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HUN OFFENSIVE COMPLETE FAILURE FIRST DAY; AMERICANS DRIVE ENEMY BACK UPON MARNE

By the Associated Press.

With the American Forces on the Marne, July 16, (11:10 a. m.)—Reports from one end of the battlefield to the other says that except for a few minor localities the great German offensive so far has been a complete failure.

Additional German prisoners taken today say they are convinced that their commanders have been beaten.

PRISONERS TAKEN BY FRENCH AND AMERICANS

By Associated Press. PARIS, July 16.—The battle continues violently, especially south of the Marne and in the region of Chatillon. Except for one sector south of the Marne there is no change in the situation. American and French troops are counter-attacking magnificently and are taking many prisoners, according to the statement issued by the war office today.

On the front east of Rheims, in spite of terrific fighting during the past day and night, the enemy has not been able to penetrate the French zone of defense.

The German loss in prisoners during the first day of the battle was extremely heavy. South of the Marne the Germans have not been able to advance their line beyond St. Agnan, La Chapelle, Monthodon, Lisieres and south of the forest of Bouquigny. The French in this region have taken a thousand prisoners.

The text of the statement reads: "The battle continued during the afternoon, evening and night with redoubled violence. Between Chateau Thierry and Rheims the enemy, accentuating his efforts to enlarge his positions, attacked furiously. The combats were particularly ferocious south of the Marne and in the region of Chatillon.

"French and American troops resisted the enemy magnificently and counter-attacked with the utmost vigor.

South of the Marne the Germans have not been able to advance their lines beyond St. Agnan, La Chapelle, Monthodon, Lisieres and south of the forest of Bouquigny. The French in this region have taken 1,000 prisoners. Marville-Le Port on the Marne south of Chatillon is held by the French.

"North of the Marne the French have held up the enemy in the outskirts of Chatillon and southeast of the Rodemat wood. In this region there is no appreciable change in the rest of the front. The enemy did not attack during the night.

"On the front east of Rheims, the Germans, exhausted by the fruitless struggle in which they were engaged yesterday, were unable to penetrate the French zone of defense which runs to the eastward through Prezy, south of the woods, north of Chaussee Romine, as far as the La Sulpice region north of Souain. The battle positions of the French are intact.

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Americans Throw Huns Back Upon Marne In Brilliant Counter Attack

By Associated Press. PARIS, July 16.—(Night.)—It was a brilliant operation in which the American troops ejected the enemy from the positions he had gained temporarily on the southern side of the Marne. The Americans counter-attacked vigorously this evening with remarkable dash, throwing the Germans back across the river near Fossey. Earlier in the day this part of the line had been the scene of the most desperate fighting when the Germans advanced to throw additional elements across the stream. A few German elements at first succeeded in getting away in boats, changing the Allied troops away from the banks while the German engineers began to lay the bridges. Six of these bridges formed a lattice work and rapidly joined the banks and counter-attacked, creating confusion in the ranks of the advancing foe.

Then late in the evening the Americans started a dashing counter-blow which resulted in the Germans retiring pell-mell to the river.

GREAT PRESSURE OF RESERVES STILL TO BE LOOKED FOR

By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, July 16.—The general situation mentioned in regard to the fighting is satisfactory, says a war department statement issued today, based on dispatches from General Pershing and General Bliss, confirming press accounts of the fighting yesterday.

Warning is given, however, that the first day of such a battle is merely general guard action and that great pressure of reserves is still to be looked for.

The statement follows: "Dispatches received from General Pershing and General Bliss confirm the press accounts of yesterday's fighting. American troops west of Sirmels court attacked, captured prisoners, established and are holding their advanced positions. Germany's barrage was met by counter barrage which in many places prevented the advance of their infantry. Full reports covering the entire front, are of course, not yet available. The general situation this morning is regarded as satisfactory.

"The first day in such a battle is, of course, mostly general advance guard action. The great pressure of reserves and concentrated masses is still to be looked for."

FORMER FRENCH MINISTER ON TRIAL FOR TREASON

By Associated Press. PARIS, July 16.—The trial of Louis Malvy, former minister of the interior, on a charge of treason, was begun today by the senate sitting as the high court. At 1:45 o'clock M. Malvy was brought in and took his seat in an arm chair in the room.

BRITISH GAIN GROUNDEAST OF AMIENS LAST NIGHT

By Associated Press. LONDON, July 16.—In an operation conducted last night in the region east of Amiens, the British improved their line after sharp fighting in the Villers-Bretonneux sector, the war office announced today.

The German guns were busy during the night in the region southwest of Albert and showed some activity in the other points on the northern part of the British front.

Great numbers of German corpses are hanging on the tangle of barbed wire in front of the French positions and all the reports state that the losses of the Germans must have been exceedingly heavy.

The main attack to the east of Rheims continued up to seven o'clock last night. The fighting was extremely severe in the vicinity of Souain and at Prunay, where the Germans captured a wood south of the village. This, however, was an exceptional case. The German attack elsewhere was repulsed with heavy losses. The French line of resistance remains practically intact everywhere.

FOURTH SHIP LAUNCHED IN HOUSTON CHANNEL TODAY
By Associated Press. HOUSTON, TEX., July 16.—The fourth ship was launched in the Houston channel this afternoon when the Universal Shipbuilding Co. launched its third wooden steamer, the Banica, a 1,000-ton vessel. The Banica is a Ferris type ship of 3500 tons and one of 12 ships under construction at the Universal yards. Two have previously been launched—the Nacodoches and the Basco. The Midland Bridge Co. has launched its first ship, the Katoona, a fleet of six under construction. Hereafter, launchings here will happen every two or three weeks.

PRESIDENT WILSON EAGERLY WATCHES WAR BULLETINS

By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, July 16.—Official reports of the new German offensive and the part played by American troops in holding up the enemy on the first day began to reach the war department early today from General Pershing and Bliss. They confirmed press accounts and a department statement said they described the situation as satisfactory, though noting that the first day of the battle was a general advance guard action and that the enemy reserves were yet to be dealt with.

Tension was somewhat relaxed at the war department, although the course of battle was followed with as much eagerness for late bulletins as on yesterday.

President Wilson again abandoned his usual morning round of golf today and remained at the White House hearing reports from the front as they came in.

Early reports on renewal of the fighting show that the American troops are again engaged heavily but have restored their positions on the Marne even more fully than the counter-attack drove the Germans back to the river last night. Two of the towns from which the Americans were forced in the first German rush into the exposed position in the river-bank opposite Jaucogne have been recaptured.

To the east the Germans appear to have forced their way across the Marne for a considerable distance in the Dormans sector. It is believed here, however, that if the American positions on the flank are maintained the Germans east of them will be in great peril. A successful counter-stroke along the river bank heading eastward from the American positions might cut them off from the river and force the surrender of whole organizations.

Officers here are inclined to look upon the fighting east of Rheims as more of a diversion than a real attack.

The fact that the battle is going forward with increased intensity west of Rheims today indicated that fresh German reserves were rushed up to the front during the night in the effort to overcome the check administered yesterday by the Franco-Italian forces. Apparently this sector, including the Marne, especially the Dormans region, is the vital part of the German battle plan and no effort is being spared to force the lines ahead.

Though further desperate fighting is expected on the left flank of the Marne, where the Germans appear to have elected to make another supreme offensive, there was a distinct feeling in official circles that the Allied line, a portion of which is being held by American troops, will stand firm. Official reports covering the operations were not available early today and close attention was being paid to press accounts of the fighting.

Deep satisfaction was expressed by officials in the brave stand of American troops on the left flank of the Marne where the Germans were not only halted after a slight advance yesterday but according to press dispatches were thrown back with considerable losses. The official report giving credit to the American troops for stopping the offensive within twelve hours after it was inaugurated was read with elation, and it was pointed out that yesterday for the first time since the German supreme command sent its forces forward on March 21 has an offensive operation been halted on the first day.

DRAFT RESISTERS AND HARBORERS HAVE SURRENDERED
By Associated Press. LUFKIN, TEX., July 16.—Three draft resisters and eight men who are accused of harboring them in the jungles of San Augustine county for a week after Ranger Dudley White had been shot and killed in attempting the arrest of one of them, surrendered last night to B. B. Collins, a deputy marshal, and were turned over to the rangers.

Sam Williams Jr., Clay Williams and Dave Evans are the three charged with desertion. The rangers started at once with their prisoners for Beaumont.

GERMANS THROW HUGE FORCE INTO BATTLE IN DESPERATE AND VAIN EFFORT TO WIN

Burian Says Austria Will Discuss Anything Except Own Territory

Statesmen Agreed Upon General Terms Declares Minister

By Associated Press. AMSTERDAM, July 16.—Baron Von Burian, the Austro-Hungarian foreign minister, in a note addressed to the Austrian and Hungarian premiers is quoted in a dispatch from Vienna as saying: "There is hardly any difference between the general principles enunciated by the statesmen of both belligerents. President Wilson's four new points of July 4 shall not, apart from certain exaggerations, arouse our opposition."

Continuing the Austro-Hungarian minister said: "The enemy's obstinacy regarding his territorial demands concerning Alsace-Lorraine, Trieste, Trentino and the German colonies appears to be insurmountable."

In his reference to President Wilson's four new points in his July Fourth speech, Baron Burian said he was able to approve of them heartily and that to a great extent "nobody would refuse homage to this genius and nobody would refuse his co-operation."

Baron Burian said none of the belligerents need ever come into the position reached by Russia and Rumania as "we ever are ready to enter into peace negotiations with all our opponents."

Continuing, the foreign minister of Austria-Hungary said: "If our enemies continuously demand at one moment for wrong done and restitution, then it is a claim which we could urge with more justification against them because we have been attacked and the wrong done to us must be redressed."

"We are prepared to discuss everything," said Baron Burian, "except our own territory."

Text of Note.
The text of Baron Burian's note to the Austrian and Hungarian premiers reads: "First section to come."

"If we sum up all that has been said on the enemy's side in regard to their war aims we recognize three groups of aspirations which are being set forth to justify the continuation of blood shed so that the ideals of mankind may be realized.

The freedom of all nations which are to form a league of nations and which in the future shall settle their differences by arbitration and not by arms is to reign.



FOREIGN MINISTER BURIAN

When the main principle enunciated by the statement of both belligerents, President Wilson's four new points of July 4 shall not, apart from certain exaggerations, arouse our opposition.

"From the confident utterances of our opponents it appears they have no fear of being defeated. If they, nevertheless, represent the peace treaties as a warning of our treatment of a defeated enemy we do not consider the reproach justified. None of the belligerent states need ever come into the position of Russia and Rumania as we are ever ready to enter into peace negotiations with our opponents."

"The domination of one nation by another nation is to be excluded. The various territorial changes are to be carried out at the expense of the central powers.

"These annexationist aims, though variously shaped, are generally known. The intention, however, also exists, especially in regard to Austria-Hungary to carry out her internal disintegration for the purpose of the formation of new states. Finally our opponents demand our tone in because we dared to defend ourselves and successfully against their attack. Our ability to defend ourselves is termed militarism and must therefore be destroyed."

"Territorial aims are, in fact, the only things now separating the different belligerent groups.

"For the great interests of humanity and for the justice, freedom, honor and peace of the world, as set forth in the laws of modern political conception, regarding which we need not accept any advice, we also are ready to fight."

"There is hardly any difference between the main principle enunciated by the statement of both belligerents, President Wilson's four new points of July 4 shall not, apart from certain exaggerations, arouse our opposition."

By Associated Press. Furiously launching new attacks against the Allied positions on the Marne front from Chateau Thierry to Rheims the Germans are continuing their efforts to break through the French and American defense. They have made progress during the past night but it has been decidedly slow in comparison with the sweep of the Teutonic legions in their attacks in Picardy, Flanders and along the Aisne.

It appears that the enemy after crossing the Marne between Dormans and Chatillon has reached in this area the villages of St. Agnan, La Chapelle and Monthodon, which are approximately a mile and three quarters south of the river but in the outskirts of these towns they have been held up.

West of Dormans, which is 24 miles east of Chateau Thierry, American troops are holding the battle line. Unofficial advice state that in this area they have retaken the villages of Fossey and Crezanzy, south of the Marne, where the Germans gained ground in the first rush across the river.

From the French official report it is evident that between Dormans and Rheims the Germans are driving toward the Marne at Chatillon and along the line to the northeast. Only at one point, in the Rhodmat wood, a mile and a half from Chatillon, however did they advance last night. Even there they have been checked by the French fire. From that point to Rheims there is no change in the situation.

The deepest penetration along this line approximately is 3 1/2 miles northeast of Chatillon, in the Rhodmat wood. This marks the greatest advance of the Germans at any point along the line since their offensive began. East of Rheims the situation also appears reassuring.

Just to the northeast the Germans managed to traverse the Bouquigny wood but on the southern side they have been stopped.

In the German offensives during the early summer delay was one of the prime factors in the situation. The Germans have never been able to gain materially when faced by forces that were numerically equal and all of their drives have come to a pause when Allied reinforcements were rushed up to the threatened points.

Behind Schedule.
The Germans are now more than 24 hours behind schedule and there is little to indicate that they still have striking power greater or as great as they possessed on Monday morning when their attacks began. The Allies therefore seem to have reason to believe that the supreme test of their defense has been met successfully.

The battle is not over as yet, and there may be a possibility, if not a probability, that the German high command has not played its trump cards in the mighty game that is going on. There is, however, a feeling of satisfaction over the first phases of the new drive and confidence that the Allied forces will continue to resist vigorously as they have during the terrible first hours of the conflict.

German artillery is reported active in the Albert sector. The British have improved their positions slightly in the Villers-Bretonneux sector. East and west of Rheims the Germans are fighting with desperation and every resource to bring quick success to their fifth offensive of the present great battle year. Almost everywhere the Allied troops are holding tenaciously and the fighting some behind the first line is yet intact along the entire 66 mile front.

Superb resistance by American. (Continued on page 5.)

AMERICAN TROOPS HAVE RECAPTURED TWO TOWNS

By Associated Press. LONDON, July 16.—American troops have recaptured Fossey and Crezanzy, towns on the south bank taken by the Germans when they crossed the Marne.

Enemy's Spirit Appears Broken By Allied Defense

By Associated Press. WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY ON THE MARNE, July 16.—Word received this morning from the battle front east of Rheims shows that the Allied defenses is not only still holding up the German attempts to advance, but appears to have broken the enemy's spirit.

CASUALTIES

ARMY.
 By Associated Press.
 WASHINGTON, July 16.—The army casualty list today shows:
 Killed in action 14.
 Died of wounds 8.
 Died of disease and other causes 1.
 Wounded severely 53.
 Missing 22.
 Prisoners 1.
 Total 102.
 Casualties in the list include:
 Killed in action: Corporals Frank H. Smith, Oklahoma; Frank H. Ralston, Oklahoma; Private James A. Smith, Sphyrt, Texas; Leo E. Smith, Platteville, La.; Private Ralph Perry, Coalinga, Okla.; Sergeant George D. Grigby, Oklahoma; Privates Joseph E. McCannagh, East Bernard, Texas; Herbert L. Stewart, Woodward, Okla.;
 Missing in action: Corporal John H. Smith, Lyons, Texas; Private Elmer Board, Recter, Ark.;
 Prisoners: Lieutenant Herbert A. Wardle, 1264 Vinton Ave., Memphis, Tenn.
 The remainder of the list follows:
 Killed in Action: Sergeant John W. Hanning, Newark, N. J.; Jacob Mannie, Centerville, N. Y.; Corporal Harry A. Fuller, Geraldine, Mont.; Privates Louis Brooks, Syracuse, N. Y.; Frederick J. Pagan, Washington, D. C.; Alfred E. Hutchinson, Greenville, S. D.; Forest S. Hoveston, Leakey, Ne.; Ernest T. Wainwright, Newburgh, N. Y.; Alex. Sander McQuarrell, France, Italy; Marie Rudnick, Opaus, Austria; George Turcotte, Fall River, Mass.; Vernon Wymor, North Baltimore, O.
 Died of Disease: Sergeant Floyd E. Roderick, South Bend, Ind.; Corporal William G. Strook, New York City; Privates Henry J. Patterson, McConnellsville, O.; Herbert C. Rocha, Los Angeles; Charles F. Snyder, Continental, O.; Arthur E. Winslow, Rockland, Me.
 Died of Disease: Private Lucius Hampton, Kathera, S. C.; Bernard M. Spinsky, Bakerton, Pa.
 Died from Accident and Other Causes: Private Michael J. Ward, Philadelphia.
 Wounded Severely: Sergeants John G. Gillen, Johnsbury, Pa.; Edward E. Lassus, Fort Wayne, Ind.; Corporal William P. Doyle, Syracuse, N. Y.; Miles H. Evans, Syracuse, N. Y.; Luther M. Claudford, Bushton, Ky.; Max I. Holtsch, New York City; Herbert E. Miller, Raymond, Ill.; George C. Thompson, Newark, N. J.; Karl Wes-

Mount Vernon, Iowa; Guy E. Williams, Oklahoma; Thomas A. Wood, Orchard Park, N. Y.; Cooks Frederick Hunsicker, Troy, N. Y.; Louis Shelton, Saitrock, W. Va.; Private George Barrett, College Point, N. Y.; William J. Bowen, Worcester, Mass.; Louis Brandt, Grandy, Minn.; William M. Brown, Dubois, Pa.; Thomas F. Butler, Hartford, Conn.; Thomas Dalrymple, South Boston, Mass.; Fred H. Davidson, Salt Lake City; William Debe, New York City; John De Eels, Frankfurt, N. Y.; Frank H. Frankfurter, Parsons, Kans.; William H. Frotten, Reading, Mass.; Peter Giannopoulos, Kipsic, N. Y.; Alvin B. Gilliam, Charlottesville, Va.; Louis C. Peward, Crawfordsville, Ind.; Elmer P. Lennon, Portage, Wis.; Patsy Maffei, Ricci, Italy; Bartolomeo J. Mahoney, Boston; Charles Marshall, Milwaukee, Wis.; Charles F. Macoy, Chester, Pa.; Semil Morgan, Lochester, N. Y.; David H. Mordick, Sagittary, Mich.; Albert Novak, Lacroix, Wis.; Peter J. Peute!, Warren, O.; Edward C. R. Riley, New York City; George O. Root, Pine Meadow, Conn.; John E. Slavin, Wilmington, Del.; Raymond E. South, Treason, N. J.; Joseph Tardiff, Bath, Me.; William M. Thorne, Detroit; Joseph A. Troy, East St. Louis, Ill.; Bernard Tucker, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Joseph Walters, Bay City, Mich.; Baylow W. Welch, Chelsea, Mich.; John Wisman, Landaua, Ky.; Gene Wilson, Winfield, Tenn.
 Wounded in Action: Sergeants John Schwartz, Louisville, Ky.; R. D. Studebaker, Robert, Ore.; Corporal Martin L. Anderson, Wemelsdorf, Pa.; Harry E. Chambers, Des Moines, Iowa; Alvin T. Rowley, Pleasant Hill, Ill.; Privates Valentine Gaudian, Oakland, Calif.; Joseph M. Griffith, Charleston, W. Va.; Orrin H. Jones, Lyons, Mich.; Clarence M. Law, Rolette, N. D.; Harry M. Leonard, Peterson, N. J.; Fred McEaney, Vancouver, Wash.; John A. McInnis, San Chaire, Wis.; James D. McQuinn, Blackburg, S. C.; James D. Matchett, Glenwood, Iowa; H. G. Niehaus, Grand Rapids, Mich.; Harold Pierdecort, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Tony Sabatino, Ambler, Pa.; Andy Skiffcorn, Chicago; Wladislaw Skrouwski, Wheeling, W. Va.; Homer Steel, Chanute, Kans.

MARINES.
 By Associated Press.
 WASHINGTON, July 16.—The marine corps casualty list today shows:
 Killed in action 42.
 Died of wounds 10.
 Wounded severely 17.
 Missing 18.
 Total 87.
 Southerners in the marine list include:
 Killed in action: Corporals Ernest A. Nell, 306 Berkshire Ave., San Antonio, Texas; Benjamin F. Turner, Waco, Tex.;
 Died of wounds received in action: First Sergeant Simon D. Barber, Rockport, Texas.
 Second List:
 Wounded in action severely: Sergeant Claude C. Edwards, Sullisaw, Okla.; Private Herbert C. Tuttle, Kinship College, Kinship, Okla.
 Marine corps casualties were reported today in two lists, the remainder of the first dated July 15, follows:
 Killed in Action: Sergeants Daniel E. Donahue, South Boston, Mass.; Rex W. Ish, present address unknown; Clement C. Kite, Mount Airy, Philadelphia; Corporal Herman Grollman, Newark, N. J.; Harry Hillix, Fredonia, Kans.; Joseph G. Klapp, Newark, N. J.; Joseph W. Kosky, Grand Rapids, Mich.; Jack Napp, Philadelphia; John Samian, Taylor, Pa.; Frank Sidders, Yardsville, Camden, N. J.; Privates Henry Beimborg, Chicago; Paul Glandin, Amberst, N. H.; Joseph B. Brown, Lynchburg, Va.; Ernest L. Buchheiser, Chicago; William E. Burton, Kansas City, Mo.; George E. Cleveland, East Greenwich, R. I.; James D. Dougherty, St. Louis; George Duco, Cascade, Colo.; Hugh Fackdell, Aldridge, Idaho; Herman Fischler, O'Fallon, Ill.; Harvey J. Hagan, St. Louis; Andrew J. Higgins, Ennice, N. C.; Donald C. Hooton, Litchfield, Minn.; Thomas H. Joyce, South Boston, Mass.; Beaulis Kiebler, Cypress, Ill.; Carl B. Marcus, Tyrona, Mo.; George E. Miner, Piteira, Pa.; Lyndon G. Nelson, Brockton, Mass.; Eric De Quinn, Buffalo, N. Y.; Walter Roschire, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Harry Robinson, Philadelphia; Van Rennsaeler Skidmore, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Clyde H. Slider, Davis, W. Va.; Henry C. Sledge, Glensboro, W. Va.; Walter J. Spangier, Philadelphia; Robert S. Spencer, Barabaz, N. Y.; Eugene Wallace, Fremont, Wis.; Sidney Weller, Milwaukee.
 Died of Wounds Received in Action: Sergeant Fred Helcher, Pell, Wash.; Corporal Bert E. Ames, America, Ga.; Privates John D. Four, Seattle, Wash.; Harry E. Hathaway, Rochester, N. Y.; Lewis G. Humphries, Indianapolis, Ind.; Frank E. Kemble, Rutherford, N. J.; Charles Krzyzewski, Jersey City; Benjamin R. Tyson, Brooklyn; George E. Williams, Detroit.
 Wounded in Action Severely: Corporal Henry H. Kelly, Kerrville, Tenn.
 The remainder of the second list dated July 14 follows:
 Killed in Action: Sergeant Major William J. Gary, Washington, D. C.
 Wounded in Action Severely: Corporals George Felscher, Port

Richmond, N. Y.; Arlynn M. Price, Abington, Ill.; Lyle G. Stephenson, Leabandon, Ind.; Odin A. Thomason, Chicago; Stanley B. Williams, Oklawaha, Kans.; Privates George W. Barker, Chicago; John M. Beach, Los Angeles, Calif.; Edward K. Hopkins, Crescent, Ohio; John A. Maxfield, Palmyra, Ill.; Chauncey F. Morrison, Keokuk, Iowa; Russell J. Mullins, Farmington, Mo.; Harry B. Scott, Chicago; Irvin W. Sokolow, Chicago; Mark W. Wade, Parsons, Kans.
 Missing in Action: Corporals Anthony S. Kowalak, Bay City, Mich.; Joseph C. Toulson, Salem, N. J.; Herbert McK. West, Kerra Creek, Va.; Privates Arthur G. Catvin, St. Louis; James T. Cotter, Chicago; Karl Dupes, Indian Harbor, Ind.; William F. Elderson, Cleveland, O.; Robert L. Ely, Chattanooga, Tenn.; George D. Gaddis, Dahloguega, Ga.; Benjamin E. Henderson, Chicago; Jewell T. Hill, Jefferson, Ga.; Livingston Latham, Ann Arbor, Mich.; Alban B. Lewis, Philadelphia; William J. O'Brien, Cincinnati; David Ebroctor, East Cambridge, Mass.; Alvin H. Shlumpberger, New Tim, Minn.; Charles W. Steinkamp, New York City; John W. Winston, Memphis, Tenn.
 Wounded in action, severely, previously reported and not included in total: Corporal Edgar R. Anderson, Cedar town, Ga.

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- Silk hose for ladies in all the leading shades, pr. \$1.00
- Men's socks, 7 pair \$1.00
- 2 silk four-in-hand ties, 2 for \$1.00
- Girls' gingham dresses, strictly washable, size 2, 3, 4 and 5, 2 for \$1.00
- Every pair men's pants will be put on sale tomorrow.
- 42 inch voile, plain colors, 3 yds. \$1.00
- \$2.50 silks \$1.85
- Men's Panama hats \$2.50, \$2.95 to \$3.35
- Straw hats 15c to \$1.75
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Pretty voiles, 25c to 30c values, special Dollar Day selling, 5 yards for \$1.00
- Curtain Scrim**
A splendid value at 15c per yd., Dollar Day selling, 1 yard for \$1.00
- Men's Union Suits**
A good garment at 65c, Dollar Day Special, 2 suits for \$1.00
- Ladies' Silk Gloves**
Black, tan, pink and white, values to \$1.00, Dollar Day Special 2 pair for \$1.00
- 2 yds. 75c values in skirt goods \$1.00
- Broad stripe, beautiful material, if bought on present market would be worth \$1.00 per yard, Dollar Day special, 2 yards for \$1.00

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Good styles, best material, values up to \$2.50, Dollar Day special \$1.00

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Good grade material, good size, 35c values, Dollar Day Special, 4 towels for \$1.00

Men's Silk Socks
Good values at 35c, special for Dollar Day, 4 pair for \$1.00

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Dollar Day Special, 2 ties for \$1.00

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Values up to \$1.25 and \$1.50, Dollar Day Special, each \$1.00

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Good values at 65c, Dollar Day Special, 2 suits for \$1.00

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Beautiful plaids and stripes, best grade material, values \$1.25 and \$1.50, Dollar Day special \$1.00

56 SELECT MEN LEAVE TODAY FOR TRAINING AMPS

Fifty six select men, thirty nine white men and seventeen negroes, left this afternoon for San Antonio to enter the national army.

CAFE PROPRIETOR GONE; CREDITORS WILL MEET TODAY

Pending a meeting of creditors, which has been called for 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon, the Metropolitan Cafe is closed, following the disappearance of the proprietor, I. Rochester, who is supposed to have left Wichita Falls Sunday night in his car, a Hudson Speedster.

CLARENCE E. GILMORE Candidate for R. R. Commissioner Here

Honorable Clarence E. Gilmore of Willis Point, candidate for railroad commissioner, was in Wichita Falls this morning visiting old friends.

FRENCH COMMAND WELL INFORMED OF ENEMY'S PLANS

All news from the battle front indicates that the element of surprise, a favorite German weapon, was a total failure Monday.

AMERICANS SHOOT DOWN TWO ENEMY PLANES

By Associated Press. WICHITA, July 16.—(11:00 A. M.)—During one of a dozen air combats which took place this morning, P. J. Abernathy of Maine, shot down an enemy machine fifteen miles north of Dormans.

Dollar Day Tomorrow at Colonna TOGGERY SHOP Many good things for a dollar: House dresses, wool skirts, trimmed hats and silk camisoles, shirt waists, hat shapes. SEE OUR WINDOWS

Yeager's Second Lesson In Political Psychology

My first lesson was a study of the feminine mind and heart. This one concerns the common facilities with out regard to sex.

GERMAN PROPAGANDA IN PUBLIC LIBRARIES

DALLAS, TEX., July 16.—There are in the public library here a number of books which no one wants or ever reads. There are German reference books secured before the war.

INCREASE IN STUDENTS AT CHAPLAIN'S SCHOOL

LOUISVILLE, KY., July 16.—The Chaplain school at Camp Zachary Taylor, the only school of its kind in the United States, was inspected recently by Frederick P. Kepple, third assistant secretary of war, and other members of a mission appointed by Secretary Baker to carry out provisions made by Congress for increasing the students from 100 to 250.

Table with 2 columns: RESOURCES and LIABILITIES. Includes items like Loans and Discounts, U. S. Bonds and Premiums, and Capital Stock.

Our Clearance Sale on All Summer Wearables Starts Tomorrow! EVERY GARMENT WILL BE SOLD AT A REDUCTION Dresses on Sale at \$15.00. Includes list of items like Sport Dresses, White Wash Skirts, Silk Skirts, Foulard Skirts, and See Our Dollar Day Specials.

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AN INDUSTRY THREATENED

The federal government plans to raise 8 billions of dollars in the fiscal year 1918-19 by taxation. This is double the sum raised last year. Washington dispatches tell us that the additional revenue is to come mostly through increases in the excess profits and income taxes.

The excess profits taxes have operated as a great handicap against the oil industry and other developing industries in this section, and are actually deterring development in the oil industry at a time when that industry is necessary to winning the war. It may be supposed that if double the revenue is to be raised taxes are to be doubled. If there is such an increase in taxes against the oil industry it will be brought to the verge of ruin. This ought to be clearly understood in Washington and Texas and Oklahoma representatives in congress ought to be impressed with the adverse effect of added impositions upon this essential industry.

The trouble with the excess profits tax is that it lets too many big fellows out but catches all the small fish. It must not be inferred that the oil men are unwilling to pay a just share of taxes. They desire to do this and will do so as gladly as any set of men in the country. They will not raise as much protest as others even if they are unjustly taxed. But unjust taxes will retard their activities and will put many of them out of business.

AN UNNECESSARY LABOR.

The Times, with all other loyal and law abiding corporations in this country, desires to pay a just share of the taxes necessary to run our government and to carry on the war. In that spirit is accepted the new zoning law for second class mail without protest.

But a short experience with the law shows, so far as the Times is concerned, and doubtless the same is true of a very large percent of the newspapers of the country, there will be comparatively little additional revenue from the operation of this law but that there will be a vast amount of work for the newspapers. The details of meeting the provisions of the law will easily cost the publications a greater sum than the additional amount of the revenue that will accrue to the government.

If the government needs more revenue from second class mail it can be secured by a flat increase of the postal rates on all second class matter.

Magazines and periodicals with national circulations, ought to pay a higher rate than newspapers with circulations in a comparatively small territory, and certainly literature would be advanced if ninety percent of the magazines were wiped out of existence and the publication industry could be decentralized from New York City and made regional. The best way to bring about this decentralization and start magazines in scattered regions over the country is by the imposition of postal zone rates.

But the country is at war now and such reforms may well wait until the end of the war. In the meantime as said before if the government believes it ought to have more revenue this may be raised by a flat increase in the second class mail rates. The monstrosity of a law that now exists required a great amount of labor in the aggregate at a time when the draft is taking men daily from newspaper offices and when every cut in unnecessary work ought to be made.

STRIKE STOPS CAR SERVICE IN ATLANTA

By Associated Press.
ATLANTA, GA., July 16.—Atlanta was without street car service today as a result of a strike which tied up every car within the city and on interurban lines.
The stoppage of service was due, according to union officials, to the Georgia Railway and Power Company's refusal to arbitrate differences arising from dismissal of men for joining the union.

Germans Bombard An American Red Cross Hospital

By Associated Press.
PARIS, July 15.—German aviators at 11 o'clock last night dropped bombs on the American Red Cross hospital at Jouy. Two enlisted men were killed and among the personnel nine persons were wounded. Miss Jane Jeffrey, an American Red Cross nurse, was among those wounded though her injuries are not serious.
The hospital, deliberately bombed by the German aviators, was full of wounded at the time and doctors were performing operations at four tables. The operations continued notwithstanding the explosions. At least three bombs were dropped on the hospital.

Both Men and Women Work Excessive Hours In German Factories

Associated Press Mail Correspondent.
AMSTERDAM, June.—What the Berlin Vorwaerts terms "criminal sapping of the nation's strength" is revealed by the returns of the "labor inspectorate for Prussia" for 1917. These statistics have not appeared during wartime and socialists have long and vainly urged their rescuance. The Prussian Board of Trade finally yielded and last year's figures have just been made public. Issued without text they are eloquent in themselves as they show increased use of the labor of women and children which, Vorwaerts says, "will excite a fearful revenge on the future peace."

Compared with pre-war statistics, male employes over sixteen decreased from 2,662,152 to 1,956,202, but women employes increased 687,734 to 1,249,992. Employees fourteen to sixteen years old increased 280,148 to 327,904 and children under fourteen, 3,584 to 6,912.
In engineering workshops alone the number of women increased from 51,513 to 327,512.
Cases of infractions of the workmen's protection act have increased during the emergency law of 1914. Employers were granted exemptions which have been scandalously abused. Cases of exceeding the ten hours working day rule for women rose from 2,869 to 6,108; suppressions of the legal luncheon interval from 3,733 to 9,292; nonobservance of the prohibition of night work from 13,338 and the observance of the prohibition of juvenile labor 162 to 1,209.

"The number of official inspections of factories having, notably increased, it is safe to say," adds Vorwaerts, "that law breaking in this respect has assumed gigantic proportions," and the paper vehemently complains of the excessive indulgence shown to employers by the authorities who, for instance, granted permission for overtime by women to the extent of 20,000 hours compared with 15,000,000 in 1916, and for nightwork by women to the total of 44,000,000 hours, compared with 25,000,000.
The two-shift system is still prevalent while three-shifts are comparatively rare.
Vorwaerts demands instant measures to counteract these abuses and the abolition of the exemption law.

7,000 MEN CALLED FOR SPECIAL TRAINING

By Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, July 16.—Fifteen states were called upon by Proctor Marshal General Crowder today for seven thousand draft registrants fit for general military service to be sent to schools for special training. The movement will be between August 1 and 15.
Registrants may be voluntarily inducted for this service until July 22. The allotment for the school call includes: Louisiana 200; Alabama Polytechnical Institute.

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DISPOSITION OF FORCES AND ORDER OF BATTLE EMPLOYED BY ALLIES AND GERMANS IN THEIR AIR FIGHTS

WASHINGTON, July 15.—The disposition of forces and the order of battle employed by Allies and Germans in their air battles are graphically described in a communication from the National Geographic Society from Captain Andre de Berroets, of the French Aviation service. His description of the manner in which the opposing forces are aligned above the trenches is made public by the society in the following war geography bulletin issued from its Washington headquarters.
"I will explain in words the methods of the pursuit or fighting planes and the special duties which the aviators of the pursuit squadrons have to perform. The tactics of our machines you must be acquainted with the methods of the enemy that is, with the formation adopted by the Germans for the execution of their plans, not their resistance."
"In normal times the German planes are disposed in three stories, the most elevated being also the farthest from the front."
"1. The spotting and infantry planes, at a height of about 3,000 feet and at least half a mile from the front. These are protected by the enemy's anti-aircraft defense (barrage) of two seater, at a height of about 9,000 feet, and from two to three miles within their lines."
"2. The Order of Battle in the Air. In periods of crisis, when an attack is believed imminent, or when the enemy is taken within our lines, the Germans launch large groups of machines over the affected points. In particular, reconnaissance missions are carried at heights of 15,000 to 15,500 feet."
"To this rigid and defensive arrangement we oppose a war of movement by the employment of offensive fighters, the enemy's machines, which it is their duty to attack."
"Our fighting machines are at present swift single-seaters, flying from 125 to 140 miles per hour, armed with one or two machine-guns, rigidly fastened to the airplane and capable of shooting only in the direction of the axis of the machine, not pivoted like the guns on war vessels."
"The pilot must therefore fly straight at the enemy in order to be able to fire at him. He must maintain in a firm and steady the airplane, so that at the moment for firing the hostile plane will be in the straight line of his machine gun. I leave you to imagine the skill required to attain this result, when one attacks an enemy flying at an average velocity of 125 miles per hour, with his own machine going at an equal or greater speed."
"The Various Modes of Attack. The following are the principal cases of attack for fighting planes:

"1. The attack by an isolated single-seater on a single-seater likewise isolated. This is the easiest case. Above all, the effect of surprise is sought, either by taking advantage of fog, or by getting between the sun and the adversary, or getting vertically over him, where he cannot see you, having made a successful approach, you must get into a good firing position—a short distance below and behind the adversary, while avoiding the wind from his propeller.
"To accomplish this, each pilot uses his individual cases, which vary in its particular cases. One of the common maneuvers consists in diving from a sufficient distance to about 300 feet behind the adversary, dropping about 60 lower and coming into position for firing by an upward dash.
"If the enemy has suspected nothing, it is 'assassination.'
"If he has seen you, he either flees or accepts combat.
"If he flees, fire after him.
"If he accepts battle, each adversary maneuvers to keep the upper position in the air in order to be able to drop suddenly behind and below the other. The maneuver of suddenness, quickness of eye. After a few passes, one of the two gets the upper hand. When the boche feels himself beaten, he usually tries to escape by a dash. If he dives in a straight line, keep firing at him, as at a target. If he zigzags, you must keep close behind him, attacking every time he does. His only salvation consists in the full spin or in turning over on the wing.
"Often the single-seaters prefer to operate in pairs. In this case they attack both at the same time. In order to divide the attention of the German, or one attacks above, while the other guards the rear of the attacking machine.
"2. Attack on a two-seater by a single-seater. To effect a surprise is always a first consideration. The importance of the attacking position is greatly increased by the presence, on the hostile plane, of a machine gun operated by the observer and often covering a large field. Before all, one must get into the three-quarters position, and then, if possible, get above—for he would certainly receive some bullets.
"The best position is either in front and a little below, or under the tail. If he is coming from the rear, the pilot should search for the observer, who he takes advantage of this position to get under his tail.
"3. Attack on a hostile group by a single-seater. The object of the first maneuver is to isolate one of the airplanes, so as to attack it separately. The driver in the midst of the group, while keeping a little above and firing at all his adversaries, so as to force them to maneuver, it is seldom that one of the enemy in his excitement,

does not detach himself by turning to the right, while the others turn to the left. It is upon the former that our fighter precipitates himself.
"4. Battle of a group of single-seaters against a hostile group. The group consisting of four or five machines, holds itself at a high altitude. The formation of flying is adopted. The leader flies at the point of the V, the others being terraced behind him. The planes leave about 450 feet between them, in terraces, the leader being the lowest.
"The Germans fly likewise in V formation of single file, in steps; but, with them, the last plane is the lowest, the leader being the highest.
"This results in the following form of attack. The French leader announces that he is about to attack, by banking twice, and dives at the last German plane, which is the lowest. The other boches make a half turn and fall upon him.

Deeds Filed For Record.
J. S. Bridwell and J. J. Simon to Burk Warmuth, lot 18, Boyd and Moore subdivision of Block 261, City of Wichita Falls, \$1,376.
Llan A. Boyd to Ralph Hines, lots 1 and 2, block 12, Snyder subdivision of the Bellevue addition to the city of Wichita Falls, \$1,275.
T. B. Noble to P. H. Pennington, half interest in lot 10, block 163, city of Wichita Falls, \$5,000 cash and other valuable considerations.
R. L. Galthier to J. Morgan, lot 2, block 16, Jalonic addition to the city of Wichita Falls, \$1,800.
J. S. Rollins and wife to H. J. Herzog, lot 12, block 18, Jalonic addition to city of Wichita Falls, \$2,750.



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CORRECTS MISREPRESENTATIONS

Crowell, Texas, July 15, 1918.
To the Voters of the 23rd Senatorial District of Texas:
I have upon a folder recently gotten out by me, entitled "The Campaign of Templeton, in the interest of his campaign for State Senator in which he accuses me of having changed my position with respect to the position of Mr. Ferguson, even if he received the majority of votes, should be seated as Governor, regardless of the constitution, is nothing but the old game of the last term of office, why did he vote to allow Mr. Ferguson to go before the people as a regular candidate for that office, when it could serve no good purpose and possibly involve the state in a great deal of trouble? Was he mocking the people, or was he trying to mislead the Ferguson supporters to serve his own ends as well as not trying to mislead the people in regard to my position?"
In one of his folders Mr. Templeton mentions a number of reforms which he says he will advocate if elected. I have been with him in the last three legislatures and during all that time he has never, to my knowledge, introduced a single bill to put into law any of the things he says that he favors. It seems strange that out of six years' experience he has only learned what he should advocate in the future but did not learn until his last term of office is about expired; or is his platform only some more camouflage? I have too much confidence in the integrity and intelligence of I believe that the 23rd Senatorial District to believe that they want a man to represent them in the State Senate who would misrepresent his opponent in order to get himself elected to office; and there are too many good people in the district who know me for Mr. Templeton's false statements in regard to my position who was right and who was wrong, answered by me. It is only the desperate effort of a man who recognizes that he has been weighed in the balance and found wanting to bolster up a cause by trying to tear down the reputation of his opponent to his own level, and to mislead the people by false statements. It looks like Mr. Templeton has seen the handwriting on the wall and feels that something must be done to save himself; and if he has not seen it he will see it about the 27th of this month and be having reached a point where he will himself a fit man for office in the eyes of the people by trying to besmirch the reputation of his fellow man. Respectfully,
W. S. BELL.

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HUGE FORCE IS THROWN IN BATTLE IN EFFORT TO WIN

(Continued from page 1.)

French and Italian troops held the Germans to a standstill. Between 700,000 and 800,000 men were thrown into the battle line by the German command.

Americans Take Prisoners. Large forces were concentrated to be thrown across the Marne and bridges were laid between Fossy and Dormans. American troops fighting with great dash met this menace.

German Attack Smashed. East of Rheims the Germans have been smashed completely. The French resistance there stood resolutely and stopped the foe in his tracks.

Real Objective Uncertain. As yet no frontal attack has been made on Rheims and that battle was a feint to draw the German attention away from the real objective.

STEAMER OOSLERDIJK SUNK IN COLLISION ON ATLANTIC (BULLETIN.) AN ATLANTIC PORT, July 16.—The sinking at sea on July 11 of the American steamship Ooslerdijk after a collision with the American steamship San Jacinto was reported by a Swedish steamship arriving here today.

PROVISIONAL ARRANGEMENT FOR EXCHANGE OF PRISONERS LONDON, July 16.—Andrew Bonar Law, chancellor of the exchequer, in announcing in the house of commons last night that a provisional agreement for the exchange of British and German prisoners had been reached.

SENNETT SIGNED BY ST. LOUIS AMERICANS ST. LOUIS, July 16.—Robert Quinn, business manager of the St. Louis American league club announced today that he has signed Joe Bennett, a right hander, to pitch for the local club.

CAPTAIN REINHARD KILLED IN TRIAL FLIGHT AMSTERDAM, July 16.—Captain Reinhard, commander of the air squadron of the late Captain Baron Von Richthofen has been killed during a trial flight the Lokai newspaper says. The squadron claims 177 aerial victories under Captain Reinhard.

6,000 NEGROES EN ROUTE TO TRAINING CAMPS AUSTIN, TEX., July 16.—Six thousand negroes drafted into the service from various parts of Texas, today were en route to Camp Travis to undergo training for military duty.

OTHER PAPERS OWNED BY GERMAN MONEY ALLEGED

NEW YORK, July 16.—Use of German funds to obtain whole or partial control of American newspapers was not confined to New York City, according to a statement today by Deputy Attorney General Becker of New York.

SEMINARY WILL BE CONVERTED INTO HOSPITAL AUSTIN, TEX., July 16.—Negotiations practically have been completed whereby the federal government will lease the Austin Presbyterian Theological Seminary buildings here and convert them into a hospital for students of the school of military aeronautics.

NO VACATION FOR PRESIDENT WILSON WASHINGTON, July 16.—There will be no vacation this year for President Wilson. With matters of tremendous importance demanding his attention every day, President Wilson has decided that he can not leave his desk and it was definitely announced at the White House today that he will remain in Washington throughout the summer.

GERMANS SEE NO CHANCE OF MAKING PROGRESS WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY ON THE MARNE, July 16.—American troops today shot down a carrier pigeon bearing to the enemy east of Chateau Thierry. It was carrying a message from a German divisional headquarters saying that the situation was serious.

GERMANS FORCED TO THROW RESERVES INTO ACTION WITH THE FRENCH ARMY, July 16.—(Morning)—The Allied resistance to the Germans in the present offensive has been so great and the German losses consequently so heavy that enemy divisions which the Germans had not intended to use until tomorrow had to be thrown into the line by noon yesterday.

MOONEY ORDERED TO PEN TO AWAIT EXECUTION SAN FRANCISCO, July 16.—An order committing Thomas J. Mooney to execution there on Friday, August 23, was given the sheriff here today by Superior Judge Franklin, before whom Mooney was convicted of murder in connection with a Preparedness Day bomb explosion here.

500 Pairs Men's, Ladies' and Children's Shoes, choice \$1.00 W. B. McClurkan & Co. See our window for Shoe Bargains

Market Report

Cotton Market Grain Market

NEW YORK, July 16.—There was some selling on bearish private condition figures and talk of rain in Texas at the opening of the cotton market today and first prices were barely steady at an advance of several points on July but generally unchanged to 22 points lower.

NEW ORLEANS, July 16.—Droughty conditions over the belt caused buying in the cotton market today on which prices gained 13 to 18 points in the first half hour of business.

LIVERPOOL, July 16.—Cotton quiet. Price unchanged. Good middling 22.67; middling 22.04; low middling 21.51; good ordinary 20.52; ordinary 19.99; sales 2,900 bales, including 1,700 American.

NEW YORK STOCKS NEW YORK, July 16.—Stocks opened at substantial gains today in response to the very encouraging war news. Trading was active and broader than at any recent period.

AMERICANS IMPROVE POSITIONS IN FOSSY REGION WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY ON THE MARNE, July 16.—(10:45 A. M.)—The American troops in the head of the Marne, the Fossy region, improved their positions during the night.

GERMAN ATTACKS CONTINUE BUT ARE STILL HELD BACK

LONDON, July 16.—The Germans this morning continued their attacks against the French lines in pursuance of their offensive according to information that reached here.

CHICAGO, July 16.—Big receipts and somewhat favorable weather gave an advantage today to the bears in corn. Arrivals here reached the huge total of 500 carloads.

CHICAGO PRODUCE CHICAGO, July 16.—Butter, firm. Creamery 38¢ 43¢. Eggs, higher ¼ receipts 2.27 1/2 cases; firsts 38 1/4 39 1/4; ordinary 35 1/2 37 1/2; at mark cases included 35 1/2 38.

CHICAGO STOCKS CHICAGO, July 16.—Stocks opened at substantial gains today in response to the very encouraging war news. Trading was active and broader than at any recent period.

CHICAGO CASH GRAIN KANSAS CITY, July 16.—Wheat number 1 hard 2.17 1/2 2.21; number 2 hard 2.20; number 1 red 2.18 1/4 2.21; number 2 red 2.16.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK KANSAS CITY, July 16.—Hogs, receipts 14,000; 15 higher. Bulk \$17.75 17.85; heavy \$17.90 18.00; light \$17.60 17.85; pigs \$16.50 17.00.

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BRITAIN'S ALLIES FERVENTLY CHEERED IN PARLIAMENT

By Associated Press.
LONDON, July 16.—It is regarded here as being too early to pronounce any opinion on the great battle east and west of Rheims on the fact that the Germans this time have not been able to repeat previous successes or make any substantial advance has been received with undisguised relief.

This was echoed in the hearty cheers which greeted Chancellor Bonar Law's announcement in the House of Commons, late Monday evening—cheers which sounded with equal fervor for the American success as for the tenacity of the French and Italian resistance and in appreciation of General Foch's encouraging words that he was well satisfied with the results of the first day. Sir Walter Runciman's remark that the house would wish to congratulate not only the French but the Americans also was endorsed by an outburst of applause.

As far as is known nothing developed last Monday to show more clearly than in the earlier hours whether the enemy's extensive and carefully prepared attack in his main blow. Commentators recall that it has been a German habit in the past to strike in one direction and to allow a big battle to develop and then suddenly switch off to some other point, a plan which his central position enabled him to carry out with remarkable rapidity.

It is suggested that the present assault may be a diversion to draw the Allied reserves from the Flanders front to prepare the way for a German attack in that region.

Whatever is the aim of the present stroke, it is held that the enemy's final objective, if dictated by purely military considerations, must be to separate the French and British armies and to drive the British back on the coast. Failing success in this direction his second choice must be to reach Paris or a line so near as to bring the capital within range of his heavy artillery.

The result of Monday's attack, as far as information here enables judgment to be formed, brought him no nearer either objective.

GERMAN ARMIES UNDER VON BOHM AND VON BELOW

By Associated Press.
LONDON, July 16.—Advices received in London up to noon today said that little change in the situation had been created by the German offensive. The attacks which continued throughout yesterday were conducted by the forces of General Von Below and General Von Bohm, who are directing the operations of the two armies on the left wing of the German crown prince group.

GREAT FERTILIZER PLANT AT JACKSONVILLE DESTROYED

By Associated Press.
JACKSONVILLE, FLA., July 16.—Fire caused by the explosion of nitrate early today destroyed the fertilizer plant of the American Agricultural Company near here, entailing a loss of a million and a quarter dollars.

BOMBARDMENT OF PARIS IS RESUMED

By Associated Press.
PARIS, July 16.—The long range bombardment of Paris was resumed this morning.

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GERMAN DEAD HANG ON FRENCH WIRE EAST OF RHEIMS

By Associated Press.
PARIS, July 15.—A semi-official statement says: "Orders found on prisoners show that the troops of the crown prince were to have camped at Eperney on the night of July 15; at Chalons on the 16th and at Sezanne (22 miles south of the Marne) on the 17th.

"The imperial general staff left no stone unturned to gain a decisive success and thirty five divisions had been put into the line. That is about one division to two miles.

"The enemy's losses were considerable. One shock division, which according to plans, was to have been relieved the evening of the 15th had to be sent to the rear to the be patched up on the morning of the 15th. East of Rheims hundreds of German dead hang on the French wire. Beside them are many smashed tanks which the enemy used to support the infantry.

"To sum up, the day's operations were perfectly satisfactory. The enemy neither surprised our command as to the date nor as to the place of his thrust."

GERMANS FAILED AT START IN FRENCH VIEW

By Associated Press.
PARIS, July 16.—That the Germans failed at the start in the common view of all French military critics and even the most cautious are unable to conceal their satisfaction over the results of Monday's fighting.

"It would be silly," says Colonel De Thomasson, "to prophesy after one day's fighting, but one can certainly say that the beginning was altogether encouraging for us. Nowhere have the Germans made any particular advance.

"East of Rheims they lost heavily and made practically no progress. West of Dormans they crossed the Marne, but we hold the bridgehead and mean to defend it from the left bank. They, however, soon lost the few miles gained south of the river. There, beside our men, were American regiments who bore themselves so that German newspapermen can hardly continue the usual twaddle about their new adversary."

TEXAS HAS MATERIALS FOR CONCRETE SHIPS

AUSTIN, TEX., July 16.—Tests made by James P. Nash of the Bureau of Economic Geology and Technology of the University of Texas, show there are rock materials in the state which are suited as a material for making concrete ships. Mr. Nash has spent a considerable amount of time in studying this phase of laboratory work.

It is stated that plans are under way for the establishment of one or more concrete shipbuilding yards on the Texas coast. One would probably be located at Arkansas Pass, it is said.

HUNS PENETRATIONS FOUR MILES AT FARTHEST POINT

By Associated Press.
LONDON, July 15.—West of Rheims the enemy attacked in very considerable strength at two places by way of the Marne railway and in the country south of Dormans. In this neighborhood they succeeded in throwing six bridges across the Marne between Reully and Dormans but at no point on this 25 miles front has the enemy penetrated more than four miles into the French positions.

PEOPLE OF PARIS HEAR DULL MUTTERINGS OF GUNS

By Associated Press.
PARIS, July 15.—Violent artillery firing continued last night on the fighting front. Residents of Paris again heard the roar and saw the flashes of the guns. There was a dim flickering in the sky resembling summer lightning varied now and then by a red flash reflected from low clouds.

The reports of the guns were more faint than Sunday and Monday and were felt rather than heard. An intermittent dull muttering punctuated by heavier dull thuds by shells from the heavens kept up during the night.

Houses in the suburbs were shaken slightly but in some places the rocking of the earth was sufficient to displace pictures on the walls.

Dr. R. E. Huff Jr., Dentist, Graduate Northwestern University, Chicago, 410 First National Bank Building, Telephone 1791.

HUNS MOWED DOWN AS ADVANCE ACROSS THE OPEN FIELDS

By Associated Press.
WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY
On The Marne, July 15.—At the point of the offensive where the American troops are fighting, they organized a small counter attack late yesterday on the flank of a salient established by the Germans and drove them out in short order, but in hot fighting.

The American troops in this section occupied intermediate positions in the rear of the first line. The Germans were allowed to come through but when they tried to cross the open fields up a slight grade, the American machine gunners and infantry occupying excellent positions, mowed down the advancing ranks, the enemy breaking and retiring at many places.

This operation was conducted on a portion of the front to the east of Rheims.

GERMANS HAVE CONCENTRATED RESERVES IN RETHEL REGION

By Associated Press.
PARIS, July 16.—The Germans will continue their offensive, as they have concentrated strong reserves in the region of Rethel, northeast of Rheims, says Marc Hutin in the Echo de Paris. The reserves, he adds, undoubtedly will be put into the fighting line probably extending the front of attack toward the Argonne.

Regular dinner, 35c; Hoover dinner, 25c. Handricks Eat Shop, 303 Indiana.

PATRIOTISM

The kind that our Government desires, may be outlined as follows: Increased production, economizing consumption, lending your funds to the Government and holding your Liberty Loan.

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- One big table ladies' hats \$1.00
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- 5 yards good percale \$1.00
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- One table lawn, 10 yards for \$1.00
- One table gaberdine skirting, 3 yards for \$1.00
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- One lot ladies' shoes, 2 for \$1.00
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Having started the Dollar Day sales in Wichita Falls, and knowing what it takes to bring the ladies out, these hot days, we are prepared to offer some bargains that will appeal. It's not a matter of profit on the dollar sales, but to get you into the store to see the other goods.

One Big Cut Glass Bowl Worth \$5.00

For the first lady to come that wants it we have put up one fine big cut glass bowl worth \$5.00. It's a beauty, and well worth coming after.

Other Rare Values Are

Rogers silver ice tea spoons, leather pocket books, cut glass sugar and cream sets, cut glass vases, baskets, comforts, ivory mirrors, brushes, guests' cut glass sets, mayonnaise bowls, and many other very desirable articles.

SALE STARTS AT 8 O'CLOCK

Kruger Jewelry Co.

725 Ohio Ave.



How France Has Been Fed

"Before the war, a distinguished French Officer, General Maitrot, wrote a series of articles in the 'Echo de Paris' to warn France, that in case of war, the French meat industry would be unable to supply the French army in the field with fresh meat,—owing especially to the lack of modern refrigerating plants and of refrigerating transportation,—and too, owing to the deficiency in the national herd."

"Since the war began, the French army has never been short of fresh meat, thanks mainly to the prosperous condition of the American meat industry, and too, to the American live stock breeders."

The foregoing statement was made by a representative of the Allies now in the United States.

Another representative of the Allies said recently:

"that the American packers have been of the greatest possible assistance to the Allies and have, by their efficient cooperation, contributed in the utmost degree to the successful prosecution of the war."

Swift & Company, U. S. A.

Wanted To Buy Second-Hand Furniture and Stoves! Star Furniture Co. Phone 1011

SPECIAL NOTICES

NOTICE—Tree spraying. I actually kill the bugs. Phone 1247 or 2548. 53-10c

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS

PLUMBING—Quickest yet repair shop. Anderson Plumbing Co. 810 1-2 Indiana. Phone 2648 or 1347. 9-10c

WANTED—To buy, small safe. Phone 2089. 42-10c

I WILL PAY the highest prices for range, iron, house, all kinds of metal and rope. Wichita Junk Co. 47-24c

WANTED—We have several customers for nice homes. If you want to sell, phone 87. Anderson & Patterson. 51-10c

WANTED—Bring your clothes to 301 Travis street. Also plain sewing; prices reasonable. 53-42c

WANTED—to buy porcelain bath tub and lavatory in good condition. Phone 608. 53-10c

WANTED—to rent 3 unfurnished rooms. Phone 1635 from 7:30 a. m. to 6 p. m. 54-31p

WANTED—to rent, five or six room house with garage by responsible party. can give references. Nothing west of Ninth street will be considered. Address, A. B. care Times. 54-31p

WANTED—to buy star drilling machine, must be in good condition and bargain. Address J. care Times. 55-61c

FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

FOR ALL kinds of mattress work, re-covering, etc., call Patton Furniture Co. 710 7th street. Phone 1660. 54-26-c

EVANGELIST BROWN in his sermon to mothers, stated he purchased 'The Book of Knowledge for his children' and if he could not replace it, he would not take \$1,000 for the set. If you care to examine this wonderful book, address, Box 825, Wichita Falls, Texas. 54-10c

FOR SALE—Victoria. 606 7th street. 53-10c

FOR SALE—Complete furnishings of 12 room boarding house, close in on car line. Phone 2142. 23-10c

WINONA MILLS, Underwear, Hosiery and Suspenders. Orders taken now for fall delivery. T. M. Smyre, sales. Phone 373. 53-31p

FOR SALE—Three ceiling fans. Phone 523. 53-10c

FOR SALE—Several different makes and sizes of slightly used gas and gasoline and steam tractors, 8 1/2 horsepower tractor portable; 15 h. p. Fairbanks & Morse portable engine; 18 h. p. P. & O. portable engine. Write for your wants and get figures.—Clark Machine Co., Wichita Falls, Texas. 50-41p

FOR SALE—Furniture or part of furniture for 5 room cottage with privilege of renting house. 807 Lamar. Phone 3075. 52-10c

FOR SALE—Good barn and shed to be moved off lot, cheap. Phone 496 or 373. 53-10c

FOR SALE—Sewing machine, practically new for \$20.00. 210 Scott. 53-31p

FOR SALE—Rumley tractor 15-30, 8 foot run 25 inch disc plow, National Oil Exchange, St. James Hotel, Wichita Falls. A. H. (Doc) Dicker. 53-31p

FOR SALE—Remington six typewriter in good running order, \$15. Call Associated Press telegraph office in Wichita Falls building second floor. 53-31p

FOR SALE—Ford and Overland automobiles; steam and gas tractors, and tractor plow at bargain. Call Machine Co., 408 Indiana Ave. 53-61p

FOR SALE—City Property

IF YOU WANT a home close to the Austin school we have it. The price is right. Let us show you some of these bargains. Phone 477. Knight & Crawford. 53-31c

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Between Burburnett and Wichita Falls storage battery for car. Reward for return to Wichita Boiler Works. Phone 468. 54-10c

LOST—4 keys on ring. J. H. Hanson on name plate. Leave at Times office; reward. 55-11p

LOST—Six keys on ring with chain, Monday night. Finder return to Times office; reward. 55-21p

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—One of best business corners in city—not a saloon corner. Phone 64 or 65. 308-10c

FOR RENT—Servant's house at 1815 10th. No children. Phone 667. 55-11c

FOR RENT—Garage at 1009 10th st. 59-10c

LIVESTOCK

FOR SALE—One Jersey cow 3 to 4 gallons milk per day, no calf. One Ford delivery car. H. D. Chappell, Scotland, Texas. 45-61p

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred Jersey cow four years old, 4 gallons milk per day. Phone 937. 53-31c

FOR SALE—Several fresh milk cows. R. B. Havener. Phone 9018712. 53-81c

WANTED to buy A-1 Jersey milk cow. Address P. care Times. 53-61p

FOR SALE—First class milk cow, three years old giving four to five gallons per day, also two heifer calves. Lambert Thornton, 717 Seventh street. Phone 2007. 54-31p

FOR SALE or trade, a pony in on a cow or sewing machine. Phone 2149. 54-31p

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FOR RENT—Bed Rooms

FOR RENT—Two good cool bedrooms to gentlemen. Apply, 704 Ohio. 54-31p

FOR RENT—Upstairs southeast bed room. 904 Austin. Phone 1438. 24-10c

FOR RENT—Nice large bedroom, gentlemen preferred. 660 Scott. Phone 1084. 47-10c

NICE bed rooms for rent by day or week. Globe Rooms, 713 1-2 Indiana. 52-61c

FOR RENT—Bed room, close in, 1008 7th street, phone 1850. 52-10c

FOR RENT—Nice furnished bedroom 703 1-2 10th street; rates reasonable. Phone 2082. 53-81c

FOR RENT—South front bed room to young ladies; also servant room. 1918 10th street. 54-21c

FOR RENT—Upstairs bedroom adjoining bath, close in, for gentlemen only. Phone 597. 54-31c

FOR RENT—Nice south bedroom. 1512 Tenth. Phone 2300. 54-31c

FOR RENT—Large east front bedroom, modern conveniences. 1200 Burnett. Phone 752. 55-31c

FOR RENT—Large cool bed room, southeast exposure, nicely furnished for lady. 1106 Travis. Phone 1938. 55-31c

FOR RENT—One nicely furnished bed room, close in. 1008 Lamar. Phone 1113. 54-31c

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

FOR RENT—2 furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Also bedroom. 1008 7th. Phone 1850. 54-31c

FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished southeast corner rooms, with connect bath, close in on pavement, for one month. Call 2551. 54-10c

FOR RENT—Furnished housekeeping rooms at 1210 Indiana. No objection to children. Phone 1522. 42-10c

FOR RENT—One light housekeeping room, furnished. 1205 Austin, phone 101. 51-10c

FOR RENT—To responsible parties furnished rooms, strictly modern three furnished rooms with kitchenette. Phone 1055, ask for Mrs. Albia or call in person from 7 to 12 a. m. 1601 Burnett. 53-31c

FOR RENT—2 nice cool light housekeeping rooms to couple without children. Phone 2210. 1213 Scott. 54-31p

FOR RENT—2 furnished housekeeping rooms. 300 5th street. Phone 1255. 54-31c

FOR RENT—One furnished housekeeping room and kitchenette. Phone 1931, or call at 805 8th street. 53-31c

FOR RENT—Two furnished light housekeeping rooms, with garage. 1008 Travis. Phone 1668. 53-10c

FOR RENT—2 modern furnished housekeeping rooms close in, 707 9th street. Phone 2082. 53-31c

FOR RENT—Two furnished light housekeeping rooms. 1005 5th street. 53-31p

FOR RENT—One furnished housekeeping room. 1304 Scott. 53-31c

FOR RENT—Furnished light housekeeping rooms. 708 Travis. Phone 1922. 55-41c

UNFURNISHED ROOMS

FOR RENT—2 unfurnished rooms, all modern conveniences. Apply 1911, 9th st., or phone 221. 51-10c

TWO unfurnished rooms for rent to party without children. Call 209 Seymour street. 53-41p

FOR RENT—2 unfurnished rooms, strictly modern. Apply at 305 51st street. 53-31c

FOR RENT—2 unfurnished rooms to party without children at 802 Lamar. 54-10c

FOR RENT—Offices and Stores

FOR RENT—Store room at 807 1-3 Ohio ave. Phone 632. 52-61p

FOR RENT—Nice store building on Seventh street. Price \$35 per month. Thomas & Bland. 47-10c

FOR RENT—Nice large office rooms in Hines Bldg. Will fix up to suit. Thomas & Bland. Phone 494 or 373. 25-10c

FOR RENT—35 foot stove room on Ohio ave. between 6th and 7th. Will lease on good terms. L. T. Granberry, 505 K & E Bldg. Phone 860. 41-10c

FOR RENT—One story frame building 20x34 feet, 1108 7th street. Suitable for shop, equipped with electric lights. \$18.00 per month. Apply store west or phone 2067. 53-31p

RESIDENCES—For Rent

FOR RENT—Five room house, furnished, in Floral Heights, close to car line, rent, cheap, through August and September. Phone 1848. 53-81p

FOR RENT—4 room house, newly papered and newly finished inside. Phone 2492. 55-11c

SPIRELLA CORSETS made to measure; trained corsetier. Phone 1393. 311-10c

DRESSMAKING, alterations. 708 11th street. Phone 418. 53-31c

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Phones 2038 and 1473

BOARD AND ROOMS

BOARD and rooms at 1203 Burnett st. Phone 1868. 46-12c

HELP WANTED—Male

WANTED—Reliable salesman to sell a first class reliable oil lot and stock proposition combined. With holdings in Ranger and Electric oil fields; good position for either men or women. C. R. Cox, 617 7th street. St. James Hotel. 24-38p

WANTED—Man with plow and scraper to plow and level back lot. 407 Travis. Phone 324. 55-31c

WANTED—Experienced wringer man at Model Laundry. 54-10c

HELP WANTED—Female

WANTED—Cook, colored preferred 300 Lamar. Phone 2795. 53-61c

HELP WANTED—Female; competent help at Pond's Laundry. Highest wages paid. 39-10c

WAITRESSES wanted. Apply to Manager, St. James Hotel. 54-41p

FOR WORK which is worthy. Day which is just. Best rooms which are comfortable. Work rooms which are cool. Treatment which is considerate and gives a square deal to all. Apply to Chief Operator, Southwestern Telegraph & Telephone Co., Telephone Building. 54-10c

SITUATIONS WANTED

POSITION WANTED—By combination bookkeeper and stenographer, by young lady of experience. (Can furnish best of references. Address, B 109, care Times. 43-10c

USED AUTOS FOR SALE

1917 FORD touring car, cheap; extra accessories. See J. W. Pond. 58-10c

FOR SALE—Practically new Dodge touring car with Cord castings, \$560.00. New Vellee roadster at a bargain. Columbia Auto Sales Co., 809 Ohio ave., phone 828 or 594. 49-10c

FOR SALE—Oakland six roadster at a bargain. Good condition. Terms. Phone 2816. 25-10c

FOR SALE—5 passenger Chevrolet, 1917 model, runs like new. Price \$375.00. Standard Garage, 704 Scott ave. 51-61p

FOR SALE—New and second hand cars at cut prices; it will pay to investigate. Come quick as stock is running low. Wurtz Motor & Truck Co., 908 Ohio ave., phone 1921. 55-141c

USED CARS very cheap, seven passenger Vellee, run only 80 miles, seven passenger Case, five passenger Dodge, five passenger Buick, and many other standard makes. Easy terms. Lambert Thornton, 717 Seventh street. 53-31c

FOR TRADE A good 5 passenger Chalmers auto; looks almost new; will trade for city property of any kind. Thomas & Bland. 55-10c

FOR SALE—Light six Buick, 1917 model, run less than 4000 miles. First class condition. See it at Moon garage. 707 Scott. 54-31p

FOR SALE or trade, Reo car. Run 7000 miles. Call phone No. 2322. 55-10c

MISCELLANEOUS

THE CARTER mineral water is the best. Try it. Sample free. Phone 901818. 52-61p

ATTRACTIVE oil lease, by the lease man. Box 428. Phone 1916. Room 12, Ward Bldg. 55-31c

FOR TRADE OR LEASE

FOR TRADE—9 or 10 three and four-room resident houses to trade for grass land. See J. E. Beard, 300 Lamar, owner. 52-10c

FOR SALE—City Property

FIVE ROOM house on 15th street for \$2500.00, worth more money, let us show you this one. Knight & Crawford. Phone 477. 53-31c

IMPOSSIBLE for us to advertise all of the property we have for sale; we have homes of all kinds, location and prices to suit you; call for an appointment; it is our business to sell and satisfy. Roy R. Nanny, phone 635. 53-31p

SIX ROOM cottage, 3 plumbing fixtures, French doors, finished in ivory, built in cabinets, all new, built less than year. Call 335. 804 Travis. Sell or trade quick. 49-10c

SIX ROOM house, modern, with a nice vacant corner lot on car line. The price is right. Phone 477. Knight & Crawford. 55-31c

FOR SALE—Two lots in Floral Heights for \$1200.00. Address, Mrs. Seelig, 903 Mesa Ave., El Paso. 54-101p

\$3800.00 buys a modern five room house with garage and some nice fruit trees, on the paved street on 11th. Six rooms and den, on a corner lot, and is a very desirable home in every respect, \$5500.00. An east front six room house with 7521.00 ft. lot. \$4350.00. This place is situated on one of the best residence streets in the city.—N. O. Monroe. Phone 2454. 53-31p

FOR SALE—City Property

6 ROOM house for \$2500.00, will take vacant lot on this; what you say? Phone 477. Knight & Crawford. 53-31c

AN EAST front home, with five extra large rooms, on Holliday St., in the 1100 block. \$3200.00. An east front five room modern house in the 1300 block on Holliday St., \$2300.00. Modern five room house, close in, on Burnett St., \$2500.00.—N. O. Monroe. Phone 2454. 53-31p

FOR SALE—Practically new 8 room house in Floral Heights, southwest front, desirable location, storm cellar and kitchen; elegant plumbing system, a beautiful location, \$4200. Phone 1670. 49-10p

FOR SALE—7 room two story home on 10th street, will accept Liberty Bonds, let us show you this home. Phone 477. Knight & Crawford. 53-31c

5 ROOM house on Travis near river, in good repair, \$50.00 cash, \$30.00 monthly payments. Phone 2121. 29-10c

BARGAINS We have some real bargains in city property and farm lands. Call and let us show you a nice home worth the money on easy payments. Patton & Gullaborn. Phone 2375. 53-10p

NICE 5 room house on wide lot; lots of fruit trees; close to car line; has servant's house; only \$2500.00. Phone 477. Knight & Crawford. 53-31c

THE MOST desirably improved and most desirably located acreage tract around the city, consists of 7.8-10 acres with a nice four room house, nice mineral well of water and is practically all set in fruit trees, 30,000 blackberries and strawberries. \$3,000 will buy this tract, if sold in the next few days or will trade for city property that is worth the money. If you are interested in this place in each place as this please investigate this.—N. O. Monroe. Phone 2454. 53-10c

FOR SALE—\$4500.00 will buy 3 room modern house on one of the best east front lots in the city. If you want plenty of room, good location and your money's worth call us about this place at once for it must sell quick. Good terms. Thomas & Bland, phone 51-10c

BEST BUY on Elizabeth street, five room modern home, practically new with full size lot, can sell on very reasonable terms. Price \$2850. Roy R. Nanny, phone 635. 53-31p

NEARLY NEW 5 room house, Eighth street, might take in car on this place, and the price is right. Phone 477. Knight & Crawford. 53-31c

A REAL home at a bargain on Elizabeth street. Let us show you this one. Phone 477. Knight & Crawford. 53-31c

FIVE ROOM brick cottage, modern throughout and very desirable part of city in Floral Heights, at a bargain at once. Phone 2150. 39-10c

SIX ROOM house in 1800 block on 11th street, large barn and garage, modern with all conveniences. This is a good buy for \$3500, terms. Roy R. Nanny, phone 635. 53-31p

NINE room two story house, situated in Floral Heights and is a very desirable home for any one wanting this size place. \$7,000.00. This is less than the house cost. Built for \$8,000.00. The present price of material. Will be glad to show you at any time.—N. O. Monroe. Phone 2454. 53-31p

HONEY HOME—The excellent workmanship and perfect planning of this home will appeal to the most discriminating purchaser. The number of line vigilers along the border between El Paso and Las Cruces will be immediately increased. W. L. Amoret, secretary of the Association, announced that since January 1 of this year 244 head of cattle belonging to members have been driven across the border. Ninety five of these have been recovered, but that percentage is too low and the consequent loss too costly to suit the members.

An inspection of six carloads of hides imported through this port of Mexico recently revealed 527 hides bearing brands of association members which had been illegally sold. The aggregate value of the hides was \$2,000.00. Cattlemen will have to go into court to recover them.

In addition to the large force of association riders who have been started to stop it, the ranchmen have agreed to furnish men to cooperate with the patrol and to ride themselves if necessary. The opinion was expressed that unless some means of combating the growing menace were found, ranchers along the border will be compelled to abandon cattle raising.

FOR SALE—A real modern cottage home on Tenth street, extra large living room and dining room, 3 nice size bedrooms, breakfast room and kitchen, oak floors, beam ceilings, French glass doors, marble toilet, built to the ceiling, fine light fixtures in every room, extra good plumbing, large front porch and nice east porch, servant house and garage, concrete driveway and well fenced. Most desirable location in town. This is a beauty. Get possession at once. Thomas & Bland, agents. 55-10c

EUNGLAW, consisting of six rooms just off of pavement on corner lot, house practically new, can sell for \$2000.00 or \$2500.00. Good terms. Roy R. Nanny, phone 635. 53-31p

NICE 5 room house, good cellar, small barn, good garden, and close to school. \$2000.00 cash, balance monthly. Knight & Crawford. Phone 477. 53-31c

FOR SALE—Large 3 room house, large bath, party and closets, near car line, now vacant. A bargain if sold at once; will take car as first payment, or small cash payment. Balance like rent. See Banks today. 1709 Holliday. 53-31p

WANTED—You to list your property with us for sale. We have several buyers. Thomas & Bland, phone 51-10c

IF YOU want to sell your house list it with us. We can sell it, and we appreciate your business. Phone 477. Knight & Crawford. 53-31c

WE HAVE from two to six buyers every day and are very anxious to have a number of homes that we can sell with medium cash payment down, balance monthly. Roy R. Nanny, phone 635. 53-31p

FOR SALE—4 rooms and bath room with fixtures. J. H. Marriott, 1819 10th st. Phone 558. 54-61p

FOR SALE in Floral Heights, 5 room cottage, modern, immediate possession. Phone 1784. 54-31p

NICE 4 room house and cellar. \$2000.00 cash, balance easy. Knight & Crawford, phone 477. 53-31p

FOR SALE—By owner, fine piece of property on Scott, 70x150 feet. This property has been much sought after. Phone 1718. 53-31c

FOR SALE—5 room modern house, 13th street. Terms. Phone 2155. 52-10c

OWNERS LOSS your gain if you buy this six room brick bungalow in Southland addition, owner offers to sacrifice and sell for \$750 less than the original cost, price \$3500, with reasonable terms. Better see this home for it will sell. Roy R. Nanny, phone 635. 53-31p

IF YOU WANT a home on the pavement, we can suit you both in price and house. Phone 477. Knight and Crawford. 53-31c

\$2850 BUYS five room bungalow in Southland addition, full size lot, this property can be sold this week for actual cost of building; house practically new, good terms. Roy R. Nanny, phone 635. 53-31p

FOR SALE—8 room modern home on corner lot on 10th street, owner leaving town, we can suit you both in price and house. Phone 477. Knight and Crawford. 53-31c

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WILL GUARANTEE to sell your place in 48 hours if the price and terms are right. Roy R. Nanny, phone 635. 53-31p

SEE THIS—Five room modern home on corner lot on 8th street in good condition for \$2500. Small payment down, this will sell, better call for appointment. Roy R. Nanny, phone 635.

CHARGED NEGRESS CONSPIRED TO DEFAUD U. S.

ALLEGED TO HAVE REPRESENTED
HERSELF AS WIFE OF
SOLDIER.

Charged by Federal complaint with attempting to defraud the government by securing a government allowance on pretense of being a soldier's wife, Ida Coleman, negress, was brought here from Paducah and lodged in jail. The woman, the complaint alleges, conspired with a negro soldier to represent herself as his wife, when she was not, and secure the government allotment of an amount equal to that which he allotted her. This is the first case of this kind which has come before U. S. Commissioner Lantz in this court.

Another prisoner was brought from Paducah today, a white man, Walter Marth, who is charged with "obstructing and attempting to obstruct" the sale of Liberty Loan bonds. Both these cases will be given a hearing by Commissioner Lantz tomorrow.

100 Percent Record In Salvation Army War Fund Canvass

Business men who are working on the Salvation Army War Fund apportionment for Wichita Falls this morning reported the results of yesterday afternoon and this morning's work as 100 per cent and some of the better, as some of the people approached have given more than the committee had allotted them. The committee will continue to work through the week. Ensign H. G. Robb stated this afternoon, and Friday at the noon hour a final checking is expected. This afternoon Ensign Robb, W. D. Cline and R. E. Shepherd, the chairman and treasurer, respectively, will make a partial check of the reports which have been turned in to them. Now the workers are so interested in securing more for their part of the fund that they are continuing to collect without making any report. Reports from all of the canvassers are enthusiastic to a degree, practically no refusals being made and a number of voluntary contributions being made before the committee could get started. This afternoon's meeting will be held in the card room of the War Board and make more assignments of workers if it is deemed necessary. Those who are at work include Mr. Cline, the chairman; Ensign Robb, the local representative of the Salvation Army, and T. R. T. Orth, R. E. Shepherd, E. E. Trawick, I. H. Roberts, M. A. Bundy, E. Leopold, Harold Mullin, the checker, T. H. Smock and H. H. Bray.

LOCAL BREVITIES

Morris Gottlieb, formerly with the Kruger Jewelry Co., has leased a section of the Richardson drug store on Ohio avenue, and has opened a general watch and jewelry repairing business. He will also add a line of jewelry and watches as soon as fixtures and stock can be secured.

There was no meeting of the Chamber of Commerce directors this morning, some of the directors being out of town and others otherwise occupied. A meeting will be called for later in the week.

The annual stockholders meeting and election of officers of the City National Bank will take place this afternoon in the director's rooms of the bank.

PERSONALS

E. W. Hammond and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hammond, of Burk Burnett, returned to their home today after a visit with their brother, L. F. Hammond. Mrs. B. Hammond returned home today after a several weeks visit in South Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Perkins and Mrs. Timberlake of Decatur, sister of Mr. Perkins, left this morning for Colorado, making the trip by automobile.

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SUIT INVOLVES OIL LANDS WORTH HALF A MILLION

Wichita county property, much of it oil lands, valued, according to the petition at \$500,000, is involved in an equity suit, which was filed Monday with U. S. Commissioner J. A. Lantz, clerk of the Wichita Falls Federal court. The suit is styled Lucille Reilly Henagan and W. F. Henagan, Jr., vs. Hugh Reilly, Edward Reilly and Hugh Reilly, Jr., to recover property. The plaintiff, Mrs. Henagan, who is joined by her husband, is the daughter of Hugh Reilly, one of the defendants named, and a sister of the two others. In the petition she states the suit to be for her part of the property due her on the death of her mother, alleging that lands to the value of \$500,000 in Wichita county, are community property and as such she is entitled to one-third. Plaintiffs and the defendants, with the exception of Edward Reilly, live at Santa Rosa, New Mexico. Edward Reilly lives near Burk Burnett. The family formerly lived in Wichita Falls.

AT THE THEATERS

AT THE PLAZA
Jack Amick's pennant winners, musical comedy company of fifteen stars, opened a week's engagement at the Plaza last night. The following comment was recently published where the company was playing:

Jack Amick's Pennant Winners opened a two weeks engagement in the Met Sunday night owing to the inclement weather and transferred to the Dome Monday night. Mr. Amick's company is composed of fifteen people, all high class artists.

The Pennant Winners drew a big crowd at the Met Sunday night. At the end of the first show several hundred people were standing on the sidewalk waiting for admittance to the theatre.

Last night the Dome was crowded to its capacity and the performance won the unanimous approval of the audience.

The performance opened with a class song hit by a bevy of pretty girls and the entire show was composed of excellent comedy intermingled with first class singing and dancing. Joe, Leo and Billy Williams starred last night in comedy parts.

Miss Rita Morez (the ragtime violinist) was encored a number of times on her instrumental selections and Wayne and Elgreen a sister singing and dancing team, made a big hit with their popular songs.

Marguerite Philpot in an excellent toe and folk dancer, and her performances at both the Sunday and Monday night performances were greatly enjoyed.

The vocal trio composed Jack Amick, J. B. Kelly and George Berry, is exceedingly strong in the rendition of both comical and popular song hits.

The entire company is well contained and will no doubt be exceedingly popular during its stay in this city. The title of tonight's bill is "Dan Dooley's Double."

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The Ladies Aid Society of the Floral Heights Presbyterian church, will give an ice cream festival at the church Friday night. Everybody invited. 65-3c

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JOHN SMELTZER ON TRIAL ON CHARGE OF DISLOYALTY

Disarming of the state's chief witness, J. W. Jones of Electra, in the trial of John Smeltzer of Electra, charged with disloyalty, under the Texas Loyalty Act, of a revolver, while he was on the witness stand, provided a slight diversion this morning in the 30th district court, shortly after the trial had begun. Fred Weeks, attorney for the defendant, on taking the witness stand, began questioning him about carrying arms. The witness stated that as watchman of the Electra waterworks he carried arms at night to protect himself and the waterworks. Under questioning he finally admitted that he carried arms in the daytime also when Mr. Weeks continued to question him he finally admitted that he had a revolver on his person. The gun was handed over to members of the sheriff's force.

Smeltzer is charged by Jones, in testimony before Judge Harris in the county court during the afternoon, and also this morning with having said that "if the water at Electra killed all the people in Electra it would save powder and lead for the Germans." This remark was alleged to have been made in the course of a conversation regarding the condition of the water in the lake, some one in the party standing near the lake remarking that "if the dam didn't burst and drown out the town the bad water would kill the people anyway."

T. R. T. Orth, secretary of the Wichita County Council of Defense, was on the witness stand this morning for the state. An interpreter was needed for another witness, Martin Imer, from Electra, who testified this afternoon. Just after court opened following the noon recess, Imer, who has been naturalized and has lived in this country 16 years, was unable to speak or understand English so Mr. Harris, manager of Electra acted on the interpreter.

The defendant was placed on the stand shortly before 3 o'clock this afternoon.

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