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HEAVY ASSAULT BY BRITISH NETS MATERIAL GAINS

MAKE ADVANCES SOUTH OF LENS, ALONG 12-MILE FRONT AND THREATEN TO FORCE GERMANS OUT OF OPPE.

GO STEADILY AHEAD

French Comparatively Inactive, Although Artillery Keeps Germans Busy Along Aisne and in Champagne Region.

The Associated Press summarizes European war operations as follows: New breaches in the already badly battered German line on the Arras battlefield are being made by the British in a heavy assault launched on a 12-mile front today. Striking three and a half miles south of Lens on the Aisne-Vimy road, General Haig's forces drove the Germans all the way back to the south as Croisilles on the Senise river, eight and a half miles south-east of Arras.

AMERICA'S ENTRY PLEASES JAPAN

GOVERNMENT READY TO COOPERATE IN EVERY MANNER POSSIBLE

WANT LARGER NAVY

Action Calls Attention to What Are Considered Japan's Needs Along This Line

Tokyo, May 3.—The entrance of the United States into the ranks of the belligerents has been greeted with great satisfaction by the Japanese, a satisfaction voiced by the foreign office in a statement to the Associated Press. The Japanese government is anxious to cooperate with America in every way possible, but there is considerable speculation as to the terms such cooperation could take.

TAKING WOUNDED COMRADES TO REAR IS TRYING PART OF SOLDIERS' WORK



GERMAN PRISONERS REMOVE THEIR OWN WOUNDED

German soldiers are shown in the photograph taking wounded comrades to the rear. The soldiers are seen from behind, pushing a stretcher with a wounded man on it. The background shows a hazy, outdoor setting, likely a battlefield.

SPANELL TRIAL NEARING CLOSE DECISIVE FACTOR

JUDGE SAYS THAT ALL EVIDENCE MUST BE BEFORE JURY BY MIDNIGHT.

WIDOW IS WITNESS

Testimony as to Marital Relations of Army Officers is Also Given Today.

Washington, May 3.—When the Spanell trial neared its close today, the judge said that all the evidence must be before the jury by midnight. The widow of the accused, Mrs. M. C. Spanell, testified today that she was married to the accused at the time of the alleged crime. She testified that she was with her husband at the time he was shot.

SUBMARINE NOT NEARING CLOSE DECISIVE FACTOR

DIPLOMATS SAY ALLIED COMMISSIONERS' CONSIDER SITUATION SERIOUS, BUT NOT APT TO BE VITAL FACTOR IN ENDING WAR

CHEERED IN HOUSE

Reception Given Joffe and Viviani by Members Today—Former Premier Kisses Hand of Miss Rankin.

Washington, May 3.—While members of the House today cheered the arrival of the Italian officials at the growing inside of the submarine, the allied commissioners' consideration of the situation in Italy was not regarded as a decisive factor in ending the war. The allied commissioners' consideration of the situation in Italy was not regarded as a decisive factor in ending the war.

BRITISH SCIENTISTS PREPARE FOR SERVICE

By Associated Press. May 3. Scientists of Princeton laboratories are mobilizing for service in the present national crisis.

The Princeton Laboratory of Astrophysics and the Princeton Laboratory of Chemistry are among the first to be mobilized. The Princeton Laboratory of Astrophysics is headed by Professor E. C. Pickens, and the Princeton Laboratory of Chemistry is headed by Professor H. C. Brown.

BRAZIL'S ENTRY NOW PREDICTED

FOREIGN MINISTER OF PROGER MAN TENDRICHES HAS BE SIGNED PORTFOLIO

Brasilia, May 3.—Brazil's entry into the war is now predicted by the foreign minister, Manoel de Azevedo Marques. He is expected to sign the declaration of war on Germany soon.

CONGRESS WILL ACT

Due to Convene Today and Declaration of War May Follow, German Minister Detained

Washington, May 3.—Congress is expected to convene today, and a declaration of war on Germany is predicted to follow. The German minister, Count von Helldorf, is reported to be detained in the city.

OFFICER OF GERMAN NAVY TRIED FOR Fomenting Strikes

Charged With Weakness and Vacillation—Peace Policy Also Cause of Complaint



F. VON RINTELEN

General Rintelen is charged with fomenting strikes in the German navy. He is accused of weakness and vacillation in his military duties.

CHANCELLOR IS MUCH UNDER FIRE

GERMAN PAPERS SAY LITTLE ABOUT STRIKE BUT ATTACK VON BULTRIN HOLLWEG

Berlin, May 3.—The German press is attacking the chancellor, Herr von Bultrich-Hollweg, for his handling of the strike situation. The papers say he has done little to resolve the crisis.

MAY AUTHORIZE MORE DEPUTIES

GOVERNOR RECOMMENDS LAW FOR LARGER NUMBER IN TIME OF WAR

San Antonio, May 3.—The governor has recommended a law that would authorize a larger number of deputies in the legislature during times of war.

SEES CARRANZA AS PEACE GUARANTOR

Embassador Fletcher Issues Statement to This Effect, After Inauguration

Washington, May 3.—Ambassador Fletcher has issued a statement in which he sees Carranza as a guarantor of peace in Mexico. He expressed confidence in Carranza's leadership.

DUST COVERED BRITISH CHARGE GERMAN LINES

By Associated Press. British Headquarters in France, May 3.—From a start-up position of the Associated Press. Another of the continuing British attacks was launched against the Germans early this morning.

The British attack was directed against the German lines near the Hindenburg line. The British forces were reported to have made significant gains.

GUN CREW FROM ROCKINGHAM HAS LIKELY PERISHED

By Associated Press. Three men were reported to have perished in the sinking of the British ship Rockingham.

The Rockingham was a British merchant ship that was sunk by a German submarine. The crew members were reported to have perished.

NEWS BRINGS LITTLE SURPRISE TO WASHINGTON

By Associated Press. The news from the front lines brings little surprise to Washington.

The military situation is reported to be stable, with no major changes in the front lines.

SPEAKER CLARK LEADS IN FIGHT ON CENSORSHIP

By Associated Press. Speaker Clark is leading the fight against censorship in the House.

Clark is opposing a bill that would give the government more power to censor communications during the war.

BAKERY STRIKE IN CHICAGO NEAR END

Terms of Settlement Are Agreed Upon By Committee—Wage Increase Is Granted

Chicago, May 3.—The bakery strike in Chicago is near its end. A settlement has been reached, and a wage increase has been granted to the workers.

BELIEVED 279 ON TRANSPORT ARE DROWNED

By Associated Press. It is believed that 279 men were drowned in a transport ship disaster.

The transport ship was carrying a large number of men, and it is believed that all of them were lost.

MAY BRING PRISONERS TO AMERICA

By Associated Press. The government is expected to bring a large number of prisoners of war to America.

The prisoners are being held in various locations, and the government is planning to repatriate them.

WANTS MARSHAL TO COMPILE INDUSTRY LIST

By Associated Press. Austin, Texas, May 3.—Carrying out the plan of carrying out the resources of the country, State Fire Marshal Wallace is today addressing a communication to all fire marshals throughout the state.

Wallace is requesting that the fire marshals compile a list of all industrial plants in the state.

CARDINAL MERCIER THANKS AMERICANS

By Associated Press. Three men were reported to have perished in the sinking of the British ship Rockingham.

Cardinal Mercier has expressed his gratitude to the American people for their support during the war.

RECORD OF SHIPPING COSTS PRESENTED

Statement Showing Present Expense of Livestock Freight Is Made at Dallas.

A statement showing the present expense of livestock freight is being presented at Dallas.

AMERICAN OWNED TANK STEAMER SUNK BY SUB

By Associated Press. Philadelphia, May 3.—The British tank steamer Sun owned by the Sun Oil Company of this city and leased by Great Britain, has been torpedoed and sunk according to a cablegram received by the company.

The Sun was carrying a large amount of oil, and its sinking is a significant loss for the Allies.

71 GERMAN SHIPS TO BE USED FOR AMERICAN NEEDS

By Associated Press. Washington, May 3.—Seventy-one German and Austrian merchant ships seized by the government will be pressed and ready for conscription within five months unless concealed damage is discovered, it was announced today.

The ships are being used to transport supplies and equipment for the American war effort.

MILLION PER HOUR IS RATE ON WAR LOAN

By Associated Press. Dallas, Texas, May 3.—Seeking to show transportation costs, a statement showing cost in cents per hour gross, and not per mile, by districts in the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railway of Texas for six months ending December 31 last, was presented for record at the Shreveport rate case hearing here today.

The rate case is being heard by the Interstate Commerce Commission.

DENIES THAT RUSSIA WILL NOT DO PART

By Associated Press. The Russian provisional government has denied reports that it will not do its part in the war.

The Russian government is committed to the Allied cause and will continue to fight.

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A PRAYER.
Teach me to succeed, oh Lord,
As Thou findest success,
In thought, in action and in word,
I would not rest with less,
Teach me the way to be a man
That shall deserve Thy praise, as
one
That shall have served Thy plan
Along earth's troubled ways.
Teach me the things I ought to know,
Give me the strength I need
Thy purpose placed me here below,
That I may do Thy will,
Teach me to do Thy will on earth,
Always to serve Thy plan,
To justify Thy gift of birth,
Teach me to be a Man
—Detroit Free Press—

MRS. ST. CLAIR HOSTESS ART LITERATURE CLUB

Mrs. Bert St. Clair was hostess to the social session of the Art Literature Club Wednesday, this making the close of the club year. Mrs. St. Clair staged her hospitality at the Lake Hotel at Lake Wichita having the apartments decorated in the club colors of purple and white and in a profusion of roses as well. The score cards were decorated in violets, the club flowers and the progress of the 42 game kept on these through an interesting series which was followed by a clever contest. Food punch was served throughout the games and late in the afternoon ice cream and cake was served, the hostess being assisted in this service by three of her small friends, Misses Edna Black, Nita Hannon and Anna Bymann. Those enjoying this hospitality, both members and guests, were: Mesdames daines, Aeneas, Gehbart, Beatty, Rountree, Womack, Blankenship, Lester Jones, Misses Tula Stokes, Ida Cook, Lucy Sneed, Julia Davis, Edna Blankenship, Imogene Brown and Cora Phillips.

DELIGHTFUL ENTERTAINMENT FOR MATINEE BRIDGE

Mayday traditions and sentiments were observed in the arrangements for the Matinee Bridge club meeting Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. C. H. Dent being hostess at the home of Mrs. Harry Craven. May baskets filled with posies, after the custom existing since the middle centuries, when Mayday festivities originated in Merrie England filled the rooms with floral color and perfume and each card table was decorated with a May basket when covers were laid for the refreshment service, the baskets afterward being put as table souvenirs. Mendelssohn's "Spring Song" and various other musical selections having spring for the motive were played on the Kollan Vocalian while the game progressed. The high score prize, white silk hose, went to Mrs. W. K. Larkin. Following the games close a salad course with a lemon ice was served. The guests were: Mesdames A. J. Lou, Al Brink of Dallas and Miss Dent of Chicago; members present: Mesdames Piner Aylis, Fisher, Larkin, Straus, Frank Griffin, Bolding Pounds, Morris Marcus Greenwood, Whitney, Fred Weeks, Joe Stokes, Sibley Moore, Dent, Terrill, Craven and Miss Dent.

MISS WINKLER ENTERTAINS NEW IDEA CLUB

Miss Emily Winkler was hostess to



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the New Idea Club on Wednesday afternoon, the usual enjoyable session of bridge work being held by the members and guests. The hostess served a delectable luncheon in two courses, being assisted in this service by her nephew, J. J. Simon. Guests were: Miss Vera Olson of Chicago, Miss Clara McCarty and Rev. H. F. Draper. The members present: Mess James Harry Thornberry, M. E. Carey, J. J. Simon, T. E. Johnson, A. C. Wilson, Ross Corlett, Newton, G. E. Friberg, E. V. Friberg, Holston Simmons and daughter, Thelma Lavara.

PLAN TRIBUTE TO LOCAL VOLUNTEERS

Sons of Confederate Veterans Call Meeting For Next Sunday Afternoon.
Wichita Falls young men who have enlisted in the army or navy, and those who have been certified to the officers training camps will be especially honored at a meeting that has been called by the Sons of Confederate Veterans at the Empress theater at three o'clock next Sunday afternoon.
It is planned to make the meeting one of tribute to the young men who are going to war and to Civil and Spanish-American war veterans. The public is invited and the attendance of veterans, sons, grandsons, daughters and granddaughters of veterans, young men who are going to war and their friends, is especially requested.

WHERE BLAME FOR SPEEDING BELONGS

Failure to Report Offenders, and Kind-heartedness of Jurors, Are Cited.
"I certainly got to tell it to a fellow who was driving about the impudently with which motorists exceed the speed limit here," said Sheriff Hawley, while this subject was under discussion.
"I stood on the corner over there for a quarter of an hour this morning and counted six cars that were going at least 30 miles an hour," he told me.
"How many did you report?" I asked him.
"Why none of them," he replied, "I am not working for the city."
"Yes, that's the way you look at it, and then blame the authorities for not stopping speeding when you and the other citizens here are really to blame for it," I told him. "Only a few weeks ago you sat on a jury in the county court that turned a speeder loose, and then you come and howl about the officers not stopping speeding."

QUOTA FROM THIS COUNTY FIGURED

BELIEVED TOTAL OF 750 TO 800 WILL BE REQUIRED FOR ARMY UNITS

SOME CAN VOLUNTEER

Those Who Wish to Avoid Conscription Have Opportunity—Population of 32,000 is Basis.
Wichita county's full quota for the national war forces, outside of the Navy and Marine Corps, will be 750 to 800 men, if the regular army and National Guard are to be recruited to their full strength, and a new army of 2,000,000 men raised. This figure is based upon proportionate estimates of each county's share of the war burden, calculating Wichita county's population at 32,000.

Taking first the regular army, now being recruited from its present strength of 150,000 to full war strength of 275,000, or 145,000 increase, a proportion, roughly speaking of one and a half men to each million of population in the country—there being 100,000,000 people in the United States—is established. On this basis, Wichita county's share would be 48 for the regular infantry, cavalry, field artillery, engineers, signal corps, quartermaster corps and coast artillery.

Next, the National Guard is being recruited from its present total of 125,000, to a war strength of 425,000, or 300,000 increase. This means three men to each thousand of population, giving Wichita county a proportion of 36 for the National Guard.
The regular army and National Guard furnish, therefore, opportunities for youths who do not wish to be conscripted and who want the status of volunteers in the war. They may enlist in these branches for the duration of the war—and have volunteer status strictly.

It is when conscription starts, however, that the real work upon the county's man power starts. To raise an army of 2,000,000 out of 100,000,000 people, means two soldiers to every 100 of population or a total of 640 for Wichita county. Of this number, of course, only one-fourth would be called for the first army of 500,000, and a like fraction for each of the three remaining contingents. The first army's proportion for this county would be 160 men.

While any figures as to the number of men of military age are largely speculative, there are means of arriving at approximate results. One-fourth of a section's total population is adult, making 8,000 adults in Wichita county, and of these approximately one-half, usually slightly less, than that, are males, or 4,000 in Wichita county. Of this number, reliable estimates would give four-fifths, or 3,200, as men of military age or between 21 and 40.

Out of this 3,200 men of military age there could be eliminated those employed in occupations that will probably be exempted and the number of these in Wichita county will be quite large if oil field employees are exempted, as it is expected they will be. A number of others, probably 1,000 to 1,200, would be physically unfit according to military requirements. Thus the determining of the number of Wichita county actually available for service is a difficult process, but the number might roughly be placed at 1,000 to 1,500. Probably some of those who are exempted would also belong in the class of physically unfit.

Of the roughly-estimated number of 1,000 to 1,500, from 750 to 800—the exact proportion would be 74—would be expected to go into the various fighting units.

PICNIC NOT LIMITED TO OLD SETTLERS

President of Association Says Every-body Invited for Saturday is Completed

"While the picnic to be held in Fries Grove, one mile east of Iowa Park is known as the Old Settlers' picnic," said Dr. J. F. Reed, president of the Old Settlers association, today, "as has been our custom for years, we will welcome all, and everyone is invited to be present with a basket of lunch, and forget business cares for the day, and get better acquainted."
The complete program for the picnic has been announced, as follows:
March, and singing of national airs by school children, at 10:30 a. m.
Talks by school teachers of this county's early days. Judge M. P. Yeager, A. L. Brulaker, Mrs. A. H. Carrigan, M. Dodson, 10:45 to 11:45.
From the Cow Track to the Hydrant. J. A. Kemp, 11:45 to 12:30.
Lunch and social time, by everybody, 12:30 to 2 p. m.
Presentation of medals to oldest settler, 2 p. m.
From the Cow Track to the Highway. Judge R. E. Huff.
Address by Judge J. H. Stephens.
Demonstration of canning club work by Miss Opal Hughes and her club.

HIGHWAY MEETINGS MAY BE COMBINED

Plans Under Way to Combine Conventions of Three Associations Next Summer.

Plans to hold the highway convention here, in which three national highways will be represented, in July instead of September as originally planned, are being worked out by officials of the highway associations involved. The highways taking part in the convention are to be the Colorado to Gulf, Meridian and Gulf Trails associations. By combining their meetings it is expected not only to have a larger attendance, but on account of the greater relative importance of the meeting to attract speakers of national prominence in this work.

The Colorado to Gulf highway will will convene in Vernon, but will move their meeting to Wichita Falls for the meeting of the other two associations here. The date suggested by J. P. Talley, president of the Colorado to Gulf Highway association, are for the Colorado highway to meet July 25-26 in Vernon and the meeting with the other two associations to be staged in Wichita Falls on the two succeeding days.

An alternative plan suggested is for the meeting to be confined to one day each, instead of the customary two days, and hold them on July 26 and 27 respectively. Mr. Talley suggested dates have been communicated to officials of the other highway associations involved and are expected to be found satisfactory for them.

FUNERAL SERVICE HELD FOR D. C. WALKER, JR. WEDNESDAY

The funeral of D. C. Walker, Jr., who met death Tuesday night when he was struck by an automobile, was held Wednesday afternoon from the family home on Austin Avenue. A large gathering of friends attended, and a long procession followed the cortege to the cemetery. Many floral tributes covered the little grave. The full membership of the Typographical Union, of which the boy's father is a member, was present, and The Times office was closed during the funeral hour. The funeral service as conducted by Rev. P. G. Cross of the First Christian church.

\$200 FINE IS ASSESSED ON INTOXICATION CHARGE

A chronic offender on the score of intoxication, in the police court this morning received the maximum fine, \$200 from Judge Whitely this morning, and a twelve-hour suspension to enable him to leave town in case he desired to take advantage of his opportunity to do so. A warning to the effect that did not find him in Wichita Falls he would have to serve out the fine, was given him by the court. Intoxication was the charge in every case on the docket at this morning's session. In addition to the above a former offender was reintegrated on an old \$5 fine, a third was given a \$5 fine and a suspension, and two others fined \$5.

Friberg Items

Mrs. Friberg is having the house on her farm painted and papered.
The recent showers have been quite helpful to the wheat.
A little son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jess Morris last Tuesday. Mother and child are doing well.
Drilling on the Henry Musgraves well is progressing, oil having been struck but not in paying quantities. The drilling will continue deeper.
Two ladies from Fort Worth were here the first of the week trying to organize a vocal class at the Cooper church but without success.

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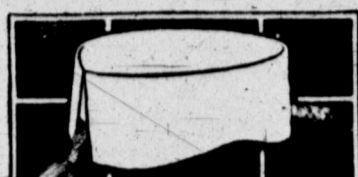
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HURSH SAYS TRIED TO AVOID ACCIDENT

Explains Why Car Was on Left Side of Street—Is Said to Be Heart Broken

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I just couldn't stand it any longer and had to leave," he told his relatives. In the state of mind he is in he seems unable to recall many of the details of the accident.

PETE TAYLOR NOW CASHIER OF BANK AT DUNDEE

E. P. Taylor has resigned his position as assistant cashier of the First National Bank at Newcastle and left today for Dundee to assume his duties as cashier of the First State Bank at that place.

ADDRESSES STUDENTS ON "AMERICAN BIG FOUR"

Dean Peques of Southwestern University, Georgetown, addressed the high school students in chapel this morning on "The American Big Four."

Commanded Gun Crew On Monoglia That Sunk German Submarine



LIEUT. BRUCE R. WARE, JR.

To Lieutenant Bruce Richardson Ware, United States navy, is awarded the distinction of firing the first shot in our war with Germany.

Reports to the navy department indicate that only the quick work of Lieutenant Ware saved the Monoglia. Lieutenant Ware fired on sight with the periscope without waiting to determine the submarine's identity or intent.

Lieutenant Ware was one of the first officers to volunteer for the duty of commanding gunnery crews aboard merchantmen. He is one of the most up to date of the young officers, having taken a post-graduate course at the Naval Academy.

Market Report

Fort Worth Livestock Fort Worth, Texas, May 3.—Cattle receipts 6300, ten to 15 cents higher; steers \$6.50 to \$11; Hog receipts 3500 steady; hulk \$15 to \$15.25. Sheep receipts 2200, lambs \$14 to \$17.

Chicago Grain Chicago, May 3.—Wheat prices today continued the advance started by the postponement of the German chancellor's speech that was expected to outline new peace terms.

New York Cotton New York, May 3.—Cotton was weak and unsettled today. Gloomy reports on the destruction of tonnage by submarines and the continued favorable weather in the south seemed to bring general liquidation.

SUSTAINS SPRAINED ARM IN AUTOMOBILE COLLISION

Mrs. Grace Gerdean sustained a badly sprained arm Wednesday afternoon when a car driven by her mother, Mrs. Fannie Hebing, collided with another car at the corner of Holliday and Twelfth streets.



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Local Brevities

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Robbins, piano tuning. Phone 723. 246 tlc

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Brothers, you are urgently requested to be present at Castle Hall Friday night to meet our distinguished guests Vice Supreme Chancellor Charles S. Davis of Denver Colo. and grand Chancellor U. S. Goen of El Paso, who will tell us something good about Pythianism and Patriotism. Initiation in rank of Page. Meet us promptly at 7:30. 303 tlc

CARDS OF THANKS. We feel very grateful to many friends for their assistance and sympathy upon the death of our son, and for the beautiful flowers—that so many sent. We will always hold in tender remembrance these acts of kindness. MR. and MRS. D. C. WALKER.

Saturday Closing Notice. We the undersigned agents agree to close our insurance offices at 1 o'clock on Saturdays, beginning May 5, 1917 to October 1, 1917. FRED T. COUPER CRAVENS WALKER & CO. STEVENS & TALBERT THOS. H. PERRY H. J. BACHMAN CO. ANDERSON & PATTERSON (300-6tc)

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Don't fail to see "CHICK" at Wichita theatre Friday night, May 4th. Two excellent comedy roles. 303 tlc

THIS SMALL BOY HAS MAKING OF GOOD AMERICAN By Associated Press. Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., May 3.—George Hollis, five years old, living in the Canadian Soo, has the making of a good American.

He boarded an international train recently at his home town to come into the United States on a secret mission. The conductor and immigration officials—who are very alert nowadays—noticed George and asked him to sit with his father. George strutted through the smoking car with the officials on his trail. He looked from one man to the other until he reached a man in the last seat. "Here's my father," said George. "I never saw the boy before," said the man. The boy insisted that the man was his father until he was threatened with a spanking. Then he sobbed and said: "I wanted to come to the United States and buy a flag. My daddy said the United States was run by God and I wanted to show God that I loved Him." He carried six large American flags and wore a broad smile when he boarded the train for its short run back into Canada.

TREASURY NOTES OFFERED BY FEDERAL RESERVE BANK

By Associated Press. Dallas, Texas, May 3.—"Stand by your country" is the injunction which heads a letter sent out by R. L. Van Zandt, governor of the Dallas federal reserve bank, to bankers of the eleventh district calling for subscriptions to an issue of \$200,000,000 of United States certificates of indebtedness dated May 10, 1917, and maturing July 17, 1917, bearing three per cent per annum interest.

Your patriotic duty demands that you use your best efforts to make this issue a success," says the letter. The certificates will be in denominations of \$5000, \$10,000 and \$100,000 and subscriptions must be in multiples of \$5000.

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If you have a room to rent, a house to rent, a farm for sale, or if you want to buy an article, whether new or second-hand, you should use the Times Want Columns daily.

RATES—Want ads are one cent a word for the first insertion and half a cent a word for subsequent insertions. No want ads taken for less than fifteen cents and no ad taken to run three times for less than 25 cents. In giving in Want Ads PHONE 167.

Miscellaneous Wants

WANTED—To wash lace curtains, blankets and quilts. Phone 1561. Felix Lindsey. 97 71p

WANTED TO RENT—By reliable party, furnished cottage, for summer address. Box 15, Clarissa, Texas. 272 71c

WANTED—To rent by May 15, nicely furnished 6-room cottage with garage. Box 117. 291 71c

We pay the highest cash prices for second-hand clothing and shoes. Write or call at Myers Clothing Store, 629 Indiana Avenue. 296 20tc

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WANTED—Men's cast off clothing and shoes. Phone 434. 296 12tp

WANTED—To buy second hand furniture, especially dressers. Patton Furniture Co., 712 Seventh street. Phone 1669. 300 6tp

WANTED—About 100 acres of good land to put in feed stuff, must be good land close to city and a liberal rent proposition. See J. M. McFall. 304 6tc

WANTED—To buy valancing outfit, or will buy complete and doing business. Address G. H. care Times. 294 3tp

Will buy or go partner in any small business for few hundred that will pay reasonable salary. Address H 100 care Times. 294 3tp

Livestock

FOR SALE—Horse, buggy and delivery wagon. P. S. Tullis. 234 6tc

FOR SALE—Ford Touring Car for sale also nice Jersey cow, giving 1 1/2 gallons as a stripper. Will be fresh within 60 days. Address 1722 Ninth street or Phone 2209 after 6 p. m. 294 6tc

If you want the best cows in the country, 5 gallon cows, good and fresh, see the Whitaker Dairy people, close to W. H. Downing or C. W. Reid, Bank of Commerce. 294 12tp

FOR SALE—15 Jersey milk cows extra good ones or exchange for good dry cattle. Apply Central Wagon Yard, B. J. Hair. 291 6tp

FOR SALE—One fresh milk cow, Walter Sisk, Wichita State Bank. 292 3tp

FOR SALE—A bargain, black mare, city broke, perfectly gentle, good for delivery work. C. McFayen, 1309 Eighth, Phone 2119. 304 6tc

FOR SALE—Three Jersey milk cows with young calves, also three well bred high grade Jersey bulls, one and three ears old. See J. M. McFall. 304 6tc

For Rent—Houses

FOR RENT—Several houses. See E. G. Gorsline. Phone 720 or residence 62. 122 71c

FOR RENT—Modern 6 room house well located on Ninth street, Floral Heights. Fine lawn, garage, etc. Price \$30.00 per month. Thomas & Bland. 294 6tc

FOR RENT—Good 7 room house at 300 Burnett street, modern with barn and garden. \$20.00 per month. J. S. Bridwell, Phone 661. 297 71c

FOR RENT—Boarding house, 1209 Scott. Call at 805 Twelfth street. 291 71c

FOR RENT—3 room house furnished with sleeping porch, modern, close in also front bedroom with disappearing bed. Close in 719 Travis. Phone 1362. 302 3tc

FOR RENT—4 room house, modern, good garden, chicken house, cow lot, 305 Bluff street, \$15.00. See T. P. Norwood, Letter Carrier No. 4 or ask next door. 302 3tp

FOR RENT—Nice 5 room strictly modern house, 1107 Travis. N. O. Monroe, Phone 2454. 303 3tp

FOR RENT—Modern 4 room house, call 902 Austin or Phone 1563. 304 1tp



THE RECORDING OF A DEED 1105.00 will buy a corner lot on Tenth Street, 50x150 feet. SEE

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FOR RENT—Two night, housekeeping rooms, all modern, first floor. Phone 1280. 270 71c

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FOR RENT—Two large south unfurnished front bedrooms for light housekeeping. Private entrance to bath. Phone 2606. 302 3tp

FOR RENT—Three nice large unfurnished housekeeping rooms. Modern block of car line; No children. Phone 2545. 302 71c

FOR RENT—Three modern unfurnished rooms to couple without children preferred. 1209 Scott. Phone 2507. 303 3tp

For Rent—Offices and Store

FOR RENT—Storage room in concrete building close in, phone 1231 183. 71c

FOR RENT—Store at 820 Ohio Avenue. Mack Taylor Drug Co. 279 71c

FOR RENT—New building, 813 1-2 Tenth street. Good location for grocery store. See Banks, 1880. 302 3tp

For Sale—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—Harrison-Everton Piano \$150.00 in good condition, 808 Scott will make terms. 297 4tc

FOR SALE—Two shares of Magnolia Petroleum Oil Co stock, \$450.00 each cash wire Pinkston 297 Slaughter Bldg. Dallas, Texas. 99 9tp

FOR SALE—Furniture of five-room house. ADDEY 1106 Scott Ave. 300 6tp

FOR SALE—(Gas range in good condition. Phone 32 or call 1108 Austin. 302 3tp

CASINGS FOR SALE—40 feet 10 inch heavy, used once, cheap. W. C. Peck. 303 3tp

FOR SALE—New Bush & Getis piano, at a bargain. Phone 610, 1205 Scott avenue. Also good lawn mower. 303 3tp

FOR SALE—Furniture for six rooms. An leaving city and will sell at a bargain, either as whole or in single pieces. All practically new. Also few chickens. House for rent. 403 Scott. 302 3tp

FOR SALE—Complete furnishings of 4 room modern apartment. Also apartment for rent. Phone 1164 or call at 903 Twelfth street. 303 6tc

FOR SALE—Furniture of 15 room apartment house well located and good rent. N. O. Monroe. Phone 2454. 303 3tp

FOR SALE—Second hand corrugated iron. Apply J. S. Bridwell or Peery and Marchant. 303 6tp

FOR SALE—Bicycle, has coaster brake, new tires. Will sell for only \$10.00, 508 Austin. Phone 1578. 304 3tp

A \$50.00 upright piano for sale at bargain 1911 Eleventh street. Phone 2095. 304 71c

Chickens, Eggs and Pet Stock

Setting eggs from prize winning Barred Rocks. Mrs. Harrison, 406 Fifth between Lee Street and tracks. 297 26tc

FOR SALE—Baby chickens, 10c each. Phone 3029 P-2. 302 3tc

Lost

LOST—Cadillac radiator cap. Finder please Phone 32 or leave at 1108 Austin. 302 3tp

LOST—Collie dog, H. C. Vandaveer, Paris, Texas, on Collar, Finder, Phone 1038. 302 3tc

LOST—Brown leather suit case, containing young girls clothing in city, or on Jolly road, under leave at Times office, reward. 302 3tc

LOST—Roll of bedding about ten miles west on Seymour road. Finder please leave at Times office. 302 3tp

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One hundred and seventy thousand acres of Thomas Spearman land just placed on the market. The Santa Fe R. R. Co. now building from Lubbock to this land. We sell to home builders any size tracts from 40 to 640 acres. Prices \$10.00 to \$20.00 per acre according to distance from town. Terms \$2.00 to \$2.50 per acre cash, ten years to pay at six per cent interest.

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STANDING OF THE CLUBS

Table with columns: Club, Pld., Won, Lost, Pct. Texas League: Houston 27 18 9 .667, Dallas 26 17 9 .614, Waco 24 14 10 .583, Shreveport 23 12 11 .522, Beaumont 26 12 14 .462, San Antonio 27 12 15 .444, Fort Worth 25 11 14 .440, Galveston 24 5 19 .208

Table with columns: Club, Pld., Won, Lost, Pct. National League: New York 12 8 4 .667, St. Louis 16 10 6 .625, Chicago 17 9 8 .529, Boston 12 6 6 .500, Philadelphia 14 7 7 .500, Cincinnati 10 7 3 .500, Pittsburgh 19 7 12 .368, Brooklyn 10 3 7 .300

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Table with columns: Club, Pld., Won, Lost, Pct. Western Association: Denison 18 11 7 .611, McAlester 20 11 9 .550, Paris 19 10 9 .526, Okla. City 19 9 10 .474, Muskogee 20 10 10 .500, Ft. Smith 19 9 10 .474, Sherman 18 7 11 .389

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Table with columns: Texas League: Fort Worth 4, San Antonio 0, Beaumont 4, Shreveport 3, Dallas 4, Houston 2, Waco 3, Galveston 2

Table with columns: National League: Cincinnati 1, Chicago 0 (10 innings), St. Louis 4, Pittsburgh 0, Philadelphia 2, Boston 1, Brooklyn 2

At the Theaters

The Empress Today at the Empress Theatre will be "The Derelict," William Fox's new film drama presenting Stuart Holmes in a picture of intense dramatic appeal...

abandons her for a fleeting flame. Miss Martin has put into this character that sincerity which has charmed every spectator of her work. June Daye, the woman in the case, is new with Fox productions. She pictures a new type of siren woman.

FIRE DESTROYS POND'S LAUNDRY

PLANT IS PRACTICALLY WIPED OUT BY FLAMES EARLY THIS MORNING.

ORIGIN IS UNKNOWN

Building Enveloped in Flames When Escapes For Two Firemen.

Fire of undetermined origin, breaking out shortly before 2 o'clock this morning, reduced Pond's laundry, corner of Sixth and Ohio, to practically a total loss.

The fire had practically taken the place by the time of its discovery and the arrival of the fire department, but the department fought hard against the stubborn blaze in the face of a stiff wind from the south until after daylight this morning, doing exceptional work in preventing its spread to neighboring buildings.

George Osteen and Smiley Turner, two firemen from the central station had narrow escapes from being pinned beneath the falling roof soon after the beginning of the fire.

In placing his loss at \$10,000 Mr. Pond estimated the cost of putting the plant back in the shape it was before the fire, figuring a more than 40 per cent advance in the price of machinery and materials.

Our invoice shows that the contents of the building, which were totally destroyed, cost about \$32,000. In addition to the machinery a quantity of which was new, we had more than a year's supply of soap, bluing, starch, bleach, and other materials, in addition to a quantity of laundry in the building. I estimate that it will take \$10,000 to put the building alone back into the shape it was before the fire.

Mr. Pond stated that he had not yet figured the amount of his insurance, and could not tell how near his loss was covered. The insurance is divided about half and half, he said, part of it being carried by local agencies, and the rest in a laundryman's insurance organization.

Fire Chief McClure's estimate of the loss on the building and contents is \$30,000 to \$35,000.

OFFICERS ELECTED BY DEBATING CLUB

Harry Brunenberg Chosen President Today To Hold Final Session Next Week

Harry Brunenberg, member of the 1917 Wichita Falls debating team was this morning elected president of the Debating Club of the high school for next year. Other officers elected were Andrew Cron, Jr., vice president; John Kay secretary; Abe Bashara, treasurer; and Chester Bailey, sergeant at arms.

A summer camp-in for 40 members for the debating club next year will be undertaken by a committee appointed for that purpose, including John Kay, Harry Brunenberg, Frank Patton and Andrew Cron, Jr. Mr. Williams will again be in charge of the debating team and Mrs. Williams has offered medals to the winning debating team, giving the boys an incentive in addition to the contest for the interscholastic debating honors.

A vote of thanks was given Mr. Williams for his work with the boys this year by the club and much rejoicing was expressed that he would continue with the work the coming term.

THE PLAZA. Scenic beauty and educational interest in addition to all other features in the great city are provided by the reproduction of Dante's "Inferno" made by a world famous film company, over ten scenes all taken from the great poem of Dante are represented in the film in most lifelike portrayal. The reels have been shown in the most celebrated theaters in the country and there has been a steady acclaim of praise and commendation. The Inferno with appropriate music and lighting is the attraction at the Plaza tonight.

For Spot Cash We Will Sell Goodrich Diamond Tires and Tubes at the Following Prices

SALE CLOSES MAY 10th

Table listing tire and tube prices: REGULAR PRICE 30x3 ANTISKID \$12.80 - CUT PRICE \$10.65, REGULAR PRICE 30x3 1/2 ANTISKID \$16.60 - CUT PRICE \$13.85, etc.

Now is the time to get your Casings for the Summer. They will be much higher.

MAXWELL HARDWARE CO.

Listen to This!

We have a large stock of groceries, mostly bought before the recent advances in prices, and we are going to sell them for the next five days for less than manufacturing cost. Look over these prices and buy what you need:

Price list for groceries: 24 lb. sack High Patent Flour \$1.75, Small sack Flour 95c, 24 lb. sack Wagon Flour same as Queen of the Pantry \$1.85, etc.

Wichita Spot Cash Grocery Telephone 1020 Free Delivery 625 Ohio Ave

EMPRESS THEATRE TODAY STUART HOLMES IN "THE DERELICT" TOMORROW MABEL TALIAFERRO IN "THE BARRICADE"

MAJESTIC THEATRE TODAY ANOTHER DOUBLE HEADER CHARLIE CHAPLIN IN "THE CURE" "THE GUN FIGHTER" TOMORROW DORRIS GREY "HER BELOVED ENEMY"

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NEW RECRUITING RECORD BROKEN

95 APPLICATIONS, 72 ACCEPTED DURING FIRST THREE DAYS OF THIS WEEK

17 ON WEDNESDAY

Believed Local Station Has Set Mark For State Five Enlist for Army Here

All previous records for recruiting here were broken when at the close of the first three days of this week 95 applications had been received and 72 accepted at the local naval recruiting station. This not only breaks all records in this city but sets a mark that has not been reached by any other city of this size in the state, and is a record that can be compared favorably with many large cities, it is declared.

Seventeen men were accepted for the navy and five for the army yesterday as follows: Navy—Richard G. Cox, William M. Reed and Sam L. Street of Henrietta, Lonnie M. Sewell of Vernon, Edward A. Johnson of Bonmarton, Calvin M. Childs and Owen S. Christian of The Grove, Geo. L. Gibbs and Edgar E. Pasley of Eldorado, Okla., Dawson Ford of Paducah, John W. Jones of Bonmarton, Jack Hunter, Quantas Seafry, Benjamin Kennedy and Clyde Allen Stevens of Memphis, John Oscar Brown and God Lee Lively of Lodge, Army—Lufas A. Egan of Stamford, Wade H. Farr of Kirkland, Otto E. Berard of Burkburnett, Homer F. Muljon of Seymour and Thomas W. Baker of Jackboro.

"EMPTY SADDLES" SOON FILLED IN AUSTRALIA

Associated Press Mail Correspondence. Sydney, New South Wales.—W. M. Hughes, the Prime Minister of Australia, addressed a mass meeting of 1,000 here this week, appealing for recruits. While he was speaking some troopers of the Light Horse led into the square fifty horses, with riders carrying the word: "Who will fill an empty saddle?" Mr. Hughes pleaded: "You are fifty years, over ten years old taken from the great host of British are represented here this week, appealing for recruits. Within ten minutes every horse had a rider, and the banding his and "Who will fill an empty saddle?"

VIZER OF TURKEY VISITS EMPEROR

Confers With Number of Rulers of Central Powers—Purpose Not Unknown.

By Associated Press. London, May 2.—According to Amsterdam dispatches, considerable importance is attached to the visit that Talaat Pasha, the Turkish grand vizier, is making to the Central Powers. The correspondents say that after consulting Emperor William and von Hindenburg he went to Munich and then to Berlin, where he met the grand vizier with Count Czernin the Austro-Hungarian foreign minister.

HUFF

A nice shower visited this part of the country Friday, which was a great help to wheat and spring crops. J. S. Gant and family left Thursday for W. Hartford to spend a few days with Mr. Gant's daughter, Mrs. Bates. E. E. Simmons gave the young people a singing Sunday evening, which was enjoyed by all. Roy Johnson spent Sunday with his mother and returned to Wichita Sunday night. Mrs. Mable Mearns spent Saturday with her husband and returned to her school at Onion Sunday. Miss Sallie McDonald returned home Tuesday from Wichita Falls. Charles Gant and family spent Monday night with John Hunt and family of Wichita Falls.

Jack Hardwick who has been at Kansas City for the past two months taking a course in electrical engineering returned home Tuesday. We are sorry to learn that Jack was forced to come on account of his eyes, caused by a severe attack of measles.

Deeds Filed

W. L. Keys to John P. Remrod, lot No. 11, block No. 155, \$750. R. H. Joyce et ux to H. C. Weeks, all of lot 7 in block 6 of the Floral Heights addition; and a strip 3 feet wide off the east side of lot 6 in block 6 of the Floral Heights addition, \$500. W. S. Langford to J. A. Kemp, an undivided one-half interest in lots 1 and 2 in block 151, \$700. H. C. Van et ux to A. E. Worthen, 5 acres of land off the east side of other block No. 11, to the town of Burkburnett, \$1800. S. L. Fowler et ux to H. C. Van, 123 feet 4 inches of land north of the S. E. corner of a certain 4 acres tract deed to S. L. Fowler by J. N. Vaughan, \$100. J. A. Kemp et al to W. S. Langford, lots 1 and 2 in block 151, \$15,000. C. H. Stinson et ux to Mrs. E. M. Sandberg, lot 1 in block 252, \$1800. M. E. Ethel O'Brien to Henry H. Hogg, lots 1, 2 and 3 in block 2 of the Irrigation Sub-division of the N. E. one-fourth of J. A. Scott survey No. 11, \$1000. Robert E. Huff et al to J. L. Robertson, lot 6 in block 23 of the Southland addition, \$2250. A. C. Lamb et ux to E. C. Perkins, 1/2 of lot 1 in block 807 division of block 262, \$2400. J. W. Reynolds et ux to H. C. Van, lot 4 and east one-half of block 5, in block 11 of the town of Burkburnett, \$2000. G. W. Davidson et ux to N. P. Clark et ux, lot 18, block 78 in 1st town of Ft. St. \$150. E. M. Duce et ux to W. C. Myers et al, lots 19 and 20, block 22 in the town of Burkburnett, \$800. John B. Blessing et ux to C. H. Hope, lot 4, block 7 in the town of Electra, \$200. Charles F. Raetz et ux to Mrs. Lillie Cowden, lot 9, block 3 in the town of Burkburnett, \$800.

BRITISH ROYAL FAMILY PRACTICES RIGID ECONOMY

Associated Press Mail Correspondence. London.—The British royal family continues to suffer from the effects of their sacrifices in a war-torn economy. The royal household is now on a five potatoes diet and the menu is less than two weeks since the war and Queen Mary has taken a diet of bread and butter. All members of the royal family, including the royal household, are now on a five potatoes diet. The royal household has been reduced to a five potatoes diet. The royal household has been reduced to a five potatoes diet. The royal household has been reduced to a five potatoes diet.

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VERNON Special to The Times. Vernon, Texas, May 2.—Mat Nix has sold his 10-acre farm, seven miles southeast of Vernon to W. M. Hubbard. The purchase price was \$3,000. News has been received here of the death of Miss W. J. McWhirter, at Stephens, Ark. She was the daughter of J. W. Lester of this city. Before her marriage she was an instructor in the Vernon schools. This annual picnic at Deans will be held this year on May 4. Practically every person in Willbarger county ways attends for about twenty years. The Church of Christ revival which has been in progress for some time has ended. It was conducted by Rev. Fred Wallace. E. E. Nix, a local pharmacist, has resigned his position here to join the hospital corps. Since the war call, Vernon has furnished Uncle Sam with fifty men exclusively of a company of National guardsmen. There is practically not a vacant lot or backyard in Vernon that has not been planted in vegetables. Through the efforts of the Men's Business League, the garden seed were supplied to all who applied for them. It is probable that William Jennings Bryan will be asked to come to Vernon and make an address. He is scheduled to speak at Frederick, Okla. in June. Ben M. Edwards, pastor of the Central Christian Church, has been asked to deliver an elaborate sermon for the commencement exercises at the Vernon schools, May 20. He has accepted the invitation. The funeral of Lola May Ragsdale, who died May 1, and Mrs. M. A. Ragsdale, who died May 2, was held this morning. Burial was made in Deans cemetery. The cadet division of the high school cadet corps will hike to Deans, eight miles northeast of here Friday. They will remain in camp there Friday night, attending the annual May picnic at that place Saturday. Prof. T. J. Lott, principal of the Odell public school, has been re-elected by the board of trustees. He will not accept, as he expects to spend next year at Baylor University at Waco. A company of home guards has been organized at Odell, several miles north of Vernon. About twenty-five men have joined the company, which is drilled every night.

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