

DEMOCRATS DECLARE FOR WOMAN'S SUFFRAGE; WILSON AND MARSHALL ARE RENOMINATED

TRIBUTE TO PRESIDENT BY ORATOR

SPEECH OF JOHN W. WESTCOTT, NOMINATIVE PRESIDENT, RECOUNTS ACHIEVEMENTS OF EXECUTIVE IN FOUR YEARS.

TELLS OF TRIALS

Points Out Necessity For Keeping Such a Figure in White House in Interest of Country and of Entire Civilized World.

Not I, but his deeds and achievements; not I, but the spirit and purposes of America; not I, but the progress of just men; not I, but civilization itself, nominates to succeed himself to the presidency of the United States. Woodrow Wilson.

Coliseum, St. Louis, June 15.—In the democratic national convention here last night, John W. Westcott of New Jersey said: The eternal verities of righteousness have prevailed. Undismayed by the calamities of war, unmoved by vituperation and vain declamation, holding to the pure altar of truth, the schoolmaster is statesman, the statesman financier, the financier emancipator, the emancipator pacificator, the pacificator the moral leader of democracy.

The nation is at work. The nation is at peace. The nation is accomplishing the destiny of democracy. Four years ago the nation was not at work. With resources boundless, with a hundred million people eager to achieve and do, commerce languished, industries halted, men were idle. The country struggled in the toils of an inadequate financial system. Credit was at the mercy of piracy. The small business man was found hand and foot, Paris was like a storm cloud over the business world.

Now bursting granaries, teeming factories, crowded railroads and overladen ships distribute wealth and comfort to uncounted millions the world over. Production outruns the means of distribution. The surplus of American prosperity is not found in industrial history; nor is it causeless. It did not come from heaven. It is not due to the devastations of a revised tariff. It is not the result of destructive legislation. It is the result of the industry of the nation, the industry of the world, the industry of the human race.

Against Candidate Hughes in 1916 I quote Mr. Justice Hughes in 1912. He declared as he read the state message. Senator Stone at 12:28 p. m. after a brief introductory address in which he said he had not slept a moment in 20 hours, delegated the reading of the platform to Senators Walsh and Hollis. The reading was interrupted by applause, but the delegates seemed too tired for long demonstrations. The Mexican plank was the one most frequently interrupted by cheers. The labor plank brought applause and a demonstration from the men that front the women.

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PLATFORM IS ADOPTED BY CONVENTION

DOCUMENT COVERS ADMINISTRATION'S ACHIEVEMENTS AND PLEDGES PARTY TO CONSTRUCTIVE LAWS.

FERGUSON'S PART

Texas Governor Presents Memory Report on Suffrage—Massachusetts Delegate Tries to Inject Irish Question Today.

By Associated Press. Coliseum, St. Louis, June 15.—Following its action late last night in nominating by acclamation President Wilson and Vice President Marshall, the democratic party met in convention here today to consider a lengthy platform draft favoring preparedness, non intervention in Mexico, extension of the power to vote to women by states upon the same terms as to men, enlargement of the navy and participation by the United States in any feasible arrangement for the protection of the integrity of small nations and the freedom of the seas.

After defeating on roll call, the minority report on platform opposing woman's suffrage, presented by Governor Ferguson of Texas, and then adopting the platform by acclamation, the convention adjourned sine die at 3:11 p. m. The platform as submitted in a majority report of the resolutions committee charged with gisloyalty any pledge, because many of the men in attendance of another country in disregard of this country's welfare. It charged that conspiracies with such purposes had been formed to "a limited extent" and that condemned any political party which "in view of the activity of such conspirators, surrenders its integrity or modifies its policy."

Prayer was offered by Rabbi Leon Harrison of St. Louis, who gave thanks to "the great leader of this nation, wielding no strong arm, and yet triumphant in his invincible plea for justice and humanity." In response to a request from delegates to fix the time and place for notification of President Wilson and Vice President Marshall of their renomination Chairman James explained that it was the plan to confer first with the candidates.

Senator Reed of Missouri then made a speech to fill in the time. He stated that the nomination of Mr. Hughes because he was taken from the supreme court. "Against Candidate Hughes in 1916 I quote Mr. Justice Hughes in 1912," he declared as he read the state message.

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GATHERING OR OFFICEHOLDERS MAKES ST. LOUIS LOOK LIKE WASHINGTON



STONE HAS A HAND IN THE PLATFORM MAKING. DANIELS, ONE OF THE CABINET REPRESENTATIVES. HOUSTON, A CABINET REPRESENTATIVE. JAMES, SLATED FOR PERMANENT CHAIRMAN. SON-IN-LAW McADOO.

St. Louis, June 15.—To many interested onlookers St. Louis' democratic convention has more of an official air than either the republican or progressive convention in Chicago, because many of the men in attendance hold high official positions. They are the "ins" while the Chicago members were "outs." Three members of the cabinet at least announced early their intention of being on hand to see their chief renominated. They are McAdoo of the treasury, Daniels of the navy and Houston of the agricultural department. The first named has been mentioned for national chairman in charge of the campaign. The platform will be largely the work of William J. Stone, senator from Missouri, and Ollie James, senator from Kentucky, is slated for permanent chairman.

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RUSSIAN GAINS, ARE CONTINUING, CAPTURE 14,000

NO VERDUN CHANGES

Both Paris and Berlin Report Failure of French to Advance, and Capture of Strong Austrian Assault On Tyrol Front.

The Associated Press summarizes European war operations as follows: The capture of an additional 100 officers and 14,000 men was announced today by the Russian war office. The Russian successes in the offensive along the southern front are continuing, the statement declares. It is reported that the Austro-Hungarian troops, 18,000 strong, attacked in dense formation the Italian positions on the Asiago plateau, but were repulsed, leaving 4,000 corpses before the Italian trenches.

Regarding the fighting at Verdun today, French statements say that powerful German attacks made last night on the French positions southeast of Thionville farm broke down under the French machine gun and infantry fire. The Herlin statement declares two attacks delivered by the French yesterday and last night on the German lines along the central slope of Dead Man's Hill were unsuccessful. In the first attack the French temporarily gained some ground, but a counter attack drove them back, according to the statement.

representatives of the people, which is calculated and tends to divide our people into antagonistic groups, and thus to destroy that complete agreement and solidarity of the people and that unity of sentiment and national purpose essential to the perpetuity of the nation and its free institutions. We condemn all alliances and combinations of individuals in this country, of whatever nationality or descent, who agree and conspire to influence the government, or to improperly influencing or coercing our public representatives in dealing or negotiating with any foreign power. We charge that such conspiracies among a limited number exist and have been instigated and carried on for the purpose of advancing the interests of foreign countries to the prejudice and detriment of our country. We condemn any political party which in the activity of such conspirators surrenders its integrity or modifies its policy.

"Along with the proof of our character as a nation must go the proof of our power to play the part that legitimately belongs to us. We desire neither any additional territory nor any advantage which can be peacefully gained by our skill, their industry or their enterprise. But they insist upon having absolute freedom of national life and policy and the right to determine themselves and to the role of spirited independence which it is their sole legitimate objective of our national interference from any quarter and should be able to protect their rights upon the sea or in any part of the world."

"We therefore favor the maintenance of an army fully adequate to the requirements of order, of safety and the fullest development of modern methods of seacoast defense and the maintenance of an adequate reserve of citizens trained to arms and prepared to safeguard the people and territory of the United States against any danger of hostile action which may unexpectedly arise, and a fiscal policy the continuous development of a navy worthy to support the great naval traditions of the United States."

"The democratic election has come throughout the present war, scrupulously held to the old paths of neutrality and of the peaceful pursuit of the legitimate objectives of our nation. We which statement of all parties and creeds have prescribed for themselves in America since the beginning of our history. But the circumstances of the past two years have revealed necessities of international action which no former generation can have foreseen when it is the duty of the United States to join with the other nations of the world in any peaceable association that will effectively serve to preserve the territorial integrity of peoples and nations and to maintain inviolate the complete security of the highway of the seas for the common and unimpeded use of all nations."

"We recognize now, as we have always recognized, a definite and common interest in the development of the United States and the other people and republics of the western hemisphere in all matter of national independence, free political development, and favor the establishment and maintenance of the closest relations of amity and mutual helpfulness between the United States and the other republics of the American continent. Mexico. "The Monroe Doctrine is reasserted as the principle of democratic faith. That doctrine guarantees the independent republics of the two Americas against aggression from another continent. It implies, as well, the most scrupulous regard upon our part for the sovereignty of each of them. The want of a stable responsible government in Mexico, capable of repressing and punishing marauders and bandits bands who have not only taken the lives and souls of our citizens but have also attempted to get into a life boat."

GENERAL WARNS AMERICANS NOT TO CROSS RIVER

PURSUIT CONTINUES

1000 De Facto Troops Now In Territory Opposite San Ignacio—Capture of Three of Bandits Is Reported Today.

By Associated Press. Laredo, Tex., June 15.—The only new development in the Laredo situation as shown by overnight dispatches to headquarters was General Ricart's action in ordering 1000 de facto government troops into the territory opposite San Ignacio to pursue bandits who took part in the attack on American troops. In notifying United States military officials, about the step, Ricart explained that the attack had been made and at the same time gave warning that if American troops crossed the border Caranza forces would attack them.

By Associated Press. Laredo, Tex., June 15.—Two troops of the Fourteenth cavalry under command of Major Gray today are moving toward Zapata, fifteen miles south of San Ignacio, the scene of the bandit attack yesterday; because of a report that bandits were planning another attack at that point. It was reported here today. The bodies of Charles F. Flower of Kansas City and Edward G. Kallstrom of New York City, killed in yesterday's fight, were to be forwarded to relatives today. The body of Jas. Minahan, the third victim, was to be buried here this afternoon with military honors.

REPORTS CAPTURE OF THREE BANDITS. By Associated Press. Brownsville, Tex., June 15.—Three of the bandits who attacked American soldiers at San Ignacio were captured late yesterday on the Mexican side of the border by troops under command of General Ricart. This was the substance of a report by the general today to American officials.

ANTI-PASS LAW DECISION IS EXPECTED AT AUSTIN. By Associated Press. Austin, Tex., June 15.—Before final adjournment for the present term on June 24, the court of criminal appeals is scheduled to pass on the constitutionality of the anti-pass law. Although this law has been through all the civil courts and reached the supreme court, several times on different occasions, this is said to be the first occasion that its questioning has been carried to the criminal appeals court. The law is assailed in a case, appealed from Hunt county in which Hans Abney was convicted of a misdemeanor for riding upon a pass alleged to have been the property of another. Abney claims that the anti-pass law is in violation of that portion of the state constitution which declares that railroads are public highways and railroad companies are common carriers. He also contends that the law is unconstitutional because it abrogates the right of contract.

ROOSEVELT AGAIN IN CARE OF DOCTOR

Has Another Severe Coughing Spell and Can Hardly Speak, Above Whisper. By Associated Press. New York, June 15.—Theodore Roosevelt had another coughing spell today and could hardly speak above a whisper. He went to a specialist's office for an examination. The doctor's appearance was haggard when he left his hotel and he shook his head when asked if he felt better. He stayed at the doctor's office twenty minutes then walked back slowly to his hotel. Mr. Roosevelt left word that he would receive no visitors.

SURVIVOR SAYS KITCHENER MET HIS END GAMELY

By Associated Press. London, June 15.—The last man to see Earl Kitchener alive was Seaman Rogers, a survivor of the cruiser Hampshire, who arrived here yesterday and told his story to the Daily Mail. He said that when the explosion occurred Kitchener went up on the quarter deck where he remained until the ship sank, not even attempting to get into a life boat.

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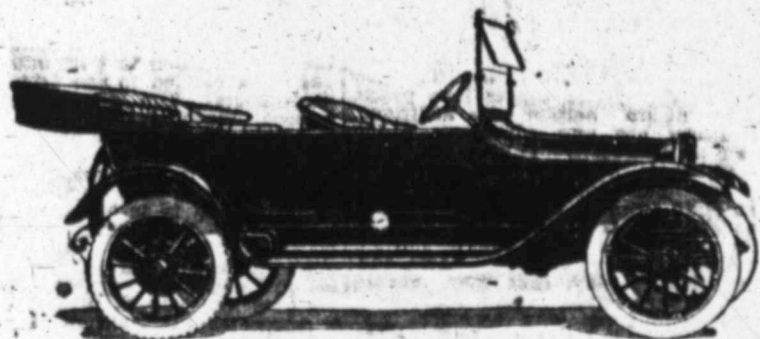
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METHODISTS LOSE TO BAPTIST TEAM

First Game of Sunday School League Is Played Thursday Afternoon

The advocates of immersion triumphed over the baby sprinklers in the first game of the Sunday school league Thursday afternoon, the score being Baptist 5, Methodists 2. The game was played on the Austin school grounds. The game was a fast one, being a pitchers' battle between Stanush of the Baptists and Deaton of the Methodists, the former showing up better in the pinches. Hits were not numerous, most of the scores being due to the error of the Methodists in the last inning, but were unable to overcome the Baptists' long lead. The same teams will meet again next Tuesday. Yesterday's lineup: Baptist—Davis, 3b; Soderland, c; Haney, 1b; Whitley, captain and ss; Patterson, lf; Glenn, cf; Sandusky, p; Whitley, 2b; Shumake, rf. Methodist—G. Harris, 1b; Yancey, cf; Weaver, ss and captain; Berry, 3b; P. Trotter, c; B. Trotter, 2b; Van Meter, lf; Brown, rf; Deaton, p.

NOTORIOUS BANDIT LEADER CAPTURED

American Captain Makes Prisoner of Chieftain Who Was in Raid on Columbus.

By Associated Press. Field Headquarters, June 14, by radio to Columbus, June 14—Pedro Lujan, one of the most prominent Vih chieftains remaining alive, was captured by Captain F. George Turner, commander of Troop M, Thirteenth Cavalry, at Hacienda Topohaknes, Lujan was one of the leaders in the raid on Columbus, New Mexico, March 9.

\$25,000 OLD BONDS BURNED BY COUNCIL

Defective Issue Destroyed—Delay Passage of Milk Ordinance, No Action on Gas

At last night's session, the council watched \$25,000 go up in smoke, or rather the witness the burning of bonds of that amount. About three years ago bonds were voted for the city hospital. An error in printing of the bonds was not discovered until after they had been signed and registered with the attorney general at Austin. New bonds were issued to take the place of those that were defective, but both sets existed as outstanding obligations against the city on the records of the attorney general's office. Although the defective set never left the possession of the city, no legal destruction of them had been made until they were burned in the presence of the council, as required by law, last night.

The matter of the amendment of the Wichita Gas Company's franchise did not come up for discussion or for any action. The council's proposal for an auditor and natural gas expert to go into the situation and secure data from which the council could determine whether the increase was justified, was submitted to the company about the middle of the week, but so far no reply has been returned by the gas company. Should the company not return any reply at all, the matter would probably be dropped without any further action on the part of the council.

The milk ordinance came up for discussion but no action was taken. Several members of the council were opposed to what they thought would prove prohibitively expensive features of the ordinance, and it will be revised and the revised ordinance presented to the council within the next two or three weeks. It is possible that an entirely new ordinance may be introduced in its stead.

J. A. Richolt and J. D. Lea Jr. were appointed a committee to look into the matter of providing housing for the new motor street sweeper purchased by the council, and to submit estimates of cost for same. The sweeper is expected to reach Wichita Falls in the next week or two. The committee will render their report at a called meeting of the council, which will probably be held next Monday.

Weeds on vacant lots will have to be cut as the result of action at last night's session. J. A. Brown, city sanitary officer, was instructed to order owners of lots to have the weeds cut wherever useful and on failure or refusal on the part of property owners to do so, they will be dealt with under the ordinance against maintenance of a nuisance.

A man who had recently put in a claim of \$25 for an "Angora" dog killed at the pond notified the council last night that he would be willing to accept \$5. The argument that if the dog was worth paying taxes on, which the owner had demonstrated that he was willing to do, it must be worth at least \$5, decided the council in allowing the claim for that amount.

The contract for the official publications for the city for the coming two years was awarded to The Times.

Notes From McKee. A good rain fell at this place last night which is of great benefit to the growing crops and is of comparative no damage to the wheat and oats. Mrs. McCarty of Dallas, is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Beer.

Howard McKee returned Friday from Gore, where he has been for the past two months. Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Pressley and son, Norville, spent Sunday with Mrs. Pressley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Powell at Pleasant Valley. Jim Campbell of Dean, tick inspector was here on official business Monday. Roy Crawford of Wichita Falls, visited friends here Sunday. Miss Rhoda Newton of Wichita Falls, spent Sunday with Miss Ollie Hicks.

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ANOTHER RAIN AND WIND STORM HERE

Brief Disturbance Thursday Night—Additional Reports of Damage

Dark clouds and vivid lightning gave promise last night of a duplicate of Wednesday's storm, but after a brief wind and dust disturbance and a light rain, the storm passed over. A light rain fell here. Reports from the Wednesday night storm tell of additional damage to crops. In some parts of the county corn and other crops suffered from hail, while this damage was more pronounced south of this city on the Wichita Valley. The steeple of a church at Petrolia was loosened by the wind and blown over on the roof of the church, where it remained. In all parts of the oil field derricks were blown down, but the damage was less extensive than usual when such storms prevail. Rain fell last night all along the Northwestern on the Denver north to Quantah and at most points on the Wichita Valley. It was not heavy at any point.

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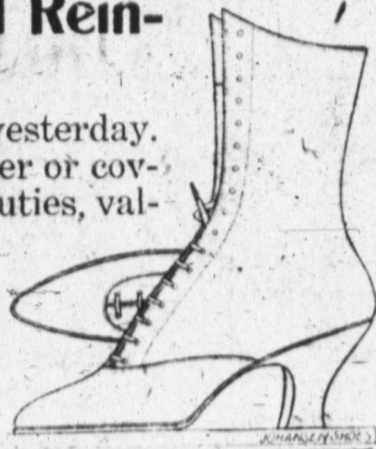
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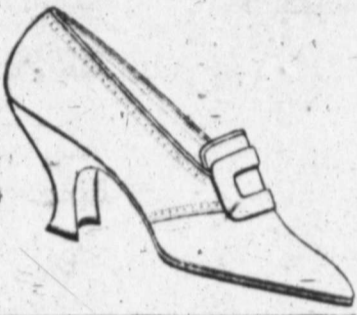
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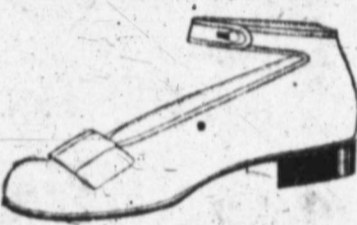
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But there will come a time, my love, When, if I read our stars aright, I shall not linger by this porch With my farewells. Till then, good night!

You wish the time were now? And I You do not blush to wish it so? You would have blushed yourself to death.

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—Thomas Bailey Aldrich.

HOUSEPARTY OPENS TODAY AT LAKE WICHITA

Under the chaperonage of Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Clifford a dozen young

people will enjoy a week's house party at Lake Wichita, going out this morning. A number of informal diversions are on schedule for the week's entertainment. The party includes: Mr. and Mrs. Clifford, Misses Hazel Johnson, Lillian Bell, Celia Stoyton, Nell Bullock, Daisy Stewart, and Elizabeth Cochran of Persall, Texas; Messrs. Earl Webster, Andrews, John Lottis, Geoffrey Shaw, Alva Connor and Henry Arnold.

CLASS '1915 REUNION, HELD THURSDAY EVENING

A reunion of the 1915 class of graduates of the local high school and a very delightful affair was held Thursday evening at the home of Miss Mary Herron with Miss Helen Hines as joint hostess. Class reminiscences and a recital of the achievements of the 1915 class formed interesting topics of conversation and several games of "senior" were played. Further entertainment was found in readings given by Miss Hines, a "stunt" by Miss Herron and vocal selections by the former senior quartet, Ralph Pond, J. L. Jackson, Jr., J. W. Akin, Jr.,

and Lawrence Dougan. The class colors of green and black formed the color motif of the tally cards, senior pennants, and in the refreshment course, a chocolate and green tinted ice cream brick, devilfood cake with green icing and green nuts. Souvenirs were gilded with ribbons tied with class colors. Those enjoying the affair were: Misses Emma Childers, Helen Beavers, Jessie Mae Agnew, Ruby Moore, Ruth Elliot, Thelma Kahn, Roby Bachman, Alice Frazier, Eleanor Scott of Ladonia, Gladys Herron, Messrs. Ralph Pond, J. L. Jackson, Ivan Lowler, Jr., Lawrence Dougan, Charles Butts, Walter Hall, J. W. Akin, Jr., John Tevis and Mesdames W. H. Herron and H. B. Hines.

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MISS SIMPSON HOSTESS TO MIDWEEK BRIDGE CLUB

With the meeting of the Mid-Week Bridge Club Wednesday with Miss Mae Simpson at the home of Mrs. A. H. Carrigan the club season came to a close, adjournment being taken until fall. The hostess' prize, a dainty bit of silken lingerie, went to Miss Genevieve Carver for high score and the club prize, bought from the funds remaining in the treasury, was cut by Miss Bertha Mae Kemp, this favor being also lingerie. An ice course was served to: Misses Genevieve Carver, Wescelie and Macdilla of Milwaukee, Nelyvne Newell of San Angelo, Mary Orth, Grace Nolen, Bertha Mae Kemp, Kathiea Blair, Myrtle Stringer, Agnes Held, Florence Samsmons, Ruth Simpson, Annie Barwise of Electra, Mesdames Merrill Blair, Burton Stoyton, Carter McGregor, Chenaull, Garrison, Woodruff, Clayton, W. M. McGregor, Marchman and A. H. Carrigan.

PHILADELPHIA VISITOR HONORED THURSDAY EVENING

The Thursday Forty Two Club members and a number of guests were invited to meet Mrs. Don C. Hunter of Philadelphia, guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hunter, Thursday evening at the Hunter home. The usual game of 42 was enjoyed and a dainty refreshment course was served. The ice brick being in pink and white and pink and white mints were served in attractive cases. The dining table was overlaid with a handsome Cluny cloth and centered with an immense asparagus fern. The guest list included: the honoree, Mrs. Don C. Hunter, Messrs. and Mesdames W. W. Siler, C. W. Sailer, Mack Thomas, E. W. Nicholson, A. B. Huff, T. J. Waggoner, A. L. Andrews, T. B. Noble, W. M. McGregor, Clint Wood, H. A. Alvin, Wiley Roberts and Burnside, Messrs. Lanford and Grisham.

SEWING CIRCLE MEETING WITH MRS. C. R. HARTSOOK

The meeting of the Thursday Sewing Circle this week was held with Mrs. C. R. Hartsook, Mrs. A. M. Hartsook being the club guest. After a time of sewing and chat the hostess served a dainty refreshment course to Mesdames Bell, Prossley, Gardner and A. M. Hartsook. The club will meet next week with Mrs. J. H. Higgins.

SEW SO CLUB PICNICS AT LAKE WICHITA

An all day picnic and fishing party was enjoyed by the members of the Sew So Club Wednesday, the party motoring to the neighborhood of Lake Wichita. At the noon hour an elaborate spread of picnic dainties was partaken. The party included: Frank Nicholson, Clyde Taylor and Robert Urban, acting as chauffeurs; Mesdames Nicholson, Williams, Baggett Taylor, Fonville, Coffield, Urban, Naylor and Hovey.

L. A. TO B. R. T. ENTERTAINED TO HONOR DELEGATE

Honoring the return of Mrs. Selina Hammond, the Auxiliary delegate to the Detroit convention, the Ladies Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen were entertained Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. C. Britton. Mrs. Hammond made a short and interesting telling of the social features of her trip to Detroit and music was furnished by Mrs. I. DeWitt, Miss Boyd, Mrs. J. Quinn, Misses Phyllis Boyd, guests: Mesdames Hammond, Hicks, Ward, Stearns, Van Stewart, Gavin, Townsend and DeWitt.

ENTRE NOUS CLUB PICNIC AT LAKE THURSDAY

After having a delightful winter party and informal weekly meetings the Entre Nous Club has adjourned for the summer, the last meeting being a picnic Thursday evening at Lake Wichita with the husbands of the club members as honor guests. A delectable supper was spread before dusk and enjoyed by Messrs. and Mesdames W. J. Brown, E. M. Everton, G. R. Taylor, Mrs. E. H. Brown, Mrs. William Little and Mrs. J. Quinn, Misses Phyllis Boyd, Bettie Jo Arkard of Petrolia, Ruth Calvert of Henrietta, Audrey Joe Everton, Eddie Brown and Clyde Taylor.

PROTESTS ON OIL VALUATIONS HEARD

Assessments on Leases Are Objected To in Some Cases Before Commissioners

The county commissioners were listening to the troubles of oil men today, protesting on increases in the assessments of oil leases. In addition, other protests are being heard. No marked increase in valuation of oil properties is expected this year for although the increasing price of oil has had its effect, the production of the first of the year was at a low figure, nearly offsetting the advance in price. Stories of declining wells, dry holes, condemned territory and the like are being told to the commissioners repeatedly today. In some cases lease valuations had been fixed at the same figures as in 1915, although the land in question had been found unproductive in the meantime. Reductions have been made by the commissioners as a result of information furnished by the oil men, who as a rule are easy enough to get along with. The commissioners may finish hearing protests this afternoon, but will probably remain in session until tomorrow. The net increase in valuations this year is expected to be inconsiderable.

SAVES DAUGHTER

Advice of Mother no Doubt Prevents Daughter's Untimely End.

Ready, Ky.—"I was not able to do anything for nearly six months," writes Mrs. Laura Bratcher, of this place, "and was down in bed for three months. I cannot tell you how I suffered with my head, and with nervousness and womanly troubles.

Our family doctor told my husband he could not do me any good, and he had to give it up. We tried another doctor, but he did not help me.

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WICHITA DAILY TIMES

Published Every Week Day Afternoon (Except Saturday)
Wichita Falls, Texas, June 16, 1916

Declaring that a bridge across Burnett street is practically useless so far as travel is concerned and that the proposed bond issue is a grafting proposition, one who signs himself "Reader" writes a protest to the Times.

WISDOM AND OTHERWISE.
While: "Paw, what is meant by inside information?" Paw: "That's something that a surgeon has after he goes through with a man in the operating room, my son."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

A candidate for a state office has written The Times, enclosing a copy of his platform, requesting this paper to publish portion of it from time to time, free, gratis, for nothing.

It is hoped that intervention in Mexico can be avoided until some leader of the Mexican people arises who can restore order in that troubled country.

Two men were cycling past prison wall. "I wonder where you would be if the prison had its due," remarked one. "Riding alone," replied the other.—New York Herald.

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A KANSAS VIEW.
Victor Murdock, weeping in rage at the collapse of the progressive bluff at Chicago, was a somewhat pitiable figure.

ON THE TRAIN
To the Times, June 9th—Donnell, I slept sound last night, and in the slang term of Teddy, I feel "bully" this morning.

THE SUPREME COURT.
The supreme court of the United States now numbers among its members a Jew.

EDGAR RYE.
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AT THE THEATRES

The Empress. "Playing With Fire" a Metro special showing today at the Empress, has been reviewed by a Motion Picture World critic as follows: Throughout the five reels of this Popular Plays and Players drama, one of the best thus far provided for Mme. Petrova, there is a commendable effort to avoid stereotyped methods of production. It is evidenced in the varied backgrounds for the subtitles, designed to harmonize with the spirit of the scene being introduced; it is apparent in odd lighting effects, in the use made of double exposure and in the care taken to give the picture a distinctive tone. "Playing With Fire" is the title Aaron Hoffman gave his rather frank, though unobjectionable sex story, directed with considerable skill by Francis J. Grandon. There is nothing especially edifying about the drama, beyond the artistic workmanship, but it is certain to be a popular attraction. Always distinguished in appearance and wearing many stylish gowns, Mme. Petrova is an impressive, if not exactly sympathetic figure in the role of a woman who marries an elderly man out of gratitude, and then is carried away by the impetuous wooing wooing of an untried young artist. Possessing an imperturbable poise and assurance, Mme. Petrova never seems quite like the victim of an unmanageable passion, but when it comes to protecting her step-daughter from the man who wronged her she has no difficulty in indicating the sincerity of her purpose. The climax of the story is cleverly

worked up; in fact the plot construction is a credit from first to last and free from illogical turns. Evelyn Brent introduced as a child and later as a young woman whose first serious love affair is with the philandering artist, is girlishly charming and delightfully unaffected. She gives the picture a valuable touch of wholesome innocence. Arthur Hoops, as her father and the husband of Jean, provides a performance at once dignified and forceful, whereas Pierre Le May is well cast as the degenerate artist.

The Gem. Elsie Jane Wilson and Rupert Julian, Universal stars, are leads in "The Marriage of Arthur," playing today at the Gem. The story is given: Arthur Bates spends his time with wine, women and song. Arthur's lawyer calls upon him one day bringing the sad news of the death of his uncle and tells him that his uncle's entire estate has been left to him. Arthur is very much pleased at the old man's death, but finds cause for complaint when he finds that one of the provisions of the will is that he must marry Agatha Grey. This does not fall in with his plans, but, however, rather than lose the fortune, he determines to throw himself away on Miss Grey.

The parents of Miss Grey find the young man very pleasing and the wedding day is hurried forward. Soon after the ceremony, Arthur and his wife leave the home of her parents and start housekeeping for themselves. With the accession of wealth, Arthur finds it much more pleasant to enjoy the forbidden fruit of the great white way than to stay at home with his wife. The girl is very lonely as a re-

sult, but nevertheless writes home that she is happy.

To commemorate his newly-found inheritance, Arthur gives a big party and refuses to allow his wife to attend. The maid finds a woman's slipper in Arthur's pocket and naturally tells his wife. She also tells the wife that all her husband cares for is amusement, and confronted by the evidence of the slipper, the wife is forced to believe. She determines to follow Arthur and watch him.

Arthur and his friends are having a big time at the party when his wife comes in and takes a table nearby. He does not know her in the becoming clothes she is wearing, but when the other men notice her, he recognizes her as his wife. While Arthur did not care for his wife at home, he becomes very jealous when he sees her surrounded by other men. He goes to her table and in his rage starts to choke her, but she shows him the slipper and he realizes he has been found out. The two become reconciled and Arthur promises that their home will be a happy one in the future.

The Majestic. In piloting a racing automobile down a treacherous winding mountain grade in "The Raiders" the Triangle-Kay Bae feature, showing at the Majestic, in which H. B. Warner is starred, Dorothy Dalton, who plays the chief supporting role, proved herself a skillful as well as a daring driver. Traversing often at the rate of a mile-a-minute, the actress negotiated the difficult turns without hesitation, and at all times was master of the car. The race plays a big part in the thrilling events that bring the story to a climax.

Miss Dalton, while not a speed maniac, likes to "car" in her own car, and traversing the roads about Los Angeles. Prior to joining the Inceville forces, in the summer of 1915, she had never driven a car, but after buying a speedy racer soon mastered the machine. Now she declares herself ready to drive across the continent unattended, or to meet any other woman appearing in motion pictures in a contest over the famous Santa Monica race course.

When not at the studio, Miss Dalton divides most of her time between her motor car and her modiste. She believes that the art of designing proper clothes is one of the chief requisites of success on the stage and screen.

ANTI SALOON LEAGUE TO OPEN NEXT MONTH

Seventeenth National Convention Will Be Held at Indianapolis—Texans Among Speakers.

By Associated Press. Indianapolis, June 16.—Arrangements have been completed for the holding of the seventeenth national convention of the Anti-Saloon League of America in Indianapolis, June 23-29 inclusive. General Superintendent P. A. Baker of Westville, O., will call the convention to order Sunday afternoon, June 23. United States Senator Wesley L. Jones of Washington, will deliver the principal address of the opening session. Eight college men, winners of statewide preliminary contests, will discuss the liquor question at an oratorical contest Monday afternoon, which will be held in connection with the convention, but under the auspices of the Intercollegiate Prohibition Association, with Harry S. Warner, secretary of the association, presiding. The speakers will be: Jefferson N. Simmons, Delaware University; G. R. Lawrence, Northwestern University; Delloyd E. Wood, Ohio Wesleyan; Robert S. Miller, Pennsylvania College; George W. Castro, University of Michigan; M. K. Thomson, Wesleyan University; Leon E. Carnell, Syracuse University; and a representative from Maine, to be chosen. Daniel A. Poling, of Boston and the Rev. Merton S. Rice, of Detroit, are to address the convention of the evening. Bishop Luther B. Wilson of New York City, will preside on Thursday morning. At this session Sam Haines of Georgia will deliver the keynote address. Addresses in the afternoon will be given by F. Scott McBride, superintendent of Illinois League; A. C. Bane, financial secretary of the national organization; Dr. C. E. Geisel, Battle Creek, Mich.; Frederick Landis, Logansport, Ind.; and the Rev. Clarence True Wilson, secretary of the Temperance Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church. At the evening session, Bishop Francis William H. Anderson, superintendent of the New York League, and Judge S. D. Weakley of Birmingham, Ala., will speak. John G. Willacy of Texas; Wayne B. Wheeler, attorney for the national organization, and Bishop Francis J. McConnell of Denver, are on the program for the session Wednesday morning. Officers of the league in various states are to speak in the afternoon. Former Governor Richard Yates of Illinois; former Congressman Richmond P. Johnson of Alabama and Rev. Ben H. Spence, general secretary of the Ontario branch of the Dominion Alliance of Toronto, Canada, will deliver addresses at the evening session.

FIVE ARRESTS FOR BURKBURNETT RAID

Officers Recover 100 Pints of Whiskey and Some Beer in Surprise Visit.

Five alleged bootleggers, 100 pints of whiskey, and fifteen cases of beer were bagged at Burk Burnett today by Leslie Humphreys, district attorney, T. B. Greenwood, county attorney, and George Hawkins, sheriff. Two of the alleged bootleggers, Frank Roberts and W. B. Butler, white men, were brought from Burk Burnett in a car by the attorneys this afternoon and lodged in the county jail. The others, a negro man and two negro women, and the booze will be brought down by Sheriff Hawkins tonight. The whiskey was found after the others had left by Mr. Hawkins, who stayed behind for a further investigation. He also phoned that he had found a secret compartment in the negro's house with a capacity of 150 pints of whiskey, but this was empty.

CAR IS OVERTURNED, OCCUPANTS UNHURT

Near-Serious Automobile Accident Thursday Afternoon on Towa Park Road.

A Ford car, owned by Mrs. Joseph Frazier, 2008 Tenth street, and driven by her son, Joe, turned turtle on the road north of Iowa Park Thursday afternoon about 5 o'clock, spilling the four occupants of the car and tearing up the machine rather badly. None of the occupants was injured further than receiving slight bruises and scratches, though the car turned completely over, crushing the top and breaking the windshield. Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Johnson, and Lawrence Nolan were the other occupants of the car beside the driver, Joe Frazier. They were unable to give an explanation of the accident which took place in an instant's time. The road bed was seemingly smooth, offering no suggestion as to the reason for the overturn and the car was said to be going at a moderate rate of speed.

BELIEVES LITTLE DAMAGE BY STORM IN OKLAHOMA

C. L. Fontaine, general freight and passenger agent for the Wichita Falls and Northwestern, in discussing the general crop situation in the Panhandle and Western Oklahoma said that he did not believe any considerable damage had been done to the wheat and oats crops by the recent storms which visited those sections, and that of course would prove a great benefit to the cotton and sorghum grain crops. In the vicinity of Wichita Falls and points to the south the harvesting was practically completed, and north of Elk City none of the grain had been cut, according to Mr. Fontaine's information. While he looked for some damage to wheat on account of being blown over, and

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some further damage to other crops from hail, he believes that the damage will prove to be negligible in both cases.

BURKBURNETT TEAM WINS FROM LOCAL KATY TEAM

Although Petty of the Katy team of this city pitched a one-hit game, errors behind him allowed Burk Burnett to take the game by a score of 2 to 1 on the latter grounds yesterday afternoon. In the seventh stanza the local catcher overthrew third and allowed the deciding score to register and clinched the game for Burk Burnett. A circus catch by Houston, second sacker of the Katy and the skillful handling of a shank buster by Len Smith were bright spots in the local performance. A total of five safeties were secured from the Burk Burnett slabsman but unfortunately they were scattered and could not be duplicated in the ninches. Katy 001 000 000—1 5 5 Burk Burnett 000 010 100—2 1 4

TEXAS PYTHIANS LEAVE FOR LOS ANGELES MEETING

Dallas, Tex., June 16.—Texas delegates to the grand encampment of the Knights of Pythias to be held in Los Angeles, June 18-24, were en-barking on a special train, leaving Dallas over the Texas & Pacific railway today, carrying more than 100 state delegates. The Texas contingent is due to arrive in Los Angeles on the morning of June 18. No Texas city, as far as is known, will seek the 1917 meeting of the encampment.

MAJESTIC

Again Today, Triangle Plays.

Did You See H. B. WARNER In "The Raiders"

Thursday? It is one of the most absorbing pictures ever shown in our house. We are repeating it today. A feature well worth your time for the seeing.

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STRAYED OR STOLEN—Sunday night, one strawberry roan horse, 15 hands high, five years old.
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MRS. FRANKIE ROSS, dressmaker, 506 Ninth St. Phone 1714. 25-101p

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DEATH OF MRS. WILL JACKSON

Word was received here this morning of the death of Mrs. Will Jackson, formerly of this city, in St. Paul, Sanitarium at Dallas Thursday night. Mrs. Jackson had been brought to Dallas from California for her health.

OFFICERS ELECTED THURSDAY BY HIGH SCHOOL ALUMNI

Officers for the coming year were elected at the meeting of the Alumni Association of the Wichita Falls high school last night at the high school. At which more than 100 members were present.

At The Churches

Church of Christ. Located at 1104 Bluff street, Bible school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11 o'clock and at 8:30 p. m.

First Presbyterian Church.

The pastor will preach both morning and evening. The theme for the morning sermon will be "Permission Without Sanction." At night the subject will be "The Longest Way Around the Shortest Way Home."

First Baptist Church.

Sunday school at 9:30. Subsequent at 3 p. m. B. Y. P. U. at 7 p. m. Preaching by pastor at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Fourth Street Baptist Church.

Sunday school at 9:30. Preaching at 11 and 8 p. m. Rev. K. E. Keller, Women's Alliance Monday at 4 p. m. at the church.

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CARRIGAN, MONTGOMERY & BRITAIN, Attorneys-at-Law, Room: 220 First National Bank Building.
W. F. WEEKS, Attorney-at-Law, Office: Fifth Floor New First National Bank Building.
J. M. BLANKENSHIP, Attorney-at-Law, Room 2, Ward Building, Phone 472.
SMOOT & SMOOT, Attorneys, Office in Frisberg Building.
W. LINDSEY BIRD, Attorney, Civil and Criminal Law, Office Phone 327, 307 N. E.
Bernard Marlin, Attorney, G. O'Neal, Office: Room 200 Kemp & Kell Building.
J. E. GIGLE, Attorney-at-Law, Notary Public, Room 11, Ward Building, Phone 121.
Walter Nelson, T. F. Hunter, NELSON & HUNTER, Attorneys-at-Law, Suite 204 206 First National Bank Building, Phone 1492.
J. OSTER M. BONNER, Attorney-at-Law, General State and Federal Practice, Office: Suits 6, 8 and 11 Ward Building, Telephone No. 121.
C. B. FELDER, Attorney-at-Law, Office: 210 First National Bank Building.
John C. Kay, RAY & ARIN, J. W. Akin, Attorneys-at-Law, Office: 418 First National Bank Building.
RALPH F. WATERS, Attorney, Office: Room 100 First National Bank Building, Phone 710.
T. R. (DAN) BOONES, Attorney-at-Law, Suite 405-06 Kemp & Kell Building.
H. O. GLASCOCK, Lawyer, Room 10 McClurks Building, Phone 528.
WAYNE BOMBERLIE, Attorney, Office: Room 111 First Nat'l Bank Bldg., Phone 532.
W. B. Chauncey, John Davenport, CHAUNCEY & DAVENPORT, Attorneys, 211 Kemp & Kell Building, Phone 1424.
DENTISTS: DR. W. H. FELDER, Dentist, 605 Seventh Street.
ARCHITECTS AND CIVIL ENGINEERS: FIELD & CLARSON, Architects, 517 Kemp & Kell Building, Ft. Worth and Wichita Falls.

Announcements

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Personals

Miss Eleanor Scott of Ladonia is visiting her cousin, Miss Helene Hines.

Willie Pennington of Austin is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Cook. Mr. Pennington has visited here several times before and has many friends who will be glad of an opportunity of seeing him again. He is a well known musician.

Miss Hulda Salm left today for Houston and Galveston for a two weeks' visit with friends.

E. J. Pope, commercial agent for the Katy lines, has returned from a business trip to Omaha.

J. Kemp and Frank Kell returned this afternoon from a week's business trip to St. Louis, Chicago, and other northern and eastern points.

M. Pickens, Jr., a cotton factor of Macon, Georgia, spent yesterday here visiting local railroad offices.

R. L. Carrick of Fort Worth, commercial agent for the Mallory steamship lines, was a business visitor in Wichita Falls yesterday.

G. T. Kay of Dallas, traveling freight agent for the Queen and Crescent, was here on business yesterday.

P. F. Fisher of Fort Worth, traveling freight and passenger agent for the Missouri Pacific and the Iron Mountain lines, visited local railroad offices yesterday.

Dr. N. E. Harstock, a brother of Dr. C. R. Harstock, will arrive from Houston, Va., next week to become a member of the firm of Drs. Harstock & Stripling of this city.

Mrs. J. H. Hooper is convalescing from an operation for appendicitis performed last week.

R. E. Farmer has returned from Denver, where he went to relieve the Adams Express agent for a few days.

Rosenberry of Smithville, who has been here in the afternoon of his candidate for congressman at large, left this afternoon for Henrietta.

E. C. Strickland of Wellington, Kan., was in the city today on his way to Peoria.

Rev. F. F. Walters leaves tonight for Children.

Arthur Fretz, who has been in Galveston, returned to this city today.

C. O. Simmons left this afternoon for Olney.

Mrs. T. F. Hunter returned this afternoon from a visit in Stamford.

E. C. Hall left this afternoon for Electra.

Miss Katherine McGillis, Miss Florence Weechler and Miss Genevieve Carver left today for a visit in Corsicana and Tyler.

A. F. McClintock, who is a member of the New Mexico militia, was in the city today en route from Columbus to his home in Olney.

A. C. Lamb left this afternoon for Yettam.

Jerry Schafer left this afternoon for a visit in Fort Worth.

Miss Eleanor Scott, who has been here visiting Miss Helen Hines, left today for Iowa Park.

James E. Hankerson returned this afternoon from Henrietta, where he has been attending court.

A. H. Fell, who has been in Fort Worth, returned to this city this afternoon.

My W. F. Cobb returned this afternoon from Fort Worth.

June and Mrs. F. A. Martin returned this afternoon from Le Grange, where Mrs. Martin has been visiting for some time.

Arthur A. Brown, who recently enlisted in the army service here, was sent by Corporal McGee to Fort Sam Houston, the army training station, this afternoon.

Mrs. F. W. Kennerly and Mrs. F. Murphy left today for Seymour.

Joe Ward has returned from Austin, where he has been attending the State University. He may spend the summer in Galveston.

By McCulloch and sister, Mrs. W. L. Yeager of Iowa Park, were visitors here today.

Miss Birdie Johnson Perry of Mineola is the guest of Miss Lella Beall Anderson.

J. J. Holloway, division superintendent of this division for the Union News Co., was in the city on business today.

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Market Report

Chicago Grain.
By Associated Press.
Chicago, June 16.—The wheat market was depressed today by bearish views on the export situation. Opening prices ranged from 1.4 to 3.4 to 7.8 lower with July at 1.02 1/4 to 1/2 and September at 1.04 1/2 to 1/4. Corn rose to above yesterday's finish. Wheat closed nervous 3-4 to 1 1/2 net lower with July 1.01 1/2 to 1/4 and September 1.03 1/4 to 1/4.

New York Cotton.
New York, June 16.—Cotton opened steady at an advance of three points to a decline of two points. Around noon prices worked up to 11.89 for October, 13.05 for December. Cotton closed steady, July 12.77; October 12.92; December 13.08; January 13.15; March 13.29.

Fort Worth Livestock.
Fort Worth, Tex., June 16.—Cattle receipts 2000, active and steady; heavy \$8.50 to \$8.50. Hog receipts 800, five to ten cents higher. Bulk \$9.40 and \$9.50. Sheep receipts 1250 unchanged.

Oil and Gas Lease.
Frances F. Threadgill for herself and as administratrix of estate of John Threadgill, deceased, to J. J. Staley, N. B. Chenault, and F. F. Langford, 215 4-10 acres of Block 4, block 10 and block 24, all of league 4, Denton county school lands, 1/4 1/4 royalty one-eighth, drilling clause one year, rental \$2154.

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By Associated Press. Field headquarters, General Pershing, June 12, via Columbus, June 12.—The finishing blow was given the largest surviving band of Villa followers in Chiapas at 11:30 a. m. June 9 by 25 men of the Thirteenth cavalry under Col. R. H. Rethorst in a dashing fight in a canyon 20 miles north of Santa Clara here. The Americans were unhurt. The Americans routed 25 Villa bandits, killing three, wounding several and capturing all their horses and saddles, some rifles and several thousand rounds of ammunition. A night ride brought the Americans into the canyon at daybreak. Riding at a gallop they rounded a turn within 200 yards of where the bandits were camped in a grove. It was a complete surprise. There was a headlong rush among the Villa followers who, half clad, grabbed rifles and fought from behind trees. The Americans dismounted and within three minutes had routed the bandits who abandoned everything and fled to the mountains. For four hours the Americans continued the pursuit, climbing over the mountains, food and fighting from the shelter of rocks. Several Mexicans were shot, but neither their bodies nor the wounded were found. Returning to the Mexican camp the Americans added the bandits' breakfast to their own repast. The bandits had only bread and coffee. This band is said to have been the largest surviving remnant of the force of Cuernavaca who were killed three weeks ago in a brush with Americans, regarded as the most important accomplishment of the campaign.

8-HOUR PARLEYS NEAR DEADLOCK AT CONFERENCE

By Associated Press. New York, June 15.—The conference of railroad men and officials of railroad unions representing about 350,000 employees looked perilously near a deadlock today. That was the result of the application of what the men called a "yard stick" to their demands. In this the railway officials declared that "time paid for under one rule is not to be paid for under another rule or rules." The men declare the "yard stick" declaration is a denial of their requests. The railway managers deny that they have rejected the union men's demands.

RUSSIANS MEET SOME REVERSES IN THEIR DRIVE

By Associated Press. Berlin, June 15.—German and Austro-Hungarian troops delivered a heavy counter attack on Russian forces advancing in northern Bukovina and drove them back, the official Austrian statement of June 12 says. The Austrians captured 1300 Russians.

BULGARIAN PORTS ARE BOMBARDED

By Associated Press. Paris, June 15.—A Saloniki dispatch to the Radio agency says that allied fleets are bombarding the southern Bulgarian coast from Port Lagos to Dedaghat. The population is fleeing inland, the dispatch says.

MEXICANS LEAVING IN SEARCH OF WORK

By Associated Press. El Paso, Tex., June 15.—Several hundred Mexicans have arrived in El Paso in the last few days from points in Durango asserting they were on their way to the United States to seek employment. They said all industries in the Torreon district are closed and that the industrial and economic situation is the worst for years. WANT KING OF SPAIN TO GET PEACE PRIZE Madrid, June 15.—A movement has been started to propose King Alfonso as candidate for the 1916 Nobel peace prize.

SUCCESSOR TO M'COMBS IS QUESTION

E. M. HOUSE AMONG THOSE MENTIONED FOR NATIONAL CHAIRMAN—THREE NAMES HEARD IN CONVENTION WITH PLACE.

MARSHALL LEADS

By Associated Press. St. Louis, June 15.—Delegates' criticism of the democratic national convention has turned from discussions of ticket and platform to consideration of a chairman of the national committee and those to be associated with him in the management of President Wilson's campaign for re-election. The new national committee meets Saturday and expects to name a chairman then. Three names are under consideration today for the chairmanship. They are United States Senator Willard Saulsbury of Delaware, Homer Cummings of Connecticut, now vice chairman, and E. M. House of New York, president. Wilson has indicated that any one of the three men is agreeable to him. Wilbur H. Marsh, national committeeman from Iowa, is most likely to be chosen treasurer to succeed Holla Wells, treasurer. Henry Morgenthau probably will succeed to the chairmanship. Prospects of a fight over a vice presidential nominee diminished today as incoming delegates lined up behind Vice President Marshall. Senator Lewis of Illinois threatens to run himself to split the Roger Sullivan forces and Governor Moread of Nebraska says he will disagree with own boss and if he is elected will withdraw at once. There was some talk today of a coalition of western states to secure the nomination of a western man for vice president, but so far nothing tangible has resulted. Party leaders expect to have the situation well in hand before the nominating today. Delegates to the democratic national convention which opens here at noon tomorrow expect to be interested in two questions today. One is whether Vice President Marshall would be renominated by acclamation or whether the favorite would insist on their names going before the convention for a ballot. The other was the probable action of the delegates with regard to demand of the suffragists for an unequivocal declaration in the platform in favor of equal rights. Sentiment for the renomination of Marshall appears so strong today, leaders said, that there was talk among them of starting a movement to have him named without going through the formality of taking a ballot. The talk of renomination of Marshall on their names going before the convention for a ballot. The other was the probable action of the delegates with regard to demand of the suffragists for an unequivocal declaration in the platform in favor of equal rights. Sentiment for the renomination of Marshall appears so strong today, leaders said, that there was talk among them of starting a movement to have him named without going through the formality of taking a ballot. The talk of renomination of Marshall on their names going before the convention for a ballot. The other was the probable action of the delegates with regard to demand of the suffragists for an unequivocal declaration in the platform in favor of equal rights. Sentiment for the renomination of Marshall appears so strong today, leaders said, that there was talk among them of starting a movement to have him named without going through the formality of taking a ballot.

DEMOCRATS TURN FROM WATCHING FOES TO THEIR OWN NATIONAL CONVENTION



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NEW EVIDENCE IN TRIAL OF BATTLE

White Man Who Was Near Scene of Killing in Among Today's Witnesses From Tuesday's Daily. New evidence in the Battle murder case that was not brought on the other trial was introduced by the witness today. One of the new witnesses is E. H. Mauph of the Blair-Hughes Company, who was near the scene of the killing. The defendant, J. W. Battle is charged with the killing of Sam Holland, a white man, early in April. Mauph testified that he was in the act of stepping into the car door which contained the shipment he was looking over from the dock when he heard the first shot which first directed his attention to the quarter where the shooting took place. He could see Holla, the deceased, but could not see the negro, Battle. He did not see either party when he heard the second shot, having stepped into the car. When he first saw the white man, he was holding up his hands as though to shield his face, and seemed as if trying to dodge something after stepping into the car. He did not see Holland again until after the firing of the first shot. When he first saw the white man, he was holding up his hands as though to shield his face, and seemed as if trying to dodge something after stepping into the car. He did not see Holland again until after the firing of the first shot. Battle testified that he saw what he was going to do, at the same time telling his negro waiter, Ben Garner, to get out, remarking that he ought to have killed him the night before. It was then according to the witness, that the white man, Sam Holland walked in and said, "I would like to see Battle kill the negro; he would give him the twenty cents himself." "Who in the hell are you, some kind of an officer?" the witness fought Battle as saying at this time Holland, he said denied this but said rather than see Battle kill the negro, he would pay him the twenty cents himself. "Who in the hell are you, some kind of an officer?" the witness fought Battle as saying at this time Holland, he said denied this but said rather than see Battle kill the negro, he would pay him the twenty cents himself. Battle testified that he saw what he was going to do, at the same time telling his negro waiter, Ben Garner, to get out, remarking that he ought to have killed him the night before. It was then according to the witness, that the white man, Sam Holland walked in and said, "I would like to see Battle kill the negro; he would give him the twenty cents himself." "Who in the hell are you, some kind of an officer?" the witness fought Battle as saying at this time Holland, he said denied this but said rather than see Battle kill the negro, he would pay him the twenty cents himself.

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GAS WELL OF GOOD SIZE AT ELECTRA

For the Bird Cage. Attractive are new brackets of enameled iron which may be attached to the wall, near a window, to support the hanging bird cage. Some of these brackets are enameled bright yellow and a gay little yellow bird, supposed to be a canary, perches on the end of the bracket arm. Bright blue brackets are provided with blue-birds, red enameled brackets with gay red-breasted robins.

HUGHES STANDS ON GERMAN SUPPORT

DECLARES HIS ATTITUDE TO BE 'ONE OF UNMILITANT AMERICANISM'

RECALLS TELEGRAM

Says Message to Convention States His Position Clearly—is Questioned Today. By Associated Press. New York, June 13.—Charles E. Hughes, republican candidate for president in response to questions put to him today by newspaper men in regard to his attitude towards the support offered him by the Germans. "I stated my position very clearly," said it was "one of undiluted Americanism." He also announced today at the Hughes headquarters by L. B. Gleason, secretary of the republican national committee and of the New York state republican committee that it will be several days yet before a decision is reached on the question of the man who is to succeed Charles D. Hilles, chairman of the republican national committee. Mr. Gleason said a subcommittee of the national committee would meet in a few days and call upon the nominee to discuss the matter. Another announcement made was that the democratic party had employed to aid the Hughes campaign it is planned to throw on the screen throughout the country pictures of Mr. Hughes and his family. The people may again become familiar with him because he has for so long a time been virtually out of public life. The screen will also display important passages from Mr. Hughes' telegram to the national convention accepting nomination.

WILSON ANSWERS HUGHES' MESSAGE

SPEECH AT WEST POINT IS REPLY TO CANDIDATE'S TELEGRAM

TALKS TO GRADUATES

Urges Preparedness But Warns Against Militarism—Speaks of "Americanism". By Associated Press. West Point, N. Y., June 13.—President Wilson making his first address since the presidential campaign began discussed preparedness, militarism, Americanism, the cause of the war in Europe, peace, the Monroe doctrine, United States allegiance and the ideals of America. He declared it is the present imperative duty of the United States to be prepared, adding, "Mankind is going to know that when America speaks she means what she says." The president said the United States should not be a nation "with a chip on its shoulder" but a nation which will withdraw its hand as long as possible and strike only for the victory. Through almost the entire list of subjects discussed by former Justice Hughes in his telegram accepting the republican nomination. He declared that the United States is ready to join and the other nations to see the kind of justice it believes in. Shaking his finger emphatically, the president told the graduates of the military academy and a large audience that nobody who does not put America first can be tolerated. He added, however, that true Americanism should set a good example. The president declared the present war did not come by accident. The United States wants nothing from Europe, he said, and there is nothing she wants which she must get. He said that she would get what she will bring forth in the world's events. The word "Americanism" was used by the president for the first time in recent addresses. He constantly referred to the graduates and their national and international problems. He warned the graduates against militarism. The president's speech was frequently interrupted by applause and he was cheered as he concluded.

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FUNSTON PLACES ADDITIONAL TROOPS

Coast Artillery Companies Are To Be Ordered to Eagle Pass and Columbus.

MEXICANS TRYING TO SUPPRESS BANDITS

Six Men Under Command of Former Carranza Officer Arrested on Border. By Associated Press. San Antonio, Tex., June 13.—General Funston announced today that four of the eleven companies of coast artillery ordered into the department would be stationed at Eagle Pass, four held at Fort Sam Houston for emergency use and two sent to Columbus. Upon arrival of the companies ordered to Columbus a battalion of the 20th Infantry now there will return at that point. It is General Funston's intention to hold the three companies of engineers here. He said he had received no report regarding a fight between bandits and General Pershing's men.

BRITISH TROOPS NOW ACTIVE IN YPRES VICINITY

By Associated Press. Berlin, June 15.—A further advance on the Verdun front near Fort Duomo was announced today by the war office. British troops have begun movement against German positions southeast of Ypres. Truth Told in Sleep. According to an expert psychoanalyst and pundit of spiritual healing in New York, every dream is the result of the repression and secrecy practiced during the day, and every word spoken in dreams is the unguarded truth. Various foods and beverages, taken before retiring for the night, are known agencies of dreams. Corned beef and cabbage and mince pie or plum pudding are said to be the most prolific sources of conversational schemes. Wakeful wiles should find the new psychoanalytical scheme an excellent one. And here is the scientific discovery for housewives: If you wish to know all about your husbands give them a late supper of corn beef and cabbage. And then stay awake and you will hear the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth about his doings.

SAMPLES OF MILK MEET STATE'S TEST

All of Specimens Recently Collected, With One Exception, Are Found Satisfactory. From Tuesday's Daily. All the milk samples collected and tested by Dr. J. T. Traylor, city health inspector, passed the requirements of the state law except one specimen. It was stated that a sample from the same place examined some time ago barely passed the test. The man will be warned this time, and it will be impressed on him by the health authorities that another violation of the provisions of the law will result in summary measures, being taken. The enforcement of the provisions of laws of this character is said to be very difficult, and it is for this reason that the board of health is so anxious to get the provisions of the law into effect, as the provisions contained in that ordinance are expected to simplify the enforcement of state laws very much, and even in some instances the new ordinance will go far beyond state requirements.

LIGHTNING KILLS VERNON MAN WHILE HE IS ASLEEP

Special to The Times. Vernon, Tex., June 13.—J. S. Norton, 23 years old, was struck by lightning here Sunday night and instantly killed. He had retired with his brother about an hour before his death. His brother was not seriously injured.

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The convention at St. Louis this week is just a kind of a ratification meeting.

Roosevelt told the reporters Sunday that he was out of politics. He will find plenty of folks who will agree with him in that statement.

Delegates to the progressive national convention went to Chicago believing that a policy of "watchful waiting" was a wrong course, now they know it.

"They were willing to stay for the funeral," says Irving Cobb, in speaking of the delegates to the progressive convention, "but they didn't expect the corpse would run off and leave them. It is embarrassing to be a palibearer when the remains pervasively play bookey fro into the obsequies."

Next Wednesday, June 14th, is national flag day. President Wilson has issued a proclamation urging the observance of the day with a display of flags and patriotic ceremonies.

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TALKING ABOUT THE DEMOCRATS

Excerpts From Some of the Nominating Speeches Made Last Week at Republican National Convention at Chicago.

"The first duty of the Republican party in the coming campaign is to drive from power the administration and the party which have so gravely injured us at home and so deeply discredited us abroad."

"In selecting our candidate we will be actuated by but one prime purpose and guided by but one supreme desire, that is, to name a man who will stand four square to all the winds that blow against the honor of the dignity and right of the Republic."

"His Americanism yields to none. From countless platforms there many years he has preached the principles of our national character, created the spirit that made and keeps us free."

"The German-American vote. Maybe the officers of the German-American Alliance won't be able to deliver the 3,000,000 votes of its membership to Judge Hughes after all."

"FERGUSON AND THE RENTER. Two years ago Mr. Ferguson came to the political arena as the champion of the farm renter."

"THE REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE. The republican party has nominated a clean man. Against Justice Hughes character no man can say a word."

"We are determined to rescue a distracted country from internal distress and international disaster by the tremendous undertaking, unlike the undertakings which will shortly, foregather at St. Louis."

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VOTING QUALIFICATIONS IN VARIOUS COUNTRIES.

Anywhere in the United States one must have lived 21 years before he can vote. Not so in many other countries.

The Hun votes at 20, but the Austrian in the other half of the empire must be 24. Prussians can not vote until they are 25 years old and that is the minimum age limit in a number of German states.

Twenty-five is also the age in Holland, Belgium and Japan. Denmark is a believer in the wisdom that comes with age; hence no one there under 30 can vote.

More than 4,000,000 women are eligible to vote in the United States this year, and that will bring the total possible vote for presidential electors up to nearly 20,000,000.

There are just about twice as many women voters in our country as there were men who voted for Lincoln's re-election. I wonder if the women will appreciate better than the men the significance of what the poet wrote many years ago:

"Can shield you 'tis the ballot-box." Philadelphia Inquirer.

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CITY JAIL IS SCENE OF UGLY ENCOUNTER

Prisoner Uses Knife and Then Shoe Upon Others With Serious Results

From Sunday's Daily
Frightfully beaten up and covered with blood from wounds inflicted by a penknife and shoe wielded by fellow prisoners sobbing up in the "coolers" at the police station, one of the men were arrested for being drunk and according to the usual custom with such cases were placed in the room reserved for drunks to sober up in before being placed in the jail proper.

Although one of the men were searched one of them succeeded in smuggling a small knife by ar when put into the room there immediately began a struggle to remove something that had gotten into it whereupon Ware is said to have been greatly enraged.

Later when officers went back to put in another prisoner they found that the assailant had taken his shoe and was using it on his companions with deadly effect. The heel had been driven into the neck of one making a deeply effective wound. The officers believe that if they had been another five minutes in arriving on the scene the men would have been killed. As it was it took a couple of blows with a billy to quell the fighting one after the arrival of the police. The men were given prompt medical attention.

JURY DISCHARGED IN TOM WARE CASE

Is Unable to Agree—Insanity Plea Introduced by Defense in Case

From Sunday's Daily
The jury at Henrietta in the case of Tom Ware, farm hand, accused of murder in connection with the killing of Mrs. J. J. Terrill late in May, was unable to agree after being out about 24 hours and was discharged yesterday by Judge Bonner. The jurors are understood to have been nine for conviction and three for a verdict of insanity.

The insanity plea was introduced after the case started, the defense not pressing its plea of accidental shooting. The insanity testimony that on the afternoon before the shooting, Ware was near a party engaged in dipping cattle. One of the men put his hand into Ware's pocket, something that had gotten into it whereupon Ware is said to have been greatly enraged.

PUGILISM POPULAR FRIDAY AFTERNOON

Several Fights Take Place Down Town and Participants Are Fined \$5 Each

From Sunday's Daily
Friday afternoon was fighting time on the streets of Wichita Falls, six parties being arraigned for affray at the Saturday morning session of the police court. One case of drunk and a case of disturbing the peace came out of another fight. The officers were offered an explanation of the epidemic of other than the return of hot weather and its effect of shortening tempers. All of the fights could have easily been avoided, said the officers, all arising from insignificant differences over various things.

The fighters all plead guilty, and were assessed the usual fines of \$5 in each case. A case of vag and six drunks were also heard before Judge Whitlaw this morning. The vag, according to his own explanation had been here since Thursday week and had worked two days during that time. He said that he had gotten a little too much whiskey early in his visit which had upset his system, and he had been waiting and waiting for a chance to get out of there. Judge Whitlaw remarked that he had a new treatment for the prisoner's ailment and explained the firm belief that a little "iron" would help him. The prisoner amply assented to this view and was released. One of the drunks was turned over to the county on another charge, one was released and promised to leave the city, another fined \$5 and suspended for 30 days, and the others were taxed \$5 each.

COUNCIL MAKES PROPOSITION FOR GAS RATE PROBE

NO OFFICIALS OF COMPANY ARE PRESENT AT SESSION—THURSDAY NIGHT WHEN MATTER COMES UP FOR ATTENTION.

From Sunday's Daily
The council on Tuesday night made a proposition for a probe into the gas rate situation.

MAYOR GIVES VIEWS

Points Out Necessity of Going Into Matter Thoroughly Before Faking Action—Question Discussed From Many Angles.

From Friday's Daily
That consent of the city council to an increase in gas rates will not be obtained easily, if at all, was indicated at the council session Thursday night, when the city's proposition for an audit of the company's books and for an expert investigation of the natural gas situation was submitted.

Major Britain in a statement which was considered as reflecting the views of the council, went over the matter from the standpoint and explained the necessity of the council's obtaining exhaustive information on the subject before taking any action. Members of the council questioned reports which had come to them of the attitude of gas company officials as being opposed to such an investigation as proposed by the mayor, but there was no direct information as to the views of the gas officials.

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TICK ERADICATION WORK PROGRESSING

Over 45,000 Dippings to Date—Hope to Complete Campaign by December 1.

Wichita county's "offensive" against the cattle ticks is progressing steadily and by December 1, the victory will be complete, according to inspector Hoffman, who is in charge of the work in this county. He states that if proper cooperation and assistance is given by the cattlemen, the campaign will be completed on schedule time.

To date, approximately 45,000 head of cattle have been dipped in the arsenic solution. Some have been dipped twice and a few have been dipped the third time. There are 42 dipping vats in the county and with six inspectors at work, consistent and steady progress is being made.

One-Way to Make Husband Behave, Is Illustrated

From Sunday's Daily
A commanding woman, and a wife who forces her husband's respect is Bessie Combs. If her husband's version of a family row proves to be correct, Bessie came to the police soon after ten o'clock last night and complained of her husband, O. Combs, claiming that he came to her room where she is employed as a domestic, and after demanding money, and failing to get it, he jumped on her, knocking her down and kicking her in the stomach several times. She further stated that Okey spent all his time and money gambling at a negro resort down in the flats.

A few minutes later Okey voluntarily walked into the police station and gave a widely different version of the affair. According to Okey's version, he was down in the flats when in walked his better half and accusing him by all the vile names that her imagination could conjure up. Okey said that he went home with her, as she had a long knife in her hand—she indicated the length, about a foot, although his imagination might have led him to exaggerate, he deemed it the art of policy to accompany her. As they got along by the home Kort the quarrel seems to have broken out afresh. Okey said that she attacked him with the knife and he was merely trying to keep her off him. He exhibited several small cuts on his hand which he claims that she inflicted with her knife. He says that she is a bad woman, and he had fighting with a knife. As Okey only paid a fine for her last Christmas for tardily gave up he was allowed to give bond by the police, a charge of simple affray being lodged against him. He said that it was the first time he was ever in trouble with the police and that he is employed as a porter at the Brown Palace Hotel.

Got Her New Hat.
"Why is it," asked the inquisitive husband, "that you never ask anyone if your hat is on straight, as I so often hear other women do?" "Well, if you must know," replied his wife, "it is because I love you so much." "You fail to see what your love for me has to do with it?" "Why, just think how it would disgrace you if I were to call anyone's attention to the only hat I have had in three years." And that's why, on the very next occasion she went out, she appeared in the latest creation of the milliner's art.

TICK ERADICATION WORK PROGRESSING

Over 45,000 Dippings to Date—Hope to Complete Campaign by December 1.

Wichita county's "offensive" against the cattle ticks is progressing steadily and by December 1, the victory will be complete, according to inspector Hoffman, who is in charge of the work in this county. He states that if proper cooperation and assistance is given by the cattlemen, the campaign will be completed on schedule time.

To date, approximately 45,000 head of cattle have been dipped in the arsenic solution. Some have been dipped twice and a few have been dipped the third time. There are 42 dipping vats in the county and with six inspectors at work, consistent and steady progress is being made.

WOMAN'S SKULL FRACTURED IN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT

(Quannah Tribune—Chief)

Tuesday morning between 10 and 11 o'clock, C. O. Vernon of Wichita Falls, brought news to town that a car had overturned on the Chillicothe road one and one half miles east of town and that some of the occupants were seriously hurt. Several cars were stuck on the scene, and it was found that Miss Mamie Whorton had her skull crushed and her right leg badly broken, while the other occupants only received minor bruises. Miss Whorton was rushed to the sanitarium where Dr. Hanna and Professor Taylor performed surgery to spend the summer. Medical attention. Her condition was too critical for an operation to be performed until yesterday evening. After several hours of surgery, she succeeded in setting the broken leg and removing a piece of broken skull. Dr. Radford stated this morning that if, after seventy-two hours, no infection set in she would have a fighting chance for recovery. Mr. H. B. Baron, O. L. Thomas, Jr., and Miss Arlie Norman of Paducah, and Miss Mamie Whorton of this city, were the occupants of the car. They were out driving around and were returning to town in order that Miss Norman might catch the 11 o'clock Denver train, as she was here en route to her grandmother's to spend the summer. According to Miss Norman and Mr. Baron and several eye witnesses they could not have been driving over twelve miles an hour when the accident occurred. As they rounded the curve in the road, the tire on the left rear wheel blew out and Baron reached for his emergency brake and lost control of the car. The car skidded causing the tire on the left front wheel to blow out and at the same time the car turned over on its side. Miss Whorton was thrown through the windshield and her head struck a fence post, crushing her skull and breaking her jawbone.

MOTOR TRUCKS IN BALKAN CAMPAIGN

Ox Wagons Which Formerly Were Used For Transport Are Now Entirely Displaced

With the Bulgarian Army, Macedonia's front-line troops, the motor truck has replaced the ox wagon as the main transport for the Bulgarian army. An officer in charge of the supply department of one of the front-line units here submitted figures which he said instead proved that each motor truck used by his army has been doing the work of 500 oxen and 250 wagons each day.

In the past the Bulgarian army has depended entirely upon the ox wagon for the transport of its food supplies and ammunition. In the early stages of the campaign against Serbia no such means were available for the transport of the army. The horse drawn vehicles had to be used as combat trains, a rickety homemade farm affair drawn either by one ox or two water buffaloes. With railroads few and far between in Bulgaria and Serbia, this made campaigning very difficult. Not only was the supply system itself slow, cumbersome and unreliable, but it also prevented the troops from advancing as rapidly as they might have done had it been possible to get food and ammunition to the front more rapidly.

The opening of a through route of communication between the Central Empires and Bulgaria changed all this. The first motor trucks reached Bulgaria over the Danube. Later more came over the re-established Belgrade-Nish railroad. Today the ox wagon is nearly a thing of the past, as the Associated Press correspondent was himself able to ascertain. The conveyance is still used to carry in such light supplies as straw and hay or materials when delivery is not urgent and bread is brought into the trenches by the ox wagon; but outside of this the vehicle has been supplanted entirely by the motor truck.

The motor truck carries a crew of two, is able to transport 3,000 kilograms at an average speed of fifteen miles an hour, runs 16 hours a day if necessary. This means that each motor truck replaces at a 76-hour run, 450 ox wagons, 350 animals and about 200 men. Considering that the motor truck with a capacity of more than 3,000 kilograms is by no means rare at the Macedonian front and taking into consideration the length of the various lines of supply the average for each truck is the officer stated, 250 wagons, 500 animals and about 300 men.

SOME OPPOSITION TO BRIDGE BONDS

Steps Will Be Taken This Week To Bring Out Large Vote For \$75,000 Issue

From Sunday's Daily
Steps will probably be taken this week to bring out a large vote for the \$75,000 bond issue for three new bridges in this county, at the election to be held June 20, a week from Tuesday. So far little has been said of the matter since the election was ordered.

There is reported to be considerable opposition to the bonds in certain precincts, although the opposition is not as pronounced as it was to the \$225,000 county court bonds, concrete and bituminous materials are being considered. The plans are to pave the streets around the square and extend the paving on Main street to the depot which will make a total of about 600 yards of paving 100 feet wide, or a total of 20,000 square yards. At first thought the paving of streets in small cities like Archer City would seem preposterous, and out of the question, but Mayor Singleton assures us that he can easily secure the money necessary, payable in twenty years, at six per cent.

PAVING OF ARCHER CITY'S STREETS IS PROPOSED

(Archer County News)

At a meeting of the city council of Archer City was taken up in earnest and committees appointed to determine the probable cost and the kind of paving most satisfactory. Wood blocks, concrete and bituminous materials are being considered. The plans are to pave the streets around the square and extend the paving on Main street to the depot which will make a total of about 600 yards of paving 100 feet wide, or a total of 20,000 square yards. At first thought the paving of streets in small cities like Archer City would seem preposterous, and out of the question, but Mayor Singleton assures us that he can easily secure the money necessary, payable in twenty years, at six per cent.

CONFEDERATE MONUMENT IS PLANNED AT VERNON

A fund for the erection of a Confederate monument on the public square was begun last Friday afternoon at the annual Davis memorial meeting of the local chapter United Daughters of the Confederacy, which about \$100 was subscribed.

This amount has been increased since the meeting and it is thought that within a short time the proposed amount for the enterprise, \$500 will be raised. It is hoped that the monument can be erected during the present year. The site has not been agreed upon but it is likely that some attractive location on the court house square, probably the southwest corner will be selected.

AMERICAN CITIZENS

In practice there is no such thing as a "citizen of the United States." Such "citizen" is about as mythical as the mermaid. In order to vote, for instance, one must bring his citizenship down to the concrete and become a citizen of New York, or of some one of the other states. You cannot vote in New York unless you are a citizen of New York; and the same is true of all the other states. The "citizen of the United States" is a very vague term.



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(Continued from page one)

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WEAK KIDNEYS MAKE WEAK

Kidney Diseases Cause Many Aches and Pains of Wichita Falls

As one weak link weakens a chain, so may weak kidneys weaken the whole body and hasten the final breaking down.

SAYS PARTY HAS LIVED UP TO PROMISE

When Pierce was president the British minister in this country and three other ministers were expelled from the country during the Crimean war.

sky that no man's hand could ever pull it down. But when some other tribe among the races of men seeks a hand against the back of the skin of a rattlesnake, we want like old Governor Bradford of Massachusetts to be in a position to send that rattlesnake a message wrapped in powder and with ball.

"We have been carried too close to the edge of war during the past two years to believe that those rocks will ever exist. And looking into the future we can perceive that if our sovereignty is not challenged, our peace is not assailed it will only be because the world knows that we are strong enough to defend ourselves from any foe.

"For these reasons this administration has done more for our army and our navy than any administration in our history.

"More than this, it has mobilized the resources of the nation to meet the needs of war. It has placed the results of the country back to the strength of the country, the toiler back of the soldier and the sailor.

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course. If a particular gentleman who has seen it to do so would kindly inquire of the manager of the bank, we imagine his pocket feathers would be suddenly stirred.

RUSSIAN ADVANCE IS DEEMED NOTABLE

Petrograd Contrasts Present Situation With That of One Year Ago

Petrograd, June 13.—The similarity between General Brusiloff's advance in the past week and the Russian drive against the Austrians at the beginning of the war is generally commented upon here.

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