

POLES AND HOME GUARD FIGHT IN THE STREETS

WILSON RETURNS TO PARIS FROM VISIT TO ITALY

WARMLY WELCOMED AT TURIN, WHERE LUNCHEON IS GIVEN BY MAYOR.

DELIVERS AN ADDRESS

Congratulates and Praises Italians For Part Taken in Winning the War.

By Associated Press. PARIS, Jan. 7.—(Havas).—President Wilson, accompanied by Mrs. Wilson and Miss Margaret Wilson, arrived here at 10:10 o'clock this morning from their visit to Italy.

By Associated Press. TURIN, Monday, Jan. 6.—President Wilson's address on the balcony of the municipal building at Turin today was as follows:

"My Friends of Turin: I now have the privilege of addressing you as my fellow citizens. It is impossible at this distance that my voice should reach all of you, but I want you to know that I bring the greetings and the affectionate greetings of the United States to the people of Italy and the great city of Turin. My sentiments coming from the heart is the sentiment of our people. Viva Italia!"

PRESIDENT RESPONDS TO WELCOME OF CITY

By Associated Press. TURIN, Monday, Jan. 7.—In accepting the freedom of the city of Turin at a meeting in the municipal building today President Wilson said:

"My Mayor: Both on the streets of this interesting city and here you have made me feel at home. I feel almost as if I were the guest of a people of whom I was indeed a fellow citizen. I am very much honored that this great city, playing so important a role in the life and the industrial endowment of Italy should have conferred this high distinction upon me, and I take the liberty of interpreting your action, Sir, not merely as a personal compliment to myself, whom you ascribe virtues and powers which I feel I do not possess, but as a tribute to the people whom I represent.

Reluctant to Take Part. "The people of the United States were reluctant to take part in the war, not because they doubted the justice of the cause but because it was the tradition of the American republic to play no part in the politics of other continents, but as the struggle grew from stage to stage, they were more and more moved by the conviction that it was a struggle for the freedom of the world and the liberation of humanity and with that conviction it was impossible that they should withhold their hands.

Hearts With Italy. "Their hearts have been with you from the start and when the time of their conviction came they threw every resource of men and money and enthusiasm into the struggle. It has been a happy circumstance that America should thus be associated with Italy. Our ties had been many and intimate before the war and now they constitute a pledge of friendship and of a permanent association of purposes which must delight both peoples.

LAW OF LOUISIANA AS TO SHIPMENTS OF LIQUOR VALID

By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—The Louisiana state prohibition law regulating liquor shipments into parts of the state where sale of intoxicants is prohibited, was in effect declared constitutional today by the supreme court, which dismissed proceedings growing out of the conviction of J. W. Selser under the act.

ENGLAND IS NOT TO SEND TROOPS TO RUSSIAN SOIL

By Associated Press. LONDON, Jan. 7.—The British government has not the slightest intention of sending any more troops to Russia. It was announced today. Not more than 20,000 British troops are in Russia today, a number of which are non-combatant, the announcement states, and they are being brought back as quickly as possible.

By Associated Press. BERLIN, Saturday, Jan. 4.—There has been further shooting in Posen and lively street fighting between the Poles and home guards at Gnesen and Strelow, according to special dispatches received here. All rail traffic to Gnesen has been stopped. In Bromberg, northeast of Posen, the representatives of the German government have been arrested by the Polish soldiers and workmen's council. Polish troops are reported continuing their advance northward parallel to the railway from Kreuz through Schneidmuhl to Danzig. The Poles now hold the railway from Schneidmuhl to Bromberg. At a point west of Schneidmuhl German troops are concentrated to contest the Polish advance.

It is reported from Brunswick that the state government there has issued a sharp protest against the formation of a corps of volunteers for service against the Poles. The Brunswick soldiers and workmen's council declares that such a corps "would be merely a tool in the hands of the counter-revolutionists and would lead to civil war."

RUTHENIAN TROOPS HAVE SURROUNDED LEMBERG

By Associated Press. LONDON, Jan. 7.—The Ruthenian troops have advanced and surrounded Lemberg which is defended by the Poles, according to a Central News dispatch from Copenhagen, quoting advice from Vienna dated Saturday. It is added that the Poles have been driven from Lubachoff, northwest of Lemberg.

The advance on Lemberg the Ruthenians attacked the 20,000 rifles on a front twelve miles. All the Polish forces in Lemberg took part in the fighting including a division of Polish women.

AMERICAN PLAN FOR LEAGUE GIVEN IN PARIS REPORT

By Associated Press. PARIS, Jan. 7.—What it calls the American plan for a league of nations is outlined today by the Paris edition of the London Daily Mail. The paper reports that the British government not only has accepted the plan but is prepared to go much farther.

The framework of the American scheme, according to the Daily Mail, follows the working organization in a small country such as Belgium or Holland. Each nation shall send one ambassador, who also will be a member of the cabinet of his country. The ambassadors would sit continuously and would act always in agreement with their home government.

The court of the league of nations would be subordinate to and distinct from the ambassadors.

Arbitration in case of disputes would be voluntary, but compulsory if necessary. In case of a refusal to arbitrate, it is added, the league would appoint some of its members to exercise pressure.

BOLSHEVIKI ARE CONTINUING THEIR MARCH IN RUSSIA

By Associated Press. LONDON, Jan. 7.—The port of Riga was captured at noon on January fourth by the bolshevik, according to a Russian wireless dispatch received here today.

By Associated Press. LONDON, Jan. 7.—In Estonia the bolsheviks are marching on Reval and have reached Charloientoff, about 30 miles east-southeast of Reval.

GENERAL ADVANCE IS OFFICIALLY REPORTED

LONDON, Jan. 7.—A general advance by the bolshevik forces marching westward in old Russia is claimed in an official report sent out by wireless by the Russian soviet government. The capture of numerous villages is reported.

TO EDUCATE PEOPLE AS TO TRAFFIC LAWS

DALLAS, TEX., Jan. 7.—To acquaint the public with the provisions of city and state traffic laws, a plan is being considered here whereby the city will educate the people with an extensive campaign on the subject. The movement was started by the mayor.

INADEQUATE TERMINALS IS LIMITING CAPACITIES

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—Inadequate terminals constitute the principal limitation on railroads' traffic capacities, said Carl R. Gray, director of the railroad administration's division of operations in his report made public today by Director McAdoo.

VISIT OF MARSHAL FOCH TO LONDON



MARSHAL FOCH'S VISIT TO LONDON. Marshal Foch and M. Clemenceau, with their Italian colleagues, Baron Sonnino and Signor Orlando, arrived in London and drove through fogged and crowded streets to Hyde Park Corner, where the carriages separated. Marshal Foch, accompanied by the Duke of Connaught, turned park to the left, and the carriage drove toward the arch, with a glimpse of the symbolic Quadriga in the background. The great French soldier was received with cheers and waving of flags all the way along, and dense crowds assembled in front of his hotel and cheered until he came out and showed himself upon the balcony.

SIMPLE CEREMONY IS PLANNED FOR FUNERAL

By Associated Press. OYSTER BAY, N. Y., Jan. 7.—With the flags of Oyster Bay drooped at half mast and all citizens in deep mourning over the death yesterday of Colonel Theodore Roosevelt arrangements for the unostentatious funeral service here tomorrow were being perfected today by members of the family. High in the air over Sagamore Hill army airplanes from Hazelhurst Field maintained a ceaseless vigil, occasionally swooping toward the earth to drop a wreath of laurel among the elms near the mansion.

In accordance with the wishes of the former president, as expressed to Mrs. Roosevelt, obsequies will be of almost Spartan simplicity. First there will be a prayer tomorrow at 12:45 o'clock, the Protestant Episcopal service for the dead will be read in Christ church by the rector, the Rev. George E. Talmage. There will be no music, no eulogy, nor honorary ball honors. Mrs. Roosevelt has requested that no flowers be sent. Present and former employees of the Roosevelt estate probably will carry the casket to the funeral.

Burial will be in Young's memorial cemetery—the God's Acre of the old Young's farm. Colonel Roosevelt will lie among the fir trees on the crest of a knoll overlooking Oyster Bay Cove—a beautiful spot—located soon after he left the White House. The cemetery was established as a family burial place by an old Long Island family nearly two centuries ago. The colonel will be buried at its altar as his parents had done in the family plot.

Quaint Old Church. The quaint church where the services will be held has seating accommodations for only 350 persons. Admission will be by ticket, which are recently celebrated its 200th anniversary. A bronze tablet bearing the names of the vestrymen includes that of "Theodore Roosevelt, president of the United States." Two pages of foolscap, hung in cases on the walls, carry the names of young men who entered the service for the war. The names of Colonel Roosevelt's sons head the list.

Nothing to Live For. "There is nothing for me to live for if Teddy is never coming by here again. Teddy—why, Teddy used to sic his dog on me when he was a boy." The flood of reminiscences which has hit Oyster Bay brought to public notice a story which the townspeople have long been familiar with, but regarding which the outside world perhaps has never known. It is a circumstance which may be said to be eloquently characteristic of the gentlemanly life of the Roosevelt family.

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BERLIN A HOTBED OF ANARCHY WITH CIVIL WAR NOW RAGING

WANTS GERMANY INCLUDED IN THE PROPOSED LEAGUE

SUCH A PROPOSAL IS MADE BY SENATOR CUMBER OF NORTH DAKOTA

NECESSARY FOR PEACE

is First Republican Member of The Senate to Voice Approval Of Proposed League.

By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—Immediate establishment of a league of nations, with Germany as a member, was urged in the Senate today by Senator Cumber of North Dakota, the first republican member of the Senate to voice approval of President Wilson's proposal for such an organization.

The first clause of a compact for such a league, Senator Cumber said, should declare that each independent nation of the world shall exist at the time this compact shall be executed, has the right to live and believe in its own destiny free from any imposing danger of any mighty military neighbor.

"With such a solemn compact of nations, executed by all the great nations of the world," said the North Dakota senator, "the danger of any great war would be pressed far into the realm of impossibility. Does anybody believe that it was a great international agreement had been in existence prior to 1911, even Germany, with her autocratic and irresponsible government would have dared break her compact?"

Wants Germany's Signature. "I want this bond, and I want Germany's signature to this bond. She has been the only country that has threatened the peace of the whole world for the last 45 years and to see her threat every other nation had to keep itself armed to the teeth and weighted to the verge of poverty to maintain might armaments."

Wants League of Nations. "I want the Monroe doctrine, I want the League of Nations, I believe we should extend the hand of brotherhood and friendship to democratic Germany when its people have repudiated the stigma on real character and have severed their country clear of the worst malady, bolshevism."

Would Strengthen Monroe Doctrine. Replying to the argument that establishment of a league of nations would weaken the Monroe doctrine, Senator Cumber said the league would strengthen it, as nations would be bound to respect the territorial integrity of the Central and South American republics, whereas now only the United States guarantees their independence and integrity.

MIGRATORY BIRD LAW IS DECLARED UNCONSTITUTIONAL

By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—The federal migratory bird law of 1913 under which the government for the first time exerted authority over prescribed "closed seasons" for wild birds which habitually migrate from state to state, with the varying seasons was in effect declared invalid today by the supreme court which dismissed the government's motion on appeal from a decision of the Arkansas federal district court holding the statute unconstitutional.

BERGER CASE TO GO TO THE JURY THIS AFTERNOON

By Associated Press. CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—The case of Cletor L. Berger, congressman-elect of Milwaukee and four other socialist members on trial before Judge Judge Danahoe, charged with conspiracy to violate the espionage act law, will be given to the jury late this afternoon. Both delivered their final arguments today.

COPENHAGEN, Jan. 7.—Berlin is in a state of complete anarchy and civil war has begun there according to the Munich correspondent of the Politikon. His information he says is based on telephonic messages from the German capital.

All the banks are barricaded and a great number of the public buildings are in the hands of the spartan or extreme radical group.

Thousands of armed workmen of the Spartacus faction, the revolutionary party, are crowding the streets and at several points firing has begun. The sound of machine gun fire could be heard from all parts of Berlin.

The message reported the intention of the government to make an effort to storm the building of the police guards later in the day and take possession of all the machine guns and cannon there.

Dr. Karl Liebknecht, the spartan leader, has been seen here and there about the city, and it is expected that the final fight, which, the correspondent says, is expected to begin very soon.

Hundreds of persons are reported fleeing from the city.

Reports from Berlin on Monday relayed that the police, in a bid to restore a disturbed condition of affairs in Berlin on Sunday due to another attempt of the spartan group to obtain control of the city and replace present German government.

The ultra-radical forces opposed to the Ebert government sallied forth from their strongholds near the district which contained the principal newspaper offices, seized several of the newspaper plants, including those of the Tageblatt, Vossische Zeitung, Vorwaerts and Morgenpost, together with the offices of the Wolff Bureau, the semi-official newspaper agency. Apparently the government still retained control of the German wireless service, for contemporaneously with the reports of revolutionary activities on the part of the spartan faction came an official wireless message declaring that Germany was about to take diplomatic and military measures against the Russian bolshevik government for her own protection.

The spartan faction had maintained close relations with Russian bolshevik interests and apparently it was the Russian bolsheviks who had over entirely to the spartans. These two groups have issued a joint declaration declaring that the fight to preserve the revolution must now be fought.

OVER 85 PER CENT OF WOUNDED HAVE RETURNED TO DUTY

By Associated Press. FORT WORTH, Tex., Jan. 7.—Two hundred and fifty artillery and cavalry horses were sold at auction by the government this morning, this being the start of a series of such auctions at Camp Bowie remount station. The artillery horses brought an average of \$75 each; they cost the government an average of \$130 each. The cavalry mounts were auctioned for an average of \$75 each while they cost the army \$165 each. The army officers stated that the auction prices here are higher than they have been elsewhere notably Houston and Waco.

About 200 horses remain to be sold. The sales will be auctioned Wednesday.

FATHER-IN-LAW OF CAPT. ROOSEVELT DIES

By Associated Press. BOSTON, Jan. 7.—Funeral services were held today for Thomas St. John Lockwood, father-in-law of Captain Archibald B. Roosevelt.

CONSTITUTIONALITY OF GRAIN INSPECTION UPHOLD BY COURT

By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—Constitutionality of the Missouri grain inspection act of 1913 was today upheld by the supreme court in making permanent injunctions restraining the merchants exchange of St. Louis from weighing and inspecting grain.

The chronicler says: "History places some big things in his record but bigger than any, perhaps, was the challenging impact of his personality on the world in which he lived."

DRY AMENDMENT RATIFIED BY OHIO

By Associated Press. COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 7.—Ohio is the first state to ratify the national prohibition amendment. The lower house of the legislature this afternoon adopted the prohibition resolution and the state senate this morning adopted the resolution. Ohio is the seventeenth state to ratify.

LONDON PRESS EULOGIZES LIFE AND CHARACTERISTICS OF COL. ROOSEVELT

By Associated Press. LONDON, Jan. 7.—In discussing the death of Theodore Roosevelt, the Times says this morning: "In politics, as in all else, he was a vigorous fighting man and dealt hard blows. His opponents smarted under them but the most determined enemies in that field were just as proud of him as a great citizen as were the rest of the American people."

"He can not be ranked with the lofty creative geniuses of politics, but his name will go down among those of American presidents with something of a character that attaches to the name of Lincoln, as one who was a great abiding force in morals as well as politics and who served his country with unwearied earnestness and zeal."

The Post says: "It is not every voice that carries across the Atlantic but Roosevelt's did. It was listened to here almost as attentively as in America and its full matter downward accents will be missed. The world can ill spare its big men now."

AMERICANS ABROAD PAY TRIBUTE TO FORMER PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT

By Associated Press. PARIS, Jan. 7.—Theodore Roosevelt's death came as a shock to Paris, which was unaware of his illness. The public had been expecting the fulfillment of his proposed visit to France.

The news of Colonel Roosevelt's death was communicated by the Associated Press to the peace commission and other officials in diplomatic circles, eliciting general expressions of shock and regret.

J. J. Jusserand, the French ambassador to the United States said: "The unexpected death of one who has upheld all his life the principles of virile manhood, straightforward honesty and fearlessness, will be mourned all over the world, no where more sincerely than in France, whose cause he upheld in her worst crisis in a way that shall never be forgotten."

Henry White, one of the American peace commissioners, said: "I have heard of Mr. Roosevelt's death with deep sorrow because of the loss to the nation of a great public servant and to myself of a lifelong friend."

Herbert C. Hoover said: "The news of Mr. Roosevelt's death comes to me as a distinct shock. America is poorer for the loss of a great citizen, the world for the loss of a great man. His virility and Americanism has been one of our national treasures."

Colonel E. M. House said: "I am greatly shocked to hear the news that comes from America. The entire world will share the grief which will be felt in United States over the death of Theodore Roosevelt. He was the one virile and courageous leader of his generation and will live in history as one of our greatest presidents."

Colonel House sent to Mrs. Roosevelt a cablegram saying: "The death of Colonel Roosevelt removed from our national life a great American. His vigor of mind and ceaseless energy made him a conspicuous figure in public affairs. Friends and enemies alike recognize the force of his personality and the great influence he had in molding public thought and purpose. His patriotism and devotion to his country will long be remembered by all his fellow citizens, while his sturdy Americanism will be an inspiration to future generations."

President Poincare, when informed by the Associated Press of the death of Theodore Roosevelt, said: "I am very much affected by the report of President Roosevelt's death. It was so unexpected. After the president had left the hospital, some days ago, we thought that all danger had passed."

"I do I remember the dignified letter which I received from Mr. Roosevelt after the death of his son, Quentin, in which he informed me that he was coming to France to visit the grave of his son. It is distressing to me to think that poor Roosevelt will not have an opportunity to lay flowers on the grave of his heroic son."

"The whole heart of France goes out to Mrs. Roosevelt in sympathy."

"Friend of Liberty, friend of France; Roosevelt has given, without counting, sons and daughters, his energy, that liberty may live. We are grateful to him. We wish to express to Mrs. Roosevelt our most sincere condolence."

B. F. JOHNSON IS NAMED DELEGATE TO CONFERENCE

Special to The Times. DALLAS, TEX., Jan. 7.—George J. Roark, president, Texas Commercial Executives Association, today appointed the following delegates to represent that body at the readjustment conference which is to be held by the various industrial and commercial organizations of Texas at Houston, January 10th and 11th.

Will L. Vining, Orange; Geo. W. Briggs, Lubbock; B. F. Bennett, Abilene; A. L. Burke, Tyler; W. L. Long, Austin; Porter Whaley, Brownwood; G. S. Brickey, DeWitt; D. Henderson, Gainesville; B. F. Johnson, Wichita Falls; J. E. Surratt, Sherman; J. B. Carrington, San Antonio.

In addition to these delegates an invitation to attend the conference has been issued to the executives of every Chamber of Commerce in Texas, who with their presidents and the mayors of their cities will be entitled to representation at the meeting.

Must Pull Together.

In making these appointments, Mr. Roark made the following statement and for a "pulling together" of all sections and organizations of Texas during the reconstruction period.

"The call for a statewide conference of all business organizations at Houston, January 10 and 11, issued by the Associated Industries of Texas is a decided step forward. Being primarily an agricultural commonwealth, Texas must always be on the alert because the agricultural product is the first to suffer from business reverses of any character. More time and energy must be devoted to safeguarding and forwarding the development of our natural resources, the most important of which at this time is the agricultural and live stock industry.

Texas An Empire.

Within its borders Texas is much larger than many European countries, yet Texas cotton is sent to Europe to be spun. Texas cotton seed oil, peanuts and many other products are crossed the water only to return to the citizens of Texas in a manufactured state. This unwieldy and unnatural process, naturally, is detrimental to the citizens of Texas and primarily to the farmers of Texas.

Texas needs and must have more railroads and more good automobile roads before the right kind of development in any line can be intelligently expected. The energies of all Texas organizations should be centered on these two principal development factors.

Millions of acres of Texas land lie idle and will continue to lie idle until a means of communication is established and inasmuch as the airplane is not yet developed on a practical basis no other means is possible than the dirt road and the railroad.

For reasons obvious to all of us development of this kind has been practically stopped during the war period. By concerted effort and immediate action on the part of Texas business men capital can be attracted which will build railroads and Texas counties themselves with proper guidance can vote all the bonds needed for building the dirt roads. It is a lamentable fact that many counties have not yet in any manner taken advantage of the state and federal aid in road building which shows a lack of proper education and a tendency towards penny wisdom and pound foolishness.

Program of Special Interest.

The program for the readjustment conference as outlined to date will be of special interest to all Texas commercial executives as well as every other business man. The executives and officials of Texas Chambers of Commerce realize that their organization work does not stop at city or county boundaries, but that all accomplishments of their organization reflect upon and either benefit or mar the entire section in which it operates.

Therefore every secretary in Texas should make an especial effort to at-

EXPECT QUOTA OF CAMPAIGN WILL SOON BE REACHED

Less than \$10,000 in renewals and new subscriptions have been reported so far as the result of the past four days campaign for Chamber of Commerce members for 1919, Secretary B. F. Johnson reported today, but from the fact that the majority of the committees at work have made no reports, and the rivalry that has been instituted between the different sections, he continued, it will be safe to say that the quota of \$40,000 set for the 1919 budget, will be reached by next Tuesday, January 14, when the campaign will close. There is one more week of work, before the big annual banquet and business session to be held next Tuesday night at the Soldiers Club, and those at the head of the campaign are confident that the report they will have to make at that time will demonstrate the efficacy of the "Wichita Way" when put to work for the city builders association, the Chamber of Commerce.

The retail club has issued a challenge to the other divisions, and guarantees that the retail enrollment will be larger than any other committee, according to the chairman of this committee W. W. Anderson. It is understood that the oil men's committee has been at work on the quiet, and that the retail committee will have to "get a regular move on" if they back up their guarantee.

There will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Rice Oil & Development Company at their offices in Gainesville, Texas, on the 2nd Tuesday in January, 1919. You are requested to proceed—Dr. C. F. Rice, Pres.; J. T. Tatum, Sec.

Returning Troops Will Be Sent To Camp Near Home

By Associated Press. NEWPORT NEWS, VA., Jan. 7.—Returning soldiers are being sent at once to camps near their homes, it was said today in an announcement of Machine Gun Battalion, four officers and 127 men, were at Newport News yesterday, one was due to leave today and five more Jan. 9.

Troops leaving yesterday for Camp Pike, Ark., were a detachment of the One Hundred and Fourteenth Ammunition Train, two officers and 77 men and a detachment of the 141st Machine Gun Battalion, 12 officers and 227 men. Three detachments left for Camp Funston, Kans.; a detachment of the 52nd Coast Artillery Corps, 24 officers and 706 men.

Another detachment of the 52nd Coast Artillery Corps, 23 officers and 702 men leave today for Camp Funston, Kans.

Three detachments will leave January 9 for Camp Beauregard, La.; a detachment of the 114th Ammunition Train, 22 officers and 729 men; the 29th Division Cadre, 11 officers and 81 men and a detachment of the 141st Machine Gun Battalion, four officers and 119 men. Two detachments will leave for Camp Taylor, Ky.; a detachment of the 140th Ammunition Train, nine officers and 287 men and detachment of the 141st Machine Gun Battalion, four officers and 119 men.

Prepare For the Inauguration of Governor Hobby

By Associated Press. AUSTIN, TEX., Jan. 7.—Subscriptions to the fund to defray the expenses of the inauguration of Governor Hobby, which will take place January 12, 1919, have reached approximately \$2,000.

The inaugural ceremonies will consist of a parade, in which 600 officers of the Texas National Guard will participate and representatives of the various state institutions will appear. Invitations to the inaugural ball are nearly ready. Approximately 8,000 invitations are to be sent out. It is thought that the Governor will take advantage of the presence of representatives from every section of the State and at some time during the ceremonies direct public attention to the activities in which the State is caring for her unfortunates. Arrangements are being made for the decoration of the capitol and city for the event.

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Time of Service Is Indicated By Chevron or Stripe

By Associated Press. CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—"You can't tell the players without a score card," the familiar cry at the baseball parks, could almost be applied to soldiers returning from France, according to army officers. To aid the public in determining a man's time in the war zone and the number of times wounded, the following has been prepared:

War Service Chevron: A V-shaped bar of gold lace, worn on lower part of left sleeve of all uniform coats, except fatigue coats, by officers, field clerks and enlisted men who have served six months in the war zone. This chevron is worn point down. An additional chevron is allowed for each six months service.

Wound Chevron: Also a V-shaped bar of gold lace, worn point down, on the right sleeve. Not more than one wound chevron can be worn if two or more wounds are sustained at the same time.

Silver Chevron: For officers, field clerks and enlisted men who served six months outside the theater of operations a silver chevron (worn the same as the gold chevron) is allowed. For each additional six months another chevron is worn.

Scarlet Chevron: Soldiers honorably discharged wear a scarlet chevron, point up, on the left sleeve above the elbow. These are in addition to the usual service stripes.

Service Stripes: Enlisted men who have served three years will wear service stripes of the corps or department of service. The stripes are worn diagonally on both sleeves of the dress coat below elbow.

Sky Blue Cloth Chevron: Service of less than six months in theater of war is indicated by a sky blue cloth worn as the gold war service chevron.

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Man Charged With Trading With Enemy Is Dead in Paris

By Associated Press. PARIS, Jan. 7. (Havas).—Louis Termel, representative in the chamber of deputies, who was arrested in October 1917, on charges of trading with the enemy, is dead.

The discovery of 27,000 Swiss francs in the cloak room in the chamber of deputies used by Deputy Termel was one of the first disclosures of the "defeatist" movement. Termel refused to divulge the origin of the money and with his wife was arrested. In July, 1918, it was announced that Deputy Termel would be charged with revealing intelligence to the enemy, an offense punishable by death.

CABLEGRAM OF SYMPATHY FROM PRESIDENT WILSON

By Associated Press. OYSTER BAY, N. Y., Jan. 7.—Mrs. Roosevelt received during the night a cablegram of sympathy from President Wilson dated Modena which is on the Franco-Italian frontier, reading as follows:

"Pray accept my heartfelt sympathy on the death of your distinguished husband, the news of which has shocked me very much and which I am sure will be shared by all the great world figure, the most commanding personality in our public life since Lincoln. I mourn his going as a personal loss. Mrs. Taft and I tender you our sincere and deepest sympathy."

From former President Taft came the following, dated Harrisburg, Pa.: "I am shocked to hear the bad news. My heart goes out to you and yours in great sorrow. The country can ill afford in this critical period of history to lose one who has done and could do so much for it and humanity. He was a great patriotic American, a great world figure, the most commanding personality in our public life since Lincoln. I mourn his going as a personal loss. Mrs. Taft and I tender you our sincere and deepest sympathy."

NEGRO TROOPS ARRIVE ON TRANSPORT LOUISVILLE

By Associated Press. NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—The United States transport Louisville arrived in port today from France carrying 964 troops and 53 civilians. Of the troops 876 are negroes comprising casual companies numbered 108, 109, 1066, 1065, 1070, 1071 and headquarters consisting of four officers. These troops will be sent to Camp Mills. Thirteen casual officers and 73 sick and wounded also were aboard.

Drilling Contracts Wanted.

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See W.P. Oil company for leases, Indiana Ave. 200-12tc

CASES ARE TRANSFERRED IN THE HIGHER COURTS

By Associated Press. AUSTIN, TEX., Jan. 7.—Owing to the heavy docket of the Third Court of Civil Appeals at Austin, seventeen cases, naturally, have been transferred to the Fourth Court of Civil Appeals at San Antonio.

The most important case involved is that of Producers Oil Company vs. State of Texas, which involves more than \$100,000 in Harris county oil lands and oil produced therefrom.

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Men's Overcoats

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This stock of overcoats was contracted for in the early part of last year. The prices have doubled since then and now we cut these old prices in our January Clearance Sale.

\$15.00 Overcoats, January Clearance Sale price \$11.95

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IS HOME COMING WEEK AT THE FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

At a meeting of the official board of the First Christian church Sunday afternoon it was decided to set apart this week as a home coming week for the church in which personal work will be directed to a "Roll Call" meeting Sunday morning. It is planned to make this a great rally service and to sound the keynote for the coming twelve months.

Aid In Securing Release of Men From the Service

The local office of the United States Employment Service has been instrumental in securing the discharge of a number of Wichita Falls boys who have been in the army in order that they might resume work which they quit when they entered the service and for which their services were urgently needed.

In a number of instances employees have made request to Mr. Minton, examiner in charge of the local employment office, asking that he be influenced to secure the release of men whose presence at home is really needed. A number of requests for discharge of Wichita Falls boys have been made by Mr. Minton, and in some cases where it is plainly shown that by reason of their occupation and their former connection with firms, the request for the release of such men is given consideration by the War Department and such men are discharged by special authority.

The Kap Oil Co. has declared a 100 per cent dividend to be paid on or before January 15th. The stock record will be closed Jan. 10. All holding certificates not transferred are requested to call at 418 P. N. B. Bldg. to have same properly recorded in order to participate in the dividend.

Calotabs advertisement: The next time you buy calomel ask for Calotabs. The purified calomel tablets that are entirely free of all sickening and salivating effects. Medical virtues vastly improved. Guaranteed by your druggist. Sold only in sealed packages. Price 35c.

THREE YOUTHS ARE ALLEGED TO HAVE ROBBED A STORE

Three youths, one living in Wichita Falls, were brought here yesterday by Deputy Sheriff Lee Carter, after having been arrested at Arlington, Texas, Sunday by the city marshal of that place, and they are now in the county jail with complaints filed against them in the district court, charging them with burglarizing a dry goods store at Burkburnett on or about the first of this month.

Million Dollar Libel Suit Filed Against 63 Banks

PHOENIX, ARIZ., Jan. 7.—A million dollar libel suit naming as defendants 63 banks in this state, constituting a membership of the Arizona Bankers' Association, was filed in United States court by Samuel C. Pandolfo of Minnesota. The plaintiff is represented by a firm of St. Louis attorneys. He has filed a letter from an unnamed person in Texas read at a meeting of the association and which was made a part of the records of the association and was published in a pamphlet of the association. The pamphlet, as all pamphlets describing the proceedings of the association, was mailed to banks in different parts of the country. The letter, it is alleged, was of such a nature as to cast reflections on the integrity of the plaintiff and to injure his financial standing.

Draft Board Is Moving Records From Basement

Offices of the Wichita county draft board are being moved today from the basement of the Kemp & Kraft building to the office of George Thornburn, secretary of the board, at 710 1/2 Indiana. The records and papers of the board will be removed to the new offices from the basement of the building.

METHODIST WOMEN ARE TO SUPPORT MISSIONARY

At the first meeting of the new year held Monday, January 6, the Women's Missionary Society of the First Methodist church, south, pledged themselves to support a foreign missionary this year at a cost of \$1,200, this pledge being made in addition to the regular yearly pledge of \$1,200, so that the total cost is doubled, its pledge for 1919. This action to support a foreign missionary was taken following an interesting talk by the pastor, Rev. A. E. Perry on the subject of foreign missions.

EMBEZZLEMENT IS CHARGED IN PAPERS EXECUTED MONDAY

Complaints were sworn out yesterday by L. O. Landon, in which W. A. Pritchard and Otto Schlemeyer are charged with embezzlement. The plaintiff alleges that G. C. Morris, trustee of an oil company operating near here, was fraudulently and unlawfully swindled out of \$903.40 by Pritchard and Schlemeyer.

FARMERS REPORT WHEAT IN EXCELLENT CONDITION

Our friend Will Guthrie was in the city from Beaver Creek the first of the week and stated to a News man that wheat in his section was looking exceptionally fine and was in good condition to withstand the cold weather that we are having and are likely to have in the near future. There are fields after fields that are about four inches high and that have been packed sufficiently to hold the growth down and to make the plants spread properly when the time comes. He says from all indications there will be one of the biggest wheat crops that this country has ever known.

TAKE NO CHANCES WITH THAT COLD!

RELIEVE IT QUICKLY WITH DR. BELL'S PINE-TAR-HONEY. Get that quick relief that brings back the normal "pep" and energy. Don't suffer a minute longer than you actually have to. There is nothing in Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey that isn't good for you, nothing left out that it ought to contain. Just the ingredients that go right after a cold or cough and speed up relief. Get a bottle today, use some of it tonight according to directions and you will feel better tomorrow. Ecumenical, safe, result-producing.

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AMUSEMENT

BESSIE BARRISCALÉ AT MAJESTIC THEATRE TODAY

Bessie Barriscalé comes to the screen of the Majestic theatre Tuesday in her newest Paralta play, "Patriotism," which was especially written for her by R. B. Kidd and Jane Holly. The production is an exceptional photoplay in many ways and has been proclaimed as the greatest success in which this gifted star has appeared. A gripping plot against a vivid background of the great world war, which, however, is felt rather than seen, affords an ideal opportunity for Miss Barriscalé to run the entire gamut of dramatic emotions and she takes the fullest advantage of her opportunity.

MRS. LEFFINGWELL'S BOOTS AT MAJESTIC WEDNESDAY

Ladies, beware of "exclusive" designs in boots. You've no idea what a peck of trouble they may cause if you have any doubt on this score, go and see Constance Talmadge in her latest Select Picture, "Mrs. Leffingwell's Boots," in which she is presented by Lewis J. Selznick, at the Majestic theatre Wednesday. Miss Talmadge is cast most happily as Mrs. Leffingwell, the dainty young matron who to pique her husband and make him "loosen up" with his coin, flirts with another man. Then the boots make their appearance. Little Mrs.



Bessie Barriscalé in Patriotism

Patriotism knows neither latitude nor longitude, it is not climatic, but a Good-given passion for right—a picture of sacrifice and devotion that touches the heart strings of emotion—the embodiment of glorious femininity and patriotic inspiration.

15c 10c 5c

CONSTANCE TALMADGE MRS. LEFFING WELL'S BOOTS

A different type of comedy. It isn't froth and bubbles, it isn't slap-stick, but has real substance, it's the kind of comedy that brings two dollar prices in legitimate houses—was one of the biggest stage hits in New York and Constance Talmadge makes a riot of it on the screen—CHRISTIE comedy also on the bill.

15c 10c 5c

AMERICAN INFANTRYMEN USE SOAP FOR MONEY. Associated Press Mail Correspondent. COBLENZ, Dec. 31.—Soap was in such demand among the Germans that American infantrymen in their march from Luxembourg to the Rhine used small cakes of it as Indian money in trading with the civilians of the various German villages. In one instance an infantryman procured a chicken for six pieces of ordinary soap about the size of individual cakes supplied guests by hotels in the Rhine States.

On Guard

The man with a savings account is prepared for a financial emergency—his bank book is on guard to protect him in investments he has made, and there to make it possible for him to take advantage of opportunities. A savings account is any man's greatest asset—without it no one is standing on a firm foundation. \$1.00 IS ALL THAT IS REQUIRED TO START AN ACCOUNT.

CITY NATIONAL BANK advertisement: Begin now to save a share of your income each week. CITY NATIONAL BANK. J. A. KEMP, President. C. W. SNIDER, Cashier. W. L. ROBERTSON, Asst. Cashier. P. P. LANGFORD, Vice-Pres. R. O. HARVEY, Vice-Pres. C. H. CLARK, Vice-Pres. R. E. SHIFFERD, Asst. Cashier. N. M. CLIFFORD, Asst. Cashier. O. A. JONES, Asst. Cashier.

EMPRESS TODAY

PRIVATE PEAT advertisement: "PRIVATE PEAT" BY Harold Peat Himself. A dramatic spectacle, throbbing with human interest and vibrant with patriotic fervor. It is a photoplay of interest, not to speak of its stirring heart appeal and it instantly demonstrates its value as an attraction of the highest class. You have read "Private Peat" in book form now see it in pictures. Also latest Pathe News. Adults 20c, Children 12 and over, 15c; Under 12, 10c.

PIGGLY-WIGGLY No. 2 advertisement: PIGGLY-WIGGLY No. 2 at 809 Indiana Ave. Is Now Ready To Serve You! The Prices will be the same at each store. Trade where the most convenient to you. We appreciate your business. PRATT-DURHAM CO., Owners. PIGGLY-WIGGLY All Over the World 809 Indiana and 811 Ohio Ave.

Perkins-Timberlake Co. advertisement: ASSOCIATED STORES. Our Big January Clearance Sale Begins Thursday Morning Watch For Big Ad in Wednesday's Times. Telephone 168.

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Carrier boys are not allowed to collect for subscription to 'The Times' except in the factory district and on north side of river.

BOLSHEVISM BUT ANOTHER RULE OF CLASS

Berlin is reported in a state of chaos and anarchy and conditions approaching those that prevail in Russia are reported from many parts of Germany.

The czar and the kaiser ruled by claim of divine right as symbols of an autocracy that was a rule of class and privilege.

But what is more natural that a people unused to democracy should go from czar and kaiser autocracy to bolshevik autocracy.

PROPOSE REGULATION OF OIL INDUSTRY

The proposal of State Senator Carlock of Fort Worth that the state railway commission regulate the oil industry in Texas is one that ought to be carefully considered before legislation is enacted.

HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

AN HEARD DE BOSS TELL MISTUS DEVS LIABLE T CUT DOWN BOUT HALF ON OU' EATS FO LONG BUT EF DEV DOES DEV FIXIN FUH T RAKE ME CLEAN CASE HALF IS BOUT ALL ANS GITTIN NOW!

New Federal Court Districts Proposed By Marvin Jones

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—The State of Texas would be divided into five Federal Judicial Districts under terms of a bill introduced by Representative Marvin Jones of the Amarillo District.

Marriage Licenses: L. W. Hesler, Bartlesville, Okla., and Miss Eva Louise Moss, San Augustine, Texas.

C. Fon Knight, Architect. Phones 1497 and 635. 202-41p. Suits Filed in 72th. L. H. Carnes vs. A. W. Son and A. L. Edgington; suit for commission.

The Sandman Story For To-Night

GRAY MOUSE'S BRIDE.

Gray Mouse, lived in the pantry wall, and as he had no family to support he had all he wanted to eat and had nothing to worry him.

"I wouldn't be married for anything," said Gray Mouse to one of his friends who had to carry home a perfectly lovely big piece of cheese to his family instead of eating it himself.

Not long after that Gray Mouse ran out of the pantry one night after he had eaten all he wanted of the next little fun exploring the house where he lived.

Through the kitchen he ran and into the dining room into the hall and up the stairs.

"I do not care at all for this place," said Gray Mouse. "The pantry is the best part of this house."

Just then Gray Mouse sniffed—he smelled something, and following his nose around he ran along the side of the wall and pretty soon he came to a room where the moonlight shone in and Gray Mouse saw in one corner of the room something in a little wire cage move about.

Gray Mouse ran back of a box on the floor and peeked out. "There is some one in it. I believe I will take a chance and see who it is."

Gray Mouse ran across to the wire cage, and there he saw the prettiest little creature he had ever beheld looking at him and blinking in the most fascinating manner.

It was a little white mouse in a bright wire cage, and Gray Mouse felt his heart give a big thump. It was love at first sight.

"Oh! how did you happen to get caught?" said Gray Mouse, thinking the white mouse was in a trap.

"I am not caught if you mean I am in a trap," said the pretty white creature. "I live in this cage you know, I belong to a little boy who is very fond of me and gives me all kinds of things to eat."

Until daylight Gray Mouse visited with pretty White Mouse and promised to come the next night.

One night while he was calling on White Mouse, Gray Mouse asked: "Tomorrow's story—'Little Never-Upsat'."



I. C. COMMISSION OPPOSES FEDERAL OWNERSHIP PLAN

ALSO OPPOSES GOVERNMENT CONTROL OF THE RAILROADS OF THE COUNTRY. ARGUES FOR REGULATION

Says Reasonable Period for Readjustment or Preparation Should Be Allowed.

By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—Opposition to government ownership or operation of railroads at this time was expressed today by the Interstate Commerce commission in a statement presented to the Senate interstate commerce committee at its hearing on railway legislation by Commissioner Edgar Clark.

"Considering and weighting as best we can all of the arguments for and against the different plans," said the statement, "we are led to the conviction that with the adoption of appropriate provisions and safeguards for operations under private ownership, it would not be wise or best at this time to assume government ownership or operation of the railroads of the country."

The commission declared, however, that "a reasonable period of readjustment or preparation" should be allowed before relinquishment of federal control. "It seems obvious," said the statement, "that no plan of private ownership should be considered unless it is under a broadened, extended and amplified government regulation."

Commissioner Wooley Dissents. Commissioner Wooley dissented from the recommendation against continuation of government control and advocated adoption of Director General McAdoo's suggestion for extension of federal management.

The commission presented a detailed program of proposed legislation in case railroads are returned to private management, providing for strict regulation by the government of rates, services, finance, security issues and pooling of facilities and clarification of doubtful relations between federal and state authority.

Support the argument for the return of the railroads to private management, the commission's statement said.

Argument For Private Control. "The law provides that federal ownership shall not continue beyond 21 months after promulgation of a treaty of peace. The wisdom of thus providing a reasonable period for government operation and control after the end of actual prosecution of warfare, within which to readjust or make preparations for resumption of traffic and to round out or prepare financial arrangements is hardly open to question. Carriers' properties formerly comprising a system are now under the jurisdiction of two or more regional directors of central managers, the current of traffic has in some instances

Kidney Trouble Often Causes Serious Backache

When your back aches and your bladder and kidneys seem to be disordered, go to your nearest drug store and get a bottle of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp Root. It is a physician's prescription for ailments of the kidneys and bladder.

ROHATCH'S MINERAL WATER

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New Shipment of Overshoes and Rubbers received today, all sizes, for Men, Women and Children.

been materially changed and financial complications exist. Comparatively few contracts for compensation have been perfected between the transportation companies and the government.

"Our expression in favor of return to private ownership and operation is, therefore not to be understood to mean a return of the properties in a hasty way. A reasonable period of re-adjustment or preparation should be afforded and reasonable notice should be given that upon a given date the properties will be restored to their owners."

The proposal of the railroad executives to be presented to the committee probably tomorrow, is similar in general scope to the interstate commerce commission's recommendation, it was stated today. The executives, however, are said to advocate even more regulatory power for the government than the commission suggests.

WOODMEN AND CIRCLE MEET WEDNESDAY NIGHT

The local W. O. W. Camp 3001 and Wichita Falls Grove 1447 will hold a joint meeting Wednesday night and install officers for the ensuing term. This meeting will be one of much interest to members and an effort is being made to have a large attendance on hand when the installation of the newly elected officers takes place.

The secretary has sent letters to all members who reside out of Wichita Falls and one of the largest meetings held recently is expected.

Arrangements are being made for the initiation of a large class of candidates within a short time.

Bargains in leases. W.P. Oil Company, 709 1-2 Indiana Avenue. 200-121c

DOSCH ELECTRIC 708 9th Street. Phone 220

MOVED County Surveyors office moved to 806 7th Street. M. M. COOKE, County Surveyor

Why suffer with bad feet? DR. H. C. WRIGHT Foot Comfort Specialist Chiropractor and Practitioner. Treats any kind of foot troubles. Now at the Westland Hotel Room 412

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Closing Out Sale of All Ladies' Dresses and Skirts

This Sale is exactly what its name implies. No doubt this is your first opportunity to secure a beautiful Silk, Serge or Satin Dress at cost but we are closing out our entire stock of Ladies' Dresses and Skirts and for quick selling we have marked them

At COST

All of these Dresses, as well as Skirts, are of the very latest design, in fabrics and colors, there are practically all sizes in this collection. But your size in your favorite mode may not be here if you delay, so come early while the selections are good.



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THE NEW ARROW Collar 25 CENTS EACH

Lodge Directory

Local 681, International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers. Meets Wednesday nights at Labor Temple.

The Brotherhood of America Yeomen meets every second and fourth Tuesday nights of each month at new Odd Fellows hall, 708 1/2 Seventh. E. L. Richardson, Cor.

Knights of Pythias Lodge. Meets on Wednesday night. Initiation in rank of Knight. A. G. DEATHERAGE, C. C. H. A. BOYLES, K.R.S.

Wichita Falls Lodge No. 638 A. F. & A. M. stated meeting first and third Friday nights in each month. C. M. CROWELL, W. M. C. M. DODGEN, Sec.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 302, R. A. M. stated convocations second Friday nights in each month. M. M. COOKE, H. P. C. M. DODGEN, Sec. Work in Chapter Wednesday evening at 7:00 p. m.

Wichita Falls Commandry No. 59, Regular convocations fourth Friday night in each month. N. M. CLIFFORD, E. C. J. W. WALKUP, Rec.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 337 meetings first and third Tuesday nights of each month. Mrs. Jessie Carithers, W. M. Mrs. Nannie M. Jenne, Secretary

Wichita Falls Lodge A. F. O. E. ELKS. Meets first and third Monday nights of each month at Elks' Hall. D. W. COLLEY, Sec.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS. Wichita Falls Council No. 1473, Knights of Columbus, meets every second and fourth Tuesday at 8 o'clock, Harrison-Everson Hall. Visiting Knights welcome.



20% DISCOUNT -ON-ALL-

Portable and Floor LAMPS

Starting tomorrow and continuing all week we will offer our entire stock of portable and floor lamps at a discount of 20 per cent.

Nowhere will you find a more complete assortment of beautiful lamps from which to choose. However, we suggest an early selection before stocks are broken.

Nunn Electric Co. 816 Indiana Telephone 837

Wichita Falls and Other Stores at Dallas and Amarillo

OIL DEVELOPMENT

HAVE ORGANIZED COUCH-WINFREY COMPANY NO. 3

Announcement was made today of the organization of Couch-Winfrey Co. No. 3. It has a lease on three acres out of the Marine subdivision of the Hardin land within 300 yards of the Marine well northwest of Burkburnett. The capitalization is \$65,000.

Hayden-Burk Is New Company To Enter the Field

The Hayden-Burk Oil Company, one of the newest to enter the field, is named for Mrs. R. S. Nash, wife of one of the principal owners of the company, who was Miss Hayden Burk before her marriage. Oil men consider it brings good luck to name an oil company or a well after some feminine member of their family, and the Helen Elizabeth well, the first producer on the Vancleave, would bear out this superstition.

FIFTY PER CENT DIVIDEND PAID BY VICTORY COMPANY

Checks for 50 per cent of the investment were being made out to owners of stock in the Victory Petroleum Company this morning. The Citizens Oil Company is also said to have declared a second dividend of 50 per cent, to be paid on January 15. The Citizens paid its first dividend early in December.

The Wichita Fuel Company, short-named from the Wichita Falls Fuel and Development Company, has authorized a 50 per cent dividend, and the Kap Oil Company has declared a 100 per cent. These two latter have been previously announced in the Times.

SMITH SECOND WELL NEARING COMPLETION

J. A. D. Smith's second well on his land south of the school house is about ready to be brought in, according to reports from Burkburnett. The first Smith well opened up considerably territory to the south as proven and since that time a number of good wells have been brought in in this vicinity.

REPUBLICAN OPPOSITION TO APPROPRIATION ASKED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—Republican opposition to the \$100,000,000 appropriation requested by President Wilson for European relief was manifested today in both branches of Congress. In the House Representative Moore of Pennsylvania blocked consideration of a bill carrying the appropriation by refusing unanimous consent to take it up either today or Thursday. Chairman Sherrill of the appropriations committee said he would seek a special rule to get action Thursday.

Bids Wanted.

Bids will be received by R. F. Huff at his office in Wichita Falls, Texas, until noon, January 15th, 1919, for the excavation and paving with concrete of six blocks in Southland addition on Elizabeth and Denver avenues in the city of Wichita Falls, Texas.

DOSCH ELECTRIC

Dandy Lease 5 acres near Helen-Elizabeth well, Burkburnett. See me quickly if you want it. J. W. HAMLETT, Room 15, Hines Bldg.

E. B. HENDRICKS

LAWYER (Ex-Assistant Attorney General) McClurkin Bldg. Corner Ohio and 7th. Wichita Falls, Texas.

OIL STOCK QUOTATIONS.

Table with columns for stock names and prices. Includes entries like Almagamated, B. C., Bailey, Block 20, Burkburnett, etc.

MANN-NOCONA IS REPORTED TO BE SWABBING 1000

The Mann-Nocona well, located on the "Peach Orchard" site, was swabbed in last night and is reported by the C. R. Cox Lease and Drilling Company to be good for 1000 barrels.

WOULD PUT OIL INDUSTRY UNDER THE COMMISSION

FORT WORTH, TEX., Jan. 7.—The forthcoming legislature will be asked to provide that the oil industry in Texas shall fall under the jurisdiction of the railroad commission, according to Senator Carlock of Tarrant.

Livestock

Fort Worth Livestock. FORT WORTH, TEX., Jan. 7.—Cattle: receipts 4,500; active and steady. Beaves \$5.50@15.50; stockers \$7.00@11.50; cows \$6.00@12.00; heifers \$7.00@13.00; bulls \$6.00@7.75; calves \$6.00@12.50.

Kansas City Livestock. KANSAS CITY, Jan. 7.—Hogs: receipts 20,000; steady to strong. Bulk \$17.00@17.50; heavy \$17.00@17.50; light \$16.90@17.50; pigs \$10.00@13.50.

Market Report

Cotton Market

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—A somewhat irregular opening followed by a bulge on the cotton market during today's early trading. There was further liquidation in the old crop months at the start and first prices were five to 16 points lower on these positions while the new crop was 10 to 25 points higher.

New Orleans Cotton.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 7.—Enough selling developed around the opening of the cotton market today to put prices 23 to 32 points lower but realizing set in among shorts at the decline and offerings were soon cleaned up with the result that a strong recovery came about.

Grain Market

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—Active demand from shorts brought about decided upturns today in the value of corn. Opening prices, which ranged from 34c to 36c, were firm with January \$1.45 and May \$1.39 to \$1.40, were followed by sharp further gains and then by a moderate reaction.

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—Oils, motors and food shares in which professional traders have recently shown a lively interest, were again the outstanding feature at the dull and irregular opening of today's stock market, gaining one to two points, while shippings, industrials and metals sought lower levels.

Oil Stocks and Leases

WEEKLY STOCK MARKET. Weakness in the hog market eased down provisions. Pork led the decline.

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Chicago Produce. CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—Butter: firm; creamery 59¢@68¢.

Coffee Market. NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—Coffee: No. 7 Rio 16 1/2; nominal. Futures firm; May 14 1/2; July 14 1/2.

Driller's & Producer's Oil Company of Wichita Falls, Texas

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in full payment of shares of the Capital stock of the DRILLERS & PRODUCERS OIL COMPANY: capital stock Ninety Five Thousand Dollars, (\$95,000.00) divided into Ninety Five Thousand (95,000.00) shares of the par value of One Dollar (\$1.00) per share.

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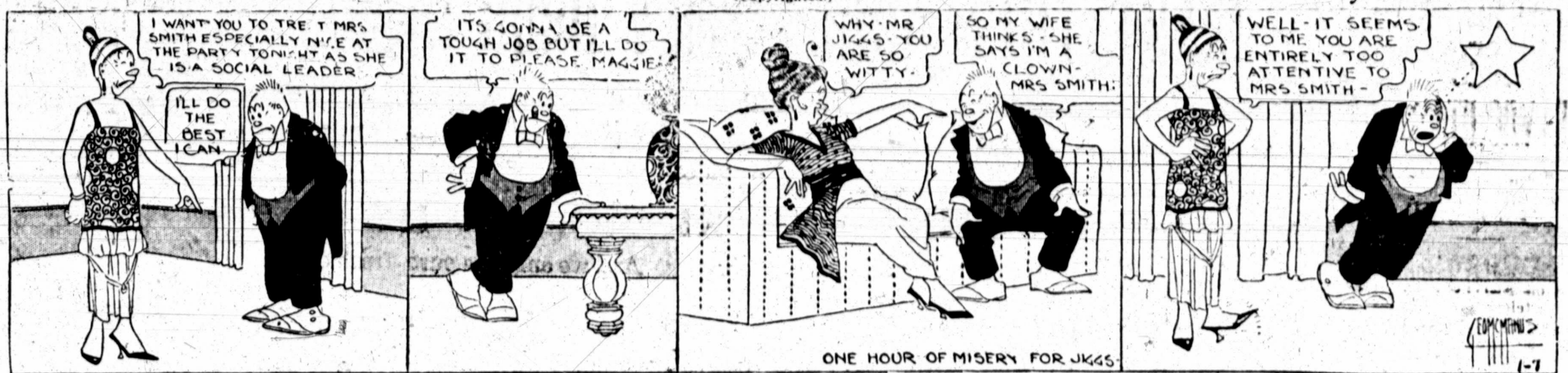
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FOR SALE—1917 model Buick Six, good tires, fully equipped, bargain if sold at once. It. M. Kelly, Hearn hotel. 203-3tp

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Five passenger Studebaker car, in Wichita Falls. Good shape. Will trade for anything worth the money. Will take 1913 worn out Cadillac car as part payment, or in trade. Address: Box 247, Wolfe City, Texas. 204-3tp

FOR SALE—1917 Ford, mechanically right, \$275. N. W. Smith, Ohio Garage, 621 and 623 Ohio. 204-2tc

SENTINEL OF FREEDOM

PUBLISHED IN 1816

By Associated Press

DALLAS, TEX., Jan. 7.—The "Sentinel of Freedom," published in New York, N. Y., on July 2, 1816, a copy of which is in the possession of Dr. W. L. Sturges of Dallas, gives an interesting light into the "news" of 103 years ago. Dr. Sturges found the paper in an old house in Virginia and considered it a rare piece of journalism, having been printed at a time when the Mississippi river was the center of activity on the western frontier.

The paper contains four pages of small type reading matter and a comparatively large amount of advertising, with but little display, and all set in single column.

In one advertisement a reward of \$40 is offered for a runaway negro slave. Other advertisers offer clothing, groceries, wines and liquors for sale, and still others call attention to the establishment of factories of various kinds.

The poem, "Pare Thee Well," by Lord Byron, the English poet, is published with a news item saying the item had just reached the United States, having been written by the great poet "when Lady Byron, the beautiful and accomplished daughter of Admiral Sir Ralph Milbanke, has lately left his lordship's house and returned to her father, taking with her an infant, after being a little more than a year married."

On the front page is a story of the grand national lottery, "authorized by the act of congress for opening a canal in the city of Washington." The price of lottery tickets were "five dollars and a half" and the prizes ranged from \$25,000 down to \$6.

Times Want Ads One Cent a Word Each Insertion.

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CAR OWNERS—We have some factory seconds that we will sell at a big discount from price list; also some odd sizes, standard make, at bargain. Filgo Tire & Supply Co., 703 Tenth street. 154-tfc

FOR SALE—Cadillac eight, seven passenger, excellent condition, fully equipped and lot of extras, six casings. Has been run by owner only, who has reputation taking extraordinary care of car. Bargain for cash. Phone 1058. 204-3tp

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FOR SALE—60 egg incubator, perfect condition, used one season, giving perfect satisfaction; reason for selling have bought larger machine. Phone 2301. 204-3tp

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HAVE a good rotary rig and would like to drill a good lease for an interest. If you have an A-1 proven lease make me your proposition; am ready to close with some one. Address: J. A. D., Times office. 204-2tc

HAVE GOOD acreage near Burk Burnett; will furnish lease for man to drill on same. Address: Box 337, care Times. 203-3tp

DRILLER WANTED—I have a client who wants a 100 ft well drilled at once. Odie H. Foster, Room 5, over Jones-Kennedy store. 196-tfc

FOR SALE—Six thousand feet new five eighth, seventeen pound casing, now at Iowa Park, Tex. Lauve, Electra, Tex. Phone 220. Box 224. 204-5tp

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USED CAR for trade, will trade for vacant lot or small house and lot; good deal for some one who has lot for sale. Filgo Tire & Supply Co., 703 Tenth street. 154-tfc

FIVE passenger Hup, \$1,000, in first class condition. Will make good service car and cheap at the price. Schubert & Smith, 908 Ohio. 167-tfc

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Eminent geologist have pronounced this one of the Great Structures. Men of long experience in the oil game are betting thousands of dollars there will be a pool uncovered here.

Don't act like an Ostrich and Hide Your Vision! Look at your opportunities about you. See what is actually before you. Let us show you where we are, and what we are doing.

We are offering a few choice tracts of acreage right between the two wells above mentioned at a price that is comparatively nothing. The bringing in of either well would make this acreage worth a snug fortune. Many often stake the price of a bunch of this good acreage on a "Social Evening" with no hope of a future. Take a real chance!

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BAPTIST PLANNING FOR BIGGEST YEAR IN WICHITA FALLS

ORGANIZATION FOR WORK COMPLETED AT MEETING MONDAY NIGHT.

IMPROVEMENTS PLANNED

Banquet Enjoyed Prior to Session of the Membership.

Members of the Finance Committee of the First Baptist church, at a meeting Monday night, completed their organization for the work of 1919 and laid plans for the biggest year in the history of that church in Wichita Falls, the financial program calling for the building of a \$200,000 church edifice, and the raising of a \$15,000 budget for the general expenses and benevolences of the church. G. C. Wood was named chairman of the new church building finance committee. J. C. Mytinger the chairman of the finance committee, having had this authority conferred upon him by the congregation at the meeting held Sunday, and the following committee was named: H. E. Huff, G. J. Shumake, W. L. Robertson, J. W. Ferguson, J. J. Lory and J. L. Jackson. Mr. Mytinger will act as an ex-officio member of the building finance committee. Mr. Mytinger will again head the finance committee as chairman, and the church membership has been divided up between twelve committees who will head the membership work this week, securing pledges covering the budget adopted for 1919, which will approximate \$15,000. The twelve members of the finance committee who will head the membership work are: captains area C. J. Shumake, B. A. Stayton, W. L. Robertson, G. D. Fox, J. J. Lory, J. M. Baber, H. F. Johnson, C. W. Bonner, G. C. Wood, J. W. Hunt, C. H. Hardean and J. H. Martin.

Banquet is Enjoyed.
This business session followed a banquet held at the Soldiers Club Monday night for the Finance Committee, the report being served by the ladies of the Civic League. The session was an enthusiastic one, every member of the committee pledging his wholehearted support to the work of 1919, and stating confidently that the work allotted to him this week would be promptly and properly completed by the end of the week.
Much satisfaction was expressed at the report for 1918, which was presented to the congregation at the meeting Sunday, January 5, as the results of the committee's work during the first year that the committee had undertaken to raise the necessary funds for the general expenses and benevolences by systematic weekly and monthly pledges. The budget of \$15,000 adopted by the church early in 1918, was overpaid by more than \$2,000, despite the fact that the pledging system was not taken up at the first of the year, and that all of the pledges were made until March.

Building is Inadequate.
The response of the church, as made Sunday, following Rev. O. L. Powers' inspired sermon, pointing out the inadequacy of the present church edifice to care for the rapidly growing congregation, was also discussed, and the committee as a whole expressed the belief that with the enthusiastic cooperation behind the committee, as evidenced by their action of Sunday, it will be possible to build a magnificent church to care for the present needs of the church, and also to provide for the future. No difficulty is anticipated in securing the desired amount of subscriptions, and the church building committee expects to make a report to the congregation within 30 days, so that construction may begin within a short time.
The year's financial report, as presented to the congregation on Sunday by Mr. Mytinger, follows:
Condensed Financial Statement, 1918.
General Expense Fund:
Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1918 \$ 1.08
Receipts for 1918 6856.33
Total 6857.41
Disbursements for 1918 5645.59
Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1919 1211.91
Benevolence Fund:
Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1918 294.64

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"Discontinue sending newspapers after date of expiration of subscription unless subscription is renewed and paid for."
A strict compliance with this rule is not practical on a paper whose collections are made as the Times are made and the Times will continue the order with the modification that it cannot send a paper longer than a month after the expiration of the subscription.
This period ought to give everyone an opportunity to renew before their paper is stopped. We believe that in thus modifying the order we will be acting in the spirit of conservation without imposing inconvenience upon our subscribers and ourselves.
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Receipts for 1918 7096.15
Total 7390.79
Disbursements for 1918 6856.33
Balance cash Jan. 1, 1919 525.46
Cash on hand General Expense Fund 1211.91
Cash on hand Benevolence Fund 525.54
Unpaid pledges 1918, good 100.00
Total \$3837.66

HUDSON ROADSTER IS STOLEN AND RECOVERED
A Hudson roadster belonging to S. S. Kouri, secretary of the Spring Oil Company, was stolen from in front of the Empress theatre last night about nine o'clock while Mr. Kouri was attending the show inside. The car was found by the police early this morning abandoned in the road near the crossing on the Wichita Falls and Northwestern railroad, north of the city.
The car was not damaged in any way as far as could be ascertained this morning. A few tools were missing which was the only loss.

HUSBAND AND WIFE DIE, LEAVING EIGHT CHILDREN
Mrs. Annie Richard, 309 Walnut street, together with her sister and brother, Mrs. Kate Christian and Jack West, both of Denison, have returned to their homes after attending the funeral of their sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bachman of Henrietta, who died of influenza January 2. Eight small children survive them.
Mr. Bachman was a farmer and lived 14 miles north of Henrietta. Mrs. Bachman was well known and her death was a shock to her many friends.

Real Estate Transfers.
W. H. Daugherty to M. Stanforth, lots 10, 12 and 10, block 44, and lots 3 and 4, block 61, Floral Heights addition; consideration \$2,159.
J. P. Montgomery to Z. R. White, lot 13, block 62, Floral Heights addition; consideration \$1,850.
W. M. Allison to C. S. Carter, 80x 200 tract, southeast corner, block 12, Bellevue addition.
R. C. Jennings to J. C. Mytinger, lots 7 and 8, block 72, Floral Heights addition; consideration \$1,000.
E. A. Jennings to J. C. Mytinger, lots 1 and 2, block 73, Floral Heights addition; consideration \$1,000.

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CONSTRUCTION OF 10-STORY BUILDING WILL BEGIN SOON
Construction of the new ten-story building for the National Bank of Commerce is to be erected by Mr. Bashara and Mr. Reid at the corner of Eighth and Indiana, are about perfected. Mr. Field states, and no delay is anticipated in getting the construction work under way. The building will be thoroughly modern and up to date, and will be one of the most attractive bank and office buildings in the south. It is stated.
Mr. Field is returning to Wichita Falls to locate, and will open his office within a week. J. R. Lauk, who has been an independent architect in Kansas City and who has a widespread reputation as a designer will be in charge of the designing work for Mr. Field. Mr. Lauk and others of his office force will be here in a short time. Mr. Field stated. Mrs. Field and son will not come to Wichita Falls until March, as their lease in Kansas City does not expire until that time, and also as houses are very hard to find in Wichita Falls.

President of City Once Lived Near Amerongen Castle
William G. Hoover, now in Wichita Falls, who was recently discharged from the Third Infantry at Fort Sam Houston, was born in Holland and for several years lived near the Amerongen Castle, where the former Kaiser has been located since his flight from his own country. When he was a youngster he visited the castle many times, and is well acquainted with the building and its surroundings. At that time it was inhabited by Count von Bentinck, the present owner.
Hoover was born in the city of Utrecht, Holland, 14 miles from the Amerongen Castle, but prior to his coming to America he resided within three miles of the place where the ex-ruler of the German empire is now hiding.
Hoover has spent five years in the United States army and was discharged four weeks ago at Fort Sam Houston. He is at present connected with the Driller and Producer's Oil Company of this city.

SENIOR EPWORTH LEAGUE SOCIAL THURSDAY NIGHT
What is expected to be the last social to be given by the Senior Epworth League of the M. E. Church, South for the boys of Call Field, will be held Thursday night in the basement of the church.
This is the first social by the league in several weeks due to severe weather which caused the postponement of the one scheduled to take place on New Years Eve.
Not only boys from Call Field, but all soldiers and sailors are invited to attend the socials given by the Epworth League. A large attendance is expected Thursday night and a good time is promised to all who attend.

BREVITIES
Dr. A. O. Scharff has returned from a business trip to Mineral Wells and Dallas.
Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Utt of Nocona are the guests of F. P. Avis and family.
The New Century Club will hold its first meeting of the year Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Kemp Library.

THIRTIETH DISTRICT COURT RESUMES THIS AFTERNOON
Court of the 30th district was again opened this afternoon and the civil docket will be taken up for disposition. A number of cases were set for hearing yesterday but on account of some of the parties not being ready for trial at that time court was adjourned until this afternoon.

POSTOFFICE FLAG IS RAISED TO HALF MAST
The flag at the postoffice will be raised at half mast until after the funeral of Ex-President Roosevelt. Orders to keep the flag at half mast have been received at the postoffice by telegraph.
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M'ADOO'S LAST DAY IN WASHINGTON AS RAILROAD DIRECTOR

By Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—This was William G. McAdoo's last day in Washington as director general of railroads. He planned to leave tonight for Santa Barbara, Calif., for a vacation of several months.
Owing to President Wilson's delay in naming a new director, Mr. McAdoo will continue to supervise the railroad. Railroad wires will provide direct telegraphic communication with railroad administration headquarters in Washington and with the officers of seven regional districts.
By a "trigram system" documents requiring the director general's signature will be transmitted daily between Santa Barbara and Washington.
The impression is growing in Washington that the President may not appoint a new director general until he returns to the United States next month, watching meanwhile the reception by congress of the proposal to extend government control for five years.

STATE TREASURER BAKER ANNOUNCES ASSISTANTS
By Associated Press.
AUSTIN, TEX., Jan. 7.—John W. Baker, of Crosbyton, the new state treasurer reached here today and will take charge of the department on January 15. Treasurer Baker announced his appointees as follows:
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First Assistant Bookkeeper: W. C. Clark, Travis county.
Second Assistant Bookkeeper: Houston Terrell, McLennan county.
Assistant Clerical Help: Jeff Reese, Coleman county.
Appropriation Bookkeeper: Mrs. Elaine Cone, Milan county.
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