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DESTRUCTION ENEMY ARMIES OBJECT OF EACH COMBATANT

EXCITEMENT GROWS AS MAGNITUDE BURKBURNETT OIL WELL IS REALIZED

CROWD INCREASES AS NEWS OF STRIKE BECOMES KNOWN

PIL MEN FLOCK TO WICHITA COUNTY TOWN FROM MANY STATES.

LEASES ARE SOARING

Town Lots Lease as High as \$1,000 and Stock in Company Brings Two Hundred to One.

Staff Special to The Times: **BURKBURNETT, TEX., July 31.**—With the knowledge of a producing well having a capacity variously estimated at from 5,000 to 10,000 barrels a day, the new territory adjoining the town of Burk Burnett, with throngs of visitors walking the streets all day and until late at night; with adjacent farm lands leasing as high as \$1,000 an acre and town lots at from \$100 to \$1,000, according to location, and with the problem of solving the matter of drilling in the city limits confronting the city council and the citizens, the past week has been a notable one in the history of Burk Burnett.

The excitement incident to the completion of the well on the S. L. Fowler farm, adjoining the city of Burk Burnett on the north, early last week, has not abated in the least, but rather interest is increasing in it. It has been necessary to check off the flow as much as possible and even under such conditions and with the preparations made for saving the flow, much of the production is going to waste.

Tuesday afternoon seventeen tanks with a capacity of a hundred barrels each had been installed and others were being placed on the ground as fast as they could be obtained. In addition a tank with a capacity of 1,000 barrels was being erected nearby to care for the production. During last week a two-inch pipe line was laid but this proved altogether inadequate, and Tuesday a third line was being constructed. In the completion of which some delay has been encountered by the scarcity of pipe.

Estimates on Flow.
At present there are six two inch pipes leading from the well and a seventh of like dimension is flowing out on the ground. A full sized stream is gushing out, and that part of the production going to waste. Well posted oil men express the opinion that at least 1,000 barrels per day were coming from the well, which should be carrying one-seventh of the capacity of the well at the present time. Numerous estimates have been made as to the volume of oil that will be produced when it is possible to open the well, some of the figures being as high as 10,000 barrels, while the most conservative, and some of the best posted oil men in this section of the state, are of the opinion that 5,000 barrels will be the limit. The general opinion however, places the production at from 6,000 to 7,000 barrels. At present the oil is flowing through 600 feet of water and slush, preparation not having been made in drilling in for a gusher as was encountered.

The volume of gas that is escaping is plainly detected when near the well and on this account extreme precaution has been taken by those in charge to avoid an explosion or fire. Ropes have been stretched for some distance around the well as a bar to the curious sight-seeing public and no one is allowed within the enclosure except those connected with the well, or who have business with the men employed. Automobiles are required to be parked at the entrance to the field, a distance of a half mile or more.

Some uneasiness was expressed Tuesday on account of the high wind which was blowing in such a direction as to carry the gas from the well.

SIGNS OF FURTHER GERMAN RETREAT

By Associated Press. PARIS, July 31.—French aerial observers, says the Math report that there are signs behind the present German battle front of preparations for a continuation of the retirement northward. The heavy shelling, the burning of material and big fires have been seen.

DAVIDSON STILL LEADS JOHNSON FOR LT. GOVERNOR

By Associated Press. DALLAS, TEX., July 31.—Returns for a primary from 2,632 precincts give: Pugh, 48,767; Johnson, 48,767; Davidson, 48,767; Johnson, 48,767.

Returns for lieutenant governor from 2,632 precincts give: Moore, 42,570; Coward, 42,570; Bailey, 42,570; Henderson, 42,570; Davidson, 42,570; Johnson, 42,570.

Returns for court of criminal appeals from 1,418 precincts give: Pugh, 35,835; Peterson, 35,835; Martin, 35,835; Lattimore, 35,835; Ward, 35,835.

Returns for railroad commissioner from 1,272 precincts give: Andrews, 46,380; Gilmore, 46,380; Hurdleston, 46,380.

Returns for comptroller from 1,281 precincts give: Goodlet, 43,552; Terrell, 43,552; Mayfield, 43,552.

Returns for attorney general from 2,491 precincts give: Curren, 140,189; Spoons, 140,189; Woods, 140,189.

MODIFICATION OF OIL DECREE AGREED UPON

By Associated Press. MEXICO CITY, July 31.—Modifications of the oil decree of February 19, agreed to between the Mexican government and foreign interests, were announced officially today. Apparently they will not alter the rights of present foreign interests holding oil properties and leases if certain conditions are complied with regard to perfection of titles to land, leases and contracts.

WANTS DECISION OF PEACE CONDITIONS

By Associated Press. LONDON, July 31.—In a letter written by the Marquis of Lansdowne, former minister without portfolio in the British cabinet, he says, he is convinced that there is a deep-seated desire for a far-reaching expression as to the conditions upon which we are prepared, not to make peace, but to open a discussion which might lead to peace.

GERMANS TRYING TO POSTPONE RETREAT

By Associated Press. PARIS, July 31.—Strong German reaction Tuesday shows, in the opinion of French military experts, that the enemy is determined to postpone a retreat to the Vesle as long as possible, notwithstanding the waste in man power that policy involves.

CZECHO-SLOVAKS CAPTURE BRIDGE IN VOLGA DISTRICT

By Associated Press. LONDON, July 31.—The capture by the Czecho-Slovaks in a surprise attack of a large railway bridge at Syzran in the Volga region is reported in a Moscow dispatch transmitted by the Central News correspondent at Amsterdam.

This capture, the message says, secures to the Czecho-Slovaks in this region communication with Siberia.

LIEUTENANT FLYING FROM KANSAS CITY TO FORT WORTH

By Associated Press. LONDON, July 31.—Lieutenant Marshal Neal flew from Kansas City at 10 o'clock this morning by airplane, on his return to the army aviation school at Fort Worth, Texas. Lieutenant Neal flew to Kansas City from the Fort Worth field ten days ago.

OBJECT OF BOTH SIDES TO KILL AS MANY AS POSSIBLE

BATTLE IN RHEIMS SALIENT HAS BECOME SLAUGHTER CON. TEST SAYS GENERAL MARCH.

RAINBOW DIVISION

Now Participating in Fighting East of Fere-En-Tardenois Against Prussian Guard.

By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, July 31.—The battle in the Aisne-Marne salient has developed into a life and death struggle between the opposing armies. More limited objectives the Germans may have had in launching their attack at Rheims or for which General Foch may have aimed in his counter thrust have been submerged in the greater struggle, the object of which on each side is the destruction of the opposing army.

This interpretation of the battle was formally presented today by General March, chief of staff, in his mid-week conference with newspaper correspondents. Whatever was the original German purpose or the hopes that governed the Allied counter blow, he said, it is now perfectly evident that these have been set aside.

The object of each army now is the other army; each is seeking to kill as many as possible.

In making this announcement General March frankly admitted that the German resistance in holding apart the jaws of the salient had frustrated any hope of bagging any considerable portion of the German armies in the salient.

The Americans hold the apex of the Allied drive, on which the outcome of the struggle may hinge, and the fury of German counter attacks is accounted for by this fact. The appearance of the All-American (Rainbow) division, the forty-second, at this point was disclosed today.

WASHINGTON, July 31.—The sole object of the Allies and the Germans in the Soissons-Rheims salient now is to kill as many men as possible. General March, chief of staff, said today in his semi-weekly conference with newspaper correspondents. Whatever objective other side had at the beginning, the general said, has been submerged by developments in the fighting.

General March pointed out that the salient has been greatly flattened, thus virtually dissipating any hopes of the Allies bagging large numbers of the enemy. The German withdrawal since last Saturday, he added, has reduced the length of the line another ten miles to 54 miles. The maximum German retreat in the center is 14 miles.

Rainbow Division Fighting

Arrival of the 42nd (Rainbow) division and its participation in the fighting east of Fere-En-Tardenois is announced. The third regular division also was identified in action at Serzy and Clerges, where the crack German guard divisions have been defeated in recent fighting by American troops.

General March announced the formation in the United States of six more divisions, numbered from 15 to 20 and to be located at Camp Logan, Texas; Kearney, California; Beauregard, Louisiana; Travis, Texas; Dodge, Iowa; and Sevier, South Carolina. As in the case of the six divisions announced last week, these will be built around two regular infantry regiments in each case.

Cavalry Changed to Artillery.

General March announced also the conversion of 15 national army cavalry regiments, numbered from 209 to 215, into field artillery. These will comprise part of the artillery units for the new divisions.

General March had nothing to reveal as to the extent of the casualties sustained by the American forces in the recent fighting. He said, however, that Pershing had been ordered to cable the casualties as received and that these would be given out here at once. He added that there would be no distribution of casualties over a long period hereafter.

The chief of staff said that in carrying out the new policy of "one army" the war department intends to put the letters "S" and "P" before the names of the regulars on the collar of the Somme.

German Efforts To Advance Against Americans Fruitless

By Associated Press. With the American Army on the Aisne-Marne front, July 31.—(Noon).—Efforts made by the Germans to advance their lines against the Americans on this front last night and this forenoon were fruitless.

The Americans for their part were content to hold their positions along their slightly advanced line for the time. The German line, however, is reported gradually giving way both to the right and left.

During the night the Americans made a pretense of retreating from a part of the town of Seringes. The Germans advanced into the town on observing the supposed evacuation. Two companies of Americans then closed in and enveloped the German force, killing or capturing every man of it.

Both high explosives and gas shells were sprayed by the Germans over a wide area.

The air forces on both sides were busy this morning. One of the American observers was attacked by eight enemy ma-

Nicholas Romanoff Given Only 2 Hours Notice of Execution

By Associated Press. AMSTERDAM, July 31.—Given two hours in which to prepare for the end, Nicholas Romanoff, former Russian emperor, was taken out by his executioners in such a state of collapse that it was necessary to prop him against a post, says the Lokal Anzeiger of Berlin, which claims to have received from a high Russian personage an account of the emperor's last hours.

Nicholas was awakened at five o'clock in the morning on the day of his execution by a patrol of one new-commissioned officer and six men. He was taken to a room where the decision of the soviet government was read to him.

He was informed the execution would be carried out in two hours. The former emperor, it is said, received the announcement of the sentence with great calmness. He returned to his bedroom and collapsed in a chair. After a few minutes he asked for a priest with whom he was allowed to remain unattended. Subsequently he wrote several letters. When the escort arrived to take him to the place of execution, Nicholas attempted to rise from his chair but was not able. The priest and a soldier were obliged to help him get to his feet. The condemned man descended the stairs with difficulty and once he fell down.

As he was unable to stand without support when the place of execution was reached he was propped against

a post. He raised his hands and seemed to be trying to speak but the scribes spoke and he fell dead.

RUSSIAN MASSES ABOUT TO RISE AGAINST BOLSHEVIK

By Associated Press. LONDON, July 31.—Information from Stockholm, says the correspondent of the Times there, shows that the bolshevik regime has come to the end of its tether and that the Russian masses, workmen and peasants, are about to rise in arms against bolshevik tyranny.

Official representatives of the social revolutionary and social democratic parties in Russia have arrived in Stockholm, says the correspondent, and have issued a remarkable appeal to the socialists of Europe. They call upon the socialists to form an international commission, representing all political parties, to visit Russia and ascertain by direct investigation whether the Russian socialists are not right in declaring that the bolshevik have brought about a state of social starvation, despotically oppressed the people and are now concerned only in retaining power at all costs.

The representatives are Romanoff, for the central revolutionaries, and Axelrod, for the social democrats. They represented their respective parties in the summer of 1917 in Stockholm when an abortive attempt was made to organize an international socialist conference.

BILLION AND HALF MONTHLY WAR COST TO UNITED STATES

By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, July 31.—American war expenses now are running about fifty per cent higher than those of Great Britain, it was shown today by comparison of treasury reports and a newly issued British financial statement.

The monthly cost of the war to the United States now is about \$1,500,000,000, including loans to Allies, while Great Britain's expenses are running in the neighborhood of \$1,000,000,000 a month. The United States war debt now has little less than \$12,000,000,000 as compared with Great Britain's \$3,725,000,000.

HUN ARTILLERY ACTIVE ON FLANDERS FRONT

By Associated Press. LONDON, July 31.—The German artillery displayed considerable activity last night in the region of Meris, on the Flanders front, taken yesterday by the Australians and in the Kemmel sector, the war office announced today. It was also active on both sides of the Somme.

GERMAN POSITION NORTH OF OURcq IN GRAVE DANGER

(By Associated Press.)

In spite of tremendous efforts put forth by the Germans to check the relentless pressure of the Allies north of the Ourcq River, today finds the German positions there in grave danger. French, British and American troops, east of Fere-En-Tardenois have driven a wedge into the enemy's line and seem to be in a position to compel a hurried retreat from Roncheres and St. Gemme, at the extreme bottom of the salient between Soissons and Rheims.

The Allied line today runs south from Soissons to Grand Rozoy and then it begins to turn to the east. It passes just north of Fere-En-Tardenois and continues to the apex of the wedge at the village of Nesles, where it runs sharply south toward Roncheres.

All around the salient there has been continuous battle during the last two days with the Germans launching repeated counter attacks. They have all failed and the Allies have gained important ground.

Immediately south of Soissons and west of Rheims the German lines are strongly held but enemy efforts to improve his position in the latter region have broken down.

There now seems to be little doubt that the Germans will retreat to the Vesie River as soon as possible.

General Von Eichhorn, the German dictator in Ukraine, has been assassinated at Kiev. It is stated that the situation in the new republic is extremely critical. Von Eichhorn is the second German emissary to be slain in Russia since peace has been nominally established there. Count Von Mirbach, German ambassador at Moscow, was assassinated July 6th but Germany took no action against the bolshevik government, holding that the assassination was inspired by Entente Allied agents.

Plunging northward from Jerey, German troops have made a brilliant and important advance in desperate fighting and apparently have opened the way for further successful operations against the Germans in the Meuse salient.

Enemy resistance of the stoutest character was no obstacle for the Americans and they now are on the Fere-En-Tardenois-Coulmoyes high way south of the forest of Nesle. The advance of the Americans late Tuesday measured a little less than two miles. French troops on the wings also moved forward and Allied pressure on the west and east flanks of the pocket is being maintained with force.

Some of Germany's supposedly best divisions, the fourth Prussian guard and a division of the German divisions of the middle west and eastern states. The Americans had outflung them Monday in the battle for Serzy and defeated them badly Tuesday night though the enemy fought valiantly. The Germans were driven over the ridge north of Serzy Tuesday.

The line is about four miles in length.

AMERICANS DRIVE NEW WEDGE

In their advance the Americans drove a new wedge into the enemy line and the Allies are now in a position to drive the Germans back by flank movements both east and west of the head of the spear which lies near Nesle. Most exposed is the German line from the Nesle region southward through Chorges to Roncheres. The line is about four miles in length.

GERMAN FIELD MARSHAL KILLED BY ASSASSIN IN KIEV, UKRAINA

By Associated Press. AMSTERDAM, July 31.—Field Marshal Von Eichhorn, the German commander in the Ukraine and his adjutant were seriously wounded by a bomb in Kiev Tuesday, says an official announcement received here from the Ukrainian capital.

The bomb was thrown at the men while they were driving to their headquarters from the Casino. The field marshal's adjutant is named Captain Von Dressler.

The bomb which wounded the field marshal and the adjutant was thrown from a cab which drove close to their carriage as they were approaching the field marshal's residence.

The assassin and the cab driver have been arrested.

A later message from Kiev announces that Field Marshal Von Eichhorn and Captain Von Dressler died last night.

It has been established, the telegram declares that the crime originated with the social revolutionists in Moscow.

The assassin of Field Marshal Von Eichhorn was a lad of 23. He declared to the inquiry held after the crime, the advice state, that he came from the province of Ryazan, adjacent to Moscow, on orders from a communist committee, to kill the field marshal. He reached Kiev yesterday.

General Herman Eichhorn, the German military dictator of Ukraine, had a brilliant career in the armies of the German emperor. He played an important role in the development of the German military machine and was one of the first commanding generals to use the telephone in directing operations of troops in the field. He demonstrated the practicability of the telephone during the Prussian army maneuvers in September 1905.

When the great war broke out he was assigned to the Russian front. He commanded the German army which captured the Russian stronghold of Kozlo in August, 1915.

STORM CLOUD GATHERS ON UKRAINE HORIZON
By Associated Press. AMSTERDAM, July 31.—Telegraphing from Kiev the Hamburg Freundesblatt's correspondent in the Ukraine says: "A heavy storm cloud has gathered on the political horizon in the Ukraine. The government is trying to ward off this threatened urest by making arrests on a large scale. M. Gynski, secretary of state of the Hetman's government, who is in an outpouring mood, was among those arrested."

GERMANS ABANDON LINE OF THE OURCQ IN THEIR RETREAT

LITTLE DOUBT FELT THAT HUNS WILL FALL BACK TO THE VESLE RIVER.

RETIRE IN GOOD ORDER

Retreat Being Conducted Skillfully; Enemy Using Various Advantages With Good Effect.

By Associated Press. LONDON, July 29.—The German retreat is continuing along the whole line, the Allies closely in pursuit, according to news from the fighting area in the Soissons-Rheims salient received today.

The Germans have succeeded in checking to a certain extent, but not in stopping the French advance. The correspondent describes the change effected by active service on an American division which he last saw a few months ago. He writes: "It was their eager, raw, young and expectant. Since it had been tried by the ordeal of fire and in a great battle which crushed part of the German effort, the change in the appearance of these boys is very striking. They look grave and bronzed, quite like veterans. They are just as full of fight as ever and at the present moment are impressing that fact on the enemy but they have been through the valley of the shadow and have not come out of it unscathed."

GERMANS OFFERING STIFF RESISTANCE

By Associated Press. WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE. (Morning)—The forward pressure of the Allies was continued uninterrupted by the Germans. On Saturday the progress of the Allied forces was extremely rapid, with slight opposition from the retreating enemy, but yesterday the Germans everywhere demonstrated their power of determined resistance was still very strong.

In the streets of Fere-En-Tardenois there was very severe hand-to-hand fighting, but the Allies eventually obtained the upper hand.

Late last night fighting was still in progress for the mastery of Ville-En-Tardenois. The German strong point on the southeasterly side of the salient, but the Allies were gradually gaining the ascendancy here. They are established in the southern portion of the town, having been driven off the main bank to dislodge them.

After conquering Fere-En-Tardenois, the Allies next had before them the difficult task of crossing the river. Only one bridge to the east, at the village of Compiègne, was left intact. The Allies secured a foothold on the western bank of the river, but the serious menace to the enemy's position to the south, both infantry and artillery were heavily engaged.

In the region north of his forest there were furious combats which lasted several hours and resulted in the Allies capturing Champ Voisy. Then Roncheres was reached by advanced guards, the cavalry and the cavalry patrol came into action in the Meunier wood and at Villers-Agron-Aiguizy.

All along this part of the line the enemy threw great quantities of shells, the fumes of which remained for a long time among the woods.

Near Romigny and Bigny, the Allies got over the Dormans-Rheims main line.

The advance called for the greatest precautions here because of the enormous number of enemy machine guns under cover of the small woods on both sides.

However, the Allies now have not beyond the wooded country and onto the plateau.

ENEMY'S STUBBORN DEFENSE INEFFECTUAL

By Associated Press. PARIS, July 29.—Under the irresistible pressure of the Entente troops, the enemy's retreat continued yesterday according to the Havas correspondent at the front. The average advance of the Allies during the day was from three to five kilometers. Only one thing is possible to determine the limits of the retreat, but it is probable that it will stop on the wooded heights along the Vesle river.

On the left of the Allied line, the Germans made great efforts to hold up the army under General Degoutte, leading up bridges and foot bridges leading to Fere-En-Tardenois, and continuing for territory foot by foot. The enemy's stubborn defense was useless and the Allies entered the town by the west and south and are holding their positions.

Further toward Rheims, the Allies continued to advance toward Ville-En-Tardenois, into which their vanguards have now probably retreated. It is explained that the small number of German prisoners taken is due to the fact that the Allies have advanced with extreme caution while the Germans left only small forces to cover their retreat. These forces were given orders to hold on to the last so that the main body might withdraw.

RAILWAY AN IMPORTANT GAIN FROM CAPTURE

By Associated Press. LONDON, July 29. (Via Ottawa).—What seems the most valuable strategic result to the Allies of the German retreat is the restoration to Allied railways, by means of which the Champagne front is best maintained and which will be an important factor in future military developments.

The action may now slow down and even become stabilized for a time between the Vesle and the Meuse, where the Germans apparently are concentrating great forces but the fact remains that the enemy is badly beaten. He not only does not hold a single inch of ground gained since July 15 but within a fortnight has been forced to abandon nearly half the advantages gained by his offensive of July 27.

The German line now is well on the defensive, and to resistance on the Paris-Besiers or the Vesle or con-

GOVERNOR GRANTS MOONEY REPRIEVE UNTIL DEC. 13TH

By Associated Press. LOS ANGELES, CALIF., July 27.—Governor W. D. Reppents announced today he had decided to grant a reprieve to Thomas J. Mooney, which will operate as a stay of execution until December 13, 1918.

The governor announced that he took this action at this time that all persons in this state and throughout the country might be assured the full and careful consideration will be given the case by the executive and judicial branches of the government of California.

"The Mooney case has been in the courts of this state for more than two years," says Governor Reppents' announcement. "The records and briefs are voluminous. I will require all the time between now and the 13th day of December to give to this matter that careful consideration which justice both to Thomas J. Mooney and the people demands shall be given."

DEMPSEY KNOCKS FULTON OUT IN THE FIRST ROUND

By Associated Press. NEWARK, N. J., July 27.—Jack Dempsey of Salt Lake City knocked out Fred Fulton, champion of the heavyweight championship of the world, in the first round here tonight.

Both men stripped looked to be in the pink of condition. Fulton's weight was given as 288 pounds and Dempsey's as 285 pounds.

Fulton did not land a blow on his opponent, who confidently asserted before he went into the ring that he would knock out the big plumper from Rochester in the first round.

Dempsey rushing from his corner, landed a right swing under Fred Fulton's heart, following up with a left knock to the body in the first round of the scheduled eight round fight here today. Fulton seemed to be lost as that was to do against the sudden onslaught and Dempsey kept boring in and at close quarters.

Dempsey stepped back about a foot and quickly hooked his left to the head and crossed his right to the jaw sending Fulton down with his head hanging over the ropes. Fulton tried to raise himself on his right arm but his head fell over the lower ropes and he was out.

The official time of the actual fighting was 23 seconds.

Fulton towered over his opponent when Referee John P. Eckhardt of Atlantic City gave the signal that the fight was on. Fulton's face wore a cynical grin while Dempsey scowled a bit but looked the more confident of the pair. The moment the bell called the men rushed at each other and Dempsey rushed at Fulton and took the fellow by surprise, landing a hard right swing under the heart and hooking his left to the stomach. These blows made Fulton wince and he himself was unable to defend himself with Dempsey at such close quarters. Fulton's long arms swung helplessly over Dempsey's head but Dempsey was not to be so easily beaten.

Then he stepped back about a foot and hooked his left to the Rochester giant's head and swung his right to the point of Fulton's jaw. The big man tottered and fell sideways to the floor of the ring, his head resting on his right arm which pinned down the lower rope of the three which encircled the ring. There was scarcely a sound when the referee began counting the seconds over the prostrate man. Fulton tried ineffectually to raise his head and body with his right arm but as he could not do so, he gradually slipped back again almost over the side of the ring floor. There he lay until Eckhardt tolled the ten seconds, after which Fulton was helplessly dragged to his feet by his corner.

Dempsey in the meantime was easily the most composed man in the ring or arena. He walked over to Fulton's corner and took the big fellow by the hand and told him that he was to talk coherently and seemingly was unable to realize what had happened in such a brief space of time.

The actual time that the one sided fight lasted was 23 seconds and Dempsey had won the right to the world's heavyweight title in case Jess Willard relinquishes claim to it, in exactly 23 seconds.

Dempsey turned the scales at 185 pounds and Fulton was twenty pounds heavier. Dempsey says he is going next week to resume his trade of shipbuilding and will not fight, the ring again until the war is ended.

Moving pictures of the contest were taken and they will be presented to the government for the armistice sent in by the U. S. soldiers and sailors at home and abroad.

WILLARD IS ANXIOUS TO FIGHT DEMPSEY

By Associated Press. LAWRENCE, KANS., July 17.—"I'd like to fight Dempsey," was the first comment of Jess Willard, heavyweight champion, when he learned the outcome of the Dempsey-Fulton fight at Newark, N. J., last night.

"I am not surprised at the outcome," he continued, "for all you have got to do is to hit Fulton to have him down." Willard declared his belief here would be no more major boxing events until after the war.

"Dempsey has a rough road between him and the championship," asserted Willard. "He is not going to win the championship in twenty-three seconds. No, not in an hour and twenty-three seconds."

Just as soon as the war is over I am going to fight on Dempsey or any other claimant. I have no intention of doing anything of the sort."

JOHN DILLON WOULD REFER THE IRISH QUESTION TO WILSON

By Associated Press. LONDON, July 29.—In the debate in the house of commons today on his motion regarding Ireland, John Dillon, the nationalist leader, proposed the reference of the question to President Wilson.

GERMANY'S FINEST TROOPS MAIL TO SHAKE-AMERICANS

By Associated Press. LONDON, July 29.—The Americans met Germany's finest regiments in battle south of Sergy last night where the enemy threw in the whole fourth division of Prussian guards in a desperate counter-attack. Advice reaching London this afternoon show that the Americans stood like a stone wall, brought the Germans to a clean stop and inflicted heaviest losses upon them.

The dispatches praise the work of the Americans highly but give no details beyond insisting upon the heavy losses which the Prussians suffered, particularly from the American machine gunners.

The fact that the Germans picked the Americans as opponents for the choicest battalions in the German army indicates that they learned to respect the men from the United States in the fighting of the last fortnight.

The heaviest fighting of the last 24 hours occurred in this sector last night against French and the Americans. Sergy, after having been taken and lost four times was in Allied hands today.

ATTORNEY FOR MOONEY EXPRESSES HIS APPROVAL

By Associated Press. SAN FRANCISCO, July 27.—"The action of Governor Stephens should meet with the approval of every right thinking person," said Maxwell McCurt Mooney's counsel upon being informed that his client had been granted a reprieve.

STOCKYARD REGULATIONS ISSUED BY DEPARTMENT

By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, July 27.—General stockyard regulations carrying out President Wilson's proclamation of June 18 and providing against extortion or excessive charges for the maintenance of adequate facilities for handling livestock through uniform dealing and deceptive practices were issued today by the department of agriculture.

CZECH WOMAN SENTENCED TO DEATH BY MILITARY TRIBUNAL

By Associated Press. ZURICH, July 28.—Miss Milada Jamscheck, a teacher of languages, has been sentenced to death by the Vienna military tribunal on a charge of espionage.

Miss Jamscheck sailed from New York on the same steamer on which Count Von Bernstorff, the former German ambassador to the United States, was passing on the declaration of war by the United States. She was charged with making the trip under the instructions of Czech organizations in the United States with the purpose of securing through conversation with Von Bernstorff how far Austria was under Germany's control, what prospects there were of Austria making a separate peace and what was the attitude of Czech deputies and Bohemians regarding the independence of the Czech country.

Miss Jamscheck, it is said, denied criminal intent, but asserted that she only desired to bring good news to her countrymen from the United States.

FORT WORTH GIRL BEATEN TO DEATH BY DEMENTED UNCLE

By Associated Press. FOR WORTH, TEX., July 29.—Eleven year old Gladys Hill was dragged from her home and slain early this morning after a relative said to have become suddenly demented had beaten the mother into unconsciousness. The hills live on Josephine street. The relative, an uncle, Velasco Hill, 28 years of age, was found by officers in a half drunken state on the shores of Tyler's lake near where the girl's dead body was recovered. The extent of the mother's injuries are not determined.

AMERICANS CROSS OURCQ IN PURSUIT OF THE ENEMY

By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, July 29.—The crossing of the Ourcq by the American forces in their continued pursuit of the enemy north of the Marne was reported in General Pershing's communique for yesterday, received today at the war department.

Captures by the American army of the towns of Serings-En-Nesles, Sergy and Roncheres beyond the Ourcq, also was announced.

AMERICAN PRISONERS CHEER AIR ATTACKS

By Associated Press. GENEVA, July 27.—The majority of the American prisoners by the Germans in the Marne salient, in the vicinity of Darmstadt, Karlsruhe and Giessen, according to advice reaching the American branch of the International Red Cross, Allied airmen who bomb these cities are cheered by the Americans, the advice state.

OVER HUNDRED CASES CHOLERA IN PETROGRAD

By Associated Press. LONDON, July 27.—In the past 24 hours 111 cases and 35 suspected cases of Asiatic cholera have been officially reported in Petrograd, says a Russian government wireless dispatch.

FRENCH COMMANDER GIVES HIGH PRAISE TO AMERICANS

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The dispatches praise the work of the Americans highly but give no details beyond insisting upon the heavy losses which the Prussians suffered, particularly from the American machine gunners.

The fact that the Germans picked the Americans as opponents for the choicest battalions in the German army indicates that they learned to respect the men from the United States in the fighting of the last fortnight.

The heaviest fighting of the last 24 hours occurred in this sector last night against French and the Americans. Sergy, after having been taken and lost four times was in Allied hands today.

ATTORNEY FOR MOONEY EXPRESSES HIS APPROVAL

By Associated Press. SAN FRANCISCO, July 27.—"The action of Governor Stephens should meet with the approval of every right thinking person," said Maxwell McCurt Mooney's counsel upon being informed that his client had been granted a reprieve.

STOCKYARD REGULATIONS ISSUED BY DEPARTMENT

By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, July 27.—General stockyard regulations carrying out President Wilson's proclamation of June 18 and providing against extortion or excessive charges for the maintenance of adequate facilities for handling livestock through uniform dealing and deceptive practices were issued today by the department of agriculture.

CZECH WOMAN SENTENCED TO DEATH BY MILITARY TRIBUNAL

By Associated Press. ZURICH, July 28.—Miss Milada Jamscheck, a teacher of languages, has been sentenced to death by the Vienna military tribunal on a charge of espionage.

Miss Jamscheck sailed from New York on the same steamer on which Count Von Bernstorff, the former German ambassador to the United States, was passing on the declaration of war by the United States. She was charged with making the trip under the instructions of Czech organizations in the United States with the purpose of securing through conversation with Von Bernstorff how far Austria was under Germany's control, what prospects there were of Austria making a separate peace and what was the attitude of Czech deputies and Bohemians regarding the independence of the Czech country.

Miss Jamscheck, it is said, denied criminal intent, but asserted that she only desired to bring good news to her countrymen from the United States.

FORT WORTH GIRL BEATEN TO DEATH BY DEMENTED UNCLE

By Associated Press. FOR WORTH, TEX., July 29.—Eleven year old Gladys Hill was dragged from her home and slain early this morning after a relative said to have become suddenly demented had beaten the mother into unconsciousness. The hills live on Josephine street. The relative, an uncle, Velasco Hill, 28 years of age, was found by officers in a half drunken state on the shores of Tyler's lake near where the girl's dead body was recovered. The extent of the mother's injuries are not determined.

AMERICANS CROSS OURCQ IN PURSUIT OF THE ENEMY

By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, July 29.—The crossing of the Ourcq by the American forces in their continued pursuit of the enemy north of the Marne was reported in General Pershing's communique for yesterday, received today at the war department.

Captures by the American army of the towns of Serings-En-Nesles, Sergy and Roncheres beyond the Ourcq, also was announced.

AMERICAN PRISONERS CHEER AIR ATTACKS

By Associated Press. GENEVA, July 27.—The majority of the American prisoners by the Germans in the Marne salient, in the vicinity of Darmstadt, Karlsruhe and Giessen, according to advice reaching the American branch of the International Red Cross, Allied airmen who bomb these cities are cheered by the Americans, the advice state.

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FIFTH YEAR OF WAR IS FULL OF HOPE FOR ALLIES

Associated Press Mail Correspondent. ROME, July 28.—The fifth year of war dawned full of hope for the Entente. Senator Guglielmo Marconi said to the Associated Press: "We have succeeded successfully through many severe trials. Other trials may be ahead of us, but in the light of the dogged determination and the undaunted courage shown by all the Allied troops in the past we may look into the future with all confidence and trust."

"America and Italy have many points in common. Above all, they feel that both freedom and their independence. Both have always stood for liberty, for the freedom of nations."

"We have now reached the crisis in the famous battle, holding out for all that they will themselves in fallibly be defeated when America has had time to put her great Allied troops in the past we may look into the future with all confidence and trust."

"The position at present may be compared with the gigantic Battle of Italy, representing the England in the famous battle, holding out for all that they are worth against the enemy's frenzied attacks in order to afford time for Americans to enter the fight. Waterloo, the armies of France and Germany have met, thus changing our iron determination that the enemy shall not pass, into the certainty that we shall drive him before us into the heart of his own country."

"The common ideals of justice which have led the great American Republic into the struggle have already been splendidly defined by Ambassador Paoli, who is so dear to us, when he said: 'Throughout her age-long history Italy has not only conferred gifts on humanity—constant faith in liberty and right, and the discovery of the world. The new world, having been inspired all along in his his country and that they will become late to reach the bulk of the strikers last night. Consequently it was generally known in the strike area.'

"It was, however, communicated to the strike leaders at some centers by newspaper men at whom the leaders have been angry. They are confident that strikers would not be intimidated or driven to work by the government threat. The leaders added that such a possibility had been considered fully before hand."

No reports reached London last night of an extension of the strike and the great bulk of the workers still remain unaffected. Such important centers as London, Glasgow, Leeds, Nottingham and Huddersfield, for instance, remain cool."

STRICKERS OF AGE TO BE CALLED TO COLORS

LONDON, July 27.—The national service officials were busy today at Coventry and Birmingham preparing forms calling the strikers of military age before Monday. There may be the government's ultimatum and not return to work on Monday.

It is difficult to decide the effect of the ultimatum, many taking advantage of the enforced idleness, have gone to their homes for a holiday. As far as the number out is concerned there is little change from yesterday, but this can be understood, as Saturday is a half holiday. There may be any number who have decided to return to work—and there are believed to be many in this frame of mind—they would be unlikely to resume work before Monday.

The newspaper correspondents say the government's ultimatum has made a deep impression on the strikers, which will be shown at the mass meetings to be held on Sunday. On the other hand, at strike headquarters in Birmingham, it was stated the ultimatum had in no wise eased the trouble but on the contrary had accentuated it. Many labor leaders have proceeded to the affected districts to urge the men to return to work. Among them is Joseph Havelock Wilson, head of seamen's union, who took 400 strikers with him. They will parade the streets of Coventry and then proceed to the football grounds for a mass meeting at which the strikers will be told what seasons have suffered and are suffering from the German U-boats.

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MUNITION WORKERS DECIDE TO GO BACK TO WORK

By Associated Press. COVENTRY, England, July 29.—At a mass meeting the strikers in the munition plants decided to resume work immediately.

Thousands of the strikers in the munition plants returned to work today, at least one of the largest factories having a full staff present on its early shift.

Mrs. James P. Gough, Elizabeth Gough and Little James Jr., of Kansas City, are visiting Mr. Gough's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Fries.

GERMANS DRIVE AMERICANS FROM CIERGES VILLAGE

ENEMY IS COUNTER ATTACKING OVER PRACTICALLY ENTIRE SOISSONS-RHEIMS FRONT.

By Associated Press. LONDON, July 30.—The Germans have been counter attacking very heavily along virtually the entire battle front, according to news that reached London today. They have today, their attack was an especially heavy one in the American sector and resulted in driving the Americans out of the village of Cierges, about 5 1/2 miles southeast of Fere-En-Tardenois. Another German thrust drove the Americans back from Beugnues, near Grand Rozoy, northwest of Fere-En-Tardenois.

There has been heavy fighting near Cierges, five miles south of Soissons, and also in Plessier wood, about five miles further south. In this latter locality, prisoners were taken belonging to the divisions of the enemy now engaged in the Marne salient. There are 71 such divisions of which Crown Prince Rupprecht of Bavaria. The enemy's withdrawal is reported as orderly, and military opinion in London discounts the possibility of any rounding up of Germans in the salient.

Very heavy fighting has been in progress along the whole battle front from Ville-En-Tardenois to Buzancy, according to advice received up to noon today. This was the case, so far, in the progress of the fighting.

Some advance has been effected by the Allies in the Ardre valley, along the eastern side of the front towards the Vesle river. The Germans have been driven back in places, but the amount of ground likewise has been gained near the center in the neighborhood of Villers-Agron-Aiguizy.

The main advance on the western side of the front seems to have been at Grand Rozoy, about five miles northwest of Fere-En-Tardenois. The French here are progressing north on the crest of the plateau between the Vesle and the Ourcq.

AMERICANS CROSS OURCQ CHEERING AS THEY WADED

By Associated Press. WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY ON THE ITALIAN FRONT, July 29.—The crossing of the Ourcq by the Americans on Sunday in brilliant style in the face of great difficulties, the Germans having destroyed the bridges and placed their guns in advantageous positions.

The Franco-American forces had to cross the Ourcq before day light on Sunday. But the German heavy artillery held the slopes leading to the river under fire, which continued all night. The Americans repeatedly started to advance during the night, but they were held back by the fire of the enemy machine guns and heavier pieces.

During one of the lulls in the German firing Captain Alf Huff worked his men up to the center of the field, the slopes of which led to the Ourcq. Just then the Germans resumed their fire in full force. Immediately Huff and his men were held where they were until daylight.

Meanwhile the German artillery had been quieted somewhat by the heavier artillery of the Allies. Choosing an opportune moment Huff dashed to the river and waded across, cheering as they went. They immediately went after the machine guns on the French bank. The Germans dashed to the river and waded across, cheering as they went. They immediately went after the machine guns on the French bank.

The Germans raised a white flag. The Americans rushed up, only to be opened upon by the enemy machine guns as they approached. Then the Germans let loose a hail of shells, and the weight of their fire against the Germans who again raised the white flag.

American refusal to give before guard. LONDON, July 30.—Describing the attack of the Fourth Guards division on the Americans who are organizing their line after their victory, Reuters correspondent with the American army telegraphing Monday, says the Americans were at a considerable disadvantage in numbers in this fighting.

There was no holding the crack came down the hill, he continues. "The Americans had to give ground to weight of numbers and fought back step by step through Sergy down to the Ourcq. They were very far from the French bank when the Germans realized it they had been forced to yield ground and were pushed clear through the village.

That was the beginning of a desperate struggle which continued all day."

SENATE DISCUSSES CHANGES IN DRAFT LAW

By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, July 29.—Changes in the selective service act were discussed briefly at today's semi-weekly meeting of the Senate but the House held only a five minute routine session.

Resolution introduced by Senator Sterling of South Dakota and referred to the Senate military committee, asked the secretary of war whether men who tried to volunteer for the army but were rejected for physical disability and have since been drafted, may be transferred to volunteer organizations.

Senator Johnson of California said that the new law being considered to extend the draft ages which would be before congress within thirty days, the question of prohibiting all volunteering is being disputed.

Senator Nelson of Minnesota said it has been his experience that a large number of men of draft age who have sought to volunteer have been looking for "soft snaps" to keep out of the firing line.

NEARLY 100 YEARS OLD AT THE POLLS EARLY

McDOWELL, aged 95, and Grandma Wilson, aged 96, were among the first voters who reached the polls here today. Each voted unassisted. The women constituted the majority of the early voters. The registration here totaled 1811.

A. K. Short leaves today for Bryan, Texas, where he goes to accept a position with the A. & M. College as an agricultural expert. Mr. Short has been agricultural agent for the Fort Worth & Denver for several years.

TRAINED COMBAT AMERICAN TROOPS ARRIVE IN ITALY

NEITHER THE NUMBER OR PLACE IS ANNOUNCED BY GENERAL MARCH.

ADDITIONAL ARMY CORPS

Fourth and Fifth Have Been Organized in France According to Statement.

By Associated Press. WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY ON THE ITALIAN FRONT, July 27.—American fighting troops are now on the Italian front. They began arriving this morning. They are being billeted with the Italians.

Only combat troops were aviators, and the appearance of this large body of fighting men from the United States at the present moment has created the greatest satisfaction.

Major General Eben Swift of the American military mission to Italy, was the first to greet the newly arrived Americans. He had already made arrangements for their comfort. The Italians greeted them with enthusiasm and rejoiced at the splendid physical condition which the American soldiers showed. The Italians appeared greatly astonished when the overseas men immediately sought out a bathing place and then started seaward.

WASHINGTON, July 27.—Trained combat American troops from France have begun to arrive in Italy, General March announced today at his regular conference with newspaper men. Neither the number nor the place where they are to be used has been communicated to the war department, the general said.

Two additional American army corps have been organized in France, General March announced. They are the fourth and fifth commanded by Brigadier General Frank L. Winn and Major General Omar Bundy, respectively.</

DAVIDSON LEADS FOR LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR

LATE COUNT

For Lieut. Governor: Davidson passed into the lead in the race for Lieut. Governor at noon 1645 precincts of the 4399 in the state showing Cowell 36,839; Bailey 20,743; Henderson 34,590; Davidson 52,312; Johnson 52,288; Moore 45,033.

For Associate Justice: Returns from 1667 of the 4399 precincts in the State give for Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, Harvey 92,299; Greenwood 147,580.

For Attorney General: 1695 precincts give Cureton 102,886; Spoons 66,309; Woods 92,116.

For Supt. of Public Instruction: 1733 precincts give Doughty 83,616; Blanton 160,021; Trussell 29,397.

Railroad Commissioner, 583 precincts: Andrews, 24,005; Gilmore 46,413; Hurdleston, 24,377.

Associate Justice Court of Criminal Appeals, 522 precincts: Pippen, 18,541; Pierson, 16,572; Martin, 3,675; Lattimore, 36,192; Ward, 12,263.

State Treasurer, 528 precincts: Baker, 28,576; Edwards, 53,551.

Comptroller, 507 precincts: Goodlet, 19,219; Terrell, 38,461; Mayfield, 32,617.

Commissioner of Agriculture, 516 precincts: Davis, 49,278; Halbert, 31,689.

CONGRESSIONAL RACES

There were no changes in the standings of the candidates in the different congressional contests today. Congressman Ray Burns was assured of the nomination in the fourth. In the fourteenth Barrett was still slightly ahead of Carlos Bee. Barrett's vote was 12,394, with Bee 11,480, with about half the district reported. In the El Paso district, Cobb was running well ahead of Hudspeth. Blanton had won easily in the seventeenth and Congressman Eagle was believed to have the nomination in eighth by a small majority over Congressman Garrett.

FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL

For Attorney General 1695 precincts gave Cureton 102,886 votes with John Woods of Abilene second in the race with 92,116 Marshall Spoons of Ft. Worth had 66,309 votes, assuring that a run off would be necessary for that office.

TAYLOR COUNTY.

Abilene—Taylor county complete. Lieut. Governor: Moore 1375; Cowell 272; Bailey 260; Henderson 334; Davidson 1179; Johnson 878; Supreme Court: Harvey 1767; Greenwood 2208; Attorney General: Cureton 654; Spoons 886; Woods 2654; Supt. Public Instruction: Doughty 1526; Blanton 2229; Trussell 538; Railroad Commissioner: Andrew 1059; Hurdleston 1216; Gilmore 1728; Comptroller: Mayfield 2901; Goodlet 472; Terrell 144; Commissioner Agriculture: Halbert 2652; Davis 1455; Congress: Adkins 297; Callaway 177; Blockman 199; Blanton 3952.

BEXAR COUNTY.

San Antonio, Bexar county, 71 precincts out of 93. Governor: Hobby 6537; Ferguson 6100; Lieut. Governor: Moore 8784; Cowell 2152; Bailey 1260; Henderson 756; Davidson 2617; Johnson 580; Supreme Court: Harvey 4973; Greenwood 4839; Attorney General: Cureton 3385; Spoons 2872; Woods 4306; Supt. Public Instruction: Doughty 2902; Blanton 6102; Trussell 1009; Criminal Appeals: Pippen 356; Pierson 499; Martin 359; Lattimore 3606; Ward 5675; Treasurer: Baker 4563; Edwards 5771; Railroad Commissioner: Andrews 2189; Gilmore 4251; Hurdleston 2860; Comptroller: Goodlet 1828; Terrell 6566; Mayfield 2244; Commissioner Agriculture: Davis 7359; Halbert 2653.

NUECOS COUNTY.

Corpus Christi—Precincts complete. Governor: Hobby 1486; Ferguson 792; Lieut. Governor: Moore 8784; Cowell 2152; Bailey 1260; Henderson 756; Davidson 2617; Johnson 580; Supreme Court: Harvey 4973; Greenwood 4839; Attorney General: Cureton 3385; Spoons 2872; Woods 4306; Supt. Public Instruction: Doughty 2902; Blanton 6102; Trussell 1009; Criminal Appeals: Pippen 356; Pierson 499; Martin 359; Lattimore 3606; Ward 5675; Treasurer: Baker 4563; Edwards 5771; Railroad Commissioner: Andrews 2189; Gilmore 4251; Hurdleston 2860; Comptroller: Goodlet 1828; Terrell 6566; Mayfield 2244; Commissioner Agriculture: Davis 7359; Halbert 2653.

M'LENNAN COUNTY.

WACO, July 29.—McLennan county: Lieut. Governor: 29 precincts—Moore 1199; Cowell 142; Bailey 497; Henderson 1529; Davidson 1853; Johnson 1644; Supreme Court: Harvey 3703; Greenwood 4765; Attorney General: Cureton 4952; Spoons 1892; Woods 1962; Supt. Public Instruction: Doughty 2898; Blanton 5437; Trussell 1488.

HUDESPEETH COUNTY—Complete.

Chief Justice Supreme Court: Harvey 54; Greenwood 87. For Justice Court of Criminal Appeals: Lattimore 24; Martin 72; Ward 21; Pippen 40; Pierson 11; Attorney General: Woods 31; Cureton 63; Spoons 48. For Railroad Commissioner: Hurdleston 49; Andrews 243; Johnson 128; Commissioner Agriculture: Davis 68; Halbert 60. Supt. Public Instruction: Doughty 48; Trussell 51; Blanton 97.

KIMBLE COUNTY—Complete.

Governor: Hobby 506; Ferguson 377. Lieut. Governor: Moore 278; Crowell 632; Bailey 106; Henderson 155; Johnson 80. Supreme Court: Harvey 338; Attorney General: Cureton 225; Spoons 225; Woods 203; Supt. Public Instruction: Doughty 184; Blanton 288; Trussell 144.

GALVESTON COUNTY—Complete.

Governor: Hobby 3394; Ferguson 3325. Lieut. Governor: Moore 1719; Cowell 4652; Bailey 1183; Henderson 384; Davidson 586; Johnson 1258; Supreme Court: Harvey 2092; Greenwood 2618; Attorney General: Cureton 2008; Spoons 1882; Woods 1013; Supt. Public Instruction: Doughty 1778; Blanton 5417; Trussell 998.

TITUS COUNTY.

Governor, 12 precincts: Hobby 1373; Ferguson 1423. Lieut. Gov.: Moore 513; Cowell 91; Bailey 273; Henderson 961; Davidson 243; Johnson 128; Supreme Court: Harvey 1203; Greenwood 878; Attorney General: Cureton 522; Spoons 622; Woods 1013; Supt. Public Instruction: Doughty 1157; Blanton 976; Trussell 196.

HARRIS COUNTY.

91 out of 94 precincts: Hobby 13,812; Ferguson 7312. Lieut. Governor: Moore 2805; Cowell 1875; Bailey 1183; Henderson 384; Davidson 586; Johnson 1258; Supreme Court: Harvey 2092; Greenwood 2618; Attorney General: Cureton 2008; Spoons 1882; Woods 1013; Supt. Public Instruction: Doughty 1778; Blanton 5417; Trussell 998.

PARRISH LEADS BY 192 VOTES FOR CONGRESS

VOTE IS INCOMPLETE IN YOUNG, WISE, JACK AND WICHITA COUNTIES.

NO CHANGE EXPECTED

Big Eastern Counties Fail to Give Heavy Enough Plurality to Defeat Parrish.

Table with 4 columns: County, Spencer, Parrish, Haney. Lists counties like Archer, Baylor, Clay, Cook, Denton, etc.

With complete returns from all except Wichita, Wise, Young and Jack counties Lucian W. Parrish has a lead of 192 votes over Judge Spencer, his nearest opponent in the race for nomination for congress in the 13th district.

One box, the Mr. Carmel box is missing in Wichita county. Three boxes are missing in Wise county. The vote in Jack county is practically complete. A number of boxes are missing in Young county and it is improbable that further returns can be obtained until after the official canvass next Saturday.

Mr. Parrish believes that he will have a lead of 200 or more over Judge Spencer. Judge Spencer still believes that he will have a slight lead.

The totals for each of the three candidates are as follows: Parrish, 15,963; Haney, 4,848; Spencer, 15,771.

GAINEVILLE, TEX. July 30.—Complete returns from Cook county give Spencer 2910; Parrish 1076 and Haney 358.

DECATUR, TEX. July 30.—With three boxes missing the vote in Wise county stands: Parrish 2191; Haney 2935; Haney 2935.

GAINEVILLE, TEX. July 30.—With complete returns from 28 out of 32 boxes in Young county, Haney gives Spencer 840; Parrish 947; Haney 254.

PARRISH LEADING TWO TO ONE IN JACK COUNTY.

JACKSBORO, TEX. July 30.—Fourteen out of nineteen precincts in Jack county for congress gave Parrish 698; Spencer 340; Haney 208.

SPENCER WILL RUN IN SECOND PRIMARY.

Judge Charles F. Spencer this morning issued the following statement: "There will, of course, be a runoff between Mr. Parrish and myself proposed to him on Saturday afternoon before the voting was over that we abide by the first primary and be re-elected."

"Of course, by this refusal he indicated his intention to run it over, even if he did not lead, and now I will run it over, even though the belated returns should show him some lead, which I don't think they will show. I still claim the lead."

"I am deeply grateful to the very loyal host of friends throughout the district, the principles for which I have fought are immortal. While I think I am in the lead still I am not I have brought home to the people of this district the appalling conditions with reference to the high cost of living sooner or later everything for which I have contended will be written in the history of the world."

"During the second campaign I shall ask the help of every man and woman on whose shoulders have so heavily fallen the burdens growing from this war."

"I will have another statement later."

LUCIAN W. PARRISH EXPRESSES GRATITUDE TO FRIENDS

Lucian W. Parrish this morning issued this statement: "To My Friends in the 13th Congressional District: It is an opportunity of expressing to my friends over the entire district, my profound appreciation and thanks for their loyal support in the race I have just made for Congress. No man ever had more loyal friends in any fight than have rallied to my assistance."

"The result of the election is a tribute to the splendid work of my friends and I shall ever remember them for their assistance."

"In the forthcoming run-off primary I again call upon all of my friends everywhere for their continued support and influence."

"Begin the work now and fight until the end. Sincerely and gratefully yours, 'LUCIAN W. PARRISH'."

NAMES OF THOSE WHO WILL TRAIN AT DEMING, N. M.

Twenty-four Wichita county registrants will leave on August 5 for Camp Cody, Deming, N. M. on call 977. The local board announced. The men called for this time include: Walter Sisk, Arthur B. Huff, Bert Ligon, Johnnie Preble, Roy E. Harrell, Jesse J. McClellan, William S. Ross, Luther R. Fancher, Beno Michalski, Adrian B. Shelton, Dick B. Chapin, Willie B. Davis, Arlie Chobiers, Homer E. Crawford, Duke D. Martin, J. Claude Jennings, Fulcher, Armstrong, Alvin L. Harris, Pinkney H. Oats, Claude D. Vaughn, Wyatt B. Johnston, Silas A. Denton, Fred Maier Jr., Lee B. Harris.

Vote For Governor

Table with 4 columns: Name, Hobby, Ferris, Total. Lists names like Anderson, Angellina, Armstrong, Bosque, Bell, etc.

Wichita County Results

Table with 10 columns: NAME, Vote, etc. Lists candidates for Governor, Lieut. Governor, Justice Supreme Ct., Court Crim Appeals, State Treasurer, etc.

RECHECK SHOW MORE VOTES FOR HOBBY AND PARRISH

HOBBY HAS MAJORITY OF 2430 IN COUNTY WHILE PARRISH LEADS SPENCER BY 607.

RESULTS UNCHANGED

New Figures Do Not Alter Result in Any of the Contests for County Offices.

A recheck of the figures reported from the various boxes in the county contests shows a few changes in the totals, but these are not of a material nature and do not affect the result. A change is also made in the total vote cast for governor, as well as that in the congressional race, the corrections increasing the total of Governor Hobby in the county by about 300 votes and adding about 100 to the plurality of Parrish for Congress.

All boxes have reported on the governor's race, which shows Hobby to have received a total of 3485 and Ferguson 1038. In the race for congress no returns have been made by the Mr. Carmel box the remainder of the Mr. Carmel box being returned as follows: Haney 1318, Spencer 1189, Parrish 1787. The corrected vote for county officers is as follows: Justice—Hobby 3485; Ferguson 1038; Jones 2112; Judge—Hobby 1101; Carroll 1200; County Attorney—Hobby 2555; Davidson 1949; County Clerk—Hobby 2472; Harris 1988; Sheriff—Hobby 1734; McFall 1335; Hawkins 676; Huffines 758; Tax Collector—Hobby 1533; Whiteall 1043; County Commissioner—Hobby 392; Emmert 1049; Sherrod 1266; Foreman—Hobby 1151; Arrington 1672; Constable—Hobby 737; Natoli 1226; Humphries 997. In the race for County Surrogate no report has been made by Caaldin, Burk Burnett, Iowa Park, Electra and City Hall, the totals for the balance of the county being as follows: Cooke 1524; Ishel 897. With the exception of the Wichita Falls precinct the Board of County Commissioners will remain the same. R. L. Eeds of the Burk Burnett precinct and Agriculture and Miss Blanton received a greater part of the votes cast in the Iowa Park precinct was without opposition in the primary.

PARRISH LEADING IN CONGRESSIONAL RACE IN DISTRICT

HAS LEAD OF 205 VOTES WHICH COMPLETELY LIKELY TO INCREASE.

CARRIES EIGHT COUNTIES

Sweeps Western Part of District And Runs Judge Spencer Close Race in Wise.

THE VOTE BY COUNTIES.

Table with 4 columns: County, Spencer, Parrish, Haney. Lists counties like Archer, Abilene, Bosque, Denton, etc.

ARCHER CITY, July 29.—

With only the Dundee box missing Archer county gave Parrish 704; Spencer 314; Haney 155.

With practically three fourths of the vote of the district accounted for by Lucian W. Parrish of Henrietta was leading Charles F. Spencer of Montague by the narrow lead of 205 votes.

A compilation of the returns received up to three o'clock this afternoon gave Parrish 14,068, Spencer 14,363, Haney 4,413. This included returns from every county in the district, but complete returns from only Denton and Montague counties in the Wichita county returns from the Mr. Carmel box are missing. Practically complete returns are given for Clay county and for Wise county and most of the vote for Young county is accounted for in the table published herewith.

Reports from Throckmorton county say that Parrish lead in that county is more than two to one over Judge Spencer. It is also expected that the complete vote will show a greater plurality for Parrish in Jack county.

If these indications are fulfilled Parrish will have a plurality of between 500 and 1000 over Judge Spencer in the district.

Parrish appears to have carried every county in the district with the exceptions of Montague, Denton and Cook and possibly Wise. The count is running very close in Wise county and Parrish supporters claim that he will win out there.

BEE APPEARS WINNER IN SAN ANTONIO DISTRICT

SAN ANTONIO, July 29.—Carlos Bee appears to have won the nomination for congress from the fourteenth district although the Barrett campaign managers refuse to concede defeat. Bee's majority on the returns

RECEIVED SO FAR OUTSIDE OF BEXAR COUNTY IS ESTIMATED AT 600 AND WITH ONLY EIGHTEEN SMALL COUNTY BOXES TO BE HEARD FROM IN BEXAR COUNTY HE HAS MAJORITY OF 313 VOTES GIVING A TOTAL OF 965 IN THE DISTRICT.

PARRISH RUNS SPENCER CLOSE RACE IN WISE

SPECIAL TO THE TIMES, July 25.—With five small county boxes out the congressional race in Wise county stands: Parrish 2025; Spencer 2191; Haney 584.

PARRISH IS LEADING IN YOUNG COUNTY

SPECIAL TO THE TIMES, July 29.—Thirteen precincts in Young county give Parrish 947; Spencer 840; Haney 254.

HUDESPEETH LEADING IN SIXTEENTH DISTRICT

DALLAS, July 29.—Claude R. Hudspeth of El Paso went into the lead in the Congressional race in the sixteenth district today when the complete count from El Paso county was made. Two hundred and four precincts including El Paso county out of the 322 precincts in the district gave: Hudspeth 12,253; Cobb 11,714.

M'LEMORE SNOWED UNDER IN GALVESTON COUNTY

Galveston county complete gives for congress: Biggs, 597; Hill, 653; McLemore, 724.

Blanton Leads in 17th.

Returns for congressman from 117 precincts out of 294 in 17th district give: Blanton 15,909; Adkins, 4131; Blockman, 1,609; Callaway, 2,909.

Cobb Leads in 16th.

Returns for Congressman from 200 precincts of 322 in 16th district give: Cobb, 11,514; Hudspeth, 9676.

Jones Safe in 18th.

Returns for Congressman from 76 precincts out of 496 in 18th district give: Jones, 8901; Lockey, 2081.

MAY NOT FEDERALIZE CAVALRY FOR SOME TIME

That the Texas Cavalry will not be federalized for some time is indicated by a letter received by B. F. Johnson of the Chamber of Commerce from the Southern Department headquarters, which states that it is impossible to furnish supplies to the Guard organization at this time, due to the great need for trained troops in Europe. The letter was in reply to inquiry concerning the requirements for a training camp for the cavalry, a previous letter having indicated that Federalization of the Guard was imminent. This seems to be nullified in the letter received this morning, which follows in full: July 26, 1918. Secretary, Chamber of Commerce, Wichita Falls, Texas. The War Department has informed the Commanding General, Southern Department, that it is impossible at this time to state when the Texas Cavalry will be federalized. Due to the great demand for trained troops in Europe, arms and equipment cannot be supplied to Texas troops but as soon as arms, etc. are available, due notice will be given for the arranging of camp sites, etc. In view of the above, the General desires to inform you that the matter of camp sites for the Texas Cavalry will be taken up again upon notice to him from the War Department to proceed to complete the federalization of the Texas regiments. R. J. REANEY. Lt. Colonel, Q. M. C. U. S. A.

TURKEY TO DEAL WITH CAUCASUS INDEPENDENTLY

AMSTERDAM, July 30.—Turkey is going to handle the situation in the Caucasus, according to her own ideas. This is indicated in a telegram from Constantinople dated July 28, which quotes an article in the newspaper, Nasir-i Efkâr, presenting the Turkish viewpoint.

AUSTRIA READY TO AN HONORABLE PEACE SAYS PREMIER

AMSTERDAM, July 30.—"We are ready to conclude an honorable peace as soon as our opponents renounce their hostile plans aiming at our destruction or repression," said Baron Von Hussarek, Austrian premier, in presenting his cabinet to the upper house of the Austrian parliament, according to Vienna advices.

CHICAGO SLACKER GIVEN 15 YEARS

ROCKFORD, Ill., July 29.—Fifteen years in a federal prison is the punishment fixed for Brent Dow Allison, Chicago slacker.

A court martial at Camp Grant found Allison guilty of violating the eighth article of war. The technical crime of which he was convicted was that of deserting military duty.

D. W. Glasscock Nominated.

Reports from 14 of the 16 counties in the 23 senatorial district show that D. W. Glasscock of Allen has been elected as State Senator over Archie Parr, incumbent, by more than one thousand votes.

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Court of the People of Texas: In the case of Texas vs. E. Ferguson, appealed from the State Senate, verdict of guilty, affirmed and penalties ordered executed.

The editor of the Times has been too busy the past few days in collecting and compiling returns from Saturday's primary to give thought to any matters for editorial comment.

The Times wishes to express its appreciation to Rev. Draper of the First Methodist church, for the loan of his picture machine Saturday night for displaying the election returns.

JACOB F. WOLTERS, PATRIOT.

The Henrietta Independent, one of the most stalwart prohibition papers in Northwest Texas, says that while it has differed with and opposed Jacob F. Wolters in the past that it is now ready to support him for any office to which he may aspire.

WE ARE FIGHTING AGAINST THIS.

The following case is said to be typical of the systematic starvation by the Teutons of a conquered people: Edouard Roupen died at the age of 19, starved to death as a punishment for his loyalty to country.

FERGUSON HAS NO STATEMENT FOR NEWSPAPERS

AUSTIN, TEXAS, July 31.—W. F. Doughty, superintendent of public instruction today denied a report that he would contest the women's vote at the recent primary.

NO CHANGES FOR PRESENT OPERATION WIRE LINES

WASHINGTON, July 31.—Postoffice officials continue their conference today with representatives of telephone and telegraph companies in preparing systems for a midnight tonight.

AMERICAN ROLL OF HONOR

- ARMY. WASHINGTON, July 29.—The army casualty list today shows: Killed in action 47; Died of wounds 17; Died of disease 4; Died of accident and other causes 11; Wounded severely 93; Wounded, degree undetermined, 7; Missing 29; Total 197.

PRUSSIAN GUARD FAILS TO DISLodge AMERICAN TROOPS

(By Associated Press.) WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY ON AISNE MARNE FRONT, July 30.—(1 p. m.)—Under a fire from the enemy scarcely less than that of yesterday the Americans on the front north of the Ourcq held on to their positions this forenoon and even advanced a little toward the road from Serigny to Sergy.

AMERICANS FIGHT ALONG WHOLE FRONT 24 HOURS WITHOUT CESSATION

(By Associated Press.) BULLETIN. LONDON, July 30.—American troops in the Soissons-Rheims sector have been fighting virtually without cessation along their whole line for the last 24 hours.

WALLING REFUSES TO TURN OVER THE VAN CLEAVE ESTATE TO J. C. PEPPER AND GOES TO JAIL FOR CONTEMPT

Refusing to obey the order of the supreme court and turn over the Van Cleave estate which he has held as administrator for three years, during which time legal battle has been waged against him by J. C. Pepper of Missouri, C. A. Walling of Burkhardt and Wichita Falls was this morning adjudged to be in contempt of court by Judge Edgar Secury in the 78th district court and ordered confined in the Wichita county jail until he turned over the property, which amounts to about \$200,000 worth of real estate and bonds to J. C. Pepper.

40 REGISTRANTS FAIL TO REPORT FOR EXAMINATION

Forty 1918 registrants have failed to report for physical examination, up to this morning, the local board reported. The men who are notified to appear for examination immediately, as their failure to show up for examination is delaying the board in its work of arranging lists for the future draft. Examinations will be held each afternoon at 3 o'clock, the registrants to report to the draft board office.

MOTHER CLINTON IS DEAD AT ABILENE

By Associated Press. ABILENE, TEX., July 30.—Mrs. John Clinton, aged 65, mother of the State Firemen's Association, died here today. She attended all convocations of the association and was a favorite with all the Texas firemen.

- Garner, Chickalah, Ark.; Ralph Huston, Wilkesbarre, Pa.; Stanley J. Lesniowski, Buffalo, N. Y.; Stephen Manchester, West Brook, Mass.; Jno. Morris, Wilkesbarre, Pa.; William Morley, Anconada, Mont.; Jas. B. Norris, Crab Orchard, Tenn.; Elam E. Palm, Ephrata, Pa.; Dominic Papanozas, Kankakee, Ill.; Lewis Pappalardo, Anthony, N. J.; Lester Kovars, East Hamstead, N. H.; Bradwen V. Shallenberger, Yakima, Wash.; Anthony P. Silvia, Fall River, Mass.; Jno. Tullison, Waldron, Ark.; Jose F. Trullie, Tucuman, N. M.; Jno. Wilson, Kearney, N. J.

Belgium Under the German Heel

By BRAND WHITLOCK.

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November 15 is the jour de deuil of Albert I, King of the Belgians, and it had a poignant significance for his people in the month of November. The news of the horror of Roulers had just come to town, another Louvain in the fury of its vengeance on the civil population because the Belgian army had again blocked the path of German imperialism. The King—down there on the battle line in the far corner of the land, fighting with his men, behind a line of yellow waters had flooded western Flanders, older, as Arno Dorsch, who had seen His Majesty at Furnes, could describe the poignant, the long, yellow flames in his face and in his eyes, somehow like a Viking; and the little Queen, quite simply, going about on errands of mercy, a pathetic picture was never more to the hearts of his people. And Brussels was arranging a demonstration. The people wished it to assume the solemn form of a High Mass, but the German police the word was whispered about; every one was going. But the Germans got wind of that, as of everything, and forbade it. There was no High Mass. So every one, including the low mass, an enormous crowd that trooped in out of the rain, mixed with snow, that was falling, to fill the old grey church and the narrow streets in the aisles while the low mass was said, and then at the end to shout the psalms.

"Vive la Roi! Vive la Belgique!" At the church of St. Boniface a Belgian flag was displayed and a German soldier tore it down. The Livre d'Or at the house of the Grand Marechal, in which people were to sign for the King, was seized by the German police. Two boys who shouted "Vive la Roi" were arrested and, since nothing was too insignificant to pass unnoticed, the little son of the Countess de Buisseret was arrested for making goose steps in the street while a squad of German soldiers was passing. The Countess was an American and required week of effort to have the lad released from the Kommandantur. And I heard of a man who was arrested "pour voir regardé une dame allemande dans la rue." (For having looked insolently at a German woman in the street.)

Some one was always being arrested; the German king's helmet and boots, with their brassards and long bayonets, arrested high and low, from the wife of the Grand Marechal of the court down to the man who, slinking by in the twilight offered me the Times for sale. The oldest and proudest names in Belgium were on the roll of patriots.

The Germans began, too, the seizure of property, not only public but private. They closed the gates of the lovely Parc, designed by Zimmer in 1774, with its lofty trees, its pleasant alleys, its fountains and statues, where Brussels loved to loiter and listen to the music, and where the children played. It was all changed; in the place reserved for the children's play ground officers exercised their horses. Already in the villages and suburbs they were seizing houses, and in the door knobs and kitchen utensils.

The directors of the Banque Nationale were subjected to the first of a long series of vexations, in revenge for the action of the bank in Belgium and thence to England. Then the Germans began to arrest those members of the Grand Council who were prominent at a point of patriotism not to report to the Meldcamp in obedience to the German order.

There was trouble about our courier from Holland who, always being arrested or stopped and searched by the military authorities; there were troubles about the post; the Germans were opposed to our carrying letters from one town to another when the military heard that a Belgian had sent word to a friend in Holland to send his letters in care of the American Legation; they thought that we were conclusive evidence that we were receiving and delivering and despatching letters. We finally arranged the affair of the post satisfactorily, but the going into Holland in a motor with a German soldier on the box, carrying the pouches of the Spanish Dutch and American Legations, and though the service was now in the hands of a military necessity, the Germans always scrupulously respected the seals on our pouches. It was hard to refuse the poor folk who wished to send letters to their friends and relatives outside, but having given word not to forward any letters the constant refusals became one of the hard tasks of each day. There could be no reason why one should keep one's own letters when it had been given to a German, which shows what example will do.

But all these troubles failed into nothing one fine day in November when a message came from Washington in these words:

Your despatch of September 26, 1914, referring to conditions in Brussels since its occupation by the Germans, has been received and read by the Department with much interest. The Department informs you that the patriotic and efficient way in which the emergency difficulties that have arisen during the past few months in Belgium have been met is appreciated.

Count von Bissing Arrives.

One afternoon the Marquis of Villalobar, whose pretty red and yellow flag fluttered so gallantly on Brussels on its various errands, came in with an important gazette. Von der Goltz had gone to Constantinople and was to be succeeded, it was a surprise because for days Turkish princes had been in Brussels and they had been so successful in their visits to the dining halls of the Belgian Ministries, where the Pacha spoke Turkish with the best of them.



Count von Bissing



The "Petites Abeilles" or "Little Bees" feeding hungry Children of BRUSSELS

Phot. by Paul Thompson

dence of the Belgian Minister of the Arts and Sciences. In the early twilight of that short December evening, of age, old and thin, with thick grey hair black hair straight back from his forehead and plastered down as with water or with oil for the surbly shaped head that was so straight and sheer behind. His face was hard and his weather-beaten was remorseless. It was grasped, as though by a hand, high lean cheeks, leaving the thick heavy moustaches of a Prussian officer to hide somewhat the thin lips of the stern mouth and then flew up fiercely by his ears.

He was scrupulously clean, one might almost say scrubbed, one might almost imagine him smelling of soap like an old regiment major or a regiment of Guards. His brow was high and wide and the lean face tapered to the wedge of a very firm jaw, the visage of an old English dragoon, growing across his cheeks a habitual mark. But out of it there gleamed a pair of piercing dark eyes that seemed off black until one saw that they were not wholly unkind. He wore, of course, a great heavy sabre that clanked against his thin legs as he walked stiffly into the salon until a habitual gesture, in the end hand.

He had on a well worn uniform of field grey, his thin legs on which he walked so slowly and so stiffly, as with automatic movements, were wrapped in light grey trousers caught with straps below the knee, soft pointed boots that were furnished with great silver spurs. His smile was light too, and his shabbiness was somehow accentuated by the Iron Cross of the first class that he wore, and by the blue enameled star of the order of something, Villalobar knew and told me afterwards, but I cannot say now. It was, I remember, fastened by a ribbon like a cravat about his collar and dangled heavily out of his wrinkled shirt.

Through his French he did not like to do so, and in this audience he expressed himself with a rough voice in German, which the Baron von Lancken, standing on his left, translated for me. He had a few words for Van Villohoven, to whom he spoke in German, something or other pertaining to Holland. He seemed to have finished his remarks on the subject when he had a few words for Van Villohoven, to whom he spoke in German, something or other pertaining to Holland. He seemed to have finished his remarks on the subject when he had a few words for Van Villohoven, to whom he spoke in German, something or other pertaining to Holland.

The first important act of the new Governor General was to impose on the population of Belgium, by a decree of December 17, a contribution of francs amounting to 480,000,000 francs. Another decree, dated December 8, convened the Provincial Councils of Belgium in extraordinary session for the 15th of December. The session was to be opened and closed in the name of the German Governor General; it was not to last longer than one day; its session was to be held in secret committee, and the object of the session, or conversation was to be the method of raising the contribution of war levied on the Belgian population. And, furthermore, a quorum was not necessary to the validity of the acts of the session.

To Meet Mr. Hoover.

One evening, after dinner, as we were standing before the fire that blazed in the great chimney in the drawing room of the home on the Avenue Louise, one evening in November, Monsieur Emile Francqui gave me, in his vivid way, a portrait of Mr. Herbert C. Hoover. It was an impressionist, not a formal, with broad, rough strokes, a portrait which impelled the admiration that seemed to inspire so much of it, and he completed it finally with a swift gesture that distributed a half an order, his own chin, as he said: "The machine, vous savez!" ("A law—you know!")

He had arranged in honor of Mr. Hoover, but he had been defined as the Dutch frontier and had not arrived in time. In the morning, and we were waiting his coming impatiently, the great task of organization was assuming proportions that were appalling to the newly met, my compatriot and I knew him only as the rich American who had so ably organized the registration of American refugees in London on the 15th of the month. In fact, he had at once suggested to me to organize the registration, and I had of his personality only such impressions as might be derived from the two famous descriptions he had seen in the papers. I had known him fifteen years before in China, where he had been associated in one of those vast colonial enterprises for the exploitation of the kingdom.

He spoke of Mr. Hoover, that evening in terms of unqualified admiration. He said that he was precisely the man for the work there to do and that, although he was a little late to its aid. His description, indeed, evoked a figure in such heroic proportions that I was prepared to see a man physically somewhat larger than the man I found nervously plucking the floor of my office the following afternoon when I went down in response to the call that had been sent up.

The man, who was of middle height, tall though he was of middle height, because he was slender, and he had extremely small hands and feet, his hair, however, both at the first moment were usually in his trousers pockets, and they nervously fumbled and incessantly clinked together the coins that he carried loosely there, this lips, a pair of wide, white, curly whiskers that seemed a pure because it indicates parsimony. He was dressed in modest dark blue serge and wore a black cravat, all these somewhat shabby, when he was not at all the face of the genuine type of business man, but a face sensitive, with a delicate mouth, thin lips, a pair of wide, white, curly whiskers, as of one who dispensed too much nervous force and was always tired. It was a face which with its dark, sensitive, and a pair of wide, white, curly whiskers, as of one who dispensed too much nervous force and was always tired.

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That "Merci" somehow stabbed one to the heart, and brought an echo to the throat, and a most annoying moan. It was not the first time when, if visiting American asked to see the soup lines, I sent some one to show them.

It was perhaps worse at those kitchen where the children were fed. This part of the work had been admirably organized by the Petites Abeilles, a society of Brussels women who had long worked among the children of the poor. Dr. Caroline Heeger, the noble Chicago woman, whose life has been a blessing to countless thousands of children in that city, spent long hours working in Belgium that winter rendering noble service in the care of humanity, and her admiration of the Petites Abeilles was to me the final proof of their effectiveness. Each child in the neighborhood was examined by a physician, the kind of nourishment it required almost scientifically determined, and this noted on cards of different colors, each color representing a certain ration. They were given

and see that the guarantees were observed; hence the Rhodes scholars, later, ultimately, the C. R. B. That vast American organization that would walk side by side with the vast Belgian organization, the C. R. B., each independent of the other, moving with equal dignity in its respective spheres, like co-ordinate branches of the government under the constitution.

Only a few days before, in the course of a conversation Villalobar and I were having with the Belgian Captain, I had told him that I had already arranged to import two hundred and seventy thousand pounds for Belgium relief, and when he had translated this into French, he said, "It is a great mark, the Gehehrmath dropped his head on his desk, fell back in his chair and exclaimed: "Sapristi, indeed!" that that was only a beginning, a mere drop in the bucket.

We Visit the Soup Kitchen.

I watched Mr. Hoover the next morning when, as all went with Mr. Hoover in the dismal rain to visit the soup kitchen—Mr. Hoover, Dr. Rosé, Mr. Bicknell, Consul General, and others. It was natural for me to go, and I suppose the world should be impressed by the organization which the Belgians, who are famous for their generosity, had set up in their own land, in their own city. They had done it in the great building, once used by an express company, in the days when there was a great express company, in a hangar, where that morning an army of cooks were broiling the soup in great cauldrons. They could not get out of their heads that the word "soup" had never been so much used as now, and then treated them to a dinner for the officers. For weeks they had been cutting down the trees to be used as Christmas trees, and the German soldiers, they do not know how many were required for the Germans at Brussels, in order that they might fitly celebrate the coming of this year of the lovely November.

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Finally the Rhodes scholars began to arrive, champagne, young boys, who, when they were young, were in the same way as the boys of the world, in a great humanitarian cause. The work never could have been done without them, or half so well by men who had their heads in the clouds, and could not understand it, and were always trying to find out the real reason for their being there. Messieurs les Milliers could never get out of their heads that the word "soup" had never been so much used as now, and then treated them to a dinner for the officers. For weeks they had been cutting down the trees to be used as Christmas trees, and the German soldiers, they do not know how many were required for the Germans at Brussels, in order that they might fitly celebrate the coming of this year of the lovely November.

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The King of Belgium talking to an officer.

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SOCIALISTS WANT FRANCE TO ADOPT WILSON'S WAR AIMS

TEXAS FORCED TO LAND BEHIND GERMAN LINE, ESCAPES

FRANCIS REPORTED TO HAVE MOVED HEADQUARTERS

GORGE AT FALLS HAS FASCINATION FOR AIRMEN

RECORD OF FINES SHOWS LIGHT BUSINESS IN POLICE COURT

Business in police court this month amounted to \$295 in cash, this amount being collected in fines. The fines assessed amounted to \$424. In addition to the \$295 collected by each \$1 was laid out in jail. \$2 worked out on the street, \$43 still to be collected and the remainder assessed or collected because of cases appealed to a higher court.

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GERMANS IN RETREAT ALONG WHOLE SOISSON-RHEIMS LINE

CHARGED LOAN TO J. E. FERGUSON TO GENERAL EXPENSE

BREWERY TESTIFIES NO ENTRY MADE ON BOOKS, WANTED TO "SHIELD GOVERNOR."

DEFENSE TESTIMONY

Henning Bruhn of Lone Star Brewing Association Testifies Today In Own Behalf.

By Associated Press. AUGUST 2, Aug. 2.—Further testimony concerning the "friendly loan" of \$150,000 to former Governor James E. Ferguson by Texas brewery interests was given today at the trial of Henning Bruhn and Charles Grossman, president and treasurer respectively of the Lone Star Brewing Association charged with falsification of income tax returns, by Mr. Bruhn, the first witness called by the defense. He denied any attempt to defraud the government.

Bruhn said he had the loan of \$25,000 he made to Ferguson charged on the association's books as "general expense" after he learned of the former governor's financial straits. He did not want any entry made on the association's books showing the money went to Ferguson, because "I wanted to shield the governor."

Mr. Bruhn said that the association spent over \$5,000 in efforts to defeat local option in several counties in the state. This was charged to "general expense," he said. He added that the association thought it proper to so charge this amount and anticipated no trouble with the government.

Mr. Bruhn said he is ready and willing to pay the tax "and wanted to do so at once."

INDICTMENTS RETURNED AGAINST EDWARD A. RUMLEY

By Associated Press. NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—Federal indictments were returned here today against Dr. Edward A. Rumley, former vice president and secretary of the New York Mail and Express Company and S. Walter Kaufman, former counsel for the German embassy in the United States, as alleged participants in the purchases of the Evening Mail for the German government.

LT. CARSON KILLED IN FALL AT FORT SILL

Lieutenant W. H. Carson, of Camp Field, was killed at about eleven o'clock this morning when his plane fell at Fort Sill, according to a message received at Camp Field headquarters. No details of the accident are given.

GROUND WON YESTERDAY OF CONSIDERABLE VALUE

By Associated Press. PARIS, Aug. 2.—The ground won yesterday by the Allies was of considerable value. It is a long spur about six hundred feet high forming the watershed between the Crise and the Ourcq and is a valuable observation point. From it the Germans prevented the Allies from seeing the ground won from them on the Ourcq. The Allies stormed not only the summit but the northern slope of this terrain.

CARRY-ON MAGNET PROVED TO BE 10 LBS. BACON

Associated Press. ST. LOUIS, Mo., July 21.—A "carry-on magnet" efficacy guaranteed who advertised recently in German newspapers by its "inventor." The magnet was declared to have mystic powers enabling its possessor more easily to endure the food privations of the country.

STEAMER POSEIDON SUNK IN COLLISION

By Associated Press. NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—The American steamship Poseidon, 1,911 tons gross, formerly under the Dutch flag, was sunk in a collision with an American tanker last Wednesday off the Atlantic coast. It was carried in marine circles here today. Five members of her crew of 38 are reported as missing. Captain J. Durc, master of the ship, died as the result of exposure after being landed.

SHIELDS RENOMINATED ROBERTS IS LEADING

By Associated Press. NASHVILLE, TENN., Aug. 2.—With two thirds of the counties heard from in yesterday's primary for U. S. senator and governor, the Banner this morning estimates that Senator John K. Shields has been renominated by 15,000 and Judge A. H. Roberts has been renominated for governor by 10,000 votes.

LIEUTENANT BIRWELL KILLED AT LOVE FIELD

By Associated Press. TEXAS, Aug. 2.—Lieutenant Robinson E. Birwell of Red Bluff, California, was killed while making a cross country flight about nine miles south of here today.

TEXAS CALLED UPON FOR 1,290 UNSKILLED LABORERS

By Associated Press. CORPUS CHRISTI, TEX., Aug. 2.—The first unskilled labor quota for Texas is 1,290 men, according to an announcement today by J. Hirsch of the state council of defense who had just received the information from Washington. A second quota will be called about August 15, the state council was advised. All state quotas will be subscribed by the state advisory board and furnished by it to the local commission boards.

JOINT ACTION IN SIBERIA IS NOW ASSURED

JAPAN HAS FOUND ACCEPTABLE AMERICAN PROPOSAL AND AGREEMENT REACHED.

Plan of Operation Will Be Put Into Execution Without Delay Is Reported.

By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, August 2.—Joint action between Japan, the Entente powers and America in Siberia is assured. Japan has found acceptable the American proposal which primarily looks to the aid of the Czecho-Slovaks, now operating in Siberia, and after exchanges between Tokio and Washington which have cleared up all doubtful points and removed any possibility of future misunderstanding a complete agreement has been reached. The plan of operation will be put into execution at once.

Soon after it had been learned that Japan had accepted the American proposal, President Wilson walked to the State, War and Navy Building, where he conferred for half an hour with Acting Secretary Polk and Secretary Baker in the war secretary's office. The President and Mr. Polk left the office together and as they walked along the corridor had a very serious conversation, which was continued for five minutes in front of Mr. Polk's office before the President returned to the White House.

GILMORE MAY HAVE MAJORITY IN RACE R. R. COMMISSIONER

By Associated Press. DALLAS, TEX., Aug. 2.—Returns for governor today give: Hobby 407,648; Ferguson 203,471.

SWISS PRESIDENT WILL OPEN CONFERENCE ON PRISONERS

By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—The president of Switzerland will open the conference between commissioners of the United States and Germany for exchange of prisoners, which is to be held in Switzerland as soon as a date can be agreed upon between the Washington and Berlin governments. Official advice today that the Swiss government had accepted the conference was received by President Wilson and state officials with genuine pleasure.

FIRST ISSUE OF LIBERTY BONDS SELLING AT PAR

By Associated Press. NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—Liberty 3 1/2 percent bonds, which are exempt from taxation, sold at par today on the stock exchange here for the first time this year. Steady buying of this issue by leading financial interests has been noticeable recently.

HUNS BURN VILLAGES AS ALLIES PUSH THEM BACK

By Associated Press. On the French Front in France, August 2.—(Noon)—The battle on the front north of the Marne resolved itself during the night and this morning into almost a general retirement of the enemy north of the Ourcq with the Allies pursuing the Germans with the greatest zeal and success.

The town of Hartennes Eet Taux was occupied by the Allies, who also seized the wood lying to the south of this most important place. The French and British in this sector took Contremain and then crossed the Chateau Thierry-Soissons road.

The Germans are burning villages as they retire and destroying everything they come across. The entire battle field is dotted by conflagrations, some of them of large proportion.

Along the center of the front as well as on the westerly side the German resistance seemed greatly diminished. The Allies pressed through a series of thickets to the north of the road leading from Goussancourt to Coulonges and reached the southern part of Vezilly wood.

ONE KILLED, ANOTHER WOUNDED AT FORT WORTH

By Associated Press. FORT WORTH, TEX., Aug. 2.—James Stewart of St. Joseph, Mo., was killed and H. V. May, wounded early this morning, following an argument over a \$25 debt which May is said to have owed W. Z. Turner, grand jury bailiff and veteran officer. Turner surrendered after the double shooting. Stewart was formerly a railroad man but recently had been employed in May's cold drink stand.

VILLE-EN-TARDENOIS ENCIRCLED BY ALLIES

By Associated Press. ON THE FRENCH FRONT IN FRANCE, Aug. 2.—The important town of Ville-En-Tardenois on the westerly side of the Marne salient, has been encircled by the Allied forces.

NEW ALLIED GAINS MAY FORCE HUNS BEYOND THE VESLE

FRANCO-BRITISH TROOPS SEIZE RIDGE WHICH DOMINATES WHOLE AREA NORTHWARD.

Situation Described As Turning Point in Summer Campaign and Possibly War.

By Associated Press. LONDON, August 2.—Yesterday's Franco-British attack on the westerly side of the Marne salient, was on a front of five miles and penetrated to a maximum depth of three miles, according to news received today. It resulted in the capture of the entire ridge which forms the watershed between the Ourcq and the Aisne, the advances indicate.

TURNING POINT OF CAMPAIGN REACHED OBSERVERS VIEW

(By Associated Press.)

Crushing in the German lines north of the Ourcq River, the Allies on Thursday carried their front to the northeast from their former positions between Hartennes and Fere-En-Tardenois.

The exact location of the new line is not given in the early dispatches from the battle field but it is said that the Allies have established themselves on the high ridges between the Ourcq and the Aisne and dominate the whole western section of the battle area.

The attack was made over a front of about five miles and penetrated three miles. It was reported Thursday night that the Allies are within five miles of Bazoches, on the Vesle River, which agrees quite closely with this morning's report of the advance to the northeast of Beugneux, the approximate center of the line of attack on Thursday.

Further east and south the Allies have captured the village of Cerges.

In the center of the line important progress is shown in reports from the front. Goussancourt has been captured and the northern edge of Meunier wood has been cleared of Germans. This marks an advance of a mile and three quarters. Nothing is said of the fate of the Germans at St. Gemme, at the tip of the salient, but it is to be assumed that they have retreated from their perilous position.

FRENCH GENERAL PAYS TRIBUTE TO AMERICANS

By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—Striking tribute to the valor and fighting ability of the American army by General Dumort, commanding the French sixth army corps in Louvain, to which the forty second (Hainbow) division of the American army is attached up to the middle of last June, is contained in general orders issued by the French commander in chief, while the Americans when they set out for the battle front on the Aisne-Marne lines, where they are today proving their mettle in attack.

BRITISH CARRY OUT RAIDS IN PICARDY SECTOR

By Associated Press. LONDON, Aug. 2.—The British have carried out raids at Festubert, north west of Lens and at Albert, in the Picardy sector and have captured several prisoners according to a statement issued by the war office today. The German artillery, the statement says, has shown increased activity south of the Somme and south of Ypres, while it has been active north of Bethune and east of Hazebrouck in the Lys sector.

FRENCH CONTINUE THEIR ADVANCE

By Associated Press. ON THE FRENCH FRONT IN FRANCE, Aug. 2.—The French are continuing to advance and have taken additional towns and villages at various parts of the front between Soissons and Rheims. The enemy is retreating desperately and losing in prisoners.

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THOUSANDS GERMAN HELMETS PILED IN POST OFFICES

By Associated Press.
 WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY in the Alsace-Marne front, Thursday, Aug. 1.—Every American postoffice near where the fighting troops are engaged is filled each day with German helmets addressed to relatives and friends in the United States. Officers and men, members of the Y. M. C. A. and the Red Cross, and in fact, everyone appears to be sending helmets.
 These trophies are found along roads, in forests and in fields everywhere the Germans retreated.
 Helmets at one depot form a pile larger than an ordinary bungalow.

EMPEROR ADDRESSES PROCLAMATION TO PEOPLE

By Associated Press.
 AMSTERDAM, Aug. 2.—In a proclamation issued to the German people, Emperor William says:
 "Four years of hard struggle have passed, full of eternally memorable deeds. An example has been given for all time of what a people can do that stands in the field for a most just cause and for the maintenance of its existence."
 "Gratefully revering the Divine Hand which has been gratefully extended over Germany we may proudly say we were not found unworthy in the tremendous task before which Providence placed us."
 "If in the struggle our Nation was given leaders capable of the highest achievements it has daily proved by fidelity that it has deserved to have such leaders. How could the army front have performed its tremendous deeds if the entire life at home had not been carried to the highest measure of personal performance? Thanks are due to all who under difficult conditions have co-operated in the tasks of the state and country and especially to our faithful unwavering officials. Thanks are due likewise to the countrymen and townsmen and also the women at home, in this war-time, so much felt."

FEARS ECONOMIC WEAPONS MAY ENDANGER PEACE LEAGUE

By Associated Press.
 LONDON, Thursday, Aug. 1.—Fear that the adoption of economic weapons after the war might endanger the proposed league of nations was expressed by James H. Thomas, labor member of Parliament, in the house of commons today during a discussion of a policy of such a league raised by liberal members.
 Foreign Secretary Balfour in reply complained that he had received no practical suggestion from members for the attainment of objects they all had in view nor any indication where an international police force to enforce contracts and nations could be found.
 "Questionably," he continued, "a league of nations could not afford to deprive its army of economic weapons. It is perfectly true that the economic weapon is capable of mischief as will witness Germany's policy in Russia in a number of instances of liberty, but the foreign secretary saw no sign of any country consenting to a sanction of the employment of tariffs if it considered them necessary."

HOW AN AMERICAN BLEW SOUCHE INTO KINGDOM COME

By Associated Press.
 LONDON, Aug. 2. A little American shrimp of an American—out-witted a huge German in a deadly battle on the Marne battlefield, says a writer's correspondent at American headquarters.
 The German was about to finish the American with his bayonet. The American grabbed a grenade from his belt, fumbled with his fingers till he loosened the safety catch and then thrust the grenade into the German's pocket. With sudden terror the German realized the American's intention but before he could counter it was too late.
 There was not enough left of his equipment, the correspondent adds to provide the quick-thinking little American with a souvenir.

No Worms in a Healthy Child

"If children troubled with worms have an unwholesome color, which indicates poor blood, and as there is more less stomach disturbance, GUY'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC given regularly for two or three weeks will enrich the blood, improve the digestion, and act as a General Strength Tonic to the whole system. Nature will then do its work of dispelling the worms, and the Child will be in perfect health. Pleasant to take. 50c per bottle."

CASUALTIES

ARMY.
 By Associated Press.
 WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—The army casualty list today shows:
 Killed in action 42.
 Died of disease 7.
 Died of accident and other causes 1.
 Wounded severely 126.
 Wounded, degree undetermined, 2.
 Missing 4.
 Total 238.
 Southerners in the list include:
 Died from wounds: Private Clarence G. White, Mountain Home, Ark. Died of disease: Civilian Joseph O'Brien, Derider, La.; Privates Leon Gilder, 650 Gray Alley, Beaumont, Texas; William H. Grant, Blount, Ark.; Burley Smith, Palestine, Ark. Died from accident and other causes: Private Pedro Lucero, R. F. D. No. 1, El Paso, Texas.
 The list:
 Killed in Action.
 Captain Walter M. Leary, Philadelphia; Lieutenants Merrill Dunbar, Walnut, N. C.; Charles W. Field, North Windham, Maine; Herbert K. Jones, Meade, Kans.; James A. Pigne, Nashville, Tenn.; Joseph C. Smith, Rochester, N. Y.; Robert H. Turner, Statesville, N. C.; Sergeants Jerry J. Driscoll, Clifton Springs, N. Y.; Henry J. Kierhan, Brooklyn; Henry T. C. New York City; Richard Koppin Jr., Webster, Groves, Mo.; Frank Kutch, Charleston, Pa.; Jno. H. Leach, Charlottesville, Va.; Joseph Levantovich, Ollivant, Pa.; Carl Link, Thomaston, N. C.; Elmer D. Moore, Lincoln, Neb.; George Magfield, Rochester, N. H.; Ello C. Monger, Caney, Kans.; Amos W. Morris, Minersville, Pa.; Albert M. Mullerschott, Philadelphia, Pa.; James J. Ryan, Charlestown, Mass.; Harry S. Sherman, Calais, Maine; Clarence Soversby, New Troy, Mich.; Privates William B. Ackles, Red Oak, Iowa; Francis Allie, West Duluth, Minn.; Andrew Anderson, Lawrence, Mass.; Clark W. Ash, Mt. Hope, Wash.; Russell Benjamin, Derry, N. H.; Samuel Benson, Long Island City, N. Y.; Frank Berkefeld, Elyon, Pa.; William B. Brown, Kansas; Arthur Brown, N. H.; George E. Brown, Lebanon, Ind.; William J. Callahan, Woburn, Mass.; Lee Coleman, Petersburg, Ind.; Willie H. Collins, Cairo, Ga.; Stuart L. Cummings, Carnegie, Pa.; Arvy Duke, Dozier, Ala.; Jno. M. Fitzpatrick, Scumerville, Mass.; Jno. M. Flanagan, Bristol, Conn.; Emil F. Gelleke, Kingston, Mich.; Charles J. Lanseer, Asbury Park, N. J.; Herbert H. Milliken, Freedom, N. H.; Elmer Nickerdon, Provincetown, Mass.; Paul E. Noel, Okaloosa, Iowa; William A. Peterson, Manchester, N. H.; Lester D. Purcell, Red Oak, Iowa; Stanley Rekowski, Naughtuck, Conn.; Fred J. Rentschler, New Haven, Conn.; James H. Scott, Alexis, Ill.; Dwight Simpson, Chillicothe, Ohio; John Ulan, Norwich, Conn.; Amo E. Wakler, Columbia City, Ind.; Jesse L. Walrood, Fulton, Kans.; John M. Warren, Ballyghmin, Ireland; Clarence G. White, Mountain Home, Ark.; Arnold L. Wright, Fort Dodge, Iowa.

Wounded Severely.
 Captain Jerome F. Langer, Brooklyn; Lieutenants Reginald B. Delacour, Stratford, Conn.; Delos A. Towle, New York City; Clyde H. Wassan, Topeka, Kans.; Sergeants Charles H. DeSchmitt, Jr., Pa.; Roy Brown, Pottsville, Pa.; Eugene Heasce, Durham, N. C.; Jule M. Jones, Ozark, Ala.; G.W. Keestner, Reading, Pa.; Edward A. Long, Pottsville, Pa.; Bado S. Parker, Roberts, Ala.; Daniel P. Scully, Stratford, Conn.; Frederick W. Von Der Hiden, Pottsville, Pa.; Harold J. Worral, Minneapolis, Minn.; Corporals Geo. Byers, Los Angeles; Fred J. Eakin, Elizabeth, N. J.; Fred A. Foy, Reading, Pa.; Frank M. Gort, Philadelphia; James E. Healy, New York City; Charles E. Hoffman, Pottsville, Pa.; Edward J. Keaph, Brooklyn; Lester Long, Manchester, Minn.; Dan J. McCloskey, New York City; Donald E. Malcolm, Zanesville, Ind.; Stephen D. Mitchell, Pottsville, Pa.; Lester Monevhan, Ohio; Roy H. Ream, Elizabeth, N. J.; Roy S. Scanlon, Thief River Falls, Minn.; Elrod J. Simons, Bethlehem, Pa.; Philip A. Sterner, Pottsville, Pa.; Cook George H. Krick, Frankfort, N. Y.; Vasconer Burns, New York City; Forest Butler, Kettle Island, Ky.; John L. Byers, Spencer, Iowa; Christopher J. Cahill Jr., Hoboken, N. J.; Charles R. Cain, Shelton, Wash.; Walter T. Colgan, Brooklyn; Vincent J. Condon, New York City; Peter H. Dalporto, San Francisco; Charles J. Dowett, New Haven, Conn.; William E. Debus, Lewiston, Idaho; Andrew Dudzik, Philadelphia; Dub McCree, Lincoln, Pa.; Fred Eller, Pottsville, Pa.; William A. Evans, Pottsville, Pa.; Henry W. Eldes, Moline, Kans.; Jos. P. French, Scranton, Pa.; Jos. Genelli, Bridgeport, Conn.; Walter Gertz, Minneapolis; Walter Getz, White House, O.; Dewey E. Glaser, Bueschel, Ky.; William H. Gore, Pottsville, Pa.; John Groewock, Elkhorn, Neb.; Paul O.

Died from Wounds.
 Major Louis Farrell, Fort Snelling, Minn.; Captains Roscius H. Beck, Vancouver, Wash.; James D. Hasey, Tyrone, N. C.; Lieutenants Herman Bonessell, Parnassus, Pa.; Eldon B. Clark, Weldon, N. C.; Alfred P. Conover, Keyport, N. J.; Charles A. Lewis, Birmingham, Ala.; Sergeants John Spauld, Indiana; Edgar Ing, Corporals Berdan J. Kenison, Sebago Lake, Me.; Carl McGlothlin, Sheldon, Iowa; Edward T. Mann, Holyoke, Mass.; Charles J. Regan, Charlestown, Mass.; Harry H. Sherman, Calais, Maine; Clarence Soversby, New Troy, Mich.; Privates William B. Ackles, Red Oak, Iowa; Francis Allie, West Duluth, Minn.; Andrew Anderson, Lawrence, Mass.; Clark W. Ash, Mt. Hope, Wash.; Russell Benjamin, Derry, N. H.; Samuel Benson, Long Island City, N. Y.; Frank Berkefeld, Elyon, Pa.; William B. Brown, Kansas; Arthur Brown, N. H.; George E. Brown, Lebanon, Ind.; William J. Callahan, Woburn, Mass.; Lee Coleman, Petersburg, Ind.; Willie H. Collins, Cairo, Ga.; Stuart L. Cummings, Carnegie, Pa.; Arvy Duke, Dozier, Ala.; Jno. M. Fitzpatrick, Scumerville, Mass.; Jno. M. Flanagan, Bristol, Conn.; Emil F. Gelleke, Kingston, Mich.; Charles J. Lanseer, Asbury Park, N. J.; Herbert H. Milliken, Freedom, N. H.; Elmer Nickerdon, Provincetown, Mass.; Paul E. Noel, Okaloosa, Iowa; William A. Peterson, Manchester, N. H.; Lester D. Purcell, Red Oak, Iowa; Stanley Rekowski, Naughtuck, Conn.; Fred J. Rentschler, New Haven, Conn.; James H. Scott, Alexis, Ill.; Dwight Simpson, Chillicothe, Ohio; John Ulan, Norwich, Conn.; Amo E. Wakler, Columbia City, Ind.; Jesse L. Walrood, Fulton, Kans.; John M. Warren, Ballyghmin, Ireland; Clarence G. White, Mountain Home, Ark.; Arnold L. Wright, Fort Dodge, Iowa.

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WALLING RELEASED ON HABEAS CORPUS WRIT THURSDAY

Associate Justice W. E. Hawkins of the Supreme Court yesterday evening ordered the release of C. A. Walling on a writ of habeas corpus, in a telegram to Sheriff George Hawkins, and at seven o'clock Walling was released from the Wichita county jail where he was sent on Monday when he was declared by Judge Edgar Scurry of the 79th district court to be in contempt of court for refusing to turn over the Vanleave estate to J. C. Pepper, held by the court of civil appeals to be the proper administrator for the estate. Walling's bond was set by the supreme court at \$1,000 and J. Moran and J. B. Stokes signed the bond as sureties.

MESSAGES TELL OF SAFE ARRIVAL OF 36TH DIVISION

The Thirty Sixth division which trained at Camp Bowie and of which several hundred Wichita boys are members has arrived safely overseas. Messages were received here late yesterday from Lieutenant Joseph Kell, Lieutenant Gordon R. Porter and others announcing their safe arrival. The messages were sent from an Atlantic Port and said "The ship on which I sailed has arrived safely overseas."

RIDDLE RESIGNS AS POSTMASTER AT ELECTRA

R. W. Riddle, postmaster at Electra, has resigned and will retire from the office the fifteenth of next month, according to the Electra Leader which says: "The people of Electra will be sorry to learn that R. W. Riddle, who has been serving us as postmaster here for the past few years has resigned and will retire from the service on the 15th of next month. Mr. Riddle has been postmaster in Electra for about five years and during that time he has made an enviable record in the dispatch of the mail. He has taken hold of the office, placing his heart in the work and has as near a model of an office as could be expected in a town of this size where so many transients receive their mail each day. He is a man that believes in system and in order to keep up good service he has been called upon to put in many weary hours in his office at nights and Sundays when his patrons are at home enjoying the rest that we should all have. In the past year his burden has been doubly hard owing to the fact that the draft took the biggest part of his force and he was compelled to not only work with a short crew but with people that were inexperienced. The added strain has told and he was advised by his physician that he must retire or his health would be entirely lost. The people of Electra appreciate the excellent service that he has rendered us, and we are all sorry to see him leave Electra's postoffice. In fact it was the intention of his friends to petition the government to give him more help in order that we could retain him here but he requested that we not do so. Mr. Riddle will leave as soon as his relief man arrives for a vacation that will be spent in Colorado and last a month or such matter, after which he will return to Electra and become actively engaged in business."

AT THE THEATRES

RAY AT HIS BEST IN "CLAWS OF THE HUN" worked in his father's munitions factory. And he emerged from the battle which he stages, with flying colors. He gets the respect of those who had condemned him for being a "slacker." Jane Novak is Mr. Ray's leading lady.

DAVIS FORESEES GREAT DEMAND FOR COTTON WHEN WAR ENDS

AUSTIN, TEX., Aug. 2.—That there will be a great demand for cotton when the war is over and that the cotton growers and not the spinners should profit by this condition is the assertion of Fred Davis, commissioner of agriculture, in a statement in which he expresses hope that a day will be found for the farmers to "retire one third of the crop and market the remainder slowly." "Everybody knows," says the statement, "that the world is short of clothes and all manner of goods manufactured out of cotton, and there will be a mad scramble for cotton as soon as commerce again becomes normal. The advancement which should take place in cotton after peace is declared, under the common rules of trade, is the heritage of the southern grower and should not be taken away from them by a surplus of government owned cotton which could be controlled by the spinners and consumers." Mr. Davis says that the proposed creation of a government corporation to buy cotton at a set price contemplates not only price fixing during the war but would place in the hands of the government beyond control of the south, a large amount of cotton, which could be used to fix the price of raw

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BABY MARJORIE LUCILE KEMP DIED THURSDAY Little Marjorie Lucile Kemp came just nine months ago to brighten the life and home of Mr. Tom Kemp and Mrs. Cora Lucille Kemp. Before she was able to know him, her father departed this life. Now she has obeyed the summons of the Savior who said, "Suffer little children to come unto me." The mother's heart is lonely but she comforts herself with the thought that she now has a baby in heaven and a "habe in heaven is a habe forever." The funeral services were held at 408 Scott Avenue Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock. J. SAM BARCUS.

MESSAGE OF CONDOLENCE SENT TO JOHN A. DONALD A message of condolence was sent by the City Council during its weekly session Thursday night to John A. Donald, acting city engineer, who is in Decatur where his mother died Thursday afternoon. The body's resolutions of respect were ordered sent to Mr. Donald and family. There was very little business to attend to the council adjourning after ordering some extra parts for the street sweeper. Loans to Our Allies. With another credit of \$100,000,000 to Italy and \$9,000,000 more to Belgium the credits advanced by the United States to our allies now total \$6,380,000,000.

In Families With Children many parents now use POSTUM instead of coffee, for the simple reason that children should never drink coffee, and POSTUM which is wholesome and healthful, has a delicious coffee-like taste but isn't hurtful.

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LIBERAL PAPERS DISSENT FROM LLOYD GEORGE'S VIEW

By Associated Press.
LONDON, Aug. 2.—Sharp dissent to the Premier Lloyd George to use the economic weapon against Germany after the war as outlined in an address by the premier yesterday, is expressed by the Liberal press.
Quoting the phrase "the longer the war lasts, the sterner must be the economic terms we impose on the foe," expressed by Mr. Lloyd George, the Chronicle says:
"We doubt very much whether that is how President Wilson views the question. It is certainly not the view of American opinion generally."
The Daily News says:
"It is idle for Lloyd George or any other statesman to maintain that the spirit underlying a league of nations is reconcilable with the spirit underlying and inspiring the protective tariff. We must choose one or the other. It is a question of the policy of Wilson or the policy of the Paris resolutions."
Conservative papers, on the other hand, generally endorse the premier's address. The Times emphasizes the fact that the premier expressed the hope that an agreement might be reached on economic as well as other problems between America and England and cites the phrase used by President Wilson in his Mount Vernon address, "no half way decision is tolerable."

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK GIVES MONTHLY SUMMARY

DALLAS, TEX., Aug. 2.—The crop outlook at this time is less favorable than it was thirty days ago but favorable returns from the small grain crop and the encouraging promises in the yield of feed crops in North, North-east, East and Central Texas, will favorably offset the less favorable prospects in other counties, says the monthly summary of agricultural and commercial conditions by the Eleventh Federal Reserve District today.
Outside of changes in agricultural conditions, the general business situation in the district is satisfactory, the report says, and adds that the monthly summary of agricultural and commercial conditions by the Eleventh Federal Reserve District today.

AMERICAN OFFICERS FROM FRANCE TRAIN NEW ARMIES

By Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—The American forces in France have reached a high stage of training in the new methods of warfare that they are to furnish instructors for the new units being organized in the United States. An additional 500 American officers and 4,000 American soldiers are being trained in the tactics of the new divisions. It was learned officially today that the war department has ordered a number of officers back from France to command brigades in the twelve new divisions, the formation of which were announced by General March, chief of staff, in the last two weeks.

KIRBY GOING TO WASHINGTON TO ASK FOR EXPLANATION

By Associated Press.
SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 2.—John H. Kirby of Houston, Texas, who a few days ago was relieved of his position as lumber administrator of the emergency fleet corporation, following accusations by shipping board officials at Washington that the wooden shipbuilding program was being hampered because of his inefficiency, has not more promptly met the demand for timber left here today for Washington. Mr. Kirby arrived from Seattle, Washington, where he attended the session of the National Lumbermen's Association of which he is president. He said he had telegraphed Edward N. Hurley of the emergency fleet corporation, demanding an explanation.

WHY CASUALTY LISTS ARE SLOW COMING IN

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—Replying to a request that he expedite the lists of American casualties in the fighting on the Salsons Heights salient, General Pershing today called Secretary Baker that the task of assembling the names of the men was an extremely difficult one because of the limited means of communication in the battle areas and owing to the fact that American troops are brigaded with French and British units.
Secretary Baker said no estimate of casualties was contained in General Pershing's cablegram. There was nothing to indicate today when the increased casualty lists resulting from the present severe fighting would begin to come in.

INHABITANTS ALAND ISLANDS BLOW UP FORTIFICATIONS

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—Incensed at the German control of Finland, the inhabitants of the Aland Islands in the Baltic Sea have dynamited the fortifications on the islands to prevent them becoming a menace to Sweden through German control, according to advices received today through official channels.

PLAN MILITARY HIGHWAY FROM CALIFORNIA TO FLORIDA

AUSTIN, TEX., Aug. 2.—Construction of a military highway from Florida to California at an estimated cost of about \$50,000,000, is one of the possibilities of the not far distant future. The proposal is likely to assume something of a tangible nature at a meeting to be held this fall in Washington, according to plans of Governor Catts, of Florida who has written Governor Hobby of Texas, seeking his approval of the project.
In his letter to the Texas executive he explained that co-operation of states along the gulf is desired before presenting the plan to the federal government. Although Governor Hobby has not yet endorsed the plan, it is understood he will favor it if further details show it to be feasible.
The proposed highway, which would be the longest in the country, would take in the Old Spanish Trail of King's Highway, passing through Florida, California, through Alabama, Florida, Mississippi, Louisiana, Texas, New Mexico and California, upward of 6,000 miles.

TEXAN WITH CANADIAN FORCES REPORTED GASSED

OTTAWA, Aug. 2.—Today's overseas casualty list includes the name of R. Whalley, Savannah, Tex., gassed.

TURNING POINT OF CAMPAIGN REACHED OBSERVERS' VIEW

(Continued from page 1.)
The Meuniers wood, the northern part of which they occupied, French troops gained Clerges, west of Meuniers wood, and pressed on, completing the capture of the entire wood. A line drawn eastward from Clerges held by the French, leaves St. Gemme the apex of the V salient east of Clerges, six miles to the south. Thus the Germans would have to retire a maximum of six miles to a horizontal line that to the west.

Apparently the German crown prince has resolved to hold his present line of positions and to go northward to the line of the Vesle only by Allied pressure. Reports from the battle zone say the Germans are fighting to the bitter end and seldom retreat. The crown prince also seemed to have made every effort to organize his defenses as well as time and Allied attacks permitted.

Progress continues. Notwithstanding his resistance and the evident intention to fight rather than to withdraw, the Allies continue to progress in the center of the pocket. General Foch's army seems to be hammering hard at vulnerable points and thus ease the way for gains on adjacent sectors.

Only the artillery has been active elsewhere on the western front, the Germans seemingly paying all their attention to the Meuniers battle field. The aerial fighting on the British front has been heavy for the past few days, generally consisting of approaching infantry movements Wednesday British airmen accounted for 35 enemy machines, twenty six of which were destroyed. The British lost four.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 2.—Continuation of the buying movement of yesterday carried the market upward sharply today, prices rising 46 to 51 points in the first half hour of trading. Favorable war news and better spot accounts from Texas contributed to the steadiness.
The demand increased while offerings remained slender. In the trading to noon the advance was widened 64 to 72 points.
Longs took profits in a moderate way, checked the upward movement. At 1 o'clock prices showed net gains of 56 to 59 points.
Cotton closed steady at an advance of 51 to 55 points.

LIVERPOOL COTTON

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 2.—Cotton spot quiet, prices higher. Good middling 21.02; middling 20.39; low middling 19.87; good ordinary 18.85. Sales including 800 American. Futures closed steady. New contracts August 20.25, September 19.95, October 19.70, November 19.51, December 19.34.

FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH, TEX., Aug. 2.—Cattle receipts 6,000; market demoralized. Beaves \$6.00/15.00; stock calves \$6.00/8.00; heifers \$5.00/9.00; cows \$4.50/7.50; bulls \$5.00/7.00; calves \$5.00/10.00.
Sheep receipts 800; 10 to 15 up. Heavy \$19.75/19.90; light \$19.65/19.75; medium \$19.50/19.75; mixed \$19.00/19.50; common \$18.25/19.00; pigs \$12.00/16.00.
Hogs receipts 1,500; unchanged. Lams \$14.00/16.00; yearlings \$13.00/14.00; weathers \$12.50/13.50; ewes \$11.50/12.50; calls \$6.00/8.00; goats \$5.00/7.00.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 2.—Hogs receipts 10,000; 10 to 15 higher. Bulk \$25.00/30.00; heavy \$18.30/19.50; light \$18.50/19.25; pigs \$18.00/18.50.
Cattle receipts 4,000, including 900 southern; steady. Prime fed steers \$17.50/18.50; dressed beef steers \$13.50/17.50; southern steers \$8.00/12.00; cows \$6.50/13.00; heifers \$8.00/15.00; stockers \$8.00/17.00; calves \$8.00/13.00.
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Market Report

Cotton Market

By Associated Press.
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By Associated Press.
CHICAGO, Aug. 2.—Sharp advances took place in the corn market today owing largely to reports of excessive dry weather in parts of Iowa and Missouri. Opening prices which ranged from the same as yesterday's finish to 3 1/2 higher with August, 1.56 to 1.56 1/2 and September 1.57 1/2 to 1.57 1/2 were followed by a decided upturn all around.
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number 2 white	1.90	1.90	1.90
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Chicago Produce			
CHICAGO, Aug. 2.—Butter, low or creamery 39 1/2/43 1/2			
Eggs, higher	receipts	1.39	cases
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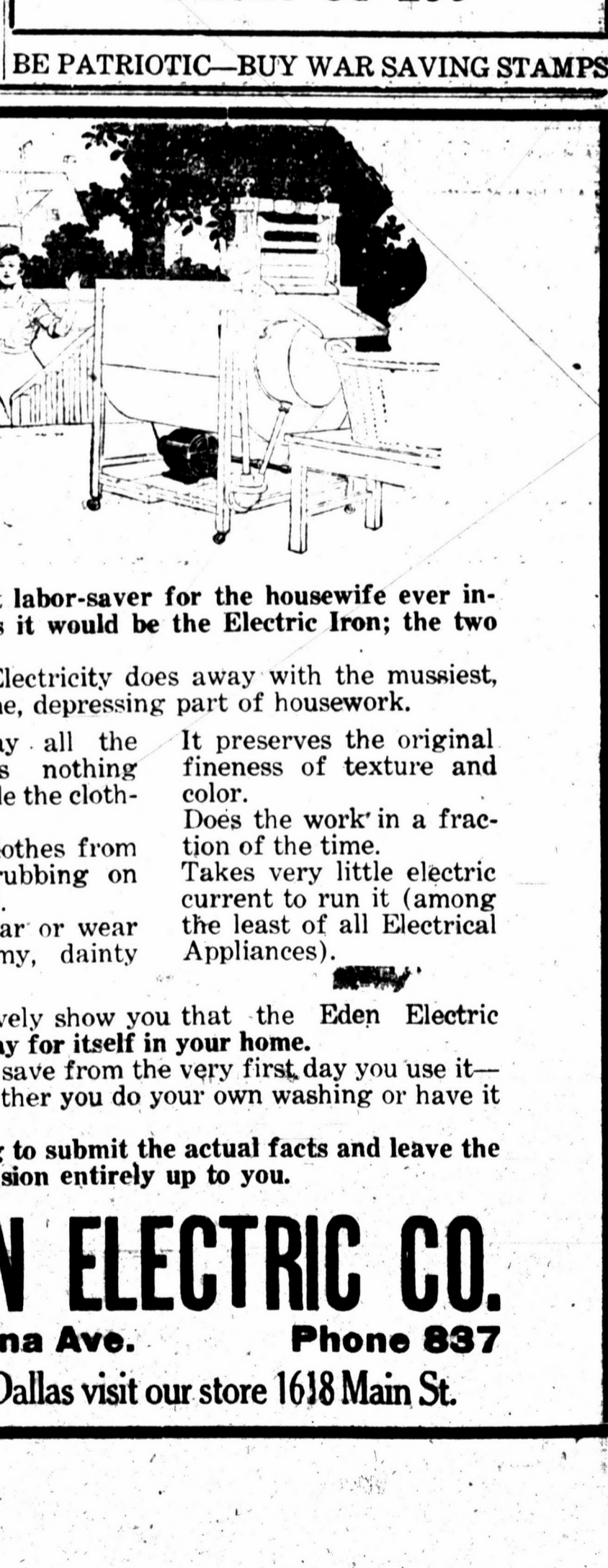
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FOR RENT—2 well furnished cool south rooms for light housekeeping to couple without children. Close in. Phone 2287. 70-21c

FOR RENT—2 nicely furnished light housekeeping rooms, 1102 8th street. Phone 1534. 70-21c

FOR RENT—Two rooms and kitchenette, furnished for light housekeeping, 612 Lamar street. Phone 298. 67-11c

WANTED 2 furnished light housekeeping rooms. Phone 1808. 70-11c

FOR RENT—Furnished light housekeeping rooms. 708 Travis. 68-11c

FOR RENT—2 furnished rooms for housekeeping to couple without children. 1311 14th street. Phone 2224. 70-11c

UNFURNISHED ROOMS

FOR RENT—2 unfurnished rooms, to parties without children. 500 Mississippi. 70-31p

FOR RENT—2 unfurnished rooms, 705 9th street. 68-11c

BOARD AND ROOMS

BOARD and rooms, 1203 Burnett. Phone 1868. 69-51c

RESIDENCES—For Rent

FOR RENT—Brand new four room house newly furnished; garage; 68-31c

FOR RENT—Offices and Stores

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

FOR RENT—August 1st, concrete and brick building, 25x50 on paved alley, 17x50 on paved street. 720 Ohio ave. 61-11c

FOR RENT—One large office room in Jackson bldg., 605 7th st. 68-11c

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Garage at 603 Scott. Phone 1241. 61-11c

FOR RENT—Garage barn. 708 Travis. 69-11c

LIVESTOCK

FOR SALE—Fresh Jersey, strictly family cow. Phone 2288. 70-31p

FOR SALE, 40 head sheep; 15 head short horn registered red cattle; three bulls; two yearlings, one two year old; one fifty, three years old. I don't have to sell. J. O. Leath, Route 1, Charlie, Texas. 69-41p

STRAYED OR STOLEN—One black mule about fifteen years old, 14 hands high was lost since last Wednesday. Finder let me know at once. Will pay reward.—Joe Sternadel, R. 5. 67-41p

FOR SALE—1 6 year-old draft horse weight 1675 pounds; a bargain if sold at once. Moore & Richolt. 61-11c

FOR SALE—Registered Poland China male, 18 months old. Phone 962275. L. B. Anderson. 67-61p

FOR TRADE OR LEASE

FOR SALE or trade, 2-3 room houses bringing 15 per cent on investment. Would consider car or small payment and balance easy. J. H. Reasor, 612 Ohio. 65-61p

HELP WANTED—Male

WANTED—Night clerk at Westland hotel. 70-41c

HELP WANTED—Female

WANTED—Telephone girl at Westland hotel. 70-41c

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Work which is worthy, pay which is just. Rest rooms which are comfortable, work rooms which are cool. Treatment which is considerate and gives a square deal to all. Apply to Chief Operator, Southwestern Telegraph & Telephone Co., Telephone Building. 64-11c

WANTED—A woman for general housework. Call 2498; 1210 9th street. 67-41p

HELP WANTED

GOVERNMENT needs 20,000 clerks at Washington. Examinations everywhere in July. Experience unnecessary. Men and women desiring government positions write for free pamphlet to J. C. Leonard, (former civil service examiner), 478 Kenosia Bldg., Washington. 69-91p

SITUATIONS WANTED

EXPERIENCED young lady stenographer desires position. Phone 1594. 68-31p

POSITION wanted in office by young lady attending Business College. Phone 2107. 69-31c

WANTED—Position as office girl or cashier. Can use typewriter. Phone 840. Mrs. G. A. Cuchenor. 67-51p

FOR SALE—City Property

FOR SALE—5 room modern house, 13th street. Terms. Phone 2155. 52-11c

FOR SALE—8 room modern home on corner lot on 10th street, owner leaving city and desires to make quick sale. This house was built for a home and not for speculation. See this place now. Thomas & Bland. Phone 99. 51-11c

FOR SALE—Rooming house, very reasonable price. Apply 606 1/2 7th st. 65-71p

FOR SALE—A real modern cottage home on Tenth street, extra large living room and dining room, 3 nice size bedrooms, breakfast room and kitchen, oak floors, beam ceilings, French glass doors, large brick mantle built to the ceiling, fine light fixtures in every room, extra good plumbing, large rear porch and nice east porch, servant house and garage, concrete driveway and well fenced. Most ideal location in town. This is a beauty. Get possession at once. Thomas & Bland. Phone 99. 51-11c

FOR SALE—Beautiful home on Eleventh street, two stories, four rooms, full lots, good outbuildings, double garage. Immediate possession. I am going to sell this place in the next ten days. See me at once. J. J. Simpson, Ward Bldg., phone 472. Home phone 2091. 64-11c

FOR SALE—5 room modern house on 10th street. Owner leaving town; would take car as part pay. Phone 1021. 67-51p

WANTED—You to list your property with us for sale. We have several buyers. Thomas & Bland. Phone 99. 51-11c

FOR SALE—Or will lease for six months, beautiful home on Tenth st., in Floral Heights. Has ten large rooms, extra large bath, two stairways, sleeping porch, large south and east front porches with side entrance. Nice fixtures, beamed ceilings in library and dining room, two garages, one brick, has cement driveway. Two room servant house and barn. Will sell furniture or will lease house furnished for six months. Phone 530. 70-21c

BIDS WANTED

BIDS will be received by the city of Wichita until 8 p. m., August 2, 1918, for furnishing all labor and material required in the construction of a reinforced concrete and brick filtration plant. A certified check for \$200.00 must accompany each bid. The city reserves the right to reject any and all bids and waive formalities. Plans and specifications may be obtained from T. M. Hoxie, city secretary, Electric, Texas, or Henry E. Elrod, engineer, Interurban building, Dallas, by depositing \$10.00 which will be returned upon receipt of bona fide bid. 67-31c

FARMS AND RANCHES

FOR SALE—By owner 160 acres land 3 1/2 miles east of Hercul, would lease for oil. Phone or write C. H. Reynolds Randlett, Okla. 66-61p

LEGAL NOTICES

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Then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 25th day of July A. D. 1918 in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1295 wherein W. B. Adams is Plaintiff and W. R. Brantley is Defendant and said petition alleging, That on or about the 14th day of March 1918, plaintiff was lawfully seized and possessed of the following described land and premises situated in Wichita County, Texas, holding and claiming the same in fee simple, to-wit: Being all that certain lot, tract or parcel of land situated in the county of Wichita, and State of Texas, and being lot No. 8, in Block No. 6, in the Wichita Addition to the town of Horkburnett, Texas, as shown by recorded map of plat thereof as recorded in the Deed Records of Wichita County, Texas. That on the day and year last aforesaid defendant unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiff therefrom and unlawfully withholds from him the possession thereof, to his damage \$100. That the reasonable annual rental value of said land and premises is \$180.00. Wherefore plaintiff prays judgment of the court that defendant be cited to appear and answer this petition, and that plaintiff have judgment for the title and possession of said land and premises above described and that a writ of restitution issue, and for rents, damages and costs of suit and for such other and further relief, special and general, in law and equity, that he may be justly entitled to.

Herein fail not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND and the Seal of said Court, at office in Wichita Falls, Texas, this 25th day of July A. D. 1918.

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INDIANAPOLIS MAN BUYS THE PALACE DRUG STORE HERE

Lewis Pink of Indianapolis, Ind., has purchased the Palace Drug Store of J. N. Prothro and has already taken possession. Mr. Pink came to Wichita Falls on a visit some two months ago and was so favorably impressed with the business conditions here that he decided to locate. He had been engaged in the drug business in Indianapolis for a number of years, and on his return home he sold out and came back to make his permanent home. Mr. Lewis is a brother-in-law of Mr. Leo Markowitz of the Baum & Gardner Co., and until he can find a house that suits him the family will make their home with Mr. and Mrs. Markowitz.

Mr. Pink has been in the drug business for nineteen years and is therefore familiar with every detail of it. There will be no changes in the policy of the Palace, he announces, and the same assistants will be continued in their positions.

Mr. Prothro had been connected with the Palace about eight years, coming first as a partner with W. H. Cousins. About four years ago he purchased Mr. Cousins' interests, since which time he has been the sole owner. Trade continued to increase to such an extent as to make the supervision of the store a very arduous job, and Mr. Prothro is retiring to engage in a vocation that will give him more leisure and more outdoor exercise. He will take a vacation for a time and later has in mind engaging in the real estate business, making a specialty of building homes to sell.

PERSONALS

Mrs. C. W. Snider and daughter, Miss Helen, Horace Moore, nephew of Mrs. Snider, and R. L. Cousins, arrived Thursday evening in Colorado Springs, making the trip by automobile.

Judge Edgar Scully went to Tulsa today for a conference in regard to the annual U. C. V. and S. C. V. Reunion which is to be held in Tulsa in September.

Homer Crawford has gone to Colorado Springs where he will enjoy the pleasures of the tourist before entering Camp Cody at Deming, New Mexico.

E. C. Workman has returned from a business trip to Oklahoma City and Amarillo.

Mrs. L. H. McKinley has returned to Dallas after a ten days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wilson.

Miss Lucie Higgins and Alla Stayton will leave tonight for Belton, Texas, for a visit with Miss Stayton's sister, Ruth, who is attending Baylor-Belton College.

Mrs. John McGill and little son have returned from an extended stay at Colorado summer resorts.

Leo J. Curtis, cashier of the First National Bank of Byers, and R. L. Ligon, vice president of the same institution, were in the city this morning.

Miss Mamie Meadors has returned from a visit with friends in Rogers, Arkansas.

Miss Bonnie Bell Zetsche, deputy district clerk, will leave Saturday for a visit with relatives in Dallas.

Mrs. W. M. Langford and sister, Mrs. George Spearns, have returned from a visit with relatives in Jonesboro, Arkansas, and Memphis, Tennessee.

Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Smith of Hedley, and Mrs. D. B. Mauldin of El Paso, are the guests of Mrs. O. W. Hines, 702 Scott.

Noel Bullock has returned from an extended visit in Denver, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Stratton left today for Colorado Springs where they will join Miss Eva Stratton, who has been at that place since June.

Mrs. Crawford of Decatur is visiting her son at 509 Lee street.

Mrs. J. W. Penn of this city is visiting her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Start of Oklahoma.

New Suits Filed in 78th District Court. Eunice Armstrong vs. E. M. Armstrong, divorce.

A. C. Hale et al vs. M. D. Walker et al, suit on contracts.

V. H. Smith et al vs. A. M. Hill, specific performance of contract.

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LOCAL BREVITIES

J. L. Walsh, formerly superintendent of the Wichita Falls division of the M. & T. and of the Northwestern, has been named head of the Safety First committee of the government consolidated railroads and will have headquarters in Dallas, according to the announcement of E. A. Pevatt, the federal railroad manager of the state.

One case of affray, in which a hotel man was charged with slapping an errand boy in his employ, was tried in police court this morning and the defendant fined \$5. Another case of affray was passed until this afternoon.

SPENCER CLAIMS LEAD OF 150 TO 250 IN DISTRICT
Judge Charles F. Spencer telephoned to friends here from Montague this afternoon that an error of 100 votes in Montague county in the 1900s box had been discovered. He said the corrected vote gave him an additional lead of 100 in Montague county. He said that he claimed to be in the lead between 150 to 250 votes over Parrish in the district.

Deeds Filed For Record.
W. T. Willis to Sam Sides, lot 9, block 26, W. L. Morris addition to Burk Burnett.
M. L. Compton and wife to Tom Bodford, five acre tract from outer blocks 23 and 24, Burk Burnett, \$1,400.
J. B. Blessing to Homer Beach, lots 9 and 10, block 11, Burk Burnett, \$2,750.
B. Seal to L. P. Clark, lot 8, block 15, J. J. Jalonick addition to the city of Wichita Falls, \$2,250.

CADET RODGERS KILLED AT CHANUTE FIELD
By Associated Press. CHAMPAIGN, Ill., Aug. 2.—Cadet S. W. Rodgers of Brookline, Mass., was killed late yesterday evening in an airplane accident at Chanute field.

MAGNOLIA CO. PAYS \$100,000 FOR LEASE ON 329 ACRES LAND

One hundred thousand dollars was the cash consideration named in an oil lease given by S. L. Fowler of Burk Burnett to the Magnolia Petroleum Company, which was filed with the clerk of Wichita county this morning. An additional \$30,000 was paid by the Magnolia company to Mr. Fowler for a transfer of a lease on 100 acres of land secured from J. G. Hardin, this transfer of lease being filed also this morning.

For the sum of \$100,000 the Magnolia Petroleum company has acquired the oil, gas and mineral rights to one half of the Fowler farm of 658 acres, the tract leased to the corporation containing the east 329 acres of the farm. In addition to the cash consideration Mr. Fowler will receive one eighth royalty from all producing well drills by the lessees.

Practically all of the recording business of the county clerk's office at present is made up of Burk Burnett land transfers and leases. The daily filings are noticeably heavier since the Fowler well was struck and now the Burk Burnett exchanges will vie with the oil deeds of Electric companies in number.

AT THE CHURCHES

St. Paul's Ev. Lutheran Church. (Mo. Synod)
Cor. Eleventh and Holliday Sts. There will be Sunday school at the usual hour, 9:30 a. m. Morning worship at 10:30. Bible class will be postponed a week, as we will have a special service at 8:30 in the evening, in which the Camp Pastor from Camp Bowie, Rev. Krause, will give us a talk on the work of the church among the soldiers. His subject will be "The Threefold Character of Camp Work: the Pastoral, the Missionary and the Social." Ladies Aid will meet Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. F. Thoms, 612 Eleventh St. Everybody is cordially invited to worship with us.
C. M. BEYER, Pastor.

Lutheran Trinity Church.
Cor. 14th and Bluff
Sunday, Aug. 4. Sunday school an hour before service. Divine service begins at 11 a. m. Subject of sermon, "Why Did Jesus Weep?" Meeting of trustees right after service. The Young Peoples Society meets at 2:30 p. m., followed by choir practice. English night service at 8:30. Subject of sermon, "Difference Among Church Goers." Our Ladies Aid will meet Wednesday, Aug. 7, at 2:30 p. m.
W. UTESCH, P.

First Baptist Church.
Sunday school 10 a. m. We want to be sure Sunday that there are more civilian men there than soldiers. Don't forget this, men Preaching 11 a. m. special music. B. Y. P. U. 7:30 p. m. New organization: New Life. We hope that all the young people of the church will enter heartily into this work. Preaching service at 8:30 p. m. The call field band will furnish the music and we want to encourage them with a fine attendance.
O. L. POWERS, Pastor.

First Presbyterian Church.
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. by the assistant pastor, B. F. Judd, subject, "We are the Salt of the Earth." No evening service. Christian Endeavor at 7:45 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 8:30 p. m.

Church of the Good Shepherd. (Episcopal) Tenth and Burnett.
Holy communion 8 a. m. Holy communion and sermon 11 a. m. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Special music. The public is invited to worship with us.—
JOHN G. LARSEN, Pastor.

Floral Heights Presbyterian Church.
Sunday school at 10 a. m. No morning service, but regular evening service at 8:45. Ladies Aid Monday at 3 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday at 8:45 p. m.—B. F. JUDD, Pastor.

The First Methodist Episcopal Church.
Corner 7th and Lamar. 8:30 p. m. Sunday evening patriotic service, with the "Lighted Cross." U. S. Flag, stereopticon pictures illustrating Mr. Taylor's solo; pipe organ with choir, piano and orchestra. Subject of sermon, "The Unconquerable Christ of Democracy" sixth in "The War Morals" series; dismissed at 9:30. 9:45 a. m. Sunday school with missionary program. 11:00 a. m. morning worship with sermon, subject, "Justification by Faith," fifth in the series, "Realities in Religious Experience." 7:30. Epworth League devotional service. Mrs. Howard will play a violin solo, a special program is prepared. 8:30 evening service. Invite your friends and bring them to services you can't afford to miss.—H. F. DRAPER, Pastor.

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All special prices or quotations that we have made in the past are hereby cancelled. This action was forced on us owing to the discontinuation of the manufacture of new machines by the leading companies except for government work.

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One month by carrier	50c
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