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ALLIED ADVANCE THREATENS TO CUT OFF GERMAN FORCES

High Water Mark German Offensive Reached; Allies Take Initiative, March Says

By Associated Press.
Washington, July 20.—The high water mark of the German offensive movement in France has been reached and the initiative now is passing to the Allied and American armies. This is the lesson drawn from General Foch's sudden counter attack on the Aisne-Marne front by American military leaders, General March, chief of staff, today told members of the senate military committee. Later he announced that American troops shipments had now exceeded 1,200,000 insuring the man power to hold the initiative on the western front.

FRENCH HOLD ENTIRE SOUTHERN BANK MARNE

By Associated Press.
PARIS, July 20.—"The Germans violently attacked on their right flank and south of the Marne," says the war office announcement tonight, "have been compelled to retreat and recross the river."
"The French hold the entire southern bank of the Marne. More than 200,000 prisoners and more than 400 guns have been captured."
"The statement reads: 'We have not had long to wait for the result of our victorious counter offensive. The Germans, violently attacked on their right flank and south of the Marne, have been compelled to retreat and recross the river.'
"We hold the whole south bank of the Marne."
"Between the Aisne and the Marne Franco-American troops continue to progress and have driven back the enemy, who is resisting them stubbornly."
"We have reached Ploisy and Percy-Tigny and have passed beyond St. Remy-Blanc and Rozet-St. Albin."
"Further south we held the general line of the Priez plateau, northeast of Courchamps."
"The number of prisoners we have taken since July 18 exceeds 200,000. Over 400 guns have been captured."
"Our aviators redoubled their activities in the day and night of the 19th multiplied their raids and engaged in the severest battles against the enemy forces. Franco-British bombing squadrons, taking the Marne crossings as their principal objectives, have successfully hampered and at certain points completely stopped, the enemy supply service, thus playing an im-

A PROCLAMATION

TO THE PEOPLE OF WICHITA FALLS:
WHEREAS: Our great Christian Nation is now engaged in a war for the perpetuation of human liberty throughout the world and over a million of our best and bravest men are on foreign soil battling with the powers of Central Europe to resist the aggression of militarism and despotism and
WHEREAS: The American Congress and our great Christian President have called upon our people everywhere to invoke the aid of Divine Providence in this our country's hour of need.
Now, therefore, I, James B. Marlow, Mayor of the City of Wichita Falls, hereby call upon the good people of Wichita Falls, to cease from all kinds of secular labor, stop wherever they may be at the hour of noon each day and spend one minute in silent, earnest prayer to the God Who directs the affairs of Nations, for the success of our armies and those of our Allies. At this minute the fire-bell at the City Hall will be rung to attract the attention of the people and when it is heard or whether heard or not, let all the people be silent for the space of one minute; let the street cars and all vehicles in the city stop and let all hearts be turned to the God of Battles and earnestly seek His Divine favor and protection in these trying days.
Witness my official signature of office in the City of Wichita Falls, Texas, this the 20th day of July A. D. 1918.
(SEAL) J. B. MARLOW, Mayor.
Attest:—J. W. Walkup, City Secretary.

ALLIES SQUEEZING HUNS FROM 2 SIDES OF MARNE SALIENT

(By Associated Press)
Out of the news filtering through the clouds of battle hanging over the ensanguined field between the Marne and Soissons there have come two significant reports during the past day. The Allies are thundering at the gates of Soissons and the Germans are retreating across the Marne between Fossey and Oeuilly.
German reserves, rushed up to the western side of the Soissons-Chateau Thierry-Rheims salient, have slowed down the progress made by the French and Americans, but have apparently been unable to do more than check it here and there along the front. The advance made by the allies in the first hours of the great counter stroke has not been maintained, but it is evident that hardly anywhere has the Allied thrust been stopped.
Reports from the front of battle indicate that the French and Americans have reached the edge of the plateau to the southwest of Soissons and only a scant mile and a half from the center of the city.
"Southward along the line; the allies have almost reached the Soissons-Chateau Thierry road, a thoroughfare of great strategic importance, while further down toward the Marne, they are steadily forging ahead, in spite of determined resistance."
GERMAN RETREAT ACROSS MARNE.
The reports of a German retreat across the Marne come as confirmation of the success of the Allied drive far to the north. German forces south of the stream must be extricated quickly if the German army is to escape from the encircling movement carried out by the French and Americans. French official reports state that the Germans are being driven back south of the Marne, but it is probable that the German retirement is a hurried retreat order by the German high command. It appears likely that the French are merely maintaining steady pressure against the enemy and hurrying his retreat as much as possible.
From the Marne toward Rheims, too, the French and Italians have advanced their lines. Three days ago they were being forced back by the Germans and their present forward movement may indicate that the foe is also retiring from this field as rapidly as possible.
GERMANS REMOVE HEAVY GUNS.
The fire of battle is spreading slowly down the line toward Chateau Thierry. There have been reports that the Germans in this region have been removing their heavy guns preparatory to retreating, should the Allied drive toward Soissons go on.
Military experts say that if the Allied wedge south of Soissons goes much further it will force a German retirement at least as far as the Vesle River.
Statements made by General March, American chief of staff, before the members of the Senate military committee, indicate that there are upwards of 270,000 Americans engaged in the fighting south of Soissons. There are six divisions of Americans there—the First, Second, Third, and Fourth regulars, and the Twenty Sixth (New England) and the Twenty Eighth (Pennsylvania National Guard).
General March told newspaper men that the maximum penetration along the line was ten miles, while the average depth of the advance was seven miles. This is further than any advance shown in French official reports, and it is possible that General March's statements are based in information not as yet made public in Paris.
HINT OF BRITISH DRIVE.
General March may have hinted at an English drive against the Germans during his talk with the newspaper men. He said that the British prefer to "wait until the present German offensive is demonstrated a failure and then turn upon the enemy."
Italian troops in the Adamello region to the north of Lake Garda, on the Austro-Italian front, have broken out in a local action and taken two strong points in the mountain region. This gain was made just south of where the Italians attacked late in May and broke the Austrian line.
British Advance in Flanders.
In a sudden attack in the Belleu sector on the northern side of the Lys salient in Flanders, the British have advanced their lines over a front of two and a quarter miles and swept the Germans from the village of Metereu, the scene of stubborn fighting during the days of the German offensive in Flanders early in April.
Around Soissons on the north the German defense is stiffening and the forward movement apparently is much slower than on Thursday, when the biggest gains of the day were made there. In the center and on the south, however, the Allied line has been advanced about two miles, making the average further penetration about one and a quarter miles.
Soissons Still Holds Out.
Soissons still holds out, although it is believed its fall is certain. The Germans keep their troops south of the Marne but a withdrawal there becomes more certain as the Allies move forward northwest of Chateau Thierry. 600 prisoners were taken in the four days beginning Monday while the Allied drive was straightening out. On Tuesday and a great number of guns. In a brilliant local operation in Flanders, Scottish troops have occupied Metereu which is on a height commanding a part of the Lys valley. They took 300 prisoners. Just south of St. Front, to the west of Chateau Thierry was not as great but the Germans lost available positions.

BERLIN CLAIMS FRENCH ATTEMPTS REPULSED

By Associated Press.
BERLIN, Via London, July 20.—While admitting certain gains by the British and also the French, the latter in the Aisne-Marne battle, German headquarters today declares that the enemy thrusts southwest of Soissons and to the south of the Marne were repulsed.
"The German war office adds that the German troops were withdrawn from the south bank of the Marne river 'without being noticed by the enemy.'
"The statement reads: 'The British increased in isolated sectors toward Metereu. They obtained a footing in Metereu, but otherwise their repulse left prisoners in our hands. Between Aisne and the Marne the battle continues. Again the enemy started an attack with a view to a breach on the whole front. Tanks penetrated early in the morning into parts of our forward lines. After a desperate struggle the first enemy thrust had been defeated toward noon on the heights southwest of Soissons, west of Farcennes, St. Neully and northwest of Chateau Thierry.'
"Between the Aisne and the Marne an attack broke down under our counter thrusts and to the south of the Marne mostly by our fire. North of Hartennes we threw back the enemy beyond the original line; our troops report the heaviest enemy losses. A large number of tanks were demolished before our front."
"South of the Marne there was moderate firing activity during the day. Southeast of Marsul enemy partial attacks were repulsed."
"During the night our troops south of the Marne were withdrawn to the north bank of the river without being noticed by the enemy."
"Northwest of Souain, French advances were singularly repulsed."
"Yesterday again thirty enemy airplanes and seven captive balloons were shot down."

Even as General March spoke, unofficial reports flashed over the cables indicated that the German withdrawal from the sector south of the Marne had begun under the threat of the onrush of General Mangin's attacking army in the nemy's rear. The withdrawal was foreseen by General March when French and American shells began raining on their railway.

The American chief of staff told with evident satisfaction of the fact that six American divisions are battling with the French and for the first time revealed their identity. They either are on the advancing lines between Soissons and Chateau Thierry or on those that are pressing the enemy along the Marne front where there is reason to believe the Germans may suffer serious losses in men and material before they reach safety. Still another division of Americans is with General Gouraud, the French leader who commands east of Rheims, where the enemy assault hit against a stone wall defense.

Two regiments of American negro troops also are known to be engaged. One is east of Rheims, where the Americans held the right flank of the whole front of attack when the German assault began, just as the Americans at Chateau Thierry held firm on the left flank. The other is with the attacking forces on the Soissons-Chateau Thierry line.

45,000 Men in Division.
General March made little effort to conceal elation over the turn of the fighting. His explanation of the disposition of the American forces indicates that at least 196,000 American fighting troops are in the battle, and probably the total force is nearer 300,000 than 200,000. Each division has a fighting strength of 27,000 men and each of the two detached negro regiments a strength of 3600. The full strength of each division with auxiliary units is 45,000 men.

General March told the Senators also that the Germans had been preparing for an offensive against the British to the north on the western battle front, to be simultaneous with their last offensive against the Franco-American front.
For some reason, General March stated, the drive against the British was postponed and that is the probable explanation given for the British policy of not attacking the Germans while the French and Ameri-

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CAPTAIN CHRISTIE, HOWEVER, BELIEVES VESSEL MUST HAVE BEEN SUNK BY TORPEDO.

By Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, July 20.—The loss of life in the sinking of the Fire Island, N. Y., yesterday of the U. S. armored cruiser San Diego and the cause of the ship's destruction still were undetermined tonight at the navy department. Unofficial reports said there were 1255 men aboard and if they are correct the loss of life would not exceed 72.
Belief that the San Diego was a victim of a mine grew among naval officials after the commander of the American patrol boats operating off Fire Island reported that his craft had picked up several mines of foreign design.
Among the survivors opinion seemed to be equally divided as to whether a submarine or a mine was responsible for the loss of the cruiser. Rear Admiral Palmer, acting secretary of the navy, tonight gave out the following description of the sinking of the vessel:
"Admiral Palmer's Statement.
"Fuller particulars regarding the sinking of the U. S. S. San Diego show that the explosion took place on the port side just aft of the forward port engine room bulkhead. The feed tank and circulating pumps were blown in, and the port engine wrecked. Full speed ahead was rung and the starboard engine operated until it was stopped by water rising in the engine room. Mechanistic Mate Hawthorne who was at the throttle in the port engine room, was blown four feet under the engine room deck. He got up, closed the throttle on the engine, which had already stopped, and then escaped up the engine room ladder. Lieut. Milen, on watch in the starboard engine room, closed the automatic door to the engine room and gave the necessary instructions to the fire room to protect the boilers."
"The ship listed to port heavily so that the water entered the gun ports on the gun decks. The vessel listed eight degrees quickly, then hung for seven minutes, then gradually listed, the speed increasing until 35 degrees was reached. At this time the port quarterdeck was three feet under water. The ship then rapidly turned turtle and sank. Captain Christie went from the bridge down two ladders to the boat deck, slid down a-

FORMER CZAR IS AGAIN REPORTED AS BEING SHOT

EXECUTED ON ORDER OF PRESIDENT URAL REGIONAL COUNCIL, MESSAGE SAYS.

By Associated Press.
LONDON, July 20.—Former Emperor Nicholas of Russia has been shot, a wireless statement today announced.
The message announces that a counter-revolutionary conspiracy was discovered with the object of wresting the ex-emperor from the authority of the soviet council. In view of this fact, the president of the Ural regional council decided to execute the former ruler and the decision was carried out on July 16.
The former empress and the young Alexis Romanoff, the former heir apparent, have been sent to a place of security.
The central executive body of the bolshevik government announced that it had recently received important material documents concerning the former emperor's affairs including his own diaries.
Documents concerning the conspiracy which was discovered, were forwarded to Moscow by a special messenger. It had been recently decided, the message explains, to bring the ex-emperor before a tribunal "to be tried for his crimes against the people." Later occurrences, however, led to delay in adopting this course.
The former emperor's correspondence including letters from the Monk, Rasputin, who was killed nearly a year before the revolution, written to the then emperor and his family, will be published in the near future, the wireless message declares.
Text of Message.
The text of the Russian wireless message reads:
"At the first session of the central executive committee elected by the fifth congress of the councils, a message was made public that had been received by direct wire from the Ural regional council concerning the shooting of the ex-czar Nicholas Romanoff at Ekaterinburg, the capital of the red Ural, was seriously threatened by the approach of Czech-Slovak bands and a counter-revolutionary conspiracy was discovered which had as its objective the wresting of the ex-czar from the hands of the council's authority. In view of this fact, the president of the Ural regional council decided to shoot the

Germans Driven Into Open; Supply Line Is Under Heavy Fire

By Associated Press.
WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY ON THE Aisne-Marne front, July 20.—The French and American troops have crowded the Germans back still further along the line of Soissons-Chateau Thierry and information from beyond Chateau Thierry indicates the beginning of a movement by the Germans that may develop into an effort to escape to the west.
The character of the fighting has been radically altered, and the Germans have been forced more into the open. The trenches run in such a

BULLETINS TODAY

On account of the intense interest in the progress of the fighting and the critical importance of the battle now in progress in France, the Times has arranged to keep its Associated Press wire open at least a part of the day today. Bulletins will be posted on the windows of the Times building.
An extra will be issued only in case of developments of the greatest importance.
The Times is one of a number of papers including those at Oklahoma City, Fort Worth, Dallas, Galveston, San Antonio and Houston which has arranged for special wire service today.

anner as to leave none into which they can fall back, forcing them to depend upon those they hastily constructed. There has been a marked decrease in German aerial activities and the big guns are less active. The greater part of the German airplanes are now being used in patrolling their own lines.
The advance along the Soissons-Chateau Thierry road has brought the Allies within artillery striking distance of the junction of the railroad serving the Germans as a line of communication. The junction already is under fire, and unless the desperate attempt which the Germans are making to hold is successful, thousands of the crown prince's men may be cut off and forced to retreat. A less powerful effort is being made by the French and Americans eastward of Chateau Thierry, except in front of the position where the Germans crossed the Marne. The fighting is comparatively light east of Chateau Thierry, except at the river, where the most stubborn resistance of the Germans was unable to check the Allies, who at one point moved forward half a mile.
GARIBOLDI BRIGADE DISTINGUISHES ITSELF
—WASHINGTON, July 20.—In the brilliant attacks of the Italians in the defense of Rheims, a brigade commanded by Propino Garibaldi of the famous family of that name particularly distinguished itself, says an official dispatch today from Rome.
By Associated Press.
WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN ALSACE, July 20.—A raid undertaken by the Americans last night southwest of Munster resulted in a penetration of the German lines for a distance of from 500 to 600 meters and the capture of five prisoners.
The raid was preceded by effective artillery preparation which lasted 45 minutes. The enemy suffered heavy casualties.

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(Continued from page 1.) line to the armored belt, then dropped down four feet to the bilge keel, and thence to the dock keel, which at that time was eight feet above water. From there he jumped into the water. The ship was about five minutes in turning over after she reached 35 degrees heel. At the submarine defense call, the men went quietly to their stations and manned the guns. They stood by the port guns until they were away, and by the starboard gun until the list of the ship pointed them up into the air. It seemed obvious that the vessel would capsize, the order was given to abandon ship, except the port side gun crew, which were to remain at their stations as long as the guns would bear. Boats were ordered lowered, and two sail boats, one dinghy, one wherry, and two punts were launched. The life rafts were launched and the lumber pile on deck was preserved, the men cheering when on the rafts they sang "The Star Spangled Banner" and "My Country 'Tis of Thee," cheered for the captain, the executive officer and the ship and cheered when the U. S. Ensigns hoisted on the sailboat. Two dinghies, with six officers and 21 men, pulled to shore, and arrived safely at 2:20 p. m. The steamer Maiden came into sight and picked up 370 officers and men. The steamer Bossom reached the scene twenty minutes later and picked up 708 officers and men. The steamship S. P. Jones came up and took aboard 28 men. These three steamers searched the entire vicinity for survivors until 3 p. m. A fourth steamer came up later, but so far, as known, did not pick up any survivors. The three steamers took the survivors to New York where they were taken on board a U. S. ship on which every provision had been made for their reception. They were given food and clothing. American Red Cross representatives were on hand when the men arrived and distributed 1,200 blankets, comfort kits, sweaters, socks, pajamas and watch caps. Army ambulance officers assisted in every way in transferring the men from the steamer.

ALLIED ADVANCE THREATENS TO CUT OFF GERMAN FORCES

(Continued from page 1.) points. The Champagne district is under the command of General Gouraud of the French army. Gouraud is one of the most striking personalities in France among the army commanders. He is a man about fifty years of age, as he seemed to me, erect and soldierly. He has been in action all over the world and has on his sleeve five battle stripes sound chevrons, which means that he has been wounded five times, several of the wounds were of such a character that he was absolutely unable to move. He is a man of such determination and force that in any German drive against his troops his men will be inspired by his presence to die where they are. Why Germans Can't Get Rheims. Along the Marne between Chateau Thierry and Rheims, the Germans made an advance of from four to five miles on a 23 mile front. The terrain at that point is very difficult, wooded hills rising up to a height of from 400 to 500 feet perhaps. This general movement has been brought to a standstill. The object of the German attack was not a great strategic object like an advance on Paris, but it was a tactical one. It was to force the Allies to apply the nut-cracker process on the city of Rheims. If it were possible for them to come there and squeeze Rheims, they could force a surrender in time. Rheims, however, as has been shown, is very well organized for defense. Without going into details of the organization for house to house defense, and that has been the reason why the Germans have not been able to get in. As soon as the German advance along the Marne east of Chateau Thierry had been brought to a standstill, Woch struck hard along the western side of the salient.

SEVEN MILE ADVANCE

The seven mile advance on the map represents the German advance which produced that salient, day by day, and at the start of this fight which began last Monday our line was along here indicating a line running southward from the Aisne to the Marne. The blue cord represents the line I pointed out to you on the large detailed map, showing former German advances day by day, and our troops held that line when the counter offensive began. The front over which we advanced 22 miles, and the maximum penetration so far reported officially has been to a depth of ten miles, and at the other points indicated there has been a penetration of seven miles, so that we have gone forward seven miles on a 22 mile front. This is the official statement of how far we have gone. The last indication we saw in the official reports was the fighting was still in progress, and the official reports do not indicate the capture of guns and prisoners in very helpful amounts. In this connection, an opposing advance of the Germans, there are seven American divisions and one regiment of colored troops.

RAILROAD ALLIED OBJECTIVE

General March said the objective of the Franco-American counter attack is the Soissons-Chateau Thierry railroad, which the Allied command has reason to believe is the principal artery of supply for the enemy in the Soissons-Chateau Thierry region, and also one of the principal sources for the sector south of the Marne. The French and American forces either are already on this road or have it well under direct fire of their artillery. The chief of staff pointed out that with this railroad in Allied control, the German withdrawal from the sector south of the Marne would be rendered difficult and their main railway line to the rear would be lost. It indicated that an attempt to withdraw is anticipated. Nut Cracked the Cracker. The latest German drive was intended as a "nut cracker operation" against the city of Rheims, General March said. The drive had been definitely stopped when General Thierri struck on the right flank of the German effort, after the enemy had advanced four to five miles on a twenty-three mile front. The British command, General March stated, had been waiting for the German offensive against the British front, and was fully prepared for it. Vast German forces, quantities of supplies including reserves are known to have been placed in readiness for a new offensive against the British front. To inquiries regarding why the British do not take a simultaneous offensive with the French and Americans, it was suggested that the British preferred to wait for the German offensive to be undertaken and have it demonstrated a failure. Then, like the French and Americans, it is believed they plan to turn upon the enemy.

IDENTITY OF TROOPS

The American divisions which are on the large offensive are the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th and 28th divisions. The colored regiment belongs to the 93rd division. The other division now in line is the 42nd. In the immediate path of the German attack and our counter offensive are the seven divisions I have indicated. These divisions are not operating as a corps, but are used wherever it is necessary for us to use them. We have nothing to indicate, however, our casualty lists are. No reports on casualties have come in, and we do not know yet what it will cost us. Another question is: "Where is the 77th division, and are they operating as a division?" The 77th is in the line near Lunville, and is operating as a division, complete, under its own command. In answer to questions, General March said: "Our reports do not indicate that Soissons has fallen. We have no information it has fallen so far. It is, of course, under artillery fire. Our troops have come up to the point where they are so close to it that the town must be heavily bombarded, but it is perfectly evident that the Germans have thrown into the defense of that line a large number of reserves which did not accompany them during the original attack along the Marne, and fighting is going on very heavily at that point."

RAILROADS

Chateau Thierry by railroad and it is assumed that the Germans get part of their supplies at Chateau Thierry from that railroad, and of course that has an important bearing on how long those troops can remain there. If the Germans have to withdraw they practically have only one line through which they can get out, so French hammering on this side, the western, which is very much better than attacking a great number of troops on the nose of the salient and hammering back in the direction of the railroads. In response to a question as to the total number of American troops engaged, General March replied: "If the whole division were there the number of combat troops would be 27,000 in each division and in my talks to you can estimate them at 27,000 per division unless I tell you otherwise. Including service of supply troops and combatant troops a division comes to 45,000 men."

BRITAIN NAMED TO HEAR CASE AGAINST VERNON MERCHANTS

A. H. Britain of this city has been appointed special examiner by Food Administrator Peden to hear the case of two Vernon merchants, charged with violating the food laws by selling wheat flour without substitutes. The date of the hearing has not yet been set, but will be made to suit the convenience of Mr. Britain. B. F. Johnson of this city, the district administrator, will also be present at the hearing.

TWO WICHITANS ADMITTED TO OFFICERS' TRAINING CAMP

Of the men sent to Camp Travis on June 24, from Wichita Falls, E. H. Walpole and John Trimble have been admitted to the Central officers' training camp. Each of these men will take up infantry work, and expect to report to one of the camps designated for special training. Several other men from Wichita county were recommended for the officers' camp, but decided to wait a while longer to gain experience in army work before going after the bars and black and gold hat cords worn only by commissioned officers. The past week has seen many changes in the 48th company, and a number of Wichita county men were transferred to the medical corps and sent to Camp Greenleaf, Georgia.

MISS OLIVER MEMBER OF SHORT COURSE FACULTY

Miss Sadie Oliver, county home demonstrator, is at College Station, where she is a member of the faculty of the short course. She will be in charge of the short course at A. and M. College Monday morning, continuing through Saturday of this week. Greater efficiency along every line of farm life for the farmer and his family is the object of the week's special course which includes a number of lectures, demonstrations and other helpful and interesting features.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR SALE—Modern home on Austin street, will take good car for first payment; balance like rent. Patton & Gullaborn, phone 2375. 59-3c

FOR SALE—Buick light six at a bargain for quick sale. Phone 2259. 59-3c

LOST—On aviation camp car Saturday afternoon, lady's black purse containing \$5 bill, some silver and keys. Reward. Phone 1481. 59-1c

PHONE the Cafeteria, 1124, for ice cold watermelons, delivered to any part of the city. 59-1c

ICE COLD watermelons served at all hours. Cafeteria, 803 Indiana. 59-1c

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FINE WATCH repairing at moderate prices. Morris Gottlieb, with Richardson Drug Co., 720 Ohio Ave. 59-1c

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MORRIS GOTTLIEB, watchmaker and jeweler, in Richardson Drug Store, 720 Ohio Ave. 59-1c

FOUND—Bunch of keys with firm name tag Henke and Pilot, grocers, register No. 519. Owner call at Times office and pay for this ad. 59-3c

PARNELL OUTLINES VIEWS

Vernon, Texas, July 20th, 1918. EDITOR THE TIMES: At the request of some of my friends I desire to make a statement with reference to my position on certain questions pertaining to the political problems before the people. While I have no opponent in my race for the Legislature, I feel that it is my duty to let the people know my views. I am supporting W. P. Hobby for Governor, and while I am not making the race on a Hobby ticket, I do not hesitate to say that I think that he should be elected. Should Mr. Ferguson receive a majority vote at the primaries I would not vote to seat him until the courts render a decision to that effect. There would be a legal question involved that a man not familiar with the law would not be competent to pass upon. I think that the courts would render justice to Mr. Ferguson and satisfaction to the public. I have always voted the prohibition ticket and will continue to do so in the future. Will favor an amendment to the constitution to that effect. I will favor woman suffrage at any and all times until I am thoroughly convinced that the majority of the women do not want it. I believe that it will be beneficial to our democracy so long as the pure and virtuous women will take a firm stand and go to the polls and vote for laws that will serve to build up the morale of our people, and strengthen the commercial interests of our nation. I am for "giving the Kaiser hell" and later sending him to "hell" where he belongs. My activities along the various lines of the war being conducted will convince the people to that effect. I do not want the vote of any "pro Germans" and further do not want the support of any American who has not done his full duty to the government at this or any other time. I will favor a bigger and better University than we have at the present time, and giving our boys and girls a better opportunity to get an education. I feel that Texas should be proud of the great army of students of the University, that are today prominent in the state. I also favor the development of the rural schools and at the earliest possible moment, a good "brick school house" in every rural community in the state, with permanent roads leading to them. I trust that the voters will not be misled when considering my candidacy, by false reports that are being circulated by the "Bolshevik" element. I offer as a reference to the voters who do not know me, any one of the four banks of Vernon, any lawyer in the city, or any reliable farmer or business man of Webster county. Very respectfully, J. D. PARNELL. (Political Advertisement)

RAILROAD ALLIED OBJECTIVE

General March said the objective of the Franco-American counter attack is the Soissons-Chateau Thierry railroad, which the Allied command has reason to believe is the principal artery of supply for the enemy in the Soissons-Chateau Thierry region, and also one of the principal sources for the sector south of the Marne. The French and American forces either are already on this road or have it well under direct fire of their artillery. The chief of staff pointed out that with this railroad in Allied control, the German withdrawal from the sector south of the Marne would be rendered difficult and their main railway line to the rear would be lost. It indicated that an attempt to withdraw is anticipated.

NUT CRACKED THE CRACKER

The latest German drive was intended as a "nut cracker operation" against the city of Rheims, General March said. The drive had been definitely stopped when General Thierri struck on the right flank of the German effort, after the enemy had advanced four to five miles on a twenty-three mile front. The British command, General March stated, had been waiting for the German offensive against the British front, and was fully prepared for it. Vast German forces, quantities of supplies including reserves are known to have been placed in readiness for a new offensive against the British front. To inquiries regarding why the British do not take a simultaneous offensive with the French and Americans, it was suggested that the British preferred to wait for the German offensive to be undertaken and have it demonstrated a failure. Then, like the French and Americans, it is believed they plan to turn upon the enemy.

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NAMES 120 AMERICAN PRISONERS IN GERMAN CAMPS ANNOUNCED

By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, July 20.—Names of 120 Americans reported in prison camps by the Prussian war ministry were announced today by the war department. Most of them were captured in the fighting at Seicheprey last April and some have been reported previously from camps other than those in which they are now located. The list, compiled by the Prussian war ministry, was received from the American legation at Bern, Switzerland, having been forwarded by the Spanish embassy at Berlin. Some of the addresses are incomplete and others apparently erroneous. The list follows, the rank of the prisoners being private except when designated.

Camp Darmstadt. Frank Allano, Bristol, Conn.; Vincent Allen, Norwalk, Conn.; Frank Ankonik, Webster, Mass.; Edwin Barnes, Corporal, West Haven, Conn.; Percival Barnes, West Haven, Conn.; Sergeant Daniel Brandon, Towners, N. Y.; William Berdell, Granston, R. I.; Augustus Chapman, New Haven, Conn.; Clyde Chardette, Barton, Vt.; Walter Chmiel, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Lester Clark, New Haven, Conn.; George Coliver, new, Corporal, Westchester, N. Y.; John Cronin, Portland, Conn.; Ernesto De Martino, Kockauma, Conn.; Enoch Doble, Quincy, Mass.; Oliver Elliott, Boston, Mass.; Maurice Blachman, New Haven, Conn.; Alfred Gerner, Hadlyme, Conn.; Frank Gillespie, Dorchester, Mass.; William Hier, Bristol, Vt.; Sergeant Thos. Hitchcock, Alton, S. C.; William Hopke, Brooklyn; Herbert Johnson, West Haven, Conn.; Lee Lamere, Laconia, N. H.; Lewis Lenhart, Somersfield, N. Y.; Thos. Lyant, Saratoga Springs, N. Y.; Chas. H. McGivern, New Haven, Conn.; Leo Maher, 139 Blue Hill Ave., Roxbury, Mass.; Eugene Wlewaszki, Providence, R. I.; John Milan, South Boston, Mass.; Teodor Nowak, St. John City, Conn.; Louis Pecorelli, New Haven, Conn.; Laurence Perlmutter, New York; Peter Plant, Corporal, Westchester, Mass.; Dan S. Sada, Wareham, Mass.; William H. Nelson, Mantol, R. I.; Francis Smith, Rosan, Poland; Alex Stefanowki, Hartford, Conn.; Frank Sutcliffe, Pawtucket, R. I.; Harry Swanow, Waverly, Mass.; Sergeant Harold Tucker, Providence, R. I.; John Whalen, Rosindale, Mass.; Ellis Young, Hancock, Maine.

AMERICAN LEAGUE CLOSES TODAY FOR DURATION OF WAR

ONLY UNEXPECTED DEVELOPMENTS WILL PREVENT CLOSING OF BASEBALL PARKS. TO TAKE NO APPEAL. National League Owners to Meet Wednesday to Discuss What Action It Will Take. By Associated Press. CHICAGO, July 20.—American league baseball parks will close their gates for the duration of the war after tomorrow's games unless unexpected developments occur. It was announced tonight by Byron Bancroft, American president of the organization. No appeal from Secretary of War Baker's interpretation of the "work or flight" ruling as applied to ball players will be made and no effort is planned to finish the season with teams recruited from veterans above the draft age and amateurs below the draft age. Such an attempt, baseball officials say, not only would be an imposition on the fans but would also be more or less of a subterfuge in view of the administration's edict. Nationals to Meet Wednesday. American league club owners will meet in Cleveland Monday at the call of President Johnson to wind up the season's business and discuss the many financial tangles which will result from the sudden interruption of the nation's pastime. National league club owners, a few of whom are reported as favoring efforts to weather the storm, will meet in New York Wednesday to discuss the situation. Baseball as represented by the American league has accepted the situation without an outward murmur of protest but regrets were openly expressed in the making of such a drastic ruling without any previous intimation of the government's wishes. It was pointed out that twice last season the American league offered to close its parks if such action would help in winning the war, but that the idea was not considered. Now that the administration's wishes are known, it was said, the club owners hasten to comply. Four of the five club owners whom President Johnson was able to reach by telegraph today favored closing the season at once. Just what will become of the players and umpires' contracts will be determined at Cleveland Monday. Later an entire reconstruction of the government and machinery of baseball is planned. To Plan Reforms. "We will wind up our affairs as best we may and build for the future," said President Johnson. "We will extend every effort to help our war to the government. This time while professional baseball is cast aside for the national emergency will provide the opportunity to rehabilitate baseball. evils have crept into the game. Wasteful extravagance on the one hand and lack of proper government on the other have been overlooked in the hurry and bustle of our times. Major league clubs must be better governed. Minor leagues must be better supervised. They have scarcely shown ability to govern themselves. We will start at once to formulate plans for the future—plans which will minimize the business and emphasize the sport and recreation so far as that is possible. "I think the national emergency ultimately will be of good to organized baseball in giving it a much needed opportunity to clean house in its business methods and in the membership of some of its present family." At the Chicago National league club headquarters it was announced tonight (Cincinnati would play a double header Monday. The team is scheduled to go east Monday night but it was announced that the trip had been abandoned.

WRECK AT CHELSEA MICH.; 15 KILLED THIRTY INJURED

By Associated Press. JACKSON, MICH., July 20.—Fifteen persons were killed and thirty others injured, many seriously, when a Detroit bound limited passenger car and a west bound freight car collided head on one mile west of Chelsea at 8:30 o'clock tonight, according to information received from that city at midnight tonight. Six of the dead were Detroit soldiers en route to Detroit from Camp Custer. KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS TO HOLD GET-TOGETHER MEETING. Pioneer Lodge No. 49, Knights of Pythias, held a very enthusiastic meeting Friday night at the headquarters of the rank of Page. There will be initial work next Friday night in the rank of Esquire. A committee composed of J. M. McFall, Ira D. Brown and Dr. J. W. DuVal, was instructed to visit Call Field and invite every Knight of Pythias to be present at the "castle" on Friday night, when a get-together meeting will be held. Refreshments will be served, and several patriotic addresses delivered. H. J. Hodges, of the rank of Knight, was invited and Seals of the lodge for several years, departs August 1 for Dallas, his future home, and H. H. Gray, who has served the past term as Master at Arma, goes to Sherman about the same date, to make that city his home, and this get-together meeting will be in the nature of a farewell to these members. The following officers were installed to serve the remainder of the year: Dr. J. W. DuVal, Chancellor; Commander, John T. Butts; Vice-Chancellor, Guy C. Raley; Prelate, Ira D. Brown, Master at Arms; A. E. Brown, Inner Guard; W. D. Gant, Outer Guard; H. A. Boyles, Keeper of Records and Seals.

KEIFER'S TALK BRINGS TERM IN LEAVENWORTH

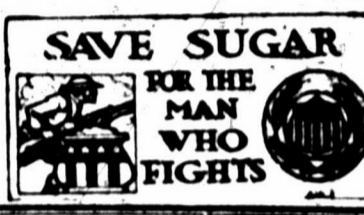
By Associated Press. SAN ANGELO, TEX., July 20.—Because he declared this was a mighty poor country where people were not allowed to eat the food they raised, and that the United States butted in to the war, M. Keifer of Winters, Texas, was convicted in the federal court on a charge of twelve counts, charging violation of the espionage act and was sentenced to two years imprisonment. 30-CENTS PER HUNDRED WINNING PRICE THIS YEAR. By Associated Press. DALLAS, TEX., July 20.—The price of winning cotton in Texas this season has been fixed at 30 cents per one hundred pounds, according to an announcement today by S. S. Frazer, Lone Oak, Texas, secretary of the Cotton Ginners' Association of Texas. This is an increase of approximately 150 a bale over last year. The new price has the approval of State Food Administrator Peden, it was announced.

LOCAL BREVITIES

Deaths Filed For Record. R. E. Huff et al to S. Kruger, lots 7 and 8, block 13, Southland addition to the city of Wichita Falls, \$2,500. C. F. Kohler et al to Carroll, Brown, Robinson and Gates, lots 11 and 12, block 137, Wichita Falls, \$3,325. Marriage Licenses. Charles Taylor and Mrs. Leda Gregg of Electra. R. R. Mead and Maybelle Crain. A jury has been called for the coming week in the 30th district court and Judge Bonner will take up his civil docket on Monday. No jury has been ordered in the 78th court for the week and Judge Seury has not announced his program. Rev. R. W. McCann will preach at the Fourth Street Baptist church Sunday night at 8:30. Rev. O. L. Powers of the First Baptist church has returned from Chillicothe where he conducted a two week's revival campaign. He reports a most successful meeting and a busy but pleasant fortnight. Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Matthews, 1410 Seventeenth, a ten pound girl. Dr. DuVal, Ear, Eye, Nose, Throat.

FRENCH REPORTED HOLDING MONT CHELISON

LONDON, July 20.—The French have bitten off several square miles of German territory in the vicinity of the river Ourcq, and this afternoon were reported to be holding Mont Chelison. The present French line in this district is thus seven miles in front of that held before the offensive. BRITISH BOMBING SQUADRON GO BEYOND THE RHINE. LONDON, Friday, July 19.—British bombing squadrons again have invaded Germany and have gone beyond the Rhine. An announcement, the air ministry says, that bombs were dropped



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BASEBALL RESULTS

NATIONAL LEAGUE. Brooklyn 6; Chicago 4. CHICAGO, July 20.—Hendrix weakened in the last three innings today and Brooklyn bunched hits and won easily over Chicago, 6 to 4. Home runs by Merkle and Myer were features. Score: Brooklyn... 000 001 122—6 8 2 Chicago... 000 001 000—4 4 4 Marquard, Cheney and M. Wheat; Hendrix and O'Farrell. Boston 5; Cincinnati 3. CINCINNATI, July 20.—Boston overcame Cincinnati's early lead today and won easily, 5 to 3. Score: Boston... 004 030 100—8 10 0 Cincinnati... 200 000 000—3 3 3 Neff and Wilson; Schneider, Haynes and Allen, Cuelo. St. Louis 7; New York 6. ST. LOUIS, July 20.—New York overcame a three run lead when May weakened in the eighth inning today and in the ninth the visitors batted out a 6 to 4 victory over St. Louis with Doak finishing for the locals. Score: New York... 000 000 030 3—6 6 2 St. Louis... 000 000 200 1—4 7 2 Perrit, Smith, Steele and McCarty; May, Doak and Gonzales. Pittsburgh 12; Philadelphia 03. PITTSBURGH, July 20.—Pittsburgh and Philadelphia broke even in today's double header, the home team winning the first game by a score of 12 to 0 and losing the second 3 to 2. First game: Philadelphia... 000 000 000—0 5 1 Pittsburgh... 000 000 001—12 0 0 Burns and Adage, Hogg; Mayer and Schmidt. Second game: Philadelphia... 100 002 000—3 7 1 Pittsburgh... 000 100 001—2 6 0 Penderast and Burns; Cooper, Sanders and Blackwell, Schmidt. AMERICAN LEAGUE. Philadelphia 10.0; Cleveland 4.9. PHILADELPHIA, July 20.—Philadelphia defeated Cleveland 10 to 4 in the first game of today's double header while the second contest was awarded to the visitors by the score of 9 to 0 when the crowd surged on the field and stood along the foul lines in the second half of the ninth inning. There were no police on the grounds. Cleveland was leading 9 to 1 when Umpire Nallin took action. Score: First game: Philadelphia... 001 001 020—4 10 6 Cleveland... 310 010 502—10 13 2 Bagby, Groom and Thomas; Walton; Perry and McAvoy. Second game: Cleveland... 240 000 021—9 9 3 Philadelphia... 010 000 000—0 4 1 Emswiler, Thomas; Pierson, Adams and Perkins. Boston 5; Detroit 1. BOSTON, July 20.—Sam Jones won his tenth straight victory today beating Detroit, 5 to 1. The score: Detroit... 001 000 000—1 7 2 Boston... 001 030 015—5 7 0 Deans and Spencer; S. Jones and Mayer. St. Louis 3.3; New York 25. NEW YORK, July 20.—New York broke even with St. Louis in a double header here today. The visitors

won the first game 5 and 2 and the Yankees evened it up in the second, 5 to 3. Sothen held New York to five hits in the first game and drove in four runs. Score: St. Louis... 000 012 000—5 10 1 New York... 000 002 000—2 5 1 Sothen and Nunamaker; Love, Roberts and Hannah. Second game: St. Louis... 100000 002—3 11 1 New York... 000 131 005—5 7 0 Bennett, Honck and Nunamaker; Mogridge and Hannah. Washington 5; Chicago 1. WASHINGTON, July 20.—Hard and opportune hitting at the expense of both Shellenback and Danforth today enabled Washington to win its second straight game from Chicago 5 to 1. Johnson held the visitors safe after the first inning. Score: Chicago... 100 000 000—1 8 0 Washington... 004 000 205—5 10 1 Shellenback, Danforth and Schaak; Johnson and Ainsmith. AMERICAN ASSOCIATION. Kansas City 3, Minneapolis 1. Milwaukee 6, St. Paul 3. Columbus 4, Indianapolis 7. At Louisville 3, Toledo 1. No Germans Except Dead and Prisoners South of the Marne. By Associated Press. LONDON, July 20.—"No Germans remain south of the Marne except prisoners and dead." This message is sent by the Reuter correspondent at French headquarters, and is timed Saturday evening.

ONE AMERICAN UNIT TAKES 2,899 PRISONERS. BY THE AMERICAN ARMY ON THE WESTERN FRONT, July 20.—One American unit since Thursday has taken 2,899 prisoners, including 91 officers, while another American unit on the northern front has captured 2,261, including 32 officers. Among the prisoners was a colonel and two majors, all in one group. The firing on both sides increased after daylight, but the Allied guns were much more effective as reports from the aviators and observation balloons on the enemy positions came in. There were numerous bombing raids by the airman this morning. The northern half of the Soisson-Chatou Thierry line is far beyond the front line and there have been bitter struggles in this territory. The Allies big guns command the bridges southeast of Soissons. FRENCH AND AMERICANS SQUEEZING THE SACK. BY THE AMERICAN ARMY ON THE AISE-MARNE FRONT, July 20.—The French and Americans squeezed the sack in which the Germans appear to be caught somewhat tighter today. At mid-day they had made an average gain of more than a mile along the Chateau Thierry-Soissons line, while another gain of a similar distance had been made south of the Marne and east of Chateau Thierry. GERMANS HAVE BROUGHT UP 100,000 RESERVE TROOPS. By Associated Press. PARIS, July 20.—The Germans have been forced to bring up a hundred thousand reserves to the army of the German crown prince as a result of yesterday's fighting and the French and Americans after fluctua-

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MEET FRIDAY NIGHT

W. J. Daugherty of Overland Sales Co. Named Temporary Chairman at First Meeting.

Preliminary steps for the organization of a Wichita Falls automobile and truck dealers' association were taken at a meeting held at the Chamber of Commerce room at the City Hall last night.

C. Lewis was appointed temporary secretary and W. J. Daugherty, temporary chairman. A committee to draft a constitution and by-laws was appointed and another meeting was announced for next Friday night when these will be adopted and the organization of the association completed.

The purpose of the organization is to secure co-operation between the dealers in matters in which they may properly co-operate, to educate the public to the essential uses of automobiles and trucks and to cooperate with the national association of automobile dealers in the promotion of mutual interests.

Those present at Friday night's meeting included: T. R. Orth of the Dodge agency; J. C. Lewis and W. J. Daugherty of the Overland Sales Co.; M. J. Cheaney of Chevrolet; W. H. R. Bamrod of the Remrod Auto Sales Co.; Mr. Smith of the Columbia Sales Co.; Homer Crawford of the Cadillac agency; Mr. Weaver of the Overland Sales Co.; O. C. Somers of the Victory Motor Co.; Mr. White of the Nash Motor & Truck Co.; Mr. Lillard of the Lexington Sales Co.; and Lloyd Weaver of the Lloyd Weaver Motor Company.

Automobile sales reported during the past week, follow: McFall & Orth, S. S. Kouri, touring car; W. J. Patton, Electric, touring car; Gulf Production Co., roadster; Major E. W. Napier, touring car; one second hand.

Moon Auto Co., O. L. Green, truck; Crager Brothers, Electric, truck.

Motor Supply, six roadsters; six touring cars three second hand sales; Lloyd Weaver Auto Co., H. Lawler, Hudson, super six sedan; C. E. McCutchen, Hudson super six speedster; E. C. Souder, bull dog Stutz roadster; L. A. Aron, bull dog Stutz; five second hand sales.

Victory Motor Company, two Westcotts to dealers in Dallas; Dixon-Kahn Motor Car Company; Stonewall Brown, Buick, sedan; Leo Markowitz, Marmon; three second hand sales.

Overland Sales Company, (retail) Mrs. J. W. Lea, Overland, two used cars; (wholesale) Rodger Brothers, Bowler, one Overland touring, one Overland bus; Jefferson Overland Company, Hudson, one used; Knighthead, Columbia motor company; H. E. McConnell, Columbia sport model; one second hand sale.

Bemrod Auto Co., Mrs. Bessie L. Hammond, Charlie, Maxwell roadster; J. W. Ray, Haisell, Maxwell, five passenger; R. W. Parr, Iowa Park, five passenger; Maxwell W. E. Fyfe, five passenger; Maxwell, three second hand sales.

KOLA.

WASHINGTON, D. C. July 20.—Kola, the Russian Arctic port, where American, British and French marines are reported to have landed recently in order to protect munitions and provisions originally intended for the Russian government, is the subject of the following war geography bulletin issued today by the National Geographic Society from its Washington headquarters.

"Before the world war made every Russian fishing village on the Arctic Ocean a potential city, the town of Kola, situated at the junction of the Kola and Tuloma rivers, had only about 500 inhabitants. Prior to the collapse of all organized government in Russia, however, it had become a place of great importance because of the fact that its harbor is relatively free from ice all the year, thanks to its location on the Murman coast, which is tempered by the North Atlantic drift.

"Kola is about 25 miles south of Alexandrovsk, the Russian naval base established 19 years ago five miles from the mouth of Kola Bay.

"In peacetime the chief occupation of the people of Kola is fishing, which is profitably followed by the natives from May to August.

"Kola is well within the Arctic Circle, being in latitude 68 degrees, 52 minutes. It is 335 miles northwest of Archangel, the great White Sea port of Russia.

"The peninsula of Kola constitutes the major part of what is known as Russian Lapland. It is bounded on the north by the Arctic Ocean and on the south by the White Sea. Its area equals that of the State of New York and is largely a plateau having an average elevation of 1,000 feet. The Arctic shore, extending a distance of 260 miles, is known as the Murman Coast (a corruption of "Norman"). It presents a rugged appearance, with cliffs rising abruptly from the sea to a height of nearly 700 feet in many places. There are several indentations, however, where excellent anchorage may be found, and one of these breaks in the granite line is Kola Bay.

"The Kola peninsula is especially rich in its timber resources. Great forests of pine, birch, fir and spruce are to be found here.

"The month of July in this region is usually quite warm, and the crops mature rapidly; the time of harvest being August, which is also the rainy month. Winter settles down over the peninsula in November.

"The Kola and the Tuloma are two of the many rivers which flow into the Arctic; there are also several large streams which drain the southern half of the peninsula and flow into the White Sea."

TEACHERS LEARN HOW TO USE STEREOPTICON

AUSTIN, TEX. July 20.—Many of the teachers of the state who are attending summer school at the University are taking advantage of the opportunity that is offered them by the extension department of that institution to learn how to operate a magic lantern or stereopticon. The purpose of this instruction is that the teachers may use lantern slides and other visual equipment in their school rooms for the instruction and entertainment of the pupils. The lessons in the use of lantern slides are being conducted by J. W. Shepherd, head of the visual instruction division of the Department of Extension. He has on hand various kinds of stereopticons, lantern slides, motion picture machines, and other visual equipment. It has been proved, particularly since the beginning of the great war, that the use of lantern slides in portraying the various phases of the conflict and subjects relating to it are especially valuable in school rooms. Material of this sort, including lantern slides and accompanying lectures for school room use, as well as for patriotic programs, are furnished by the Department of Extension of the University.

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Soldiers' Food Is Handled With Great Care and Economy

CAMP TRAVIS, July 20.—From the moment the soldier's food enters the door of his company kitchen it is subject to the severest system of regulation, sanitation and economy. Persishable articles go at once to the huge refrigerator, where a whole quar of beef can be hung without crowding. Potatoes, onions and similar vegetables go to specially equipped bins, while canned goods and packages are alligned in rows on the store room shelves. The refrigerator is checked once a day and scrubbed out thoroughly with boiling water and soap. The floor and shelves of the store room are treated like wise so that a linen handkerchief might be passed over either without being soiled.

No meat is served in an army mess hall at Camp Travis until all bone has been removed. The bone is cut into suitable size and warmed up gradually in order to extract all juices for soup stock. The various cuts of meat are as well known to the kitchen force as to any butcher, and were to be the student cook who undertakes to make roast out of sirloin, or steak out of brisket.

K. P. For Those Who Waste.—In the mess hall, posted in prominent places, will be found signs such as "Take All You Can Eat—Eat All You Take." And thereby hangs a tale.

As the men finish their meal they take their aluminum pan and cup, together with the knife, fork and spoon that make up the army table equipment, to large galvanized iron cans, some of which are for refuse and others contain hot water where each man washes his own utensils. At the refuse cans stands a guard who notes what goes into them and takes the name of every man who has failed to clean his platter clean. The list of names goes to the mess sergeant eventually and the men on the list go to the kitchen as K. P. there to apply the hot water and soap, peel potatoes and onions and otherwise make themselves useful for two or three weeks each. The penalty seems severe for the mere matter of leaving a tiny crust of bread or bit of meat in the plate, but one or two examples among the newcomers usually puts a stop to all waste at the table.

In the use of leftovers who cooks are experienced and accomplished. One reason for their cleverness in this regard is that particular attention is paid to this in their training. Another is the fact that the big refrigerator allows them to keep leftover food for a day or so before it reappears on the menu, so that sameness in meals is avoided.

Garbage Carefully Sorted.—Even the garbage is arranged for and carefully sorted and disposed of. The cans are washed, labels soaked off, and the cans strung on wires for recovery of the tin by reclamation processes. Kitchen waste is divided into classes so that contractors who buy it may handle it to the best advantage. Bread which is unfit for human food forms one class, cooked meat of similar character another class, raw fats and meats which have been condemned by health authorities as of no future value for human food, bones, and the like are also separated, while care is taken that broken glass and substances which might make the garbage unsuitable or dangerous as animal food is otherwise disposed of.

After classification each class is weighed and record kept of the weight and forwarded to the camp conservation and reclamation officer. In this manner a complete statement of the waste accumulating at every company kitchen in camp is available and any excessive amounts are at once investigated. The very garbage containers themselves are subject to regulations, and in practically all organizations in Camp Travis are housed in screened-in sheds built for the purpose. In this manner flies are shut out from their usual happy hunting grounds, and recruits not infrequently remain in camp several weeks before they see their first specimen here of this household pest.

Market Report

Grain Market

By Associated Press. CHICAGO, July 20.—Fresh liquidation on a large scale in the corn market today led to sharp new breaks in prices. Perfect weather and the bearish sentiment engendered by the war news were the chief factors. Opening prices ranged from 1/4 off to 3/4 advance with August 1.52 1/2 to 1.53 and September 1.53 to 1.53 1/2, were followed by a moderate upturn and then by decided setbacks all around. Oats dropped with corn. After opening unchanged, 1/2 higher with August 70 1/2 to 71 the market hardened a little, and then underwent a material sag.

Week end covering by shorts brought about something of a rally toward the last. Prices closed near 1 to 2 1/2 net lower with August 1.50 1/2 to 1.50 3/4 and September 1.51 1/2 to 1.52.

No important fluctuations took place. Higher prices on hogs gave firmness to provisions.

OPEN, HIGH, LOW, CLOSE.

CORN—July 1.51 1/2, 1.52 1/2, 1.48 1/2, 1.49 1/2; August 1.52 1/2, 1.53 1/2, 1.49 1/2, 1.50 1/2; Sept. 1.53 1/2, 1.54 1/2, 1.50 1/2, 1.51 1/2.

OATS—July 74 1/2, 74 1/2, 73 1/2, 73 1/2; August 70 1/2, 71 1/2, 69 1/2, 69 1/2; Sept. 67 1/2, 67 1/2, 65 1/2, 65 1/2.

PORK—July 45 1/2, 45 1/2, 45 1/2, 45 1/2; Sept. 45 1/2, 45 1/2, 45 1/2, 45 1/2.

LARD—July 26 1/2, 26 1/2, 26 1/2, 26 1/2; Sept. 26 1/2, 26 1/2, 26 1/2, 26 1/2.

RIBS—July 24 1/2, 24 1/2, 24 1/2, 24 1/2; Sept. 24 1/2, 24 1/2, 24 1/2, 24 1/2.

Chicago Produce.

CHICAGO, July 20.—Butter, low: creamery 38 1/2 to 43 1/2.

Eggs, lower, receipts 11,298 cases; firsts 37 1/2 to 38; ordinary firsts 34 1/2 to 35; at mark cases included 34 1/2 to 35 1/2.

Potatoes, lower, receipts 30 cars; Virginia barrel cobbler 3.15 to 3.40; Kansas, Missouri, Illinois and Ohio 2.50 to 2.75; Kentucky cobbler 2.75 to 3.00.

Woolly, alive, lower, fowls 28 springs 34.

Livestock

Fort Worth Livestock. FORT WORTH, TEX., July 20.—Cattle, receipts 200. Steers \$6.50 to 11.75; stockers \$6.00 to 8.00; heifers \$6.00 to 11.00; calves \$5.00 to 11.50; bulls \$6.00 to 7.50.

Hogs, receipts 200. Heavy \$18.40 to 18.50; light \$18.30 to 18.40; medium \$18.25 to 18.40; mixed \$17.75 to 18.25; common \$16.50 to 17.50; pigs \$10.00 to 15.50.

Sheep, receipts 150. Lambs \$13.50 to 16.00; yearlings \$12.50 to 13.50; wethers \$11.50 to 12.50; goats \$5.00 to 7.50.

Kansas City Livestock.

KANSAS CITY, July 20.—Hogs, receipts 1,000, steady. Bulk \$11.25 to 18.20; heavy \$18.10 to 18.25; light \$18.10 to 18.15; pigs \$16.50 to 17.25.

Cattle, receipts 1,000, steady. Prime red steers \$17.25 to 18.10; dressed beef steers \$12.00 to 17.00; southern steers \$7.00 to 14.00; cows \$6.50 to 13.00; heifers \$8.00 to 15.00; stockers \$7.50 to 16.00; calves \$8.00 to 13.25.

Sheep, receipts 100. Steady. Lambs \$15.50 to 18.00; yearlings \$12.00 to 15.00; wethers \$10.00 to 13.50; ewes \$8.00 to 12.50; stockers \$6.00 to 17.00.

WILL FURNISH POISON FORMULAS FOR RIDDING FARMS OF PESTS

Special to The Times. AUSTIN, TEX., July 20.—Commissioner of Agriculture Fred W. Davis is preparing formulas of poisons and instructions for their use which will be furnished to various commissioners courts over the State in the proposed campaign to destroy prairie dogs, rats, coyotes, wolves, wild cats, gophers, ground squirrels, English sparrows and ravens. The special session of the last legislature enacted a law which permits the use of poison for this purpose under certain restrictions. The pests are considered destructive of crops and a general nuisance to farmers.

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Cotton Market

By Associated Press. NEW YORK, July 20.—There appeared to be more selling orders in the cotton market here today. After opening steady at unchanged prices to an advance of 10 points, prices broke quite sharply. There was talk of showers in Texas while showers or rains reported elsewhere in the belt were considered favorable for plant growth and the declines reported southwestern spot markets late yesterday probably had some influence on sentiment. Wall Street was an active seller on the break and stop orders were uncovered sending October off to 25.02 or about 14 to 25 points net lower. Nervousness was probably increased by a possibility that the sinking of the San Diego had been the work of a submarine and confusing reports from Washington as to price fixing proposals. There was a good deal of covering on the decline however and prices rallied several points from the lowest before the end of the first hour.

Trading was less active later in the morning with prices steadier on the dry western belt forecast and covering. October rallied from 25.02 and closed at 25.25 with the general list closing steady at a net loss of 3 to 22 points.

Cotton closed steady.

New Orleans Cotton.

NEW ORLEANS, July 20.—Prices were one to six points higher on the opening call in cotton today, but soon after the market slumped on week-end evening up from the long side. At the end of the first half hour of trading prices were 24 to 31 points under the close of yesterday.

The stand taken by southern congressmen against price fixing of cotton gave the market underlying steadiness and stimulated more or less buying of a good character. Toward the close the net decline was reduced to ten to twenty points.

Cotton closed steady at a decline of 15 to 20 points.

AT THE A. E. F. STORE IN LONDON.

By GEORGE T. BYE. LONDON, July 20.—You don't need a guide to escort you to the A. E. F. commissary in London. Get off the underground at a certain station which really should be renamed American since it is the center of American activities in London—including this office, by the way.

Then watch for Yanks in uniform staggering along under a load of canned tomatoes, canned corn, canned beans, canned sweet potatoes, canned sausage and canned bacon are in greatest demand after tobacco. There is little ceremony about this commissary. The goods are piled about in their shipping cases. The khaki porter takes a counter and an invoice, pushes his way past the Yank lines and carries away his purchases as a matter of course. There is no cash register, no cashier, no cash, no check, no coupon, no stamp, no "Come again" sign. It is checked off the books and thrown down in the cellar. As everything comes tinned or in packages, there is nothing to measure or weigh, and it is easy to check your receipts against stock.

When a packing case is empty, it is checked off the books and thrown down in the cellar. As everything comes tinned or in packages, there is nothing to measure or weigh, and it is easy to check your receipts against stock.

Who buys this sausage and bacon and all the canned vegetables? I asked. "I can see how a Yank rooming with a British family would buy canned California peaches here, but why the stuff that has to be warmed up with a lot of fat follows have taken furnished flats, and they hire cooks or cook for themselves," answered the porter clerk. "A few of us are married and we take the stuff home to our wives. No, we didn't bring our wives over here. We married 'em here."

I was also told that some of the boys who board with London families, where they are practically adopted as sons, carry home groceries from the commissary to help the mother in her shopping. Nothing but sugar is sold in quantities out of proportion to her individual needs. One private has been court-martialed for buying canned peaches too frequently. He confessed to giving them away to English girl friends.

REDUCE AMOUNT OF AMMONIA USED FOR ICE

DALLAS, TEX., July 20.—Because government munitions factories are experiencing a shortage of ammonia, ice factories and cold storage plants have been ordered to cut the amount used in half.

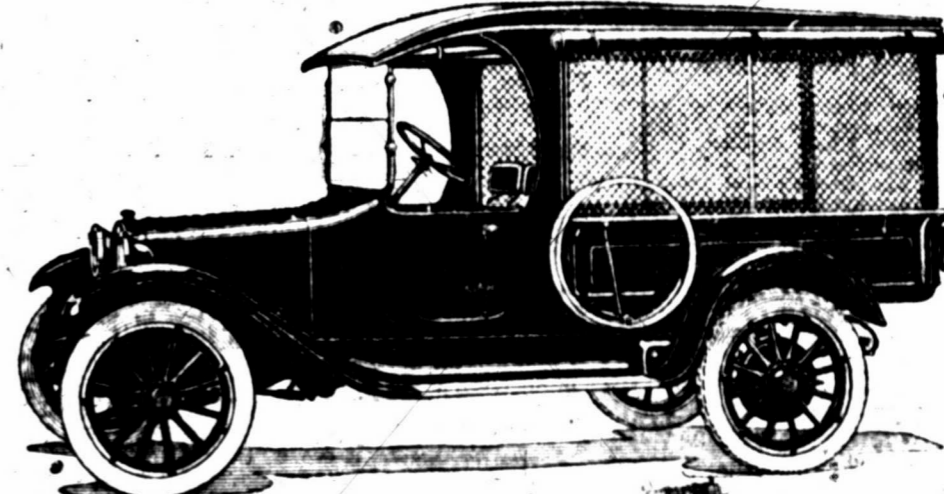
The local food administration has in conformity with this order, recommended that all restaurants and public eating places discontinue the practice of using ice on tomatoes, grapefruit, cantaloupes, etc. This they say, should help save ice and the attendant use of ammonia.

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L. R. BUCHANAN.

L. R. Buchanan, who has been a National bank examiner for the past three years, has accepted a position with the First National Bank of Wichita Falls as cashier.

Mr. Buchanan has served in the capacity of State bank examiner for this state for three years, prior to becoming a National bank examiner. Mr. Buchanan was in the banking business himself being identified with the State and the Government, and with the vast experience that he has had undoubtedly qualifies him for the position that he will hold with the First National.

C. E. McCutchen, who has been connected with the First National Bank for the past three years in the capacity of cashier, is now promoted to active vice president. The active office line-up of the officers of the First National Bank is now composed of men of long banking experience.

John Serrien Buys E. P. Greenwood Home On Ninth Street

John Serrien, farmer near Burkburnett, has purchased the E. P. Greenwood home, 2401 Ninth, through J. I. Moran, the transfer involving a sum of \$17,500. Mr. Serrien and family will take possession of the new home in the near future.

Mr. Serrien's farm is included in one of the most recently discovered oil fields around Burkburnett.

GOOD SALES AT WAR SAVINGS BANK SATURDAY

Spies at the War Savings Bank were unusually good, the Saturday report shows, a total of \$2286.52 being taken in over the counter for Thrift and War Savings Stamps. Of this amount \$242.50 represents Thrift Stamps and \$2044.02 War Savings Stamps.

FEDERAL AUTHORITIES QUESTION 'DRUNKS' ARRESTED

Drunks, or near drunks, coming in to the hands of the law are now suffering a severe fate, as after being fined in the police court they are turned over to the Federal officers for an investigation as to where they secured their whiskey. Such was the lot of a man in police court this morning. After being fined \$10 and having his whiskey taken from him he was given to the Federal authorities. Those who are inclined to be convivial are warned that they had better go to some city where there is no army camp, or they will get into trouble with the Federal authorities.

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ABSENTEES MAY PREPARE BALLOTS UP TO WEDNESDAY

All voters who expect to be absent from the county on election day, July 27, according to the absentee voting law, may call at the county clerk's office between now and Wednesday night and prepare their ballots and deposit them with the county clerk who will forward them to their respective precincts to be counted on election day.

Such voters must bring their poll tax or registration receipts or be prepared to make the required affidavit. County Clerk M. P. Kelly said last night that he would have a supply of ballots on hand Monday morning.

The absentee voting law was passed by the first called session of the thirty-fifth legislature. This is the first time since the law became operative. The law is for the benefit of voters who may find it necessary to be out of the county on election day. It applies only to primaries.

ARMY'S WAR FUND WILL REACH DESIRED AMOUNT

Subscriptions which are expected to go over the desired \$2,000 for the Salvation Army's Second War Fund, were reported by the committee members at a luncheon given Friday afternoon at the St. James hotel. R. E. Shepherd, the treasurer, reported \$1,646.75 cash on hand, with reports still to come from a number of business men, now out of town, who are expected to give good sized checks. Burk Burnett, Iowa Park and Electra have not yet made reports and good sums are expected from each of these places. There was no set time for the closing of the campaign for this fund, but the committee members are much pleased with the speed with which it has been attended to, and with the splendid response with which the business men of Wichita Falls have met the request.

Ensign H. G. Robb, the army's representative in this city, and one of the foremost workers in the campaign was host at the Friday luncheon, and expressed his appreciation of the efforts of the members of the Lions and Rotary Clubs which had so successfully carried on the campaign. Those attending the luncheon were: W. D. Cline, the chairman; B. H. Johnson, secretary; R. E. Shepherd, treasurer; M. A. Bundy, E. E. Trawick, I. H. Roberts, T. H. T. Orth, Harold Hamilton, F. T. Cooper, N. O. Monroe, Dr. P. G. Cross, M. E. Stevens and Eugene Lepold.

SURVEY BEING MADE OF TRUCK LINES HERE

An inquiry into the truck lines leading from Wichita Falls to the oil fields and the surrounding towns is being made by the State Council of Defense, through F. G. Pettibone of Dallas, appointed to make a survey of the possibilities of motor trucks in solving the transportation problem. As practically all of the transportation of supplies to the oil fields is by motor truck the survey of Wichita county is expected to occupy some time.

PERSONALS

Miss Winnie May Phillips of Gainesville, Texas, is visiting her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Crawford. Mrs. J. I. Buchanan has returned from a visit with her parents in Waco. Mrs. Vera Hardwick is visiting relatives at Little Elm, Texas. She will return Monday. Her little daughter, Katie Lee, will accompany her home.

Mrs. L. O. Wilfong is visiting her husband at Camp Mabry, Austin, and will stay until he leaves for France. Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Youngblood and family left Saturday for Galveston, where they will spend the remainder of the summer.

Mrs. McLee and daughters, Misses Minnie and Julia, arrived Saturday from Gainesville.

Mrs. Bert Holloway of Fort Worth is visiting Mrs. T. W. Caskey.

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AT THE THEATRES

AMUSEMENT CALENDAR FOR THE COMING WEEK

Programs for this week at the various picture shows feature a variety of stars in a variety of vehicles, the range being from Nazimova, queen of tragedy and drama, to Fatty Arbuckle of slapstick type.

The Nazimova picture, "Toys of Fate," which will be shown Wednesday and Thursday at the Majestic may be termed the feature of the week, though there are a number of other interesting attractions. Fatty Arbuckle plays at the Majestic on these same days, in "Good Night Nurse."

Tuesday the Gem Theatre will star Wallace McDonald and Claire Anderson in "Mlle. Paulette," a drama at the Empress in "M'LISS," a dramatization of Bert Harte's famous story of the California mountains. This picture will be shown Monday and Tuesday only. On Wednesday there is a Paramount feature at the Empress, "City of Dim Faces," with Renée Hayward, Japanese actor, featured. Thursday and Friday Florence Reed plays at this picture house in "Today," and on Saturday "Habe, the Son of Kazan," in which Billie Shipman stars in the attraction.

The Monday bill at the Majestic contains Emily Stevens in "A Man's World." On Tuesday Madge Kennedy is seen in "The Fair Pretender," Wednesday and Thursday Nazimova and Fatty Arbuckle vie for stellar honors and Friday and Saturday William S. Hart's feature, "Shark Men" will be shown.

"THE FAIR PRETENDER" AT MAJESTIC TUESDAY

Madge Kennedy poses herself as a widow in "The Fair Pretender," which will show at the Majestic on Tuesday. This picture shows the fate of a pretty little lady who was an awful fibber. A review says:

"Fresh from her triumph in 'The Danger Game,' in which she established herself once and for all as the princess royal of screen stars, Madge Kennedy comes again to delight in 'The Fair Pretender,' her newest Goldwyn photoplay. She is given ample opportunity in her latest starring vehicle to demonstrate her infinite variety and to captivate with her daintiness and charm."

"She is the Madge Kennedy beloved of hundreds of thousands, yet she is a new Madge Kennedy as well, with each additional success her art becomes more firmly grounded and her screen technique more perfect. And in 'The Fair Pretender' she afforded uncommonly varied moments of appeal. They range all the way from impulsive unsophistication when she makes known her ambition to be an actress and forthwith enacts a love scene with her employer to the moment when she is confronted by the imaginary husband whose widow she represents herself to be."

FLORENCE REED AT EMPRESS THIS WEEK

First and last a great artist, a great actress with temperament, charm, beauty and acting ability, Florence Reed has played a few roles that suit her so well as that of the headless wife in "Today," which shows at the Empress Theatre Thursday and Friday of this week.

The play has everything to make it great and great it is. The story is a powerful one of a young couple who lose their wealth through business reverses, and of the bitter young wife who takes the advice of a married woman friend who tells her a married woman can always have all the pretty clothes and luxuries that she wants; and that most of them have, no matter the financial condition of her husband. Story, star, director—this being Ralph Ince and cast which includes Ralph Ince as the husband, all point to an excellent feature picture and a dramatic problem play with its own situation and a powerful final climax. Gus Weimberg, Alice Galt and Kate Lester are a few of the well known names in the cast. Mills plays as never before in the role of the

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husband, at first merely disappointed in the attitude of his wife, then suspicious, and then grimly and quietly vindictive. Lenore Harris is the "friend" of the wife who brings matters to a climax.

Mlle. PAULETTE AT THE GEM TUESDAY

"Mlle. Paulette" is the name of a highly amusing feature comedy which will be shown at the Gem theatre on Tuesday. A rapid fire battery of complications keep the spirit of laughter in rollicking shape from start to finish. Pags is dead set against a marriage between his son, Jack, and the Broadway favorite. Ever on the trail of his former erring son, he stirs up a kettle of troubles that he is ultimately glad to disown by giving his consent to the marriage.

Wallace MacDonald, who won first place for "charm" and third place for

"handsomeness" in a recent contest conducted by Motion Picture Classic magazine plays the leading role. Others in the cast are Claire Anderson, George Hernandez and George Pearce.

EMILY STEVENS AT THE MAJESTIC MONDAY

"A Man's World," a Metro, will be the feature picture at the Majestic on Monday.

Emily Stevens as Frankie Ware wears some stunning gowns and does brilliant acting in the strongly emotional moments. The star has never done better work than this characterization in "A Man's World," not even in "The Slacker" and "Daybreak," on the screen, nor in "The Unchastened Woman" or "The Fugitive" on the stage. She is shown as the centre of an admiring throng of Bohemians and artists in the literary circles in Washington Square. The garret type of existence is cleverly contrasted with the snug prosperity of the rich Gaskell. A fascinating trio who live in bachelor quarters near Frankie consists of Emile Grimeaux, an artist, (played by Sidney Bracey) Larry Han-

son, amateur dramatist, (Walter Hiers), and David Powell, violinist, played by John Merky. It is Powell who loves Frankie in secret, and whose worth she ultimately discovers. Baby Ivy Ward, the wonderful child actress who has been seen in "The Slacker," "Draft 258," "Cyclone Higgins, D. D." and other Metro productions, has the role of the boy, Kiddie.

"A Man's World" is a worth-while production. It will interest all classes and members of society, because it is essentially human.

George W. Bacon, aged 33, of Howle, Texas, was accepted by Sergeant J. I. Buchanan, local regular army recruiting officer, Saturday. Bacon enlisted in the coast artillery corps.

EMPRESS THEATRE

Thursday and Friday
Florence Reed
—in—
"TODAY"
—in—
"TODAY"

She thought the only real pleasures of life are found in Luxuries and joys of the hour. So she followed the Fool's Philosophy and lived merely for

"TODAY"

There is not a wife in Wichita Falls but will be the better for seeing Florence Reed as the foolish wife. Frank Mills plays the husband. Also a comedy by Billie Rhodes.

Adults 25c, Children 12 and over 15c, under 12, 10c

EMPRESS THEATRE

Mon. and Tues.
Mary Pickford
—in—
"M'LISS"



There's a hearty laugh, a tiny sob, and a host of thrills in this famous story by Bert Harte—"the Poet of Sierra Nevadas."

A beautiful love theme woven round the brawny days of California Gold Rush affords "Our Mary" a chance to entertain you as she never did before.


A fine cast of players appear in support of Miss Pickford. Chief among these are Theodore Roberts, Thomas Meighan, Charles Ogle, Tully Marshall, Helen Kelly and Winifred Greenwood.

PATHE NEWS of all the latest current events.

Adults 20c, Children 12 and over, 15c, under 12, 10c

Majestic Theatre

MONDAY
Which has the greater right to be a Villian, man or woman? See
Emily Stevens
—in—
A Man's World



A screen version of Rachel Crothers' dramatic play produced in five parts.
15c 10c 5c


TUESDAY
Madge Kennedy
—in—
The Fair Pretender
The romance of a young widow that never had a husband
15c 10c 5c

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY
Metro Presents the World's Greatest Star
Mme. Nazimova
—in—
Toys of Fate

The beautiful story of the Azah, Gypsy Maiden
—The Gypsy Maiden, "unable to seek the level of her own people—powerless to rise above them."
—The cry of her soul is: "Surrounded by my own people, I AM ALONE."
—The Fire Dance of the Gypsy lovers—"when hearts leap high with the flame of youth"—is wonderfully beautiful.
—Says Wid: "The illustrated titles made by Earle are the best work of this sort I have ever seen."

IT'S A REALLY GREAT PICTURE—NO DULL MOMENTS—NO TAME ACTION

—ALSO—
Fatty Arbuckle
—in—
GOOD NIGHT NURSE



His latest two reel
PARAMOUNT
comedy
25c 15c 10c

FURNITURE

We've a pretty stock to show you. A line of all the best and newest designs for every room in the house. And its low priced. Many people do not thing any thing is low priced these war times, but when you hear what the fall and winter prices on all lines of furniture, rugs and stoves is going to be, you'll realize that we are telling you the truth when we say its cheap now.

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CALL FIELD CAMOUFLAGE

TO HOLD OPEN HOUSE BI-WEEKLY AT HOSTESS HOUSE

'EDUCATIONAL NIGHTS' WILL BE GIVEN TWICE EACH WEEK—HOSTESSES NAMED.

SERVE REFRESHMENTS

Friday Will Continue to Be Darning Day—Girls Invited to Help in Entertainments.

An Open House, such as that held Thursday evening with such success, will be given twice a month at the Hostess House, just outside the reservation at Call Field, Wichita Falls.

The committee has made arrangements to serve light refreshments to the members of the study classes, which meet at the chapel each Tuesday and Friday evening.

The financing of the Hostess House entertainment has been cared for by ten cent subscriptions which members of the women's societies of the Presbyterian, Methodist and Episcopal churches have collected.

Chairwomen Announced. The program of chairwomen for the weeks between now and September 15, follows: July 22, Mrs. J. A. Kemp.

July 29 and August 5, Mrs. D. J. Carrithers and Mrs. S. A. Barnes. August 12, Mrs. W. W. Silk.

August 19 and 26, Mrs. J. L. Leach. August 27 and 30, Open House Week. Mrs. W. W. Silk.

September 6 and 13, Mrs. M. M. Adickes and Mrs. J. A. Ricchott.

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AT THE 'Y'

The past week was a busy one at the 'Y,' there being something doing every night of the week.

Tuesday night was 'Y' night. Rev. N. F. Gratton of the Presbyterian church made a very interesting talk on 'A Young Man's Religion.'

Wednesday evening a number of down town talent entertained with a musical, and it was one of the most enthusiastically received programs given at the 'Y' for some time.

Thursday evening, August 15, the local Baptist church entertained the boys at the 'Y' Friday night.

The unusual thing this coming week will be a smoker given to the men of the hospital.

Lieutenant McCarter, Liaison officer of Call Field, brought his bride to quarters on the post after a short wedding trip in the Paige roadster.

The following account of the wedding, which occurred Saturday, July 13, from the Vernon Record of this week.

Miss Vera L. Verne Holt and Lieutenant Erwin L. McCarter of Call Field, Wichita Falls, were married at 12 o'clock Saturday morning.

The bride has lived in Vernon for many years and is one of the most popular young ladies of this city.

W. O. W. Camp 3001 held a very important meeting at the hall at their last meeting, and one candidate was initiated and the work was approved.

Lieutenant Newton, M. R. C., stationed at the post hospital, is spending the week-end in Oklahoma City.

EXCELLENT HEALTH RECORD IS BEING MADE AT FIELD

NOT A SINGLE CASE OF FEVER HAS BEEN IN HOSPITAL THIS SUMMER.

WAR AGAINST FLIES

Work of Enlarging Hospital Nearly Completed—Isolation Ward for Contagious Cases.

Fly swarming has superseded all other pastimes as the most popular in door sport at Call Field for the summer months.

The war zone for the fly includes all of Call Field buildings, and the surrounding field, there is no neutral zone.

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HIGH PRAISE GIVEN 73RD SQUADRON AT ATLANTIC PORT

The Seventy-Third Squadron is the best equipped and organized squadron in the service.

POST BAND WILL GIVE CONCERTS FRIDAY EVENING

PUBLIC INVITED AND AUTOMOBILES ARE PERMITTED TO DRIVE IN.

The Call Field Band will make its formal debut Friday evening, July 26, in an open air concert to be given at the east end of the flying field.

The program is to be supplemented by some special, the engineering department has been ordered to be a 'Carmen' (Blitz), by Lieutenant Price.

Three flying officers, for some time stationed at Call Field, have been ordered to Detroit, these being Lieutenants Harold Hanes, Morrow and Griffin.

Lieutenant Hanes was one of the first officers stationed at Call Field and among the best known both for his daring flying and his genial good fellowship.

Lieutenants Chrisey and Emerson, M. A. C., are in charge of the commissary at the local field.

Several bids have been received from contractors on the Knights of Columbus Hall which will be erected at Call Field.

Will Award Contract for K. O. C. Hall This Week.

Two Zeppelins Reported in British Raid.

This is the story of the investigation which probably will be called for in a short time to learn the whereabouts of Captain Dorland.

LETTER OF FRENCH WOMAN EXPRESSES DEEP GRATITUDE

What the women and children of France are suffering and have suffered during the past four years and the spirit of courage and faith in ultimate victory.

LIEUT. PRICE LEADER

Band Holds Daily Concerts and Major Alfante Gets Full Benefit of Its Efforts.

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RAILROAD FREIGHT OFFICES HERE TO BE CONSOLIDATED

EFFECTIVE MONDAY MORNING TERMINALS ALL ROADS WILL BE UNDER ONE CONTROL.

W. A. BUNDY AS AGENT

Mr. Bundy, However, Will Resign on September 15 and Be Succeeded by A. B. Maples.

Freight patrons of the railroads will after 12 o'clock tonight go to one office to make arrangements for receiving or shipping their freight.

The warehouse will be continued under the present system, but the signs 'Denver' and 'Asay' will be torn down.

Following on this consolidation is the announcement that on August 1 the cash freight charge payments go into effect.

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17 WICHITA FALLS MEN LEAVE TO WORK IN MUNITION PLANT

Seventeen men left Wichita Falls the latter part of the week to go to work in a big munition plant at Nash, Tenn.

THREE OFFICERS FROM FIELD HERE GO TO DETROIT

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CALL FIELD BREVITIES

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CASUALTIES

ARMY.

By Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, July 20.—The army casualty list today shows:
 Killed in action 16.
 Died of wounds 15.
 Died of disease 11.
 Died of airplane accident 1.
 Died of accident and other causes 15.
 Wounded severely 47.
 Wounded degree undetermined, 1.
 Missing 6.
 Total 130.
 Southerners in the list include:
 Died of wounds: Privates Scott L. Hood, Bastrop, La.; James C. Williams, 623 West Frisco Street, Oklahoma City, Okla.
 Wounded severely: Corporals Elgie G. Fields, Cartwright, Texas; James Sheffield, Grovton, Texas; Private John D. Condit, Heber Springs, Ark.
 The list:

Killed in Action.
 Corporal Jesse D. Gillespie, Central, S. C.; Jean Kendall, Elkville, N. C.; Bugler Frank Hubbell, Indianapolis; Privates Arthur E. Curran, Richmond, Va.; Daniel Donahue, Elizabeth, N. Y.; Frank F. Fannick, Waterbury, Conn.; Henry L. Galliseck, Stockert, Mont.; George W. Holm, Garrison, Kans.; James T. Jarvis, Massena Springs, N. Y.; Morris Kier, Wasky, Philadelphia; Anthony Moscapella, New York City; Lominico Mulazza, New York City; James P. Mungavin, Waterbury, Conn.; Moulton R. Raymond, Wards Bay, N. Y.; H. Garard Stillings, Hamilton, O.; George Valance, Philadelphia.

Died from Wounds.
 Corporal J. Behrens, La Fayette, Ind.; Burdette M. Slaven, Stearns, Ky.; Privates Phillip H. Benton, Minneapolis; Chas. Bioco, Columbus, O.; John Haddox, Canaan, Mo.; Arthur Hanson, Webb City, Mo.; Scott L. Hood, Bastrop, La.; Arthur L. McCampbell, Madisonville, Tenn.; Joseph J. Moriarty, Holyoke, Kans.; Ray H. Frost, Newton, Wis.; William Hatfield, Grand Rapids, Ohio; Reginald W. Smith, Bethlehem, Pa.; Floyd Stevens, Ridgewood, N. J.; Albert Weinrich, Brooklyn, James Williams, 623 West Frisco, Oklahoma City.

Died of Disease.
 Corporal Douglas Gammons, Tampa, Fla.; Harold A. Sampson, Richmond, Mo.; Privates George A. Benson, Weehawken, N. J.; Lawrence L. Geigle, Waterbury, Conn.; Arthur D. Reid, Jackson, S. C.; Raymond M. Hill, New York City; Howard W. Mortenson, Parkers Prairie, Minn.; Ortonzo Pearson, Gridley, Calif.; Vincent Stenger, Short Creek, W. Va.; Richard J. Webb, Wards Bay, N. Y.
Died from Airplane Accident.
 Lieutenant William B. Peterson, Omaha, Neb.

Died from Accident and Other Causes.
 Lieutenant Winston P. Anderson, Birmingham, Ala.; Sergeant Willard D. Purdy, Marshfield, Wis.; Corporal Guilfoyle, Cambria, Wyo.; Privates Joe Alf, Shawano, Wis.; William Hatfield, White Lake, Wis.; Gaetana Glento, New York City; Raffa Desotto, Kenova, Pa.; Arnt Dyrdal, Spring Grove, Minn.; Sam Johnson, Kewwood, S. C.; Frank L. Mitchell, Livermore Falls, Maine; Hiram Rich, Burgess Store, Va.; Jessie Walton, Cuthbert, Ga.

Wounded Severely.
 Lieutenant William Nesselhof, Kansas City, Mo.; Sergeant Jan Jankowski, Chicago; William N. Fork, Covington, Ky.; Corporal James Barton Jr., Quincy, Mass.; Arthur O. Boyanton, Magnolia, Miss.; Arthur Davis, Forest City, Pa.; Elgie G. Fields, Cartwright, Texas; Jack Hicks, Canton, N. C.; Claude W. Horn, Golden, Ill.; James Sheffield, Grovton, Texas; William R. Wade, Ladysmith, Wis.; Bugler Jno. K. Hartnett, Preston, Mo.; Musician Lewis A. Shanon, Inkster, N. J.; Privates Joseph Antonio, Northwood, N. J.; William A. Bannon, Hoboken, N. J.; Charlie Beck, Durham, N. C.; Delbert S. Beeman, Wilkesbarre, Pa.; Joseph L. Bertrand, Nassau, N. H.; Frank J. Brown, Jameson, Mo.; Joseph Brundige, Roxbury, Mass.; Michael J. Capeny, Jersey City, N. J.; John J. Condit, Heber Springs, Ark.; Angelo Crisafulli, Olean, N. Y.; Edward J. Crowell, Belleville, N. J.; William T. Cunningham, Goldfield, Nev.; Edward Doyle, Leonaering, W. Va.; Felix Faloretti, Springfield, Mass.; William J. Fournier, Montreal, Canada; John W. Freeth, Philadelphia; Grant Fry, Syracuse, N. Y.; Bruno Harpin, Woonsocket, R. I.; Arthur J. Highway, Harrisville, N. Y.; Joseph F. Holasek, San

Francisco; Henry I. Wanaki, Stupel, Poland; William B. Kelly, Valley Falls, R. I.; Joseph F. Kendstör, Chicago; Angelo Laasco, Boston; Earl McCurdy, Toledo; James P. McGuire, New Falls, N. Y.; John J. McQuillan, Butte, Mont.; Constantine Martynchuk, Newark, N. J.; Bronislaw H. Michelowski, Kearney, N. J.; John Wikulikus, West Frankfort, Ill.; Joseph F. Murphy, Ashville, Pa.; Leslie B. Parmenter, Brockton, Mass.; Harry G. Patrick, Frostburg, Md.; William R. Patton, Veneta, Pa.; Oscar Pilcher, Lindsale, Ga.; Fred Plachinski, Chicago; Earl H. Reddan, Cut Bank, Mont.; Orinall L. Effinburg, Chester, Pa.; William Rosensteingel, Doerun, Mo.; Frank J. Shields, Cleveland; Joseph J. Stein, Buffalo, N. Y.; Donato Tuttoloni, Corona, N. Y.; Leon Valentine, Toronto, Canada; Edward Younger, Chicago.

Wounded, Degree Undetermined.
 Private Macin Adams, De. roll.
Missing in Action.
 Lieutenant Quentin Roosevelt, Oyster Bay, N. Y.; Sergeant Edward A. Stevens, Nathan, Mass.; Corporals Charles A. Carton, Dalkey, Ireland; Bert P. Botlier, Radersburg, Md.; Michel Houchin, Burlington, Iowa; Harold J. Hunt, Hightstown, N. J.

MARINES.

By Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, July 20.—The marine corps casualty list today shows:
 Killed in action 7.
 Died of wounds 1.
 Died of disease 1.

Wounded severely 45.
 Wounded slightly 2.
 Missing 22.
 In hands of enemy 2.
 Total 80.
 Southerners in the list include:
 Killed in action: Private John G. Harris, 2512 Jackson St., Houston, Texas.
 Wounded in action severely: Private Robert L. Campbell, 1825 South Eighth St., Waco, Texas.
 The list:

Killed in Action.
 Privates Tracey K. Decker, Parkers Glen, Pa.; John O. Harris, Houston, Texas; Elmer M. Krieger, Detroit, Mich.; Liesle A. Schmidt, Chicago.
Died of Wounds Received in Action.
 Corporal Jerry Vucio, Chicago.
Died of Disease.
 Private John Ross, California, O.
Wounded in Action Severely.
 Sergeants Thomas Luncan, Teuman, Ky.; George Myer, Frederick, Md.; Claude W. Wilson, Mobile, Ala.; Corporals Thomas J. Carroway, Ithemo, S. C.; Charles H. James, Richmond, Ind.; Theodore Keller, Lexington, Ky.; George Rosmariek, Lackawanna, N. Y.; Privates Willard J. Allen, Cringle Creek, Colo.; Bert C. Ayers, Bedford, Mo.; Robert L. Campbell, 1825 South Eighth St., Waco, Texas; William A. Church, Tilton, N. H.; Garret H. Clark, Birmingham, Ala.; Cecil Ogelman, Metter, Ga.; Walter M. Coy, Odebolt, Iowa; Edward F. Forton, Mount Clemens, Mich.; Roland A. Minn, Francis E. Green, Wilkesbarre, Pa.; Clayton A. Gunnasher, Stewartsville, Minn.; Daniel W. Hayes, St. Louis; Leon L. Heilmann, St. Louis; George Henry, Cambridge, O.; Henry E. Higgins, Rockport, Ill.; Ruben C. Ingebritson, Case Lake, Minn.; John

Johnson, Philadelphia; William Johnson, Saltsburg, Pa.; Phillip M. Jordan, Roxbury, Mass.; Edward F. Keating, Chicago; Charles L. Lantz, Auburn, Mass.; Joseph Ledoux, Opelous, La.; Gene Malloy, Blaine, Wash.; Earl W. Moore, Reno, Nev.; Harvey L. Peeno, Constance, Ky.; S. Schradler, Lumberton, Miss.; Patrick A. Shannon, Woodlawn, Pa.; Hugh B. Shaw, Yorkville, Ill.; William F. Sponael, Cincinnati; Frank Stoley Jr., Newark, N. J.; Robert P. Sutherland, Green Island, N. Y.; V. Swanson, St. Paul; Jesse N. Tidwell, Blockton, Ala.; Frank J. Vanderhoven, Paterson, N. J.; Hillard B. Watts, Reaca, Ga.; Stanley Willey, Toledo, O.; Ray B. Williams, Coalville, Utah; Fred C. Young, Kent, Ohio.

Missing in Action.
 Sergeant Rey X. Smith, Spokane, Wash.; Corporals John D. Ashworth, Springfield, Ore.; Jackie L. Bailey, Chicago; Raymond E. Bliven, Bristol, R. I.; Hugh P. Bolender, Mishawaka, Ind.; Donald O. Lantz, Lincoln, Wash.; Howard B. Wood, Elm-dale, Kans.; Privates Eugene M. Brown, Grenola, Kans.; John P. Dehaven, Conchochocton, Pa.; Frederick W. Elftmann, Maywood, Ill.; Waldo H. Franum, Waterville, Ore.; Verner J. Kearney, Spokane, Wash.; William Lenz, Gilliam, Mo.; David K. Milligan, Jersey City, N. J.; Peter Nicastro, Chicago; Daniel J. O'Connell, Rensselaer, Mo.; Jos. C. Placek, Chicago; Cecil W. Pleisch, Anderson, Calif.; Wilfred Brunelle, Ware, Me.; William E. Neuneker, Brunell, Ill.; Lyle D. Rosecrans, Auburn, Mich.; Herbert L. Senger, Danville, Ill.
 Previously reported missing, now reported killed in action: Second Lieutenant Thomas W. Ashley, Deerfield, Wash.; Private Theodore E.

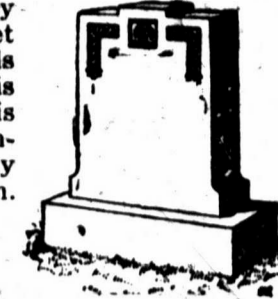
Bangs, Bengies, Md.; William K. Bray, Vatavia, N. Y.
 Previously reported missing, now reported slightly wounded in action: Privates Ralph Lindley, Paoli, Ind.; Merwyn C. Shaw, Baltimore, Md.
 Previously reported missing, now reported prisoners in Germany: Privates Elmer C. Byers, La Belle, Mo.; Leslie Cunningham, Sturgeon Bay, Bay, Wis.

For County Surveyor.
 To the Voters of Wichita County: I was appointed by the court last February to fill an unexpired term of County Surveyor of Wichita county and take this opportunity of announcing my candidacy for election to said office.
 I am a graduate of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, have had fifteen years actual experience in land surveying and general engineering work, have up-to-date equipment and will give impartial and satisfactory service if elected to the office.

as I have given since my appointment Am familiar with the duties of the office, also with the land lines of this county.

Your vote and influence in the coming primary election will be greatly appreciated.
 J. M. ISBELL.
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I have moved on my own property corner of Ohio Avenue and 3rd street with the greatest stock of memorials that has ever been assembled in this section. My work is unexcelled, this implies service as well as perfect construction. It is unsatisfactory to buy from pictures through imagination. Come and see the real art.



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<p>WAISTS</p> <p>Handsome Waists, exceptional values.</p> <p>Wash silks at \$2.98 Crepe de chine \$4.98 Georgette crepes, in white and dainty colors \$4.98 to \$7.90</p> <p>HOUSE DRESSES</p> <p>For morning or afternoon wear. Neat, stylish and well-made garments in fine quality gingham and percales in fancy stripes and checks and in plain colors. Cheaper than you can make them, \$1.79, \$2.25, \$2.79 and \$3.25</p> <p>COUNTERPANES</p> <p>The finishing touch to the bed chamber is the snow white counterpane. We have them, full size, some with cut corners for \$1.69, \$1.98, \$2.98, \$3.98 to \$6.90</p>	<p>CORSETS</p> <p>The famous "Crown" corset will appeal to the woman who wishes to be well dressed. Corsets for all figures \$1.25, \$1.49 and \$1.98 Extra heavy corsets \$2.98 and \$3.98</p> <p>UNDERWEAR</p> <p>Our line of dainty lace and embroidery trimmed under-muslins are exceptional values. Corset covers 69c, 98, and \$1.49 Night gowns 98c, \$1.25, \$1.49, \$1.69 and \$1.98 Envelope chemise \$1.25, \$1.49, \$1.69 and \$1.98</p> <p>BATH TOWELS</p> <p>Plain, hemmed, handy size, 2 for 39c Large size, 2 for 49c Others at 2 for 29c, 69c, 98c Wash cloths 5c and 10c</p>
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11,000 OFFICIAL BALLOTS ORDERED PRINTED FOR WICHITA COUNTY PRIMARY

R. E. Huff, county chairman, has ordered the printing of 11,000 official ballots for the democratic primary next Saturday. Of these 7,000 will be distributed among the voting boxes in precinct 1, 1,000 in precinct 2, 1,000 in precinct 3 and 2,000 in precinct 4. The committee is making arrangements to have a double force of clerks in some of the larger boxes so that the counting of the votes may not be too long delayed. In one of the city boxes there will be more than a thousand votes if all those who have paid poll taxes and who have registered vote. The counting of these votes would require several days with only one set of clerks and two will be provided.

Chairman Huff has informed the election officials that the law provides that the election judges may begin counting the ballots an hour after the polls open so that in some of the smaller boxes the returns should be ready within a short time after the polls close.

It is suggested that women voters and others as well cut out the list of candidates printed below for reference during the week to pick out the candidates for whom they wish to vote. The names appear in the order in which they will be printed in the official ballot. The ballot printed here is that for this commissioner's precinct, in the other precincts the ballot will have the names of the candidates in those precincts.

The ballot follows:

OFFICIAL BALLOT.

Democratic Party Primary Election, July 27th, 1914.
Test: I am a Democrat and pledge myself to support the nominees of this primary.

CANDIDATES FOR STATE OFFICES.
For United States Senator, Morris Sheppard, Texarkana, Texas, Bowie county.

For Governor, W. P. Hobby, Beaumont, Jefferson county.

James E. Ferguson, Temple, Bell county.

For Lieutenant Governor, T. W. Davidson, Marshall, Harrison county.

John R. Moore, Palestine, Anderson county.

W. A. Johnson, Memphis, Hall county.

S. B. Cowell, Whitesboro, Grayson county.

L. H. Bailey, Houston, Harris county.

John M. Henderson, Daingerfield, Morris county.

Chief Justice of Supreme Court, Nelson Phillips, Dallas, Dallas county.

Associate Justice of Supreme Court, J. D. Harvey, Houston, Harris county.

Thomas B. Greenwood, Palestine, Anderson county.

Associate Justice Court of Criminal Appeals, R. H. Ward, San Antonio, Bexar county.

William Pierson, Greenville, Hunt county.

O. S. Lattimore, Fort Worth, Tarrant county.

C. A. Phippen, Dallas, Dallas county.

For State Treasurer, John W. Baker, Crosbyton, Crosby county.

J. M. Edwards, Ballinger, Runnels county.

For Attorney General, C. M. Curston, Bosque county.

John W. Woods, Abilene, Taylor county.

Marshall Spooner, Fort Worth, Tarrant county.

For Railroad Commissioner, Clarence E. Gilmore, Willis Point, Van Zandt county.

C. H. Hurdleston, Tarrant county.

John L. Andrews, Dallas county.

For Comptroller of Public Accounts, H. B. Terrell, West, McLennan county.

Sam H. Goodlet, Austin, Travis county.

C. C. Mayfield, Claiborne, Texas, Frith county.

Commissioner of General Land Office, J. T. Robison.

For Commissioner of Agriculture, F. W. Davis, Gainesville, Cooke county.

H. A. Halbert, Coleman, Coleman county.

Superintendent of Public Instruction, W. F. Dougherty, Marlin, Falls county.

Annie Webb Blanton, Denton, Denton county.

Erandon Trussell, Decatur, Waco county.

For Judge of Court Civil Appeals, (Second District), Irby Dunklin, Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas.

For U. S. Congressman, 13th District, Edgar P. Haney, Wichita Falls, Wichita county.

C. F. Spencer, Montague, Montague county.

Lucian W. Parrish, Henrietta, Clay county.

For State Senator, 29th District, R. L. Templeton, Wellington, Collingsworth county.

W. S. Bell, Foard county.

For Representative, 101st District, J. D. Parnell, Wilbarger county.

District Judge, 30th Judicial District, Wm. N. Bonner, Wichita county.

For District Attorney, 30th Judicial District, Fletcher S. Jones, Wichita county.

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For County Judge, J. P. Jones.
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W. T. Carlton.
For County Attorney, John Davenport.
Ed Yarbrough.
For County Clerk, Will T. Harris.
M. P. Kelly.
For District Clerk, A. F. Kerr.
For Sheriff, R. L. (Bob) McFall.
F. L. (Frank) Burns.
G. A. Hawkins.
J. L. Huffines.
For Tax Assessor, T. E. Ragdale.
For Tax Collector, E. S. Whitelaw.
M. L. Tittle.
J. P. Jackson.
For County Superintendent, E. C. Hill.
For County Treasurer, T. W. McHam.
For County Surveyor, M. M. Cooke.
J. M. Isabel.
For County Chairman, R. E. Huff.

PRECINCT TICKET.

County Commissioner Precinct No. 1, M. K. Emmert.
St. Clair Sherrod.
J. S. Fore.
For Justice Precinct No. 1, Place 1, R. V. Gwinn.
For Justice Precinct No. 1, Place 2, P. H. Leath.
C. J. (Dad) Arrington.
For Constable Precinct No. 1, R. L. (Pete) Randolph.
J. H. Nail.
W. W. Humphreys.

GERMANS SENDS NOTE CONFIRMING ROOSEVELT'S DEATH

By Associated Press. PARIS, July 20.—German aviators have dropped a note into American aviation camps confirming the death of Lieutenant Quentin Roosevelt.

Lieutenant Quentin Roosevelt, whose death while flying as an aviator in the American service is confirmed from German sources as the youngest son of the former president, he disappeared last Sunday morning during a combat between American and German machines ten miles inside the enemy lines in the Chateau Thierry sector.

Lieutenant Roosevelt's death is the third casualty in the Roosevelt family. Captain Archibald Roosevelt was wounded severely March 11 and has not yet returned to active duty. Major Theodore Roosevelt Jr., the eldest son, was gassed about three weeks ago. Kermit Roosevelt, who accepted a commission in the British army, recently was transferred to the American forces in France.

WILSON SENDS MESSAGE TO COLONEL ROOSEVELT

By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, July 20.—Upon learning today that German aviators had confirmed the death of Lieutenant Quentin Roosevelt, President Wilson sent this message to Colonel Roosevelt at Oyster Bay:

"Am greatly distressed that the news of your son's death is confirmed. I had hoped for other news. He died serving his country and died with fine gallantry. I am deeply grieved that his service should have come to this tragic end."

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CZERNIN SUGGESTS PEACE PROPOSALS TO SOME NEUTRAL

By Associated Press. AMSTERDAM, July 18.—Count Czernin, former Austrian Hungarian foreign minister, discussing in the upper house the recent speech of Dr. von Seydler, the Austrian premier said: "The war is at the bottom a duel between Germany and Great Britain. The moment they come to an understanding the world war is at an end despite the French and Italian 'topia' of conquest."

"The imperial chancellor, Lloyd George and our foreign minister are all according to their declarations, inclined to examine peace proposals, but none of them will make them."

"The way out of this dilemma would be for each of the two groups of powers to communicate their peace proposals to a neutral power, which by comparing the peace proposals of both sides could form an idea whether an agreement was possible. If only there were the slightest prospect of an understanding an attempt should be made."

Fine Watch Repairing.
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Do you realize that there is going to be a very small pack of fruits and vegetables available for another year? We are putting on sale for Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, 250 cases of fruits and vegetables at 25 per cent less than they can be bought for on today's market. You can save big money by attending this sale.

- 15 cases yellow freestone peaches, No. 2 1/2 cans, worth 25c sale price per can 18c
- 12 cases Meadow Brook (Cincinnati) Peaches, fine quality and worth 20c sale price per can 15c
- 25 cases Armour and Gold Bar No. 3 best sliced yellow clingstone Peaches put in cans, worth 25c, sale price 27 1/2c or two cans for 55c
- 10 cases Santa Clara, Bartlett, Pears worth 55c sale price 23c
- 5 cases No. 3 cans best grade sliced or grated Pineapple, worth 35c, sale price 28c
- No. 2 cans best sliced or grated Pineapple, worth 30c sale price per can 24c
- 15 cases No. 14 best Tomatoes, worth 16c, sale price 2 cans for 25c
- 15 cases Godor's fancy Maine Corn, worth 24c, our sale price 17 1/2c or two cans for 35c
- 15 cases No. 2 best pack Hamilton brand tomatoes, worth 25c, sale price 20c
- 15 cases St. Lawrence best cut refugio beans, worth 25c, sale price 17 1/2c or two cans for 35c
- 15 cases Libby or White Swan Pork and Beans, worth 20c sale price 3c for 50c
- 20 cases Miss Lou Sweet Potatoes, worth 25c, sale price per can 20c
- 5 cases best Argo Red Salmon, worth 35c, sale price 27 1/2c or two for 55c
- 10 cases choice pink Salmon, worth 27 1/2c, sale price 20c
- 10 cases Parker Brand Sifted Early Swift's Premium Hams per pound 34c and 35c
- June Peas, worth 23c sale price 17 1/2c or two for 35c
- 25 cases No. 1 best Red Rover, Burt Olney's Sifted Sweet Wrinkled, New State, Tiny Tot Peas, worth 25c, sale price 20c
- 25c cans Cook's Pride Baking Powder worth 30c, sale price 15c or two for 30c
- 50c cans Jack Frost Baking Powder 23c
- 40c extra large bucket Good Luck Baking Powder, sale price 30c
- 25 cases small Pet Milk, 12 cans 65c
- Best solid pack Pears gallon, 70c
- Gallon cans Peaches, Plums, Apricots per can 70c
- Pitted Cherries gallon cans 1 1/2c
- 10 cases Medium size Swift Jewel Compound, worth 1 1/2c, sale price 75c
- Large bucket Crisco 1 1/2c
- Large bucket W. S. or White Beauty Shortening 1 1/2c
- 10 cases White Beauty Cooking Oil per gal 1 1/2c
- Half gallon extra 1 1/2c
- Best Creamery Butter 50c and 55c
- 3 extra large rolls Toilet Paper 25c
- 26 oz. jar Best Sour Pickles, worth 40c, sale price 30c
- Pure South Texas strained Honey in jars at 60c and 1 1/2c
- 10 cases assorted Fruit Jams, 11 oz. jars, worth 35c sale price 25c
- Grape Juice worth 35c per bottle 20c
- 5 cases Gold Bar Asparagus, Tips, sale price 35c or three for 1 1/2c
- 40 jars Hunt's Supreme Yellow Clingstone Peaches, worth 65c, sale price 38c
- Big line of Fruits of all kinds to sell cheap.
- Swift's Premium Hams per pound 34c and 35c
- Dry Salt Bacon per pound 30c
- 5 bars Labor Savor or Clean Easy 25c
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We are going to clear out all summer garments as quickly as possible and to do so we have made prices so low, that it won't take but a short time to do so.

Silk dresses, \$25.00 values for \$12.50
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Voile and figured combination dresses at \$5.50, \$6.50 and \$7.50
Gingham dresses at \$3.95 and \$4.95, all worth double this price.
Organdie dresses, \$20.00 white organdie dresses for \$10.00
Silk Skirts—On sale beautiful silk skirts \$6.50, \$7.50 \$8.50
All novelty skirts on sale \$4.50, \$5.50 \$6.50
Millinery at greatly reduced prices.
Beautiful Crepe Blouses at \$5.95 and \$6.50



CLEVELAND TEAM AMERICAN LEAGUE TO CLOSE SEASON

By Associated Press. CLEVELAND, O., July 20.—President James C. Dunn of the Cleveland American League club today sent the following message to Cleveland from Chicago:

"We will play a double header with Philadelphia tomorrow and will then close the ball park for balance of season. It is our desire to comply promptly with Secretary Baker's ruling in baseball."

BAN JOHNSON CALLS MEETING CLUB OWNERS

By Associated Press. CHICAGO, July 20.—President Ban Johnson of the American League today sent out a call to club owners for a meeting at the Hollander Hotel, Cleveland, Monday noon for the purpose of determining what action should be taken in connection with Secretary Baker's order closing baseball as a non-essential.

HERRMAN ISSUES STATEMENT TODAY

By Associated Press. CINCINNATI, July 20.—August Herrman, chairman of the national commission, gave out the following statement today relative to the work or fight order as it concerns baseball:

"My judgment is that the two major leagues should put the matter up to the proper authorities at once to find out whether we will be given a reasonable time to adjust and if necessary, close out our business, or whether we shall close at once."

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BIG CORSET SALE TOMORROW

- 350 Corsets, worth up to \$2.00, on sale tomorrow \$1.00
- 100 Fro La Set front lace Corsets, worth up to \$4.00 tomorrow sale \$2.95
- 125 Fro La Set and Gossard front lace Corsets, worth up to \$7.50, tomorrow sale, only \$3.95

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IN THE SPHERE OF WOMANKIND

Wilson Grove, No. 1751, Woodman Circle will meet at four o'clock Wednesday afternoon in the Masonic Temple.

Honoring Rev. and Mrs. Herman Knickerbocker, of Prownsville, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Snider entertained with dinner on Wednesday evening. After dinner the guests enjoyed a delightful evening at the Snider home. In addition to the guests of honor, Cadets Knickerbocker and Weir and Lieutenant Barnes were present.

Members of the Epworth League of the First Methodist church, corner of Seventh and Lamar, enjoyed a truck ride and picnic supper at the Lake on Friday evening. Starting in a large truck and several automobiles from the church, after an extensive drive through the city and around the lake, the Leaguers spread lunch, picnic style, and enjoyed various outdoor games and contests on the park grounds at the lake. Several gallons of iced lemonade had been prepared. About seventy-five young people enjoyed the affair.

LITTLE GIRLS RAISE FUNDS FOR JUNIOR RED CROSS

The youngest and smallest "patriotic society" organized in Wichita Falls has already netted the Junior Red Cross two dollars in cash and two pounds in tin foil, a substance almost as valuable as the silver. This sum was turned over to the Junior Red Cross by little Misses Alma and Inogene Willis and Ethel Meyers, members and organizers of the society, as the proceeds of a musical program given by the society before the parents, friends and older brothers and sisters of the members, at the home of the little Willis girls on Tuesday afternoon. The little girls all about eleven years old, formed themselves into a society for Junior Red Cross work, the entertainment idea being developed later. They called the organization the "Patriotic Society" and it promises to be one of the most growing and active of the city organizations for winning the war.

WOODMAN'S CIRCLE ENJOYS DELIGHTFUL OUTING

Members of the degree team of Wichita Grove 1087, Woodman Circle, enjoyed one of the most delightful outings in its history on Thursday, when the team motored to Archer City where they assisted the organization of a team in the Archer City Grove 1270 and illustrated the floor-work of the order.

The local team left Wichita Falls in automobiles furnished by Mesdames McCorky, Fitzgerald and Williams. Young James and Neal about thirty Thursday morning, arriving in Archer City, where they were met by a committee from the Archer Grove, about eleven o'clock. After a short business session, the visitors enjoyed the delightful hospitality of Mrs. Mathis, at whose home they were served with an old fashioned breakfast and dinner, all accessories included. In the afternoon, the Archer City degree team was organized and the local team put on the floor work.

Every feature of the day was unusually delightful, and the Wichitans reported the greatest appreciation for the hospitality of their hostesses. The entire trip was made without a trace of automobile trouble.

Among a number of amusing incidents, the local team especially enjoyed its encounter with a reporter from Archer City who sought to know the political inclinations of the members. The encounter ended in utter defeat from the inquirer, members of the team report.

Those enjoying the trip were Mesdames Sherrill, McCorky, Neal, Marshall, Prang, Scott, Fitzgerald, Williams, Young, James, Soule, Meek, Whittington, Oakes, Hinch, Smith, Powell, Smith, Johnson, Ludgins, Stout, Shields and Misses Lois Fitzgerald, Tillie Mae Schafer and John Bob James, Son Young, Willie Fitzgerald and Mr. Whittington.

At the Junior Red Cross headquarters at the high school 47 shot bags, 18 aprons and seven towels were completed during the past week by the following workers: Edris and Elizabeth Love, Mary and Pearl Painter, Jack King, Inez Carter, Gertrude Hines, Jewell Brown, Lyla Ulrich, Alleen Alverson, Eleanor Allen, J. Baggett, Gladys Price, Stella Smith, Georgia Maxwell, Helen Danielson, Katherine Marcus, Helen Knotts, Ethel Mae Martin, Ana Bell Cooper, Leon and Clara Lee Snow, Alice Jenne, Agnes Luecke, Ruby Kuehn, Alma Willis, Ethel Meyers, Ruth Crowell, Melinda Elliott, Melba Ruth Stehlik, Maude Soule, Nellie Lewis, Fay Goss and Lyddie Krizan.

EPWORTH LEAGUE MEETING OF ESPECIAL INTEREST

The Senior Epworth League of the M. E. Church, South, is expecting to hold an excellent service starting at 7:30 p. m. tonight, and all members as well as visitors are most cordially invited to be present.

It is most earnestly desired that no single member of the league

be absent of this occasion, as matters of much importance to the league are expected to come before the meeting, and every member who has the league's interest at heart will surely not absent themselves without the best of excuses, although 50 per cent of the members have failed to realize the great need of their assistance, and seldom attend the services, but they and each member is expected to be present tonight.

It is indeed a great blessing to the league to have so many of the soldier boys present, and doubtless worth much to them as well.

The leaguers are expecting to go forward much faster when the assistant pastor arrives in August.

Honoring Miss Mary Kim Carlgren of Hope, Arkansas, members of the Floral Heights Knitting Club are busy knitting and the garments are turned in to headquarters in the name of the organization by the leader, Mrs. Mary Daniels. A number of completed articles were sent in during the past week.

WICHITANS ENTERTAINED AT VERNON WEDNESDAY
A party of young people from Wichita Falls drove over to Vernon on Wednesday where they were delightfully entertained by Misses Frances Hicks, Mary Anderson and Ruth Hawkins on Wednesday. After luncheon at the Hicks home, the party enjoyed a picnic and swimming party in the evening. The visitors from Wichita Falls included Misses Mary K. Carlgren, Leila Beall Anderson, Louis Montgomery and Lieutenants Jenkins and Bridge.

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LITTLE MISS ALMA AND MARGARET FLEMING have returned from a weeks' visit in Duncan, Oklahoma. Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Schafer and little son, S. J. Jr. of Hutchinson, Kansas, are in the city visiting relatives. Miss Bertha Reeder of Moscow, Idaho, is the guest of her uncle, St. Bemrod, and her aunt, Mrs. Marie Boyne.

Horace Moore, of Kansas City, Mo. is visiting his aunt, Mrs. C. W. Snider.

SOCIETY PERSONALS.

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It is most earnestly desired that no single member of the league

Special Corset Sale Monday

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Women's Tailored Suits, Just a few left

Good Serviceable Colors and Materials. With the constantly advancing prices of woollens, and the scarcity of materials you would do well to purchase a suit here tomorrow and put it away until fall.

Tomorrow we will sell the remainder of our stock of **Women's Suits** **HALF PRICE**

All Fancy Silks Must Go! A Silk Sale Extraordinary

Exquisite patterns in fancy silk, satins and messalines—wonderful range of colorings in stripes and plaids—some of these are short lengths but most of them contain enough for any garment—all these silks come in 36 inch widths and represent excellent values, priced

\$1.75 fancy silks, July clearance, yard	\$1.49
\$2.00 fancy silks, July clearance, yard	\$1.69
\$2.25 fancy silks, July clearance, yard	\$1.89
\$3.00 fancy silks, July clearance, yard	\$2.69

Extra Values in Poplins, Cotton Suitings, Gingham and Printed Tissues

27 inch Mercerized Poplin—Red, blue, green, brown, tan and purple, 39c grade on sale, yard	29c
36 inch Cotton Suiting—Pretty plaids, 75c values on sale, yard	43c
32 inch Gingham and Printed Tissues—Beautiful plaid, 50c grade, sale price	39c
Exquisite Voiles—Pretty assortment of stripes and plaids—50c grade, sale price	39c
75c grade, sale price	43c
One assortment fancy percales, large plaids, Scotch gingham effects, 19c grade, sale price	15c
White Skirt Material in gaberdines and mercerized plaids—50c grade, sale price	39c
\$1.00 grade, sale price	89c

Fancy Colored Lawns

19c grade, sale price	15c	29c grade, sale price	23c
25c grade, sale price	19c	50c grade, sale price	39c

Men's and Young Men's Suits, July Clearance Sale

Entire stock of Men's and Young Men's Suits goes in this sale. Positively nothing reserved.

\$7.95 Men's Suits	\$6.45	\$20.00 Men's Suits	\$14.65
\$10.00 Men's Suits	\$6.95	\$22.50 Men's Suits	\$16.65
\$12.50 Men's Suits	\$8.95	\$24.50 Men's Suits	\$18.45
\$15.00 Men's Suits	\$10.95	\$25.00 Men's Suits	\$18.65
\$16.50 Men's Suits	\$11.95	\$27.50 Men's Suits	\$20.00
\$17.50 Men's Suits	\$12.95	\$29.50 Men's Suits	\$22.50
		\$35.00 Men's Suits	\$27.00

Boys' Knee Pants

\$1.00 grade, sale price	89c
\$1.25 grade, sale price	95c
\$1.50 grade, sale price	\$1.29
\$1.75 grade, sale price	\$1.45
\$2.00 grade, sale price	\$1.79
\$2.50 grade, sale price	\$1.95
\$2.95 grade, sale price	\$2.20
\$3.00 grade, sale price	\$2.25
\$3.50 grade, sale price	\$2.95

Boys' Knee Pant Suits

\$3.95 values, July Clearance Sale	\$2.95
\$4.95 values, July Clearance Sale	\$3.95
\$5.00 values, July Clearance Sale	\$3.95
\$5.95 values, July Clearance Sale	\$4.25
\$6.50 values, July Clearance Sale	\$4.95
\$7.50 values, July Clearance Sale	\$5.65
\$8.50 values, July Clearance Sale	\$6.95
\$10.00 values, July Clearance Sale	\$8.25
\$12.50 values, July Clearance Sale	\$9.95
\$15.00 values, July Clearance Sale	\$11.25

July Clearance of Men's Summer Underwear—Pajamas and Night Shirts

\$1.25 Pajamas and Night Shirts, sale price	95c
\$1.50 Pajamas and Night Shirts, sale price	\$1.10
\$2.00 Pajamas and Night Shirts, sale price	\$1.79
\$2.50 Pajamas and Night Shirts, sale price	\$1.95
\$3.00 Pajamas and Night Shirts, sale price	\$2.65
\$3.50 Pajamas and Night Shirts, sale price	\$2.95
\$5.95 Pajamas and Night Shirts, sale price	\$5.25
Boys' 75c Poros Knit Union Suits, sale price only	59c
Men's 75c Balbriggan Shirts and drawers, per garment	59c
Boys' 50c Nainsook Union Suits, sale price, only	39c
Scrivens Drop Seat Union Suits, \$1.50 values, sale price	\$1.10

BLOUSE SPECIAL MONDAY

at 10 o'clock

See Center Window Today

Wonderful values in blouses, pretty colors and styles in Crepe de Chine, Silks, Voiles and other pretty materials. This assortment represents some extra values and we must limit the purchase to one to each customer—values positively up to \$5.95—on sale Monday at 10 o'clock **\$1.98**

Entire line of Men's and Boys' Panamas, Bangkoks, Leghorns and Straws go in this sale at **HALF PRICE**

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Miss Olaya VanVaster of Elk City, Okla., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Leonard Grayson. Miss VanVaster has many friends in Wichita Falls, having attended the local high school for several months about two years ago. She will be in the city about two weeks.

WITH THE WOMEN OF THE CHURCHES

CHURCH RED CROSS CALENDAR. Monday: First Methodist church, south; First Presbyterian church, (morning); Baptist Girls Auxiliary, Tuesday: Episcopal Guild.

Wednesday: Central Presbyterian church; First Presbyterian church, Altar Society; First Christian church, Thursday: First Methodist church, south; First Presbyterian church, Friday: First Presbyterian church.

First Methodist Church, South. At the Red Cross unit of the First Methodist Church, South, during the past week, 27 sheets, 69 pillow cases, 28 housewives, 838 wipes and 700 foot kits were completed.

Mrs. Coroline was chairman of the hospital department and Mesdames Bean and Moore instructed in the surgical dressing department on Monday. The members present were Mesdames Eagle, Barnes, Richardson, Pierce, Gwinn, Smith, Nanny, Barner, Hammack, Jackson, Kirley, Shelton, Chauncey, Bullard, Dakan, Walker, Hinckley, Simpson, McParland, and Misses Pauline Harris, Vivian Harris, Adnah O. Barnes, Patsie Lou Koonce, Thelma Gwinn, Mary M. Akin, Lona Brown, May L. Guthrie, Zula Stokes, Dollie Gage, Florine Dakan and Ford Chauncey and J. V. Shaw.

On Thursday Mesdames Corline and Hinckley were chairmen and Mesdames Cook and Alexander and Mrs. Mack instructed. The workers were Mesdames Paulks, Kirley, Shaw, Guthrie, Carithers, Moore, Shelton, Barnes, Hammack, Bullard, Barner, Blankenship, Jack Shelton and Misses Harris, Barnes and Gwinn.

First Presbyterian Church. Members of the Red Cross unit worked on Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings of the past week, completing 104 wipes, 21 bags and hemming 29 sheets. Mesdames W. W. and J. D. Robertson each turned in a pair of socks. Mesdames Kemp and Howard were instructors for the week. On Monday morning the workers were Mesdames Whitney, Kraus, Gotcher, W. W. Robertson, J. D. Robertson, M. Cutchen, Faulkner, Humphrey and Beavers.

Members present on Wednesday were Mesdames Anderson, Grafton, McDowell, Beavers and Miss Kate Haines. Friday's workers included Mesdames Kalkners, Grafton, Howard and Miss Kate Haines.

The absence of a number of members of the unit who are spending the summer out of the city has diminished the ranks to some extent, and other members of the church are urged to take up the work with new zeal in order to keep up the standard, and are reminded that the boys in France are not taking any summer vacation this year.

Church of the Sacred Heart. Altar Society members completed

two hundred cake pads at the Red Cross on Wednesday morning. The workers included Mesdames Hatton, Bullitt, Paichmy, Torcum, Maxwell, Moran, Morris and Misses Hinton and Haynes. Miss Lola Fitzgerald turned in a pair of socks.

First Baptist Church. Plans for the entertainment at Call Field on Friday evening and a general discussion of the work planned by Rev. R. W. McCook of San Antonio, recently sent to Wichita Falls to take up religious work at the field in connection with the First Baptist church, occupied the members of the alliance meeting in called session on Monday morning.

The following members of the Girls Auxiliary cut baggages at the Red Cross at the regular meeting held Monday morning: Misses Gladys Price, Georgia Maxwell, Stella Smith, Winnie Crawford, Lula Mae Ibsark, Beatrice Parrish, Pearl Bredgen, Margaret Hawthorne and Julia Brookbank.

The Alliance will meet in Missionary session at the church at 3:30 Monday evening. Mrs. E. B. Statton will lead the program on plans for the convention year.

First Christian Church. This week's work at the Red Cross unit of the church resulted in the completion of 147 wipes, six bed shirts, 17 comfort bag covers and seven tea bag covers. Mrs. Duffy turned in two sweaters.

On Tuesday Miss Dora Coons was chairman and the workers were Mesdames Howell, Sansbury, McGrath, Weidman, Parker, Gray, Christensen, Tyson, Cave, Willis, Jones, Webb, Hill, Conner, Downing, W. Statton, Strang, Hyatt and Misses Marie Shields, Pearl, Ruby and Winola Jones, Sadie and Louise Tevis and Lois Willis. Mesdames Maupin and Chasault were instructresses on Wednesday, the workers including Mesdames W. L. Smith, Christensen, Cave, Hyatt, Gray, Strang, McComas, Gregg, McGrath, Webb, Hill, Weidman, Tevis, Parker, Bullock, Connor, Young and Misses Marie Shields, Pearl, Ruby and Winola Jones, Mary Leath Tevis, Dora Coons, Margaret Rodgers, Josephine and Frances Bullock.

Beginning this week members of the

unit will work all day Wednesday instead of on both Tuesday and Wednesday of each week as has hitherto been the program for work.

Central Presbyterian Church. With Mrs. D. E. Reed as leader an interesting program in missionary work was enjoyed by the members of the Ladies Aid and Missionary Society of the Central Presbyterian church meeting at the church Monday afternoon.

Mesdames Fleming, Gaines, Johnson and Miss Fain represented the church at the Red Cross on Wednesday.

Church of the Good Shepherd. The Guild met in regular monthly missionary session at the home of Mrs. C. W. Reid on Monday afternoon. After a short business session during which a collection for the French War Orphans was taken, an interesting discussion of the mission work in Liberia by Mrs. J. G. Larsen, a reading by Miss Kathleen Lynch, and vocal numbers by Miss Simpson were enjoyed.

A delightful social hour followed the program. Mrs. Rector and Miss Kemp were visitors. The members present included Mesdames Little, Barbara Allen, Goodale, Moevius, Larsen, Sammons, Hugh Kelly, Gwynn, Jack Kelly, Gates, White, Gwynn, Lillard, Bacon, Misses Lynch, Simpson, Gwynn and Rev. J. G. Larsen.

The Guild was represented at the Red Cross on Tuesday by the following members: Mesdames Goodale, Allen, Sammons, Childers, Burns, Barbara, Gates and Gwynn.

The following members of the Royal Neighbors Society were present for the regular work at the Red Cross on Wednesday: Mesdames Dillard, West, Ham, Parker, Smith, Lindsay, Thompson and Misses Haynes. Mrs. Lindsay turned in a helmet and a sweater. Mrs. Middleton a sweater and Mrs. West a pair of socks.

WICHITAN IS MANAGER BIG CANNING PLANT. Paul C. McAbee, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. McAbee of this city, is the manager and principal stockholder in a new \$70,000 apricot cannery opened

on Wednesday of this week in San Fernando, Calif.

Mr. McAbee lived in Wichita Falls for a number of years before going to California about five years ago and his many friends in the city will be glad to learn of his success. The following account of the opening of the new establishment is contained in the San Fernando Press:

With one hundred and fifty women and girls employed together with a large crew of men, the San Fernando Canning Company commenced operation on Wednesday noon.

Enough apricots had arrived for a run of some six or eight hours. Yesterday was spent in correcting the deficiencies that cropped out with the initial operation of the machinery. There was little or no trouble, how

ever, in starting things off as the machinery had been tried out pretty thoroughly and every part worked well.

The breaking in of almost an entirely new crew of experts made the work almost but ever before quitting time Wednesday night the speed of the cutters had greatly increased.

On Saturday night a large crowd was present at the cannery to inspect before operations began. The machinery was running and Paul C. McAbee, manager and his assistants were very courteous in explaining the various operations to their guests.

Regular dinner, 35c; Hoover dinner, 25c; Hendricks Eat Shop, 30c; Diana, 48c.

ODD FELLOWS MEETING HERE NEXT SATURDAY NIGHT

The Wichita County Odd Fellow and Rebekah's Association will meet in their regular quarterly session in Odd Fellow Hall in this city next Saturday night at which time all members of these orders and their families are invited to be present and a large number from over the county are expected to be in attendance. The fact that its election day will doubtless bring many to this city for late returns, and the committee in charge expect to have a most enjoyable social time.

The Odd Fellows lodge is paying the dues of all its members in the United States service, and desires that all members who are called get in touch

with the secretary. This lodge is making a great effort to learn who of its members are in the service, as such as sons of members, so that they may be looked after.

Judge P. A. Martin and J. P. Ogden attended an Odd Fellow and Rebekah patriotic meeting open to the public at Elgin Friday night which was given in honor of the boys from there who enter the service of their country within the next day or so, and report a most wonderful meeting and social hour, some ten or twelve of the men called being present. Judge P. A. Martin was on the program for one of the principal addresses of the evening and a splendid entertainment was furnished, and most excellent refreshments were likewise served the large number present.

Belle of Wichita FLOUR For Breakfast-Corn Cakes. If you are not serving corn cakes, try them once. You will not need to ask the members of your family if they want more. Old-time favorites, corn cakes are not only GOOD—they rank FIRST as a war bread. In making corn cakes or in any baking where you ordinarily would use wheat flour, Belle of Wichita CORN FLOUR is a delightful and patriotic substitute. Ask for Belle of Wichita Pearl Meal at the last meal you can buy. Wichita Mill & Elevator Co. Wichita Falls, Texas.

Charming... Pattern Hats. Every pattern hat, every shop made hat in our millinery department Monday goes on sale at \$5.00. Former values \$12.50 to \$27.50. Hats of white and black Milam, Lisere straws, white Georgette hats, all are very charming, remember, your choice \$5.00. See display in back window—COME DOWN EARLY MONDAY. P.B.M.C. Buy War Savings Stamps.

CAMPBELL-ANDERSON CO. WICHITA FALLS STYLE AND QUALITY STORE. We Are Making This a Larger and Better Store. Style, Quality and Lower Prices combined with service and a real desire for business makes this a pleasant and profitable place to trade for the people who care Ladies' Coat Suits Half Price. To close quickly we offer tan, grey, old rose, green, shepherd checks and the mixed materials in our clearance sale at less than the cost of material. Values \$75.00, clearance sale price \$37.50. Values \$70.00, ladies' suits price \$35.00. Values \$65.00, ladies' suits price \$32.50. Values \$60.00, ladies' suits price \$30.00. Values \$55.00, ladies' suits price \$27.50. Values \$50.00, ladies' suits price \$25.00. Values \$45.00, ladies' suits price \$22.50. Values \$40.00, ladies' suits price \$20.00. Values \$35.00, clearance sale price \$17.50. Values \$30.00, clearance sale price \$15.00. Values \$25.00, clearance sale price \$12.00. New Waists Just Received. New shipments of Ladies' Waists are now in stock. These were bought by our buyer who has just returned from New York. Waists priced: Ladies' lingerie waists price \$1.00 to \$5.00. Ladies' silk and georgette waists priced \$3.00 to \$10.00. New Skirts Now in Stock. New Plaid Silk Skirts \$6.95. Just received another shipment of new styles in silk skirts. A special buy enables us to offer a real pretty silk skirt for \$6.95. New Styles in Ladies' Hats. Are You Going Away? These new hats shown here were bought by our buyer who was hunting what they were wearing now in the summer resorts. If you want a real new hat visit our millinery department this week. New hats priced \$5.00 to \$15.00. CLEARANCE SALE OF LADIES' HOSE. Black Fiber Silk Hose 29c. A regular 35c quality of ladies' fiber silk hose in black only, sale price 29c. Black and White Fiber Silk Hose 39c. 50c quality of ladies' fiber silk hose that would be worth 75c if bought now. Sale price 39c. \$1.25 Black and White Silk Hose 98c. A pretty quality of ladies' black and white silk hose in sizes from 8 1/2 to 10. These are real values now for \$1.25 and are equal to what will be sold for \$1.50, later in the season. Sale price 98c. Silk hose in several shades of grey, dark brown, pink, light blue, also black and white. New stock to select from. Priced \$1.50 to \$3.00. Wide Fancy Ribbons 50c yd. Beautiful selection of very wide fancy ribbon in the deep rich colorings as well as the lighter shades in floral designs. Sale price, yd. 50c. Silk Shirt Special. Beautiful shirt assortment in Crepe de Chine and Tub silk. These are in beautiful stripes, colors guaranteed, sale price \$7.95. One lot silk shirts, extra quality silk, values to \$6.50, sale price \$4.95. Silk crepe shirts, a beautiful line, good colors and stripes, colors guaranteed, \$5.00 values, price \$3.95. We carry an immense stock of medium priced shirts, beautiful patterns, both laundered and French cuffs, and values at \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.25, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.25 and \$3.50. Sport Shirt Special. One lot, values up to 75c, special 50c. One lot values up to \$1.25, special 89c. Bargains in Notions. Good nickel plated safety pins 5c. Even quality pearl buttons 5c. Hair pin cabinets, asst. sizes 5c. 35c hair brushes on sale 19c. Extra large asst. hair pin cabinet 8c. 15c embroidered corner ladies' handkerchiefs on sale 8c. 35c values ladies' embroidered handkerchiefs 19c. Wide fancy ribbons, a bargain for 50c. Ribbon bow holders that keeps the bow clean and fresh 20c. Long silk gloves, \$1.25 values, in all colors 59c. Stewart's helmet safety pin 10c. 300 paper brass pins, same quality as before the war 19c. 25c West Electric hair curlers 19c. Bargains in Laces at 5c yd. For a bargain 5c lace counter we have selected several hundred pcs. of pretty patterns in val and torchon laces, sale price, yd. 5c. New Utz and Dunn Shoes for Ladies. In All the Latest Shades. Oyster white kid boots, 9 inch top, half Louis heel, light welt sole, sizes 1 1/2 to 8, widths AAA to D, price \$13.50. Oyster gray kid boots, 9 inch top, turn sole, full Louis heel, sizes 1 1/2 to 8, widths AAA to D, price \$14.00. Light grey kid boots, 9 inch top, full Louis heel, turn sole, sizes 1 1/2 to 8, widths AAA to D, price \$15.00. Dark brown kid boots, 9 inch top, full Louis heel, turn sole, sizes 1 1/2 to 8, widths AAA to D, price \$13.50. Black kid boot, 9 1/2 inch top, light welt sole, widths AA to D, price \$9.00. Brown patent leather boots, light welt sole, military heel, sizes 2 to 8, widths AA to E, price \$9.00. Brown walking boot, 8 1/2 inch top, military heel, widths AA to D, price \$9.00. Black kid oxfords, full Louis heel, turn sole, widths AAA to E, price \$9.00.

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

SPECIAL NOTICES

NOTICE—Tree spraying. I actually kill the bugs. Phone 1347 or 2588. 23c

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS

PLUMBING—Quickset yet repair shop. Anderson Plumbing Co., 810 1-2 Indiana. Phone 2588 or 1347. 9-10c

I WILL PAY the highest prices for rags, iron, boxes, all kinds of metal and more. Wichita Junk Co. 47-26c

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

WANTED—To buy star drilling machines, must be in good condition and bargain. Address J. Care Times. 55-6c

WANTED—To rent for 30 or 60 days Underwood typewriter or machine with standard keyboard. Address C. H. Evans, 1104 Scott avenue, phone 1585. 57-31p

WANTED—To lease or buy Standard cable tool outfit. Room 7, Marion hotel. 53-31p

WANTED—To trade nice Floral Heights lots for automobile or oil leases. Phone 1916, box 429. 59-6c

WANTED—To rent 4 or 5 room house. Phone 2826. 59-11p

WANTED—To hire or buy one large star drilling machine with tools. Write or phone J. R. Crawford, Walters, Oklahoma. 59-11p

WANTED—To buy 5 or 6 room modern house, desirable location. Answer C. X. care Times. 59-31p

I PAY MORE for second hand clothing and shoes than any other dealer. Phone 2152 or drop card. 620 Indiana avenue. 59-11p

FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

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

FOR SALE—A few hundred loads of choice filling dirt. Place your orders quick. Phone 14. McFall Transfer Company. 57-31c

FOR SALE—Victoria. 605 7th street. 53-11c

FOR SALE—Complete furnishings of 12 room boarding house, close in on car line. Phone 2142. 29-11c

WINONA MILLS. Underwear, Hosiery and Suspenders. Orders taken now for fall delivery. T. M. Smyre, sales agent. Phone 273. 57-30p

FOR SALE—Good barn and shed to be moved off lot, cheap. Phone 496 or 373. 53-6c

FOR SALE or trade, player piano good as new, 35 pieces of music. Will trade for gentle horse, and buggy, or fresh Jersey cow. Can be seen at 2314 Fifth. 56-67c

FOR SALE—Kindling wood, apply New Mill Bldg. 2806 Bluff. 58-11c

FOR SALE—The best paying restaurant business in Electra for the amount of money it takes to handle it. Will sell cheap. Good reason for selling. Address P. O. Box 933, Electra, Texas. 56-11p

FOR SALE—Ford and Overland automobiles; steam and gas tractors, and tractor plows at a bargain. Clark Machine Co., 408 Indiana Ave. 53-67c

FOR SALE or trade, 12 cylinder National late '17' model in first class condition. Phone 63 or 785. 56-31c

FOR SALE—Household furniture for two rooms. 506 Austin. 57-67c

FOR SALE—In order to introduce the famous Apperson Eight we are going to make only few liberal trades. When we dispose of 8 or 10 of these cars we positively will not consider any trade. To see car or for further information call Phillips and Myers, 614 Ohio street; phone 2439. 58-67p

FOR SALE—All furniture, fixtures, dishes, silverware, tables, ranges, linen, everything in the Metropolitan Cafe and the furniture in the rooming house above the Cafe in the same building. W. R. Ferguson, Assignee. 59-41c

FOR SALE—Furniture of three room light housekeeping outfit; also nice Jersey cow, will be fresh in December. Call 506 Mississippi. Phone 1122. 59-51c

FOR SALE—Single wagon and harness, \$35.00. 1506 Broad. In good condition. 59-31p

UNFURNISHED ROOMS

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished modern housekeeping rooms. 1411 16th. Phone 1811. 58-11c

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished, light housekeeping rooms. 605 11th street. 57-31p

FOR RENT—3 unfurnished rooms. Phone 817. 58-31c

FOR RENT—Offices and Stores

FOR RENT—Nice store building on Seventh street. Price \$35 per month. Thomas & Bland. 47-11c

WANTED—Some one to share nice of fine suite, room 12, Ward Building. Phone 1916. 53-31c

FOR RENT—Nice large office rooms in Hiss Bldg. Will fix up to suit occupants. Phone 496 or 373. 29-67c

FOR RENT—25 foot store room on Ohio Ave., between 6th and 7th sts. Will lease on good terms. L. T. Granberry, 605 K & K Bldg. Phone 860. 41-11c

BOARD AND ROOMS

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

Ponder THE SECONDHAND MAN Buy, sell, repair and upholstery. Phone 718.

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 Hearst Hotel. Phone 8038 and 1473

THEY ALL SAY SOME DAY I'm going to build in the RESTRICTED DISTRICT of Floral Heights —they feel that this is their ultimate home-location; —ideally located—close in, yet away from the noise and dust; —a five minute drive from the business section; —high elevation; —building restrictions. Make your decision to buy NOW! See us for prices and terms.

HUEY & COTTON Office Suite 308—Kemp & Kell Bldg. Phone 1478 and 2038

FOR RENT—Bed Rooms

FOR RENT—Nice large bedroom, gentlemen preferred. 600 Scott, Phone 1094. 47-11c

FOR RENT—Bed room, close in. 1006 7th street, phone 1850. 52-11c

FOR RENT—Large upstairs bedroom, board if desired. 1005 10th street. 56-11c

FOR RENT—2 bedrooms and garage. Phone 483. 57-67c

NICE ROOMS at American hotel. 57-11c

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished bedroom to gentlemen; also garage. 1318 Twelfth, corner Broad. 58-31p

FOR RENT—Nice furnished southwest bedroom, on car line. Gentlemen preferred. 1720 9th street. 58-31p

FOR RENT—Two southeast bedrooms, references required. Phone 2287. 59-31c

FOR RENT—Nice cool bedroom. 603 Scott, Phone 1241. 59-31c

FOR RENT—One bedroom or 2 unfurnished rooms. 1610 Lucille street. 59-41p

FOR RENT—Furnished bed room, 1106 8th street. 59-31p

FOR RENT—2 nicely furnished bedrooms, also garage. 902 Indiana. Phone 2651. 59-11c

FOR RENT—Furnished housekeeping rooms at 1210 Indiana. No objection to children. Phone 1622. 42-11c

FOR RENT—Furnished light housekeeping rooms. 708 Travis. Phone 1822. 55-11c

FOR RENT—Modern furnished housekeeping rooms to parties without children. 1591 Travis. Phone 17 or 1387. 56-11c

FOR RENT—2 furnished or unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping. Phone 594. 56-67p

FOR RENT—One furnished housekeeping room. 1391 Scott. 57-31c

FOR RENT—Furnished light housekeeping rooms. 900 Indiana; no children or dogs. Phone 1065. 58-11c

FOR RENT—3 unfurnished housekeeping rooms. 208 Burnett. Phone 1290. 58-31c

FOR RENT—One furnished light housekeeping room. 1904 6th street. 59-31p

FOR RENT—Two splendid suites of rooms with all modern conveniences. Phone 1522. 1210 Indiana. 59-11c

FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished housekeeping rooms. 312.50 monthly. Phone 2449. 306 Burnett. 59-31c

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—One of best business corners in city—not a saloon corner. Phone 64 or 65. 306-11c

FOR RENT—Garage at 1009 10th st. 39-11c

USED AUTOS FOR SALE

1917 FORD touring car, cheap; extra accessories. See J. W. Papp. 59-11c

FOR SALE—5 passenger Ford at bargain. 1306 8th. Phone 1077. 59-31p

FOR SALE—Ford roadster, first class condition, two extra castings, for less than \$200.00; Dodge roadster in first class condition, good tires. See Smith at Ohio Garage. 57-31c

FOR SALE—5 passenger touring Chevrolet, in good condition. Phone 87. 140 or 1303. 58-11c

FOR SALE—Used Ford cars, practically as good as new; one 5 passenger Hugobuller, \$390.00; one Overland roadster, \$400.00. These cars are in good condition. Call to see them or ask for demonstration. Motor Supply Co., W. A. Asbill. 58-11c

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 1924. 55-14c

FOR SALE—New Ford roadster \$475; second hand Ford roadster in excellent condition \$400. Columbia Auto Co., 810 Ohio Ave. Phone 828 or 506. 56-67c

FOR TRADE—A good 5 passenger Buick, auto, looks almost new; will trade for city property of any kind. Thomas & Bland. 55-11c

FOR SALE or trade, Reo car, Run 7000 miles. Call phone No. 2322. 58-11c

FRANKLIN ROADSTER good as new, \$1750.00; Buick roadster, good as new, \$1350.00; Buick D-45-1918 model, \$1350; Lloyd Weaver Automobile Co., phone 940; 610 Scott. 57-11c

OAKLAND ROADSTER 6, nearly new, worth \$600, will sell for \$350; this is the best bargain in town. See it at Shuler & Wallace garage if you want a car at one-half price better get busy. Phone 743. 57-31c

FOR SALE—One 1918 Ford touring car. One 1918 Maxwell Sedan. Never run off paved streets, cheap for cash. R. H. Hollinger, phone 2222. 59-11c

FOR SALE—Four room house to be sold on lot. See Sam Sproule, office 732 Indiana. Phone 1740. 56-41p

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HELP WANTED

GOVERNMENT needs 20,000 clerks at Washington Examinations everywhere in July. Experience unnecessary. Men and women desiring government positions write for free particulars to J. C. Leonard, (former civil service examiner), 478 Kenosia Bldg., Washington. 59-91p

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. 24-36p

WANTED—A superintendent on oil lease in shallow district Burk Burnett field. A man who can also handle small set books, accounts and correspondence preferred. Apply 1104 Scott Avenue after eight p. m. 57-31p

WANTED—Rig builders to go to Kaufman, Texas. Room 7, Marion hotel. 58-31p

I WANT some good live agents to sell lots in fee simple. You can make from \$25.00 to \$100.00 per day if you are good salesman. See me, J. W. Stone. 59-67c

HELP WANTED—Female

WANTED—Girl to attend to children and assist with housework. Good pay to right party. Apply 1604 Lamar street. 57-67c

HELP WANTED—Female, competent help at Pond's Laundry. Highest wages paid. 28-11c

SITUATIONS WANTED

POSITION WANTED—By combination bookkeeper and stenographer, by young lady of experience. Can furnish best of reference. Address, B. O. care Times. 43-11c

WANTED—Position as stationary engineer; have had thirty years experience. Now employed but wish to change. Strictly sober. Phone 2806. 56-11c

POSITION WANTED—At some nice place, cashier preferred; some experience. B. T. care Times. 57-31p

POSITION WANTED as salesman in men's furnishing, shoe or clothing store. Eight years experience. 209 Seymour. Phone 2460. 59-31p

FOR TRADE OR LEASE

FOR TRADE—9 or 10 three and four room residential houses, in good location. See J. S. Beard, 306 Lamar, owner. 29-11c

DRESSMAKING

SPIRELLA CORSETS made to measure; trained corsetier. Phone 1293. 31-11c

DRESSMAKING, alterations. 705 9th street. 49-121c

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Between Burk Burnett and Wichita Falls storage battery for car. Reward for return to Wichita Boiler Works. Phone 406. 54-11c

LOST 3 or 4 keys on ring with brass tag No. 24. Return to Times office. 58-31p

LOST—Purse on Indiana avenue between Jones Kennedy and Kress. Leave at Times and receive reward. 57-31p

RESIDENCES—For Rent

FOR RENT—Four room house near city limits, party renting to assist with house work. J. M. Blankenship, over National Bank of Commerce. 59-11p

FOR SALE—City Property

FOR SALE—A 4 room house in the 1800 block on Polk street, garage, chicken houses and yards, fruit, priced \$1650; might accept 5 passenger car as part payment, balance easy. A 5 room house on 17th street, modern, almost new, a big buy at \$2900, with only a small payment required, balance easy. James T. Culey, room 207, First National Bank. Phone 2040. 59-31p

FOR SALE—Two lots in Floral Heights for \$1200.00. Address, Mrs. Seelig, 903 Mesa Ave., El Paso, Texas. 54-107p

AN EAST front five room modern home on Monroe st., just off 10th, \$3500.00. Five room modern house, with a west front, in the 1100 block on Monroe \$2750.00. This place belongs to a non-resident who is anxious to sell same. N. O. Monroe, phone 2454. 59-31p

FIVE ROOM modern home on corner lot on 8th street, sell on easy terms. Price \$2800. Roy R. Nanny, phone 635. 59-31p

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BEST BUY in city, five rooms, strictly modern on corner lot, nice lawn and flowers, garage and out buildings, property in perfect condition, located on Polk street, very low price for a few days, \$2650. Roy R. Nanny, Phone 635. 59-31p

SOME nice homes on Elizabeth street. Nearly new and worth the money; let us show you. Phone 477, Knight & Crawford. 57-31c

5 ROOM house close to Austin school for \$2150.00. This is worth more money. Must act quick. Phone 477, Knight & Crawford. 57-31c

6 ROOM house on Travis near river, \$1500.00. Garage, nice lawn and a beautiful location, sell on easy payments, price \$3400. Roy R. Nanny, Phone 635. 59-31c

SOUTHLAND addition, practically new five room bungalow if sold in a few days will sell at a real bargain with good terms. Price \$2850. Roy R. Nanny, Phone 635. 59-31p

8 ROOM house, modern on Austin street for \$2850.00. Phone 477, Knight & Crawford. 57-31c

SIX ROOM plastered house, with oak floors, nice electric fixtures and all paint. One could desire. See this place now. Thomas & Bland. Phone 51-11c

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AT THE CHURCHES

First Presbyterian Church. The pastor will preach both morning and night. The subject for the morning sermon is "Comfort for the Sinner." The subject for the evening sermon is "A Satellite." The Epworth League will meet promptly at 7:45. The grown-ups are urged to meet with the Endeavor and encourage the young people. The topic will be especially adapted for the older ones. The pastor will lead.

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YARBROUGH MAKES STATEMENT ABOUT DAVENPORT'S SPEECH

Mr. Davenport had the opportunity of speaking last for County Attorney Thursday night and I did not have the opportunity of replying to what he said so I take this method of replying to some statements that he made. He stated that two complaints against Rhodes from Electra were held by the court to be void, but shortly after the complaints were made Mr. Davenport told me personally that the court was going to hold the first complaint to be defective because it did not allege that the goods were sold after 9 o'clock Sunday morning, while the other complaint alleged that Fred Rhodes kept his store open all day on Sunday and sold goods all day. Mr. Davenport said that the complaint was good and he was going to prosecute Rhodes to a finish. That was the last I ever heard about the complaint until he made the statement Thursday night that they had been dismissed. He seems to challenge my ability as attorney I ask anybody to look up our records for the past five years as we have tried many cases together and they will find that I have won more cases which I tried with him than I lost, both civil and criminal.



ED YARBROUGH, Of Electra.

He charges my statement not true wherein I stated the citizens tried to get Mr. Davenport to close the red light district in order to get the training camp here. He stated that he was out of town at the time. It seems that all the bad things that happen at the county attorney office is while Mr. Davenport is out of town and the blame rests on poor old Bruce's shoulders. But all good things that have been done or taken care of have been done by Mr. Davenport. I wonder if he was out of town a year ago last spring when the red light district was closed. I wonder if he was out of town during the past two years when the slot machines and punch boards were running in violation of the law. I wonder if he was out of town when the Sunday morning picture shows were running in violation of the law. I wonder if he was dreaming when he examined a young man from Electra for the theft of over \$500, who plead guilty to the same and who was permitted to go unmolested. Still he says he is a strict enforcer of the law. I ask him to state to the public why he did not file complaint against parties working men on public works in this county over the regular time required by law. This complaint was made by members of the labor union of this city, but there has never been one thing done about it yet.

Mr. Davenport seems to be very forgetful about some things. He has almost forgotten that he was even a member of the Texas National Guard and I presume that by the time we get to Iowa Park he will have forgotten it altogether.

I merely make this statement for the purpose of correcting some statements made by Mr. Davenport in his speech Thursday night and I did not have an opportunity to reply to him.

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I am running for the office of sheriff as a plain country citizen devoid of political intrigue, or knowledge of political trickery. I have never uttered one word against any of my opponents or sought to secure a vote by disparagement of those who are running against me. I am asking the people for the suffrage on the pledge that if I am elected I will enforce all of the laws coming under my jurisdiction on all persons alike. This is the only pledge I have made and the only one that I will make. I do not believe that it is the prerogative of the sheriff to decide the merits of the laws or to grant the privilege of their violation, but to enforce them as he finds them. I will treat those who come under his charge in a humane manner and their friends and relatives with uniform courtesy.

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