clubs, hotels, stores, apartment houses, office buildings and bathhouses. "Persons including ushers and other attendants, engaged and occupied in and in connection with games, sports and amusements, including actual performers in legitimate concerts, operas or theatrical performances. "Persons employed in domestic service. "Sales clerks and other clerks employed in stores and other mercantile establishments."

The statement of the board continues: "After reading this law every individual should know himself whether he is in an employment necessary to the military status of this country. There are only two sides now, the army, the other industrial organizations supporting the army. If you are not in one or the other, this law will apply to you, so you will please not let the local board about this work or fight law. "You will please take notice that on the first of July, if you are not in some useful employment, you are not to be reclassified. The army is sending you to the army, regardless of classification."



What Is Your Baby Worth to You?

That baby of yours—he's the very center of the world to you. When he laughs you laugh, when he suffers you suffer. His future—to you that is the most important problem of life. His future—the conditions under which he is to live depend upon the outcome of this war. His future—the education that is to fit him for the world may depend upon the size of the family "nest egg" when he grows up.

Protect the future of that baby of yours—protect him from future wars, provide for his education. Join the millions of other American fathers and mothers. Invest for that baby of yours on June 28th National War Savings Day. Every \$4.17 invested now in W. S. S. will pay you—or the baby—\$5.00 in January, 1923. Buy all you can for "that baby of yours."

National War Savings Committee This space contributed to the Winning of the War by THE TIMES PUBLISHING CO.

GERMANY WILL NOT TAKE CHANCES IN PEACE LEAGUE

(Continued from page 1.) troops now are being shipped in opinion he fulfilled the task nobly. The chancellor said he would not go into the question of the responsibility for the war. "There are already testimonies that Germany was not to blame," he added.

"I feel obliged to clear away the misunderstanding which, it seems we received in the interpretation in the second part of the state secretary's statement," he continued. "The tendency of these utterances of the state secretary was purely to ascribe the responsibility for the continuation and immeasurable prolongation of this terrible war to the enemy powers entirely in the sense I had indicated on February 24, for it goes without saying there can be no question of lessening our energetic defense or our will, or of shaking our confidence in victory."

Stoic applause followed this utterance by the chancellor. "Now as before," he added, "the ruler of the empire, the princes and the people stand closely and confidently together. They trust in our incomparable troops, our incomparable army leaders and our united people, which are unshakably standing together and we may hope that the Almighty, who hitherto has helped us and led us from victory to victory, will reward this faithful German people."

BAKER AND MARCH OPPOSE CHANGE IN DRAFT LIMIT NOW

(Continued from page 1.) ought to be made of the number of men now subject to the draft, the number of men that can be transported to France and the shipping available. They say that no harm can be done or delay occasioned by postponement of changing the ages until September and they very much advise against a change until this investigation can be had.

"The committee was advised that troops now are being shipped in French and British bottoms and that there may be some changes in that arrangement July 1—either that the arrangement will continue or more American tonnage will be available. They feel that before any change should be made there should be a full investigation made before disturbing the social and business conditions of the country."

"The committee concluded by a majority vote that it would not be best to undertake at this time a change in the draft limits." Senator Smoot of Utah asked for General Crowder's views and Senator Chamberlain replied: "General Crowder was appealed to and substantially stated that it was his duty to carry out the war department's work and not recommend policies. I think we all can read between the lines of General Crowder's statement, and I think the feels, like I and many Senators do, that a change in the age limits eventually will have to be made."

ITALIAN GUNS SLAUGHTER ENEMY BY WHOLESALE

(Continued from page 1.) Italian army in the present fighting. In fleeing the Austrians left behind them much war material. The enemy troops even threw away their rifles and deserted hundreds of machine guns which were to have been used to protect the retreat.

It is estimated that the number of Austrians on the western bank of the Piave when the retreat began was over 100,000. This great number of men, however, could do nothing against the Italian pressure, despite continuous counter attacks. The Italian official statement in the past week has frequently emphasized the cruel losses inflicted on the Austrians. Among sixteen prisoners taken at one time on Montello, for instance, it was observed that they belonged to no less than seven different regiments. Prisoners report that serious losses were caused by the Italian artillery, trench bombs and machine guns. The 13th Schutzen division is reported to have lost 50 men from each company on the average.

GERMANS PREPARE TO MARCH TOWARD SMOLENSK LONDON, June 26.—The Germans are preparing to march eastward toward Smolensk, says an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Moscow.

SUFFICIENT CORN ONLY FOR HALF BREAD RATION

By Associated Press AMSTERDAM, June 24.—There is only sufficient corn for half a bread ration in Austria, declared Food Minister Paul in an interview with the Vienna correspondent of the Lokai Anzeiger. The food department is attempting to make up this deficiency with other foodstuffs and in addition to 250 grammes of beef, two pounds of horseflesh per person will be distributed weekly. Military mobile kitchens will be used to supply 100,000 persons daily for four weeks with a warm meal consisting of soup, 100 grammes of meat and vegetables.

Deeds Filed For Record. J. N. Eustace to O. A. Kitchings, lot 13 of the Southside Acres Addition to the city of Wichita Falls, \$50.

ICE PLANT AT ELECTRA SHUT DOWN ACCOUNT OF FUEL SHORTAGE. ELECTRA, TEX., June 22.—With temperatures well above the century mark daily, some times reaching 105 degrees, Electra has been without ice for several days and there has been much discomfort and some actual suffering. The ice plant here is shut down on account of the failure of the natural gas supply which appears entirely gone, and cannot resume operations until its boilers are changed over for the use of coal. This will take several days. In the meantime some ice is being shipped and hauled in from Vernon and Wichita Falls.

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WHEN FRITZ'S LUCK LEFT HIM.

Not since American troops got into the fight at Cantigny several weeks ago have the Teutonic armies had any luck with their offenses.

At Cantigny and Chateau Thierry the Americans met the German advance at its furthest points and succeeded in holding it up and even driving back the German positions.

It may easily be that the inspiration given by the brilliancy of the fighting of the Americans and the knowledge that great numbers of them were coming up has so heartened the allied troops that they are meeting the foe with irresistible determination.

THE POLICEMAN ON THE BEAT.

In a speech at Greenville last week Barry Miller told a story that will be more effective in the gubernatorial campaign than all the eloquence that will be heard.

He was a member of the "kangaroo court" of which Ferguson talks and he assured the people of Hunt county that he voted to convict Jim Ferguson, and on the evidence of no one else.

He reiterated the light case matter in which Ferguson testified that he bought the property in a trade at \$15,000; that he rendered it for tax at \$300; that he issued bonds for \$500, and that he actually sold some of these bonds for \$40,000 in cash, \$15,000 to a Houston brewer and \$25,000 to a Galveston brewer.

"Once I had a client, one of those poor women of the city upon whom every beast of the jungle preys. One day she came into my office, bearing in her hand a little half-feathered mocking bird, which had fallen from the nest."

"What are you doing with that bird?" I asked. "Don't you know it will die?"

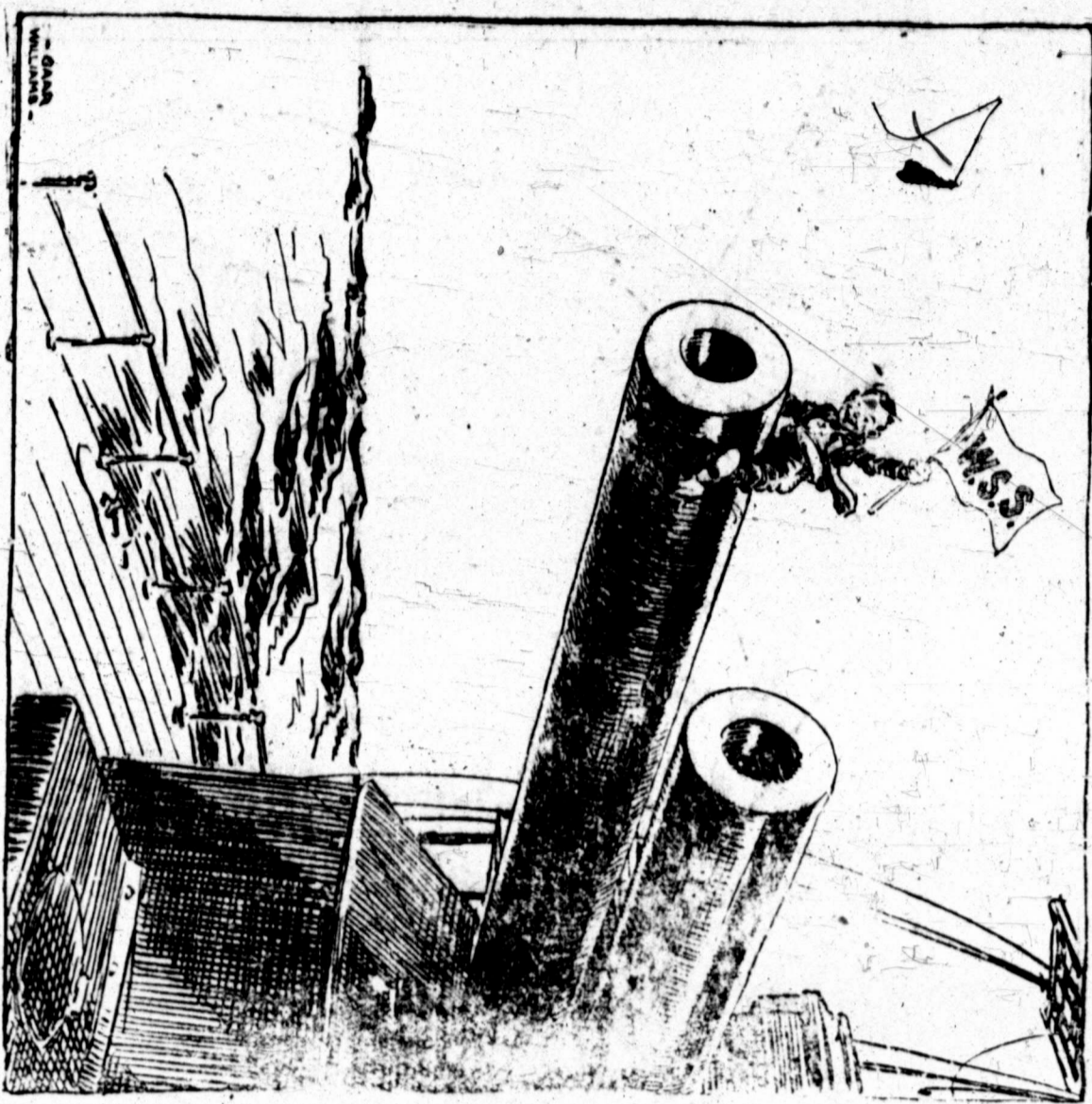
"And she replied: 'I thought it for \$10.' 'I said: 'You bought it and paid \$10 for it? What did you do that for?'"

"And she said: 'I bought it from a policeman on my beat.' 'And, my friends, Jim Ferguson, the governor of Texas, was the policeman on the beat of these brewers, and they bought from him light bonds and anything else that he offered them. Just so, the governor of Texas is the policeman on the beat of these brewers, and for that reason the governor of Texas should be an honest man, a true man, a policeman whom the people can trust and who will not sell them light stock or pay his debts with the money of their state.'"

"I will let them come." German prisoners captured by Americans a few days ago were quoted as saying that they wanted to come to America as soon as the war is over.

Wanting to get away from Germany, and wanting to come to America are in their favor, but after this war is over it is quite likely that America is going to scrutinize her immigrants more closely than they have been looked at heretofore.

It has been estimated that if the war ends without a victorious peace for Germany, the German working man will work until noon in his day's work to pay his part of the interest on the German national debt.



VON KUEHLMANN DISCUSSES GERMANY'S AIMS AND PEACE

DOUBTS WHETHER ARMY VICTORY CAN END THE WAR

BELIEVES PEACE MUST EVENTUALLY COME THROUGH NEGOTIATIONS.

HE BLAMES RUSSIA

Says That Country Responsible For War—Germany Cannot Make Pledges In Advance.

AMSTERDAM, June 25.—Germany's war aims were briefly set forth, the idea that she was trying to secure world domination being disclaimed and the responsibility for the conflict primarily pinned on Russia by Dr. Von Kuehlmann, the German foreign secretary, in a speech to the Reichstag in Berlin yesterday.

While declaring that what was desired for the German people and their allies "a free strong, independent existence" within the boundaries drawn for them by history, the foreign secretary said Germany would have to decline to make any prior concessions stating her position as to Belgium in a way which would bind her without similarly binding Russia's enemies.

Referring to the responsibility for the war, as he viewed it, Dr. Von Kuehlmann said: "I do not believe any responsible men in Germany, not even the emperor or the members of the imperial government, ever for a moment believed they could win the diplomatic struggle in Europe by this war. The idea of world domination in Europe is utopian, as was proved by Napoleon."

After declaring that the revelations of the past week have shown the power which had planned and desired the war with France abetted her and England's attitude strengthening the desire for conflict, Dr. Von Kuehlmann again declared that Germany had not entertained any belief that this war could lead even to the domination of Europe and much less that of the world.

In introducing his statement of the German war aims, the foreign minister said: "I consider it necessary to say quite simply and in a way easy for all to understand, what our positive desires are."

"These in brief," added the foreign secretary, "are our roughly sketched aims, the realization of which is absolutely vital and necessary for Germany."

Regarding Belgium, the foreign secretary said: "We must decline to make, as it were, a prior concession by giving a statement on the Belgian question which would bind us without in the least binding the enemy."

"For so long," continued Von Kuehlmann, "as every overt act is regarded by others as a peace offensive—and a trap, or as something false for the purpose of sowing confusion between allies, so long as every attempt at rapprochement is at once violently denounced by the enemies of a rapprochement in the various countries, so long will it be impossible to see how any exchange of ideas leading to peace can be begun."

"In view of the magnitude of this war and the number of powers, including those from overseas, that are engaged, it is not to be expected through purely military decision alone and without recourse of diplomatic negotiations."

"I believe," said Dr. Von Kuehlmann, "that one can say without fear of contradiction, as the result of revelations, that the deeper we go into the causes of the war, the clearer it becomes that the power which planned and decided the war was Russia."

That France played the next worst role as instigator and that England's policy has very dark aspects, he showed. Speaking on the second reading of the budget for the foreign office and the chancellor, Dr. Von Kuehlmann went into some questions of imperial policy, referring first to Germany's relations with her allies.

Relations With Austria. "In Austria-Hungary," said Dr. Von Kuehlmann, "that brilliant representation of her foreign policy, Count Czernin, retired because of internal political reasons."

"It is also to be reckoned among Von Kuehlmann's services," Dr. Von Kuehlmann went on, "that an interview between the two emperors occurred at their headquarters, which possibly will be recorded as momentous in shaping relations between Germany and Austria-Hungary."

"Bulgaria's Relations. "With Bulgaria too," continued the foreign secretary, "recent events, especially the peace negotiations, have facilitated the drawing closer of many personal and political ties. It is a matter of regret that the German public shares that Premier Radostoff, who has been pillar of our alliance, recently resigned from internal political reasons."

"The explicit assurances of his successor and the exalted personality of the great statesman who wears the Bulgarian crown are a guarantee to us that there will be no change in the policy hitherto followed."

Dr. Von Kuehlmann again went over the question of the Dobruja which is the subject of negotiations between Turkey and Bulgaria and added: "But there does not exist any conflict of interest between us and Turkey."

Dr. Von Kuehlmann announced that within the next few days a conference would be held at Constantinople where the questions that had arisen between the quadruple alliance and the Caucasian people would find a settlement."

definite result. "I believe, however," said the foreign minister, "that before there are general peace negotiations in Europe the serious efforts of the statesmen concerned will result in their finding a solution acceptable to all parties."

Direful Happening Told by Hun

AN ATLANTIC PORT, June 25.—The "blockading" of the port of New York, the "raiding" of Boston and Atlantic City and the "aerial bombing" of American cities "as far west as St. Louis," by German U-boats or "Gothas," is narrated in pamphlets dropped by Hun aviators all along the Allied lines in France, according to passengers aboard a French steamship which arrived here today.

The whole United States was represented as being terrorized by the German air-fighters and residents of Brooklyn were reported to be living in cellars fearful of raids, the passengers declared.

Allied soldiers laughed at the pamphlets while French newspapers reproduced them in comic supplements.

TEXAS CAVALRY WILL MOBILIZE IN SAN ANTONIO

DALLAS, June 25.—Texas state troops will be federalized next week and mobilized in San Antonio a week later, Brigadier General R. H. McDill asserted upon his return from Austin, where he has been in conference with Adjutant General James Harley.

General Harley has just returned from Washington, General McDill said. "All necessary equipment is on hand," General McDill asserted, and troops will go into actual training within forty-eight hours after they are mobilized.

"We were informed that the Federal inspection would be made as soon as we were ready for it and we will be ready before this week is up," Major J. Ward Page of the Adjutant's office, United States Army, Department of the South, has informed me that inspectors of the regular army have been designated and the inspection will be made next week."

General McDill asserted that he believes the period of training at San Antonio will be short. The men will be put on the border and receive their training there. "Horses now in use by the border patrol will be turned over to the new guardsmen."

Shattered Austrian Divisions In Disorderly Retreat; May Not Be Able to Recross Swollen River

WASHINGTON, June 24.—Confidence at Rome that the war may be brought to a victorious close this year if the Allies give the Italians a full measure of support in the offensive which has been launched against the Austrians, is reflected in official wireless dispatches received today from the Italian capital.

These messages say the Austrian retreat across the Piave, in which the Italians already have taken 45,000 prisoners, has become a veritable rout, but that information from secret sources shows that many divisions of German troops have been detached from the front in France and are being rushed to the aid of the Austrian army.

The Germans are said to be thoroughly awake to the probability of a complete collapse of the Austro-Hungarian government, already struggling with a half starved and riotous people, in the event of a complete Austrian rout at the hands of the Italians. Realization of this fact, Rome believes has caused the German general staff practically to suspend if not abandon its great offensive in France.

German soldiers are being rushed by rail to the northern end of the Austro-Italian battle lines with the purpose of restoring the Austrian morale and not only checking the Italian counter attack but by force of numbers breaking through the mountain passes into the plains of Venetia.

With such help as the entente armies can give immediately supplemented as rapidly as transportation can be had by troops directly from America and even more important by ample military supplies and food for the army, the Italian general staff is reported to be confident that the victorious sweep of the Italian army will traverse the famous Battaglia plateau—the scene of the great battles of last fall—and will not stop until the Italians have reclaimed all the country up to the right bank of the Isonzo, which marked the extreme advance of General Cadorna's army.

Capture of 45,000 prisoners and enormous stores of war material by the Italians in their counter offensive which has driven the Austrians across the Piave, is announced in an official cablegram received today by the Italian embassy from Rome.

"Offensive operations by our troops began Sunday," says the dispatch. "After violent artillery preparations that destroyed all bridges except one, the infantry drove forward with irresistible impetus. The flooded Piave contains thousands of enemy corpses. Divisions which had passed the Piave were decimated by our artillery and infantry."

Montello was attacked in three columns. Enemy lines were broken at Cella Dell Madonna and Nervessa and the cities occupied. From Mazerada di Sardona the Austrians first resisted our attacks desperately but finally were forced to retreat to the left bank. Battle continues furiously, the Sardinia sector. Forty-five thousand prisoners and enormous booty was captured by Italians.

"American airmen displayed great bravery in the first encounters. The war situation of today is summarized by the Associated Press as follows: Italy's victory over the Austrians on the Piave front appears likely to assume the proportions of a veritable triumph for the Italians and a disaster of great magnitude for the defeated enemy."

Already it is announced in official dispatches from Rome the Austrians have lost 45,000 men in prisoners and great quantities of material. While the details of their casualties may be indicated by the thousands of bodies floating in the waters of the swollen river. Disaster seems to be written large in the news of the Austrian defeat along the Piave.

Unable to force his way beyond the west bank of the river, and with the swollen stream of the stream swept away by the flood pouring down from the mountains, the enemy began a precipitate retreat Saturday night. So hasty was his withdrawal that he left great quantities of arms and supplies on the west bank of the Piave, while his retreating infantry columns, according to the dispatches, are already being pressed by Italian detachments thrown over to the easterly side of the stream.

Pressing the Pursuit. From the Montello plateau southward to the Adriatic comes the same story of the Austrian retreat. The Piave river formerly emptied into the sea quite near Venice. In the first months of the Austrian offensive, the enemy succeeded in crossing the old river bed, which now is a canal. From his positions there, the foe has been driven and the Italians are relentlessly pressing the pursuit.

The latest news dispatches from the Piave river front, sent out on Sunday, tell of Italian bombing units being directed against the main stream of the Piave, which seems to indicate that the Austrian retreat was not stayed at the eastern bank of the river.

A Forlorn Hope. There is every indication that the Austrian danger offensive has been a forlorn hope for several days. The effect of the defeat on the internal situation of Austria-Hungary when once the news is made public, can only be conjectured but it may be that the Italians have dealt the enemy a harder blow than merely that involved in the military feat of pushing him back across the captured cities. There have been no further reports forecasting a new attack in the mountain sectors of the Italian front. Thrilled by their signal victory in the low reaches of the Piave front, however, the Italians and the Allied troops fighting in that theatre of the war may be expected to meet any new move with the stubborn resistance which so far has baffled the efforts of the Austrian emperor to carry the war into the plains of Italy and still the complaints of his soldiers with the loot from the captured cities.

Whether the several enemy divisions on the western bank of the Piave will be able to escape capture or destruction in attempting to get across the Piave will be the most interesting development of the next few hours. The river is swollen and Vienna, in its latest communication, seems to be preparing the way for an unwelcome news. It dwells at length on the bullet wounds placed on the troops by the heavy rains and the torrential Piave. Most of the Austrian brigades are gone and the Italian artillery is still with the Austrians at two points where the Austrians crossed and near the river bank where the Italian line has held fast.

Undoubtedly General Diaz's men realize the predicament of the enemy and their pursuit of the fleeing Austrians will be pressed with ardor. In withdrawing from Montello the enemy probably will meet with as much difficulty as in getting out of the rain-soaked lowlands along the lower reaches of the Piave. To add to the troubles of the Austrian command, their advance across the Piave has been unopposed in sectors where the Italians holding the sectors in between.

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Co-incidental with the Italian victory on the Piave comes the news of the Italian units on the Marne-Rheims sector repulsing a second heavy German attack on the heights of Bligny just to the west of the city of Rheims. The German failure was complete as was the original blow on Saturday night.

British troops have taken prisoners and inflicted casualties in local operations along their sectors of the front in France.

By The Associated Press. ROME, June 23.—Italian troops have crossed the old channel of the Piave River, west of the main stream and re-captured several of their old positions there, according to a semi-official announcement tonight.

From Capo Sile other detachments are advancing toward the main stream of the river. The Italians have thrown numerous bombing detachments across the main stream where the artillery and aircraft are hammering the enemy.

The Austrian retreat, which began in an orderly manner, soon became wildly disorganized and confused. Many thousands of Austro-Hungarians surrendered at the first opportunity when overtaken by their pursuers.

Rain which has been falling for eight days broke forth more violently about daylight today at a time when artillery and machine guns began to open up upon the retreating Austrians who were struggling knee deep in mire.

The Italian cavalry took part in the pursuit, hurrying the fugitives. As the Austrians were pressed by the Italians they threw away their guns and equipment. They even left on the Montello stacks of bread, canned meats and preserves which Austrian aviators had succeeded in bringing to them.

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Italian Troops Repulse German Attack on West. PARIS, June 24.—The Germans launched a new attack against positions held by the Italians at Bligny at 11 o'clock today. The French have repulsed a German attack in the region of Anthouff (west of the Oise), the statement says.

The crossing of the river under the dead of fire of one artillery continues yesterday protected by a strong array of machine guns and covering troops, which after stubborn resistance were successfully driven back with our troops at their heels. The Montello, at the right bank of the Piave with the exception of a small portion of the bank at Mulsite where the struggle is continuing, has returned into our hands. So far more than 4,000 prisoners have been counted.

A great quantity of arms and material of all kinds has fallen into our hands. An extraordinary number of Austrian dead covers the ground of the struggle. This proves the unfortunate valor and the great defeat of the enemy."

Heavy German Reinforcements on Way to Italy. WASHINGTON, June 24.—Though cheered by the news that the Italians are pursuing the defeated Austrian army across the Piave, Italian officers and military observers here are prepared to hear at any time of a stiffening of the enemy line and of the launching of another offensive movement supported by German reinforcements drawn from France for the purpose.

Burian Wanted Postponement Austrian Offensive. LONDON, June 24.—One of the principal objects of the visit to Germany by Baron Burian, the Austro-Hungarian foreign minister was to obtain consent for an indefinite postponement of the Austrian offensive, the correspondent of the Daily Mail at Annaberg, on the Franco-Swiss border says he learns from an unimpeachable source.

Austrians Crossed River Under a Deadly Fire. ROME, June 24.—Extremely heavy losses in men and material have been suffered by the Austro-Hungarians in the defeat which the Italians have administered to them on the Piave front, the war office announced today. The enemy has been driven from the en-



CASUALTIES

WASHINGTON, June 22.—The steadily increasing participation of American troops in the fighting in France was sharply marked in today's casualty list. Of the 153 men named, fifty two, including three officers, were killed in action.

Probably no particular action is responsible for the number of killed but it is an accumulation from the five or six sections of the front where the Americans are fighting and from partial actions as well as from the larger operations like the attack yesterday near Chateau Thierry to recall the lines. Great care is exercised in forwarding the lists not to reveal the losses in any particular engagement.

The British take similar precautions yet their casualty lists last week passed the 30,000 mark. During the week, so far as known, the British were involved in no major operations except on the Italian front.

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Missing in Action. Lieutenant Guy D. Libbetta, Bennington, Vt.; John A. White, Jr., Dunwoody, N. Y.; Corporal Edward J. Curtin, Roxbury, Mass.; Peter J. McCormick, Roxbury, Mass.; Harry F. McWhirk, Dorchester, Mass.; Private Stanley Tagor, Chicopee, Mass.; George W. Graham, Springfield, Ill.; Michele Capelli, Baltimore, Md.; Edward C. Cernack, Chicago; Edward F. June, Boston; Edward L. Lutz, Buffalo, N. Y.; John H. Youngtown, O.; Michael J. Riley, Boston, Mass.; Francis P. Rooney, Sattle; Gaspar Ventimiglia, Brooklyn.

MARINES. WASHINGTON, June 22.—The marine corps casualty list today contained 31 names divided as follows: Killed in action, 15. Wounded severely, 15. Wounded severely, 12. Texans included in the list were: Died of wounds received in action: Privates George B. Sellers, Moscow, Texas; Roy A. Trow, Trinity, Texas. Wounded in action, severely: John W. Worrell, Colorado, Texas. Others on the list: Killed in Action. Lieutenants Clarence W. Smith, Decatur, Ill.; Hascall P. Watterhouse, Oakland, Calif.; Drummer Charles W. Price, Alameda, Calif.; Private Isaac Boone, Stokesdale, N. C. Died of Wounds Received in Action. Corporals George C. Christenson, Santa Ana, Calif.; Benjamin Perry Jr., Bethesda, Md.; Privates Godfrey W. Anderson, Proctor, Minn.; Claud Bemusdaffer, St. Louis, Minn.; Alton Dunlop, Boston; Steve Lehmann, St. Louis, Mo.; Aloysius Lehner, Holstein, Ill.; Harry C. Myers, McLean, Ill.; Charles E. Nelson, Salt Lake City; Kenneth L. St. Clair, Eggleston, Va.; Eddie E. Small, Tox, N. Y.; Charles A. Towson, Washington, D. C.

Wounded in Action, Severely. Sergeants Moss Gill, Perry, Mo.; George B. Roan, Patterson, Miss.; Klara B. Crossland, Mobile, Ala.; Alfred Erlanson, Lakeland, Mich.; William B. Flanagan, Conception Junction, Mo.; Ray F. Greiger, Cincinnati, O.; Hans Johnson, Hyllestad, Norway; Adolph Johnson, Hyllestad, Ind.; Harrison Moon, Elwood, City, Pa.; John N. H. Phlegar, Russell, Kan.; Walter F. Terry, Brooklyn, N. Y.

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Died of Wounds. Corporal Herman F. Levin, Kenosha, Wis.; Privates Keith Kretsch, St. Parks, O.; Armistead A. Green, Salt Lake City; Frederick P. Gressmann, New York City; Clifford Ledford, Cincinnati; Harry M. Slavkin, Pittsburgh; Henry H. Yonkers, Muskegon, Mich.

Died of Disease. Privates Ederne L. Bushey, Malmo, Minn.; Bernice M. Lewis, Weems, Va.; Leonard W. Stromberg, Wellington, Colo.; John B. Whittle, Ozark, Ala.; William R. Pitts, Pittsburgh, Pa. Died of Airplane Accident. Lieutenant Billy Glenn Rushing, Atmore, Ala. Died from Accident and Other Causes. Died from Accident, Knutson, Milwaukee; Private Peter George, Newark, N. J. Wounded Severely. Sergeants Errol W. Brown, Foxcroft, Maine; Leo N. Des Lauriers, St. Albans, Vt.; Corporals Harold Brosor, Nashua, N. H.; Martin Leao Healy, Wilkesbarre, Pa.; Frank Rivers, Watertown, Conn.; Mechanic Charles P. Craig, Marshall, Me.; Privates E. B. Berry, Sheffield, Vt.; James Bowler, Snaarwick, Dingle, Ireland; Matthew G. Burns, Gardner, Mass.; George E. Coburn, Providence, R. I.; Ambrose Debnis, Winslow, Me.; John J. Flynn, New York City; Andrew Freeman, New York City; Raymond C. Frost, New Britain, Conn.; James Levin, St. Louis; Benjamin Parker, Morrisville, Vt.; Bert L. Richardson, Hillsboro, N. C.; Henry L. Robertson, Ocala, Fla.; Alexander Robertson, Barre, Vt.; Elmer O. Smith, Ovid, Mich.; Harley D. Snyder, Caldwell, O.; Walter H. Wadsworth, O. H.; Franklin H. Whitecor, Nashua, N. H.; Stiv. Wiczorak, Wagoners Point, East Rockland, Md.; Arthur E. Winslow, Rockland, Me.; Sergeant George W. Polson, Dover, Maine. Wounded, Degree Undetermined. Privates Clarence N. Johnson, Sioux City, Iowa; Jasper J. Jones, Greenfield, Iowa. Prisoner. Lieutenant Wilford V. Casgrain, Detroit, Mich.

MARINES. WASHINGTON, June 25.—The marine corps casualty list today contained 19 names, divided as follows: Killed in action, 8. Died of wounds, 4. Wounded severely, 10. Killed in Action. Corporals John C. Geiger, Jasper, Fla.; Stanley A. Ringer, Alston, Mass.; Louis C. Whitman, Rochester, N. Y.; Privates Lewis W. Barry, Detroit; George C. Chapman, Troy, N. Y.; Luther N. Jones, Blanchard, Okla.; James J. Patterson, Good Springs, Pa.; James C. Tate, Brilliant, O. Died of Wounds. Private Robert C. Bowyer, Cleveland, O. Wounded in Action, Severely. Sergeants Henry C. Perrine, Belle Mead, O.; Frank J. Tupa, Minneapolis, Minn.; Privates Sidney Cohen, Chester, Ill.; Aloysius Donahue, Pittston, Pa.; Alexander R. Hays, Minneapolis, Minn.; Arthur S. Gustafson, Marquette, Kans.; Joseph B. Kite, West Philadelphia; Frank McCarty, Newark, N. J.; George T. Smith, Hyllestad, Norway; Herman F. Smith, Tyrone, Pa.

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Big Men Oppose Plan For Total Prohibition At Committee Hearing

WASHINGTON, June 25.—Declaring the nation cannot afford to conduct experiments in this time of Chairman Hurley of the shipping board today opposed absolute prohibition before the Senate agricultural committee.

"We've got to put all the smash and drive we've got into this war," declared Mr. Hurley. "We've got to fight, fight, and still fight with every muscle straining and put aside non-essentials until we have won the victory for the Huns."

Postmaster General Burleson joined in expressing the fear that prohibition at this time might interfere with prosecution of the war. He suggested that the committee confer with the food administration.

Not Time for Experiment. "It is not private business but the business in a great emergency that we are concerned and I am unwilling in this crisis to stand sponsor for any experiment with the personal liberty of nearly 100,000,000 people in shipyards and contributing industries on whom we are relying to put through the biggest shipping program in the history of this or any other nation."

Organized labor is overwhelmingly opposed to absolute prohibition and to bring up the question now is to "throw the apples of discord among the people of this country," said Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor.

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FARMERS MEETING WILL BE HELD HERE ON JULY 13TH

J. A. Kinnard, assistant organizer of farmers' institutes for the state department of agriculture, will hold a number of institutes in this section of the state, beginning at Wichita Falls at 3 p. m. on July 13th.

"Special attention will be given to food and feed crops as can be planted after harvesting small grain and other crops. The importance of these follow-up crops to increase the nation's food and feed supply calls every patriot to do his best, also the fixing of the price of cotton by the government and its relation to the grower will be discussed."

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MRS. COCKRELL FIRST WOMAN TO REGISTER HERE

Mrs. Alice Cockrell, 408 Lamar, was the first woman in Wichita county to register and thus declare her intention of becoming a fully qualified voter. She registered at 3 o'clock when the county tax collector's office was first opened for business.

Registration receipt No. 1 will be sold to the highest bidder on Thursday morning at 10 o'clock by Tax Collector Bullard, as previously announced in the necessary notice to the Red Cross. Owing to a misunderstanding and a difference in the reading of the law it was the opinion of a number of county officials that July 27 marked the opening of the period for registration, consequently the announcement was made that the first receipt would be auctioned off Thursday, what was then thought to be the first day.

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Livestock

Fort Worth Livestock. FORT WORTH, Texas, June 26.—Cattle, receipts 3,500; steady. Beesves \$7.00@16.50; stockers \$7.00@16.00; hogs \$6.00@9.25; calves \$6.00@14.25. Hogs, receipts 600; 15 to 25 advance. Heavy \$16.75@16.85; light \$16.65@16.75; medium \$16.50@16.75; mixed \$16.00@16.50; common \$15.25@16.00; pigs \$9.50@15.75.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 26.—Hogs, receipts 10,000; 15 to 25 higher. Bulk \$16.30@16.40; heavy \$16.35@16.55; light \$16.15@16.40; pigs \$16.00@16.50.

KANSAS CITY, June 26.—Corn, number 2 mixed \$1.54@1.57; number 2 white 1.80@1.83; number 2 yellow 1.59@1.62.

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RECRUITS WANTED FOR TEXAS CAVALRY COMPANIES HERE

With federalization of the Texas Cavalry expected to take place within a week, the local companies must be recruited to full strength and the officers are planning recruiting campaigns, there being no limit to the men to be enlisted. Saturday or Sunday a Federal inspector will be here to pass on the officers and Colonel Miller will be here from Amarillo for take inspection.

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Professional Cards

Professional Cards section containing various advertisements for attorneys, dentists, architects, and other professionals. Includes names like Robert E. Huff, Carrington, Montgomery & Britain, and others.

The War and High Prices

Its got to be the style—the proper caper to put up prices and as an explanation SAY WAR—We wish to call your attention to these FACTS in regard to OUR PRODUCT—Green coffees have advanced—so have freights—also drayage—paper bags have advanced 100%; twine 250%; Gas 100%; labor about 50%; not a single item that enters into the finished product has escaped BUT we are still selling EVERY GRADE OF ROASTED COFFEE AT EXACTLY THE SAME PRICE we did before the first gun was fired in this great conflict.

BERT BEAN COFFEE HOUSE 824 Indiana Ave Telephone 35