NOCONA BANKER IS FOUND DEAD

Wichita Falls Secures Plant to Manufacture **Undertakers' Supplies**

AUSTRIA ELECTED MEMBER OELEAGUE BY THE ASSEMBLY

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GENEVA, Dec. 15. - Austria wan receted a member of the League of Nations by the assembly today.

GENEVA, Dec. 15.—Discussion of the question of mandates on the floor of he assembly of the League of Nations Fremed today to be probable and it was expected there would be an animated debate before the subject was disposed

A sub-committee of committee No. 6, which has been considering the question of mandates, held stormy sessions yesterday and Monday, some of the members, including C. J. Doherty of Canada and Dr. Nansen of Norway, pushing for action while others ap-peared indifferent. It appears the council of the league has encountered difficulties in securing satisfactory replies from the supreme allied council and from the mandatory powers, concerning the terms of mandates and the boundaries of territories placed under the supervision of various nations. There is a strong current of opinion in the assembly that the mandates under which the powers fix their own terms are not properly mandates, and there are indications the question may be thrown back upon the supreme allied council if sufficient information has not been secured before Thursday night. The committee in charge of the matter holds that it must have this nformation before it can make an intelligent report.

LEAGUE MAY ATTEMPT TO REGULATE OPIUM TRAFFIC

GENEVA. Dec. 15 .- Proposals that the League of Nations assume the duties which heretofore have devolved upon Holland until the International convention regulating traffic in the drug was taken up by the assembly at this morning's sersion.

The committees which had been investigating the subject recommended that the secretariat of the league collect' information from the interested countries and that the subject be fur-ther investigated by an advisory committer, including representatives from the countries especially concerned— Holland, Great Britain, France, India, China, Slam and Portugal,

Under the international opium convention, signed in 1912, the United States being among the signatories. various duties devolved upon the Dutch government. During the discussion Dr. Welling-ton Koo of the Chinese delegation, re-viewed the efforts made by China dur-

ing more than a century to suppress the opium habit. He recognized, he said, the great debt of gratitude China owed the United States for America's at a this work. He was particularly presented, he said, that the committee decided that the United States should the United States for America's be especially invited to send a repre-sentative to meet with the advisory committee.

The committee's suggestions were adopted by the assembly and the subject of "white slave" traffic was taken up. The discussion of this question brought to the platform for the first time the of the women subjects. Allowed the subject of the women subjects with a milk wi conclusion. She urged the assembly to the head, it was believed, send investigators to Asia Minor.

HOTEL MEN WILL MEET

IN EL PASO NEXT YEAR SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS, Dec. 15 .-Texas hotel keepers in their annual convention here yesterday picked El Paso as the meeting place for the 1921 session and elected Percy Tyrrel, local hotel hotel man as head of the organization

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.— Henry Morgenthau of New York, former ambassador to Turkey, has been selected by President Wilson to act as the president's personal representative in mediating between the Armenians and the Turkish nationalists.

Mr. Morgenthau conferred with Acting Secretary Dayis at the state de-

ing Secretary Davis at the state department today, receiving final in-structions as to his mission. The de-partment, however, has not heard from

the League of Nations in response to the president's request for further in-ination as to procedure.

MAY BE WAR BETWEEN RUMANIA AND RUSSIA

VIENNA, Dec. 15 .- Trouble

between Rumania and soviet

Russia is forecast in reports from Ukrania deceived here.

These advices declare that Ru-

mania is adopting measures
"indicative of imminence of
war" with Russia over the pos-

nanufacturing plant that many business men consider will prove itself one of the most successful institutions of its kind in the country-a concern capitalized at \$300,000 which will engage in the business here of manufac-

turing caskets and undertakers' sup-plies for general sale throughout the southwest. The company, which is headed by Charles F. Weiland of Dallas, one of the leading undertakers of the state, this morning accepted the proposition of the local chamber of commerce, and a contract between the company and the chamber, arranging the details of the establishment of the business here, will be drawn and

signed this evening.

Both Fort Worth and Dailas made attractive offers to the company in ef-forts to obtain the new industry, but the location committee, afer going over the ground here, frankly stated that Wichita Falls possessed the trade territory, the distribution facilities and many other essentials that make this factory and main office of the com-

pany. Lee J. Starling, Dallas attorney rep resenting the company, also told the directors of the chamber of commerce this morning that "in no other city had the company found the same friendly, interested and helpful spirit that has been shown by the business men of Wichita Falls."

Endorsed by Committee.

tory was brought to the attention of the industrial bureau of the chamber of commerce several weeks ago. That body, composed of Frank Kell, W. W. Anderson, R. O. Harvey, W. E. Norton, J. M. McFall, L. C. Heydrick and J. J. Perkins, investigated the proposed business carefully and in detail, and reported that the enterprise unques-tionably would be an immediate financial success and a benefit to any city. Acting on that report the directors of the chamber made the company an offer of a site in this city, with a mini-mum of five acres and a maximum of 80 acres, and agreed further to take \$25,000 in stock in the industry. Similar offers were also made by Dallas and Fort Worth.

This morning the company officially accepted the Wichita Falls offer. The contract that will be drawn this evefing will provide among other mat-ters that local men shall have direct supervision of the general management of the company, while it is also probable, although this will not be included n the contract, that a local man will be made sales manager.

There is no promotion money in-volved, and insofar as possible all of the stock of the company will be taken by Texas undertakers in business in various sections of the state. It is expected that O. W. Hines, local undertaker, who has taken a keen interest in the matter from its start and who was indirectly instrumental in influencing the company to locate here, will have a hand in the business policy of the new concern. Hines already has shown his confidence in the business from a financiall viewpoint by voluntarily taking stock in

GALVESTON FIRE CHIEF INJURED WHEN HIS CAR COLLIDES WITH A TRNCK

stitute delegates. Mile. Henni Forth-riding to a fire collided with a milk ammer of Denmark. She was received truck. with warm applause and made a The driver of the milk truck was strong appeal for prompt action on also hurt. A negro standing nearby behalf on the women who had been was hit and knocked unconscious. A deported during the war and since its piece of flying wreckage hit him on

CASE OF SINGING EVANGELIST
18 POSTPONED INDEFINITELY

FORT WORTH, Dec. 15 .- The case of J. W. Lowman, singing evangelist from Sunday on the steamer Carmania en Kansas, accused of murdering Herschel Erwin, was postponed indefinitely in district court today. The postponement was asked by the prosecution. Lowman, who was brought sister of Mrs. MacCurtain. for the coming year.

The hotel men during the meeting here devoted most of their time to a discussion of the present high price of various hotel commodities.

Christian League

St. Petersburg, Fla.,

ST. PETERSBURG, FLA., Dec. 15 .-

bloomers. Recently the Christian civic league censured the nude art at the school and today several figures suspended from the ceiling by strings tied aroun the necks were labeled "lynched

ASK PERMIT TO ISSUE NOTE TO COVER MONEY ADVANCED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15 .- The Fred-

ericksburg and Northern railway com-pany of Texas has asked permission to issue a note for \$36,935 to cover the

by the Christian civic league."

Military Rule in Czecho-Slovakia

LONDON, Dec. 15 .- A military dictatorship has been imposed in some of the industrial districts of Czecho-Slovaka, but a "proletariat dictatorship" has been established in several others, according to a Central News dispatch from Vienna today, Many casualties have oc-curred in conflicts at some points, it is declared.

KING CONSTANTINE AND QUEEN SOPHIA ARRIVE AT/VENICE

VENICE, Dec. 15. Former King Constantine and Queen Sophie of Greece with their children, arrived here early this morning from Lucerne. In the harbor the Greek cruiser Averoff and a squadron of smaller warships awaited the hour when the king would go on board and depart for Phaleron, the port of Athens, where he is expected to arrive on Sun-

The trip from Lucerne to this city was made without incident, Constan-tine and his family receiving the seclusion of their private car during the frontier last evening, the special car in which the royal party was riding was detached from the regular train and coupled to another train coming direct to this city. The car on which a number of newspaper correspondents were traveling was left on the original train and went through to Milan.

CONSTANTINE IS GREETED AS KING OF THE GREEKS

her decks gleaming white under a Latin sun.

As the tall man stepped briskly up the ladder a band crashed into the opening bars of a national anthem. Rows of sailors stood at attention.

King Constantine for the first time Rows of sallors stood at attention.

Rows of sallors and stood at attention.

Rows

EXPECTED TO TESTIFY

and Miss Russell on Program for Today.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Laurence Ginnell, former member of the British parliament from Count Westmeath, Ireland, and Miss Ruth Russell of Chiago, were expected to testify the resumption of hearings by the commission of the committee of one hundred investigating the Irish question.

The commission has invited William P. Anderson, and Arthur Henderson, members of the British labor delegation in parliament, to come here to

FORTY PRISONERS IN TULSA JAIL ESCAPE Morgenthau Is Selected To Represent President

One-Half Inch Steel Bars.

In Armenia Settlement TULSA, OKLA. Dec. 15.—Sawing their way through four one-half inch steel bars at the top of a cell in the city jail here early this morning crawling over the top of the cages to the jail kitchen where two one-inch bars covering an alley window were severed, forty city prisoners between twelve and five o'clock this morning slipped to the opening to freedom.

The prisoners, serving from 15 to 90 days, had been sentenced in the municipal criminal court for various of fenses, the majority for petty larceny inceds in the majority for petty larceny in the city july in the city ju Dresses Nude Art Visitors at the Florida winter art school exhibition today found the nude tatutes garbed in middle blouses and

> Although the city has been scoured. none of the escaped prisoners have been captured.

WILLIS-OVERLAND COMPANY
PAYS QUARTERLY DIVIDEND NEW YORK, Dec. 15 .- Directors of stations receiving international mes-

advancement of moneys during 1918, the Willis-Overland company today sages.

1919 and 1920 by directors and stock- announced their regular 12 per cent on preferred stock would be passed. (Continued on Page 12, Column 1.)

DECLARES PRECEDENTS Lacour and Reese AND TRADITIONS WERE

UPHELD IN CABLE CASE ACTING SECRETARY OF STATE EXPLAINS WESTERN UNION CONTROVERSY.

CAME IN CONTACT WITH **BRITISH WIRE MONOPOLY**

Effort Was Made to Affect an Agreement But Without Results.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—The Western Union cable from Barbadoes will be connected with cable lines in the United States by way of Cuba despite the opposition of the American government, Newcomb Carlton, president of the Western Union, declared today.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15 .- American precedents and traditions were upheld by the state department in refusing to permit the Western Union Telegraph ompany to land a cable at Miami Forida, without a permit, Norman H. Davis, acting secretary of state told a senate committee here today, who are investigating the whoe cable situa-

Davis, in answer to questions by Senator Kellogg, chairman of the com-mittee, told the history of the South American cable business; how the clusion of their private car during the entire journey. When the train concern, has a monopoly in Brazil and the rest of the eastern portion of South America and has refused to share this business with the All-American cable company which operates on the west-

Challenges Government.
The Western Union, Davis said asked for a permit to land at Miami, but later challenged the government's authority to require it to get a permit. Efforts were made to get the West-

cept messages on its land lines in the United States to be cabled to South America over any cable the sender

It was also suggested. Davis said the All-American Cable Company a traffic agreement be made bets It was also suggested, Davis said, by a traffic agreement be made between that company and the Western Tele-graph Company to permit the All-American to serve eastern South Amer-

Former Member British Parliament ica, but this was turned down by the British companys
"Is it any disadvantage to American business to have all these cables mes sages go over foreign lines," asked

"It is considerable disadvantage !!

the messages are not absolutely intoday at violate," said Davis. Walter S. Rogers, who, like Davis,

ternational communications conference declared the important condition of the three, which the government sought to impose on the Western Union before allowing the cable landing at Miami is testify regarding their recent investigation in Ireland.

A cable message today said two eyewitnesses of the slaying of Thomas

MacCurtain, prodecessor of Terence
MacSwiney, as lord mayor of Cork, left

Mayor o over the All-American cable, go over British cables.

Two things should be done. First, all monopolies of territory should be ended and exchange of traffic should be made compulsory under uniform Minmi-Barbadoes Cables.

Rogers went into the controversy over the Miami-Barbadoes cable. He said the Barbadoes legislature sought to pass an act providing, among other things, that any cable station on that island should be permanently manned and controlled by British subjects, em ployes of the Western Telegraph of some other British company. "That would mean that the Baroa-does end of the American cable would be controlled by Britishers," Rogers

He declared the censorship of commercial messages is a great disadvin-tage to Americans. Rogers said he had often heard that the British and French had gone so far as to turn over to their own nationals certain cable messages between American and for-

eign business men.
"I have no knowledge as to that," said Rogers, "but a third party doesn't have to know the contents of a message to get an advantage. All he needs to know is that it is a trade between an American and some one else nicipal criminal court for various fenses, the majority for petty larceny or vagrancy. No prisoners were placed in jail after midnight, it was said, thus the jail breakers were permitted to the United States should have direct the United States should have directly the United States should have directl work unmolested.

That the bars were being sawed during the early hours of evening, police say, is shown by the fact that the prisoners were singing continuously from seven o'clock until nearly midnight.

To remedy present evils Rogers suggested:

First, Direct cables to Germany

Scandinavia, Italy and the Mediterra-Second. Revision of the United States laws relating to cable landing licenses.
Third. Regulation of domestic ra die stations, including licensing of

Standardized government

Remanded to Jail

HENRIETTA, TEXAS, Dec. 15 .-J. A. Lacour and L. V. Reese, charged with robbery by firearms in connection with the looting of the safe in the railroad station at Joly Monday night, were remanded to jail without bond by Justice Clay Coleman here today. The robbers. who attacked and severely injured R. Y. Williams, telegraph operator secured about \$500.

EVIDENCE INCLUDES TAG BEARING NAME OF J. P. HAMMILL

FORT WORTH, Dec. 15.—Mrs. John P. Hammill, wife of the Ottawa, Canada, merchant who mysteriously disappeared from home November 12. in a Galveston morgue, will reach here at 8:40 tonight, she wired local police headquarters today. She will continue on to Galveston, after gaining all the information she can about her hus-band's movements in Fort Worth. He was here until last week. gram which came from Newkirk, Okla., Mrs. Hammil said there was doubt in her mind about the identity of the Galveston body

GALVESTON, Dec. 15 .- The finding of a coroner's jury inquiry into th death of an unidentified man here company which operates on the west- Monday will not be rendere d until ern coast, and has land lines to Rio after the arrival of Mrs. John P. Ham-And Santos.

He told of the controversy over the former German cables, showing how France and Great Britain, having seized the Atlantic cables, having shut the United States out of direct community.

After the arrival of Mrs. John P. Hammill from Ottawa, Canada. The inquest yesterday disclosed what was considered positive evidence, however, that the body was that of John P. Hammill, who had been mission P. VENICE. Dec. 15.—A tall man with a mailtany bearing stepped into a naval cutter today and was whisked out into the bay to where a gray battleship lay, her decks gleaming white under a Latin sun.

A wa. He declared the United States is pocket hearing the name "J. P. Hamble standing firm for a restoration of the mail," which police considered definite service which obtained before the war and also adheres to its claim to part ownership of the cables.

The man was found Monday Texas The man was found Monday Texas. tion and exposure Nience was in evidence. and exposure No sign of vio-

INDUSTRIAL TRAFFIC LEAGUE

MEETS IN DALLAS MONDAY FORT WORTH, Dec. 15 .- President Byars of the Texas Industrial Traffic league, announced today the place for December 20 meeting has been cent advances in rates into Texas from St. Louis, Kansas City and Members changed from Austin to Dallas, Re-

ed States should be free of any sort of Censorship. Third, that the Western Union ac-

President-elect Confers With Former Leader of the Progressive Party.

progressive wing of republicans, hav-ing an appointment with Raymond. Robins, a former leader of the progressive party and during the last campaign a member of the republican executive committee. It was understood that although the plan for an association of nations was

one of the principal subjects to be dis cussed at the conference, Mr. Harding vice on several domestic problems. For many years Mr. Robins has been interested in social welfare and is a student of labor conditions. Tonight the president-elect is to deliver his first public address since his return to Marion, speaking here at a state meeting of child welfare workers.

GREAT BRITAIN IS TALKING BIG NAV

Newspapers See Necessity to Cope With Programs of Japan and United States.

LONDON, Dec. 15. - British news Britain's increasing her navy to copwith programs of Japan and the United States. Failure of the League of Nations to take definite action on dis Daily News declared. "Debate in the league assembly showed a number of nations to be faltering." "It was argued," the Chronicle said, "that if America entered the league it would mean mixing in Eoropean af-fairs necessitating a large army. Now Secretary Daniels says because the United States did not enter the league it must be prepared to defend its in-The question of what enemy the country is preparing against has not been answered."



BODY DISCOVERED THIS MORNING: BANK WAS CLOSED LAST MONDAY BY A FEDERAL BANK EXAMINER

NOCONA. TEXAS. Dec. 15.—J. A. Addison, president of the Nocona National bank, which was closed this week, was found shot through the head here early this morning and died without regaining consciousness. A pistollay near the body when it was found in the seed house of a grocery firm.

Mr. Addison returned from Pathas early today. Bank employes said they presumed he had gone to seek funds to tide the bank over a period of depression. It was stated here today that the bank examiner said he had found the bank in sood condition aside from a great number of least to form. the bank in good condition aside from a great number of loans to farmers which could not be collected because of the low price of cotton.

Mr. Addison was 42 years old. He had lived in Nocona 13 years, coming here from Dallas. He is survived by his widow and two children

FORT WORTH, Dec. 15.—A message received here this morning from Nocona stated that President Addison of the Nocona National bank, which closed Monday, had been found dead in a seed house at his home. Addison was in Dallas yesterday, going there before the bank was closed, it is said. However, a message here from Nocona late Tuesday said Addison was on his way home and that arrangements had been made to reopen the institution at

AND STATION AGENTS TO

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 15 .- The telegraphers and station agents on the national railways have ordered a general immediate strike. feared will paralyze all the lines.

The men's demands include recognition of the union, an increase in wages, indemnities for personal injury shorter working hours.

SELL STEEL ONLY IF ERECTED UNDER "OPEN SHOP" PLAN

Mr. Grace asserted that atthough Griffith. Regarding de vaters, bis corporation was a member of the premier wrote: "The ordinary methods of communication with America are fully open to you."

Scwab, and Eugene G. Grace of the VISITOR TO MARION Bethlehem Steel Corporation were expected today to combat charges before the Lockwood building investigating committee that their "open shop" policy added to the cost of building in New York.

Louis Horowitz and Paul Starrett, builders, who charged the Bethichem company refused to sell them steel to MARION, OHIO, Dec. 15.—In his con-sultations on public questions, Presi-dent-elect Harding today turned to the dent-elect Harding today turned to the and laid them open to strike threats by

NO MENTAL OR PHYSICAL STRAIN ON MOTORMEN SAYS INDUSTRIAL COURT

TOPEKA, KAN, Dre. P. In handing down an opinion in the Joyla and Pittsburg railroad case, the Kansas court of international relations refused to recognize eight hours as a day's work for street car motor men and conductors and fixed a nine-hour day as a standard for such work. The court took into consideration the fact that there is no excessive and the robbers got \$1,000 "mental or physical strain required in and \$2,000 in Liberty bonds." operating a street car." AGREE AS TO VOTE ON THE KENYON-KENDRICK BILL

Addison arrived in Nocona on Central Cane Growers' Association Come Back at the American Sugar Refinery.

LONDON, Dec. 15,-The bishop of Cork, says the Central News, has re-STAGE IMMEDIATE STRIKE crived a telegram stating that Canon Magner, parish priest of Dunmanway, county Cork, was shot dead by armed and uniformed men at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.

> NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 15.-Action by Cane Growers association in cutting the price on granulated sugar to \$1-5 cents a pound and a ruling that members of the association may make guarantees against further reduction in prices, on the heels of a reduction by the American Sugar refinery in its price to \$1 cents, is taken here as indi-cating a possible price cutting war. Price cutting began on Monday when the American Refinery announced a reduction of 82 cents. Louisiana planters and manufacturers then announced reduction of plantation granulated 81 cents. Yesterday the American cut its price to 83 cents and the Cane. Growers association reduced its price to \$1-5 cents.

PREMIER LLOYD GEORGE SENDS REPLY TO REQUEST

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Eugene G. Grace, president of the Bethlehem Steel corporation, took the stand this afternoon in New York's "building trust" inquiry to reply to charges that his concern was spensoring the "open shop" by withholding steal from builders employing union labor.

Mr. Grace told the committee that it was the policy of the Bethlehem Steel company not to sell any fabricated steel unless it was to be erected under "open shop conditions.

Mr. Grace asserted that although Griffith Regarding de Valera, the Mr. Grace asserted that although Griffith. Regarding de Valera, the

GENERAL BENJAMIN HILL DIES AT MEXICO CITY

Benjamin Hill, the secretary of war, died early this morning. He had been critically ill for several days. New York,
Grace was asked to testify and
Schwab intimated he would make a
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cles it was declared by as regarded as an important factor in the con-solidation of the various factions which made the election of Ecneral Obregen to the presidency possible General Hill had an especially strong following in the north among the Yaqui Indians. For hours preceding the general's death crowds collected outside his residence. When word was received from the sick chamber that he was dead several members of the Yaqui

BANK OF HAWLEY, TEXAS. IS ROBBED TUESDAY NIGHT

guard wept and wailing and lamenta-

tions went up from the crowds.

Special to The Times.

ABILENE, TEXAS, Dec. 11.—The safe at the Bank of Hawley, Texas, near Abilene, was blown best night and the robbers got \$1,000 in money.

ISSUES A REQUISITION ON TEXAS PRISONER

TOPEKA, KAN., Dec. 15 .- Governor WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—A final votation to the senate not later than Janua. Allen today issued a requisition upon the senate not later than Janua. The governor of Texas for the return of the Kenyon-Kendrick bill for of H. L. Hagerman of Fort Worth. federal regulation of meat packing in-dustry, was agreed upon today by re-baving defrauded the Union National publican leaders. was there of \$7.800 two years ago.

Charges British Mission **Attempted to Influence Shipping Board Policies** WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Members of New York to function with the ship-the British mission which visited the ping board "on a purely American. United States in 1917 attempted to in-fluence the policies of the shipping knowledge Sir Connop Guthrie, a mem-

Mr. Denman indicated that his in- and half past three o'clock one

policies of the board, Mr. Denman said and the policy of the British in this that in April, 1917, he was attempting connection seemed very extraordinary to organize an administrative board in to me.

board, William Denman of San Fran-cisco, first chairman of the board, tes-tified today before the special house committee investigating the board's operations. sistence that the shipping board be noon—but I can tell you how he got free from British influence "had more to do with his resignation as chairman of the board than any other one bers of the British mission had attended the session at which the selection was made. Afterwards the ship-In this connection, the witness said tion was made. Afterwards the shipthat if he could obtain the permission of President Witson for the disclosure of "r tain phases" of shipping board negotiations "one of the sources of interference with my administration as head of the board may be disclosed."

Instances Are Cited.

To support his charge of attempts of the British mission to influence the board until we have solten the British mission to influence the policy of the British in this

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as a remedy for crowded house court here, as a remedy for crowded house court here. nited States from central Europe has

The emigrants are principally from ssia and Poland, and large numbers f tness, who are very poor, have been irectly assisted with money and adfrom America, the correspondent was told. Consular offices are swamped

dequate to carry all who have permits "The is virtually no check on this "Th.w.e is virtually no check on this movement, which beyond any question must so on be a most serious problem in America," the correspondent was informed. "An effort has been made to keep out the so-called 'reds,' but that, too, is it till for it is impossible to investigate the applicants carefully enough to exclude undesirables.

"The cally thing that can be done, it seems to me, is an immigration law

The cally thing that can be done, it seems to me, is an immigration law sharply curtailing this business of dumping the down-and-outs of Europe upon our shores. And that, too, is going to use a difficult thing for there will not use the possibility of discrimination against classes that would make vary bable citizens. If immigration should be stopped entirely for a few years, say five, we might wake up to the situation in America and seek a way out of the trouble.

to the situation in America and seek a way out of the trouble.

"The government's agents have been doing their b tst to meet the amergency with the mael tinery of the law, but that is pitiably in viequage. About all that can be done in to send department of the law agents. The New York and 'warn' warn's to New York and 'warn'. instice agents to send department of justice agents to New York and 'warn' the grafters and the more radical prometers of 12 is immigration that they must not risort to illegal means. Some of them who were reaping rich prevented out of the passport business, pretending to secured proper papers for sums paid in hand—have been frightened off, but theret are others still at and the Liberty loan, aggregating

ing' immigrants to se ture passports—
and whether he succeed in getting the
papers, which cannot be held up if the
applicant meets the requirements, or
not he can keep the money. The applicant won't saucal.
"However, such man are only a part "However, such men are only a part

of the scheme operating to shift the immigrants into America.

INAUGURATE PLUCE WORK

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—12he controversy between the Clothing Manfacturers' association and the Amalgamated Clothing Workers union reached a climax today with the inauguration of piece work schedules in all shops of members of the association. Union workment claims that the floor. Union workment claims that the part in a real live party. Place, Elevart in a real live party. Place, Elevarting to the state of the same interesting lecture and after that take part in a real live party. Place, Elevarting to the same interesting lecture and after that take part in a real live party. NEW YORK, Dec. 15 .- 15he contro-

Suggests Use of Schools Rooms as Courting Parlors

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.-Use of rooms in public school buildings as courting parlors is the suggestion offered today by Miss Mary Bartelme, assistant to the judge of the juvenile court here,

the "most undesirable peoples of Eutrope," says an official of the state department who has been watching the recent exodus with much concern.

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Parents should go to the school parlors and meet young men who are iting their daughters, she said.

CHICAGO JANITORS MAY BE PUT OUT OF HOMES IF A STRIKE IS ORDERED

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—If Chicago janitors insist on carrying ou their threatened strike in an effort to secure an increase in pay January 1, they will be evicted from their respective living quarters, according to an ultimatum today by the Chicago real estate board. Most o' the janitors occupy quarters in buildings where they work.

buildings where they work.

Approximately 5,000 janitors, members of the janitors union, have threatened to walk out the first of the year unless their demand is grant d. leaving between 15,000 and 20,000 apartment buildings without heat and pickment buildings without heat and pick-eted against the delivery of necessi-ties to the flat dwellers.

OFFER TWO NEW ISSUES TREASURY CERTIFICATES

sums paid in hand where seen frightened off, but there are others still at
work.

"One of these grr fters has moved to
l'erin and probably is doing a thriving
business. Nothing cun be done about
it. He is within the law, as far as we
are concerned. He may go out and
collect any amount of fees for 'assisttime' impierants to se ture passports—

and the Liberty loan, aggregating
about \$140,000,000, became payable. In
order to provide for current expenses
and to meet the remainder of the
heavy obligations which mature in
January, including \$300,000,000 in certificates. Secretary Houston has offered two new issues of certificates aggregating about \$500,000,000. ed two new issues of certificates ag gregating about \$500,000,000.

WIFE OF PLAINVIEW EDITOR DIES FROM BURNS SUSTAINED

PLAINVIEW, TEXAS, Dec. 15.—Fun-eral services were held here today for Mrs. J. M. Adams, wife of the editor of the Piainvis News, who was fa-tally burned yesterday. She was cleaning clothing with gasoline which became ignited from an unexplained cause. Mrs. Adams died four hours

part in a real live party. Place, Eleventh and Burnett streets. 216-1t;

LARGE FALLING OFF IN THE AMOUNT OF

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15 .- Cotton consumption was further curtailed during November and holdings of cot-ton showed an increase, the census bu-reau's monthly report showed today.

November consumption was about 67,800 bales less than October: 159,000 bales less than November last year and almost 400,000 bales less for the four-months period as compared with the same period a year ago. Active

bales including 2,501 bales of linters, compared with 924,751, including 3,121 of linters in Nevamber last year, Imports amounted to 22,513 bales compared with 52,655 a year ago. cotton spindles numbered about 2,000,000 less than in October and almost
3,000,000 less than in November last
year. Consumption in cotton growing
states showed less curtailment than
elsewhere, with 66,449 bales decrease
from that of a year ago and active
spindles showing a falling off of 165,395 as compared with November last
year.

Cotton on hand November 30 showed an increase of 489,403 bales. Public storages and cotton compresses in cotton growing states held simost one million bales more than a year ago while consuming establishments in that section held about 5,006 bales less

suming establishments amounted to 1,124,259 bales of lint and 223,925 of linters compared with 1,642,245 of lint and 256,425 of linters, and in public storage and at compresses 5,076,736 of lint and 246,608 of linters compared with 4,063,176 of lint and 246,078 of

linters a year ago.

Exports of lint amount to 681,323

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NO ECONOMIC STABILITY UNTIL ISSUE IS SETTLED

Instability of Foreign Exchange Re-

National Political Correspondent of

thought has been pressed upon me so often and from sources of such weight that it seems to call for widespread

I am told by business men, bankers and other men of practical affairs, as well as by men whose standing is on the theoretical side of economics and business, that there is one uncertain factor before the settlement of which no progress can be anale toward better business conditions. That factor, they say, is the uncertainty of the amount until much later.

Conference is failed.

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A conference of the allied powers has been called at Brussels this week it of discuss the Glacuus the Glacuus the Garman reparations. It is not a question of the size of the caparations, but a question of knowing what it is, of making the sum definite.

They say that there can be no accommon stability in the world and no business prosperity until Germany hyows the smount that she is to pay, and the allies know the amounts that the return they are to receive.

Cause of Instability. There can be no atability in foreign exchange the relative value of dollars, pounds, francs, marks, lire, etc.—until this factor, they say, is the primary cause of instability of foreign exchange there can be no stability of foreign trade, and until foreign trade can flow smoothly and upon assured lines, there can be no stability of foreign trade can folly smoothly and upon assured lines, there can be no stability of foreign trade, and until foreign trade can flow smoothly and upon assured lines, there can be no domeetle industrial or business prosperity. This thing underlies all question of taxation, tariffs

The point, of course, assuming that the theory is correct, has the strongest possible bearing upon the foreign and robbing the same place but was found to making the date when the amount of the money taken from the conferences of the allies we are in no occiding to use our influence toward hantening the date when the amount of the money taken from the conferences of the allies we are in no occiding to use our influence toward hantening the date when the amount of the intrinsical possible bearing upon the foreign and robbing the same place but was found to posting the same place but was found to posting well as by men whose standing is on the theoretical side of economics and business, that there is one uncertain factor before the settlement of which no progress can be made toward better

and everything clae fiscal in its na- of the German reparation will be made ture. The amount that Germany must

stones in the stucture of international trade.

If a malevolent intelligence should search the universe of economic evil to find precisely that thing which is most destructive to economic stability and to the human comfort and content which rest on business stability, these men say, it would pobably invent the device of placing one of the nations of the world under the burden of an indeterminate debt, in which the creditor has the power to increase the smount of the obligation in proportion as the debtor shows capacity to pay. The moral and economic eyil of such a situation and its capacity for trouble making on world-wide scale are indescribable.

Works Democralisation.

sults and This Condition

Serves as liandicap.

By MARK SULLIVAN.

National Political Correspondent of the New York Evening Post.

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WASHINGTON. D. C., Dec. 15.—One thought has been pressed upon me so piten and from sources of such weight that it seems to call for widespread knowledge.

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commission. Nominally, the mandate of the peace conference to this commission was that it should fix the sum before May 1, 1921, but actually in the

Association Buys

pay is of little importance compared with the making of this amount a fixed sim as against an indeterminate and unknown sum. So long as it remains indeterminate it is a blind factor in precisely the place where should be one of the most solid foundation atones in the stucture of international trade.

Simp Toward Squillerian.

This date will mark the first progress toward equilibrium, and will be the first step toward the resumption of commercial stability. In preparation, as restlessness under present conditions becomes acuta, the new republican administration will be under increasing pressure to make progress toward aconerete progress toward aconerete progress.

V. Reece and J. A. Lecour Make Statements to District Attorney Jones.

J. V. Reece and J. A. Lacour, follow-ing their arrest at Nocona late Tues-day afternoon, admitted their guilt to the robbing of the railroad station at Jolly Monday night before District At-torney Fletcher S. Jones Tuesday eve-ning. They were immediately taken to Henrietta, where charges were pre-ferred against them.

Association Buys

Washington Relics

Washington Relics

At an Auction Sale

PHILADELPHIA Dec. 18.—A miniature institute is field telescope, which brought 51,000 and the other \$700.

Washington by Charles Wilson Peale, has been purchased at the request of Martha Washington by Charles Wilson Peale, has been purchased at the request of Martha Washington; is a norted washington; for a number of Washington; one of a number of Washington by Charles Wilson Peale, has been purchased at auction here by the Mount tynon association for \$3,600.

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Girl Marries in a

for tonight, but her mother upon learning that she was about to die made the request that her daughter marry in the same room with corpse just as soon as it was prepared for burial.

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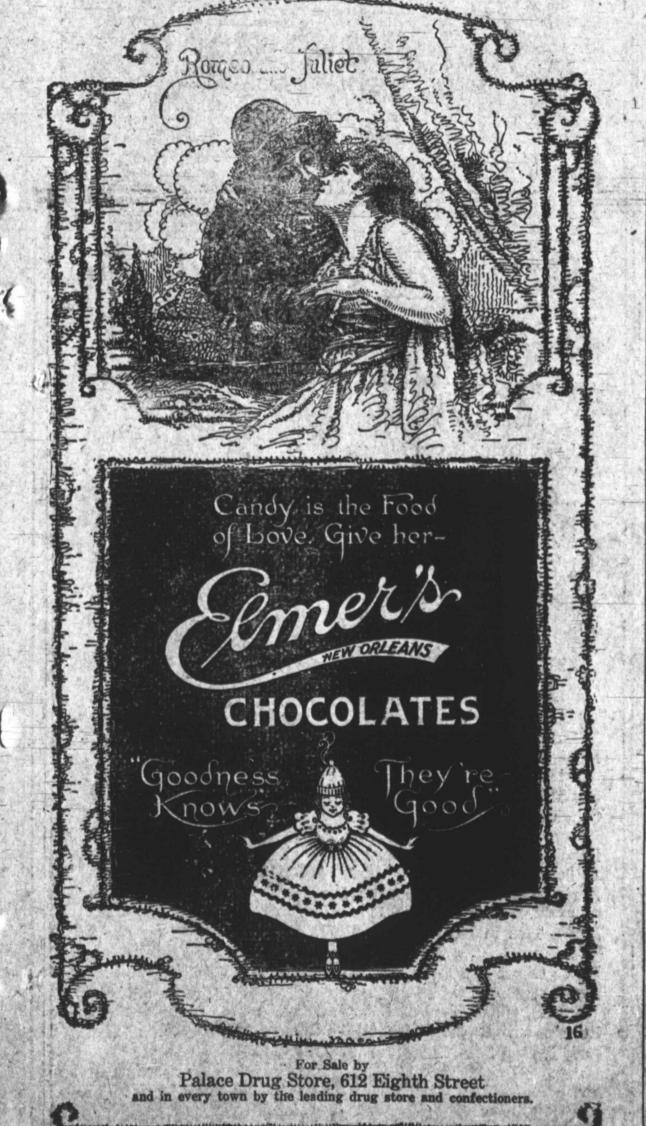
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THE TIMES DAILY WOMAN'S PAGE

City Federation to Be Organized; Study and Parent-Teacher Clubs to Meet With Civic League January 4th

visors welcome members of the board or committees on all occasions.

The Girl Reserves are organized into

two corps, a third to be organised in January. These groups have used the Y. W. rooms constantly for school and

club parties.

Classes held in the Y this fall have included four in physical training, one

in dressmaking, one in millinery, two

Spanish."
The Business Women's club, of which Miss Florence Jackson is president, has a present membership of 80,

which grows at each weekly meeting. Supper is served to members every Tuesday evening at 6:39 at 50 cents a plate. The club has adopted as their

service a scholarship in business col-lege to be given or loaned the girl or

woman who needs such a course.

Sunday afternoon 'Friendly Hour is held at the Y weekly at 4:30 p. m. A musical program and inspirational talk is given and all young women in the city are invited.

Mrs. Goodner is leader and teacher the N. El culp which has finished.

of the Y-Bi club, which has finished one course and is now entering on a second, with an enthusiastic membership. This club meets Fridays at 7

o'clock. Christmas parties are listed on the

BEAUTIFICATION COMMITTEE

OF CIVIC LEAGUE TO-HOLD

TREE CAMPAIGN IN JANUARY

bulletin board.

Mrs. J. V. C. T. Christensen, corresponding secretary of the Civic league, is mailing out invitations to each study and parent-teacher club in the city the week to send a representative to the Gvic league meeting Tuesday, Jamdary 4, for the purpose of organising a Wchita Falls city federation.

Clubs which will consider the federation organization and probably be included as charter members, following the action of the Civic league members and club delegates at the January meeting, will include the following. The New Century club, the Musicians, the Delphians, the Beta Delphians, the Travel club, the Civic league, the Alamo Home and School club, the Austlette the Civic league, the Alamo Home and School club, the Austlette the Civic league, the Alamo Home and School club, the Austlette the Civic league, the Alamo Home and School club, the Travel club, the Sam Houston Parent-Teacher club, the Wichita Falls Migh Mothers' council, the Travel Ciub.

The step planned by the league is considered a long one forward in cooperative and constructive civic work.

With each club working separately for

coperative and constructive civic work. With each club working separately for the interests of individual civic or secional projects, it has not been easy at il times to accomplish what has been loped for. The unification of all the ocal clubs in one organization whose focal clubs in one organization washed community interests and plans will be the same would be an almost certain guarantee of success for all undertak-ings, it is felt.

If organization of the federation is

completed at the January meeting, a committee on constitution and by-laws will be appointed at that time. The appointment of other committees will follow later, it is expected.

FOUR NEW BOARD MEMBERS ADDED TO Y. W.; SUMMARY OF YEAR'S WORK REPORTED

Four new board members, Mesdames Livingstone Fain, Everett Jones and C. J. Coyne and Miss Irene Rainey, were elected to membership on the Y. W. C. A. board by unanimous vote Tuesday evening, at the first annual membership meeting of the association since its organisation.

The reading of the general secretary's report for the year was excep-

ry's report for the year was excep-tionally interesting, and in the nature of a revelation to many of the X members. Miss Kerr's report of the finances of the association was also

The report was read by Miss Margaret Du Bose, general secretary, and is
given below in detail.

Miss M. R. Kerr's report of the association from a financial standpoint,
was also very interesting, showing an
approximate expenditure of \$20,000 for
the 1929 budget, maintenance and repair. The beautification committee of the Civic league, of which firs. Walter S. Curies is chairms, met ruesday afternoon with Mrs. Curies to complete plans for the tree campa an sanctioned by the league at its November meeting.

plans for the tree campaign sanctioned by the league at its November meeting. Mrs. W. W. Silk, president and one of the most interested and energetic workers in the association since its organisation, presided during the meeting. Mrs. Silk made an information and much appreciated talk on loyally to and interest in the Y. Mrs. Silk made an information and much appreciated talk on loyally to and interest in the Y. Mrs. Silk made an "uplift," but a fraternizing association, and that as such it is accomplishing its highest fleat of work among young women is nearly every country on the globe. Mrs. Silk asked Mrs. E. C. Goodner to lead in the devotional exercises, and Mrs. Goodner choss a very attractive theme for the season—the "Little Town of Bethlehem" Christmas carol. The carol was sung following the devotional. Miss Kerr's talk continued Mrs. Silk's plea for loyalty and co-operation on the part of the young and older women of the association.

Officers and board members were all

Officers and board members were all e-elected, the four new members being submitted by the nomination ommittee to take the places of mem-

During the year 131,618 people have During the year 131,618 people have been served in the cafeteria.

Since September 1, 80 women and first have been placed in positions and thirty-two in rooms by the employment and registry secretary. Girls, and women were placed prior to that time, but the records were incomplete intil September 1. Miss Mann, the secretary, whits endeavoring to suit the girl to the position, gives aid and suidance in the selection of employment, and urges young girls to stay

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Five \$50.00 Hudson Seal sets \$17.50

Four genuine French Coney sets .. 517.50

Two Fox Neckpieces, worth \$75.00, \$25.00

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FAMOUS WOMAN EXPLORER LEAVES FOR AUSTRALIA



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BRIDGE AND BRIDAL SHOWER FOR BRIDE - ELECT TUESDAY

on Tuesday, December 28, was honored with a bridge party and bridal shower given by Miss Lelih Heal A.derson at the Wichita Club Tuesday afternoon.

Several games were played at the tables, after which the guests were invited into the diplay room. vited into the dining room, where a dainty salad plate was served to about fifty guests. The bride's table suggested the feature of the pretty occasion with its decorations of swept peas and tulle, and near the close of the impresent of the impresent of the peas and tulle, and near the close of the luncheon the approach of the Christmas season, as well as Miss' Adlokes approaching marriage, was suggested by the estrance of Santa Claus in all his glory of red woolen and showy fur, laden with Christmas boxes for the bride. The gifts were most attractively done up for the novel presentation, and many dainty and lovely remembrances from her friends lovely remembrances from her friends were included in the roomy pack. The guests present included: Mes-dames M. M. Adickes, J. H. Barnard, J.

A. Kemp, O'Donohue, Lestern Burns, Jack Speegle, Wayne Hammond, Harry Weeks, Fred Weeks, Carter McGregor, Rajph Pond, Jack Barnard; Newton Maer, Harry Baum, W. M. Priddy, Harold Haynes, Al Booth, Vance, Jack Oltorf, Morrow, O. F. Marchman, Welch, Charles Morris, C. V. Lemen, Warren Dale, Gaffney, R. O. Harvey, Charles Anderson, and G. D. Anderson; Misses Adele Adickes, Mattie Ruth Corlett, Helen Stone, Thelma Kahn, Florence Sammons, Annette Walsh, Grace Tan-ored, Lucile Tancred, Louise Friese, Pauline Richolt, Agnes Reed, Lillian Fain, Margaret McMahon, Ruby Avis, Gretchen Avis, Willie May Kell, Ber-nice Jackson, Virginia May Parks, Genevieve Goff, and Leika Beal Ander-

BOWIE MOTHERS CLUB MEETS FRIDAY, CHUB SERVING LUNCH

The Bowie Mothers' club, the "newes baby" among the recently erganised parent-teacher associations, will hold its regular monthly meeting Friday at the achool house in the north part of

"It isn't what the hands can hold that

builds our old-age peace,"

We told ourselves last week or so;
and we felt that way then,
But we're a bunch of frog-legs in a
fryin' pas we've flopped
Into another state of mind. We think
a bunch of yen,
Simoleons, kale, cart-wheels, cash,
bucks dollars, silver boys,
Would fix our old-age peace just
right, we don't care, we confees,
For all the livin', lovin' stuff we could
store up for keeps;
An' we ain't got no heart to store it
in, no way, we guess.

Two Iowa men fought a battle to the

Two Iowa men fought a battle to the death to get the girl they both loved. One of 'em was killed. The lucky stiff.—J. W. "Sunshine and Shadow."

And they might have saved both of 'em from living if they had just left the matter to the girl.

"Hotel Men Ready For Convention. Headine, San Antonio Express. We supposed the hotel men were al

Looks Like It. Do not dare to live without some clear intention toward which your liv-ing shall be bent. Mean to be some-thing with all your might.—Phillips

Brooks.

I'd like to paint a picture, Phil dear, or sing a song, or dance a pretty toe-dance to help the world along. I'd like to have a garden and raise a flower, or two; I'd love to sculp a sculpture, or hunt stars in the blue. In fact, I'd like my talent to stir itself about—but seems I'm here for working her heat

seems I'm here for nothing but just to

For Short.

It is said that Lioyd-George's conference with Sforza and Leygues ended without having accomplished snything. Well, who on earth would expect to accomplish anything trying to talk to men with such names as that?—Beaumont Journal.

And who on earth would expect Lloyd-George to make it "Fuzzy" and "Lew?" L. G. should have appointed an American proxy for the conference.

Not a Chance. "The hippo has a roomy smile
That makes his whole form wiggle;
We think it would be well worth while
To hear the hippo giggle."

The turtle is so very slow
This fact is well worth noting;
I bet t'would make us tired, though,
To see a turtle voting."

The camel has a wicked hump,

We know a trick worth all of those— "Twould furnish quite a thrill; Beyond a doubt, 'twould be a stunt To hear some folks keep still.

Thursday

Day

Upon his back, by jimmy; think I'd pay a pretty lump To see a camel shimmy."

-Younkers Statesn

-Akron Times

ways ready for conventions.

builds our old-age peace,"



Mrs. Charlotte Cameron was in America during the war lecturing on German rule in the African colonies.

there will be leen competition and in-terest among the pupils conserning the meeting. The Austin club re-cently installed a handsome \$800 piano in the school

Miss Adelle Adickes, who is to be-come the bride of Charles I. Francis

THURSDAY; IMPORTANT BUSINESS
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Thursday afternoon, and officers of the club urge a full attendance, as matters of importance to the organization are to be considered. A munical program in to be given also.

The club recently offered a beautiful schoolroom painting to that room represented in Thursday's meeting by the most mothers, so it is expected. The bowle club organized about a month ago with Mrs. D. M. Allen as president, and its most interesting for during the past several weeks has been serving lunches to the school children to raise funds for work at the school. While the membership is small, it is representative and large in proportion to the schoolarship at Bowle club organized about a month ago with Mrs. D. M. Allen as president, and its most interesting effort during the past several weeks has been serving lunches to the school children to raise funds for work at the school. While the membership is small, it is representative and large in proportion to the school. All of the members and mothers interested are requested to remember Friday's meeting and be present.

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Men's Linen Handkerchiefs, 50c, Initial Linen Handkerchiefs. . \$1.00 Other Initial Handkerchiefs, 25c and35c Fancy Silk, Hose in Christmas Paris Garters in fancy boxes, 50c Men's Ties in Holly boxes, \$1.00 Men's Gloves, \$3.95 to..... \$15.00 Fancy Belt Buckles for monogram, \$4.00, \$5.00 and.... \$8.50 Buckles with Initial, \$1.00 and \$2.00 Cuff Button Sets, \$1.75 to . . . \$4.00

9th and Indiana



THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY

BARGAIN DAYS

You have probably been "fed up" on sales of certain kinds, but here's one that's refreshingly different—one you really can not afford to miss.

We have dedicated Thursday, Friday and Saturday as the Red Letter Bargain Days of the year. Plan right now on being here. Mark the items you want and come with the crowd. Come and get your share of the good things.

\$25.00 SALE OF SUITS, COATS AND DRESSES



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We Place on Sale Literally Hundreds of New Dresses, Suits and

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Dresses of Poiret Twill, Tricotines, Veldines, Satin and Silks;

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Wrappy Coats of Velours, Silvertones and Tinseltone; values up to \$65.00, all placed in one great big lot for the biggest

Wrappy Coats of Velours, Silvertones and Tinseltone; values up to \$65.00, all placed in one great big lot for the biggest \$25.00 sale of Coats, Suits and Dresses we have ever attempted. Thursday, Friday and Saturday, choice......\$25.00

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 \$500.00 French Seal Coats for
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 \$80.00

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 \$75.00

\$100.00 TO \$197.50 DRESSES FOR \$49.50

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Here are three big new lots of Blankets and Comforters for Thursday, Friday and Saturday selling at.... Half-Price

\$9.00 Blankets for \$4.50

Genuine Nashau Woolnap Blankets, big warm Gray Blankets with attractive colored borders; extra large size, 72x84 inches; good \$9.00 values, Thursday, Friday and Saturday priced at, per pair\$4.50

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THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

We Offer Unrestricted Choice of Our Entire Stock of Women's Better French or Louis Heel Boots at Half-Price.

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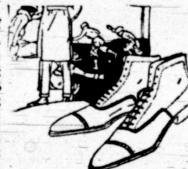
Your unrestricted choice of this entire stock of Children's better Shoes, including the famous Red Riding Hood and Kalt-Zimmer makes, and other good makes of Children's Shoes.

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UP TO \$10.00 MALLORY HATS, \$4.95

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\$2.50-CAPS FOR \$1.50

Thursday, Friday and Saturday we shall sell hundreds of the newest and best \$2.50 warm Winter Caps at, each......\$1.50 Good Overcoating and Suiting Patterns, most of them with luxurious fur-lined, pull-down bands—not a cap in the lot sold less than \$2.50. Buy them these three days at, each......\$1.50

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son, Okla. is very encouraging. The Ginger well, two miles west of Davidson, has more than 1400 feet of oil in the hole, according to the report, and the bit has just touched the sand. The well is about 2800 feet deep. The well is being tested at present, and if, it is a producer further interest in the wells in Wilbarger county which are across the river will be stimulated.

Suit for Friend at .

Birth of Each Baby

Cost Him Fourteen

Washington, D. C., Dec. 15.—For many years Representative Small of Yorth Carolina has by agreement been presenting to R. C. Bland, a Carolina and has by agreement been presenting to R. C. Bland, a Carolina and has by agreement been presenting to R. C. Bland, a Carolina and has by agreement been presenting to R. C. Bland, a Carolina and has by agreement been presenting to R. C. Bland, a Carolina and has by agreement been presenting to R. C. Bland, a Carolina and has by agreement been presenting to R. C. Bland, a Carolina and has by agreement been presenting to R. C. Bland, a Carolina and has by agreement been presenting to R. C. Bland, a Carolina and has by agreement been presenting to R. C. Bland, a Carolina and the city south of the plant. utlook for an oil boom around avid-

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 15.—For many years Representative Small of North Carolina has by agreement been presenting to R. C. Bland, a Carolina farmer and one of his constituents, a new suit of clothes for each additional child in his family. Having presented thirteen suits, and being recently notified to send the fourteenth, Representative Small has informed Bland that the contract will be "off" with Mr. Small's retirement from congress

on Marca 3.

Small and Bland made their compact a number of years ago when Small was making a campaign speech at Robersonville, near here. Bland at Robersonville, near here. Bland then had twenty children; he now ha.

Twenty-six of the thirty-four Bland children are living, and the present Mrs. Bland, Bland's second wife, is the mather of nineteen, nine of whom were born during the last ten years. Including one set of twins. Eighteen children still live at home, but Mrs. Riand declares she gets lonesome sometimes "because so many have gon

and Mrs. Bland recently had a Mr. and Mrs. Bland recently had a group photograph taken of the family remaining on the Bland farm While the photographer was working a buzzard cast its shadow on the ground. Bland was asked if he was

ground. Bland was asked if he was superstitious.
"No," he said. Om not afraid of buzzerds, but at first I thought the bleme thing was a stork,"
In calling the children together for the photograph. Bland simply cupped his hands end in a stentorian volucied. "Children," Results were Immediate. "Children appeared from every direction. Some of the "children," were grown men and women. dren" were grown men and women others were barely able to toddle, and one still was being carried in arms. Bland says it i no more trouble to

"After you-pass ten," he says, "the older ones are a big help."

The children were not unusually noisy. Bland said, although "they made considerable racket when four-teen were taken down together with whooping cough." The Pland grocery bill is equivalent to about \$150 a week, although Bland produces a large part of his food. On one occa-sion he says he spent most of one large part of his food. On one occa-sion he says he spent most of one night computing the cost of keeping his family comfortable, but that the figures reached such alarming pro-portions he gave up the job.

Bland is 65 years old.

Modern Woodmen Attention.

Business of vital importance to every members will come before the meeting Thursday night, December 16. Be sure to attend this meeting and bring your M. W. A. certificate with you for the spection. If you are interested in your membership in the M. W. of A. you will heed this request. H. M. Campbell, slerk, Modern Woodman of American.

Freit dakes 'et Parker Bros. 218-Stp Check That Cold

Right Away

Dr. King's New Discovery soon breaks a cold and checks a cough

A SUDDEN chill—sneezes—stuffy feeling in the head—and you have the beginning of a hard cold. Get right after it, just as soon as the sniffles start, with Dr. King's New Discovery. For fifty years a standard remedy for colds, coughs and grippe.

You will soon notice a change for the better. Has a convincing, healing taste that the kiddles like. Good for croupy coughs. All druggists, 60c and \$1.20 a bottle.

For colds and coughs New Discovery

Put "Pep" in Your Work Many a man has been a failure in business, many a woman in her home, because constipation has clogged the whole system, storing up poisons that enervate and depress. Dr. King's Pills act mildly and make bowels act naturally. Same old price, 25 cents.

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Christmas Trees

HOLLY WREATHS
FRESH CUT
DECORATIVE STOCK Ornamental, Shade and Fruit Trees

. L. ROULO & CO.

HLLINOIS PLANT HAS MILLION DOLLAR FIRE

can Car and Foundry

MADISON, ILL., Dec. 18 .- A million ng to information received here, the dollar fire which broke out in the Helmbacher Rolling Mills company

by the high wind were swept to all parts of the city south of the plant. A dozen volunteer fire brigades rushed from one spot to another as the embers it on roofs and porches causing minor

in the rolling mills were among the The rolling mills are an auxiliary company of the American Car and Foundry company.

Fruit cakes at Barker Bros. 216-8tp

TEXAS COMPANY HAS A PRODUCER NEAR LERAY

FORT WORTH, TEXAS, Dec. 15.—
The Goode No. 1 well of the Texas company, a mile south of the town of Leray, has been shot and has been reported as a good producer. The first flow of the well after the bridge had been cleaned out was 230 barrels, and the well made this flow in about 30 minutes. Some are estimating the well will be as good as the Tomlinson well. The Goode was shot at around 3,238 feet.

JEWELER BOUND AND GAGGED AND HIS STORE RANSACKED

FEDERAL JUDGE IS DEAD

McALESTER. OKLA. Dec. 15—Judge
W. H. H. Clayton, for years federal
judge for eastern Oklahoma and
prominent in republican political affairs during territorial days, died at
his home today after an illness of two
weeks. For 16 years he was United
States district attorney at Fort Smith
when federal court there had jurisdiction over the old Indian Territory.

Anatural gift for the delivery of
attraction number two is scheduled
to present George Kelly, a rising young
author who has already gained fame
as a writer of one act comedies. Kelly
will offer a skit knews as "The Flattering Word" which has as it's theme
the idea that at some time or other
every one is stage struck and wishes
that they were able to embark on a
theatrical career. A capable cast surrounds Mr. Kelly, who handles the
leading role himself.

A natural gift for the delivery of
attractive meloddes in an equally at-KEYSTONE TIRE COMPANY PASSES QUARTERLY DIVIDEND

NEW YORK, Dec. 18 .- Directors of the Keyston Tire company today de-cided to pass the quarterly dividend of three per cent at this time. One of the things that impress the new Hupmobile owner is the way 't eats up the hills and had roads.

Stamps for sale at Times office

High-Class Bill of Vaudeville Opens at The Wichita Today

The first really high-class bill which the Wichita theatre has offered for a month is promised local vaudeville fans this week with the show which opens at the theatre this afternoon and eve-

at the theatre this afternoon and evening.

The feature of the week will be given by Roscee Ails and his company, known as the Silding-Dancing-Syncopating comedians who silde and slip over the Stage in a manner marvelous to beheld. Roscee Ails, who heads the company, was a popular favorite at the New York vaudeville houses last year and since starting on the road has gained even greater fame. He is supported by Kate Pullman, a full jans band and a fearfull groupe of musicians known as "Hollsworth's Harmony Hounds."

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A natural gift for the delivery of attractive melodies in an equally attractive way make Marie Gaspar, who is to be seen in "Sunshadows From Songland" a welcome entertainer on all circuits. Miss Gaspar divides her choice of parents between the French and the Irish, and with such a combination only charm could result.

"The Acme of Sub-Voval Comedy" is the way Ray Conin characterizes his production of ventriloquism. In the art of uncanny control of the human voice Conlin is in a class by himself, for he places it at will and can draw

almost any effect desired from his vocal cords. Mr. Conin is also a come-dian of ability and his vocal gymnastics

are applied for humorous purposes only.

Lalla Selbini and Bert Nagel will close the bill with a lively skit called "The Butterfly and the Cat." Both are versatile acrobats, comedians and entertainers, and give promise of providing a fitting climax to an excellent bill.

PLANNING TO DEVELOP THE TERRITORY SURROUNDING IDAREL AND HOWARTH, OKLA.

surrounding Idabel and Haworth

Okia, will be begin in earnest in a couple of weeks. Four locations have been made near Idabell and the machinery is now arriving on the grounds for operation.

Much interest is also being manifested in a well to begin illed south of Haworth. Machinery and casing is now being unloaded at the location and drilling on the test will be under way by the first of the year. This test will be deliled according to the theory way by the first of the year. This test will be drilled according to the theory advanced by recent geological infor-mation which has placed McCurtain county in the limelight as prospective

the Frisco railroad in the county has been leased and several blocks of acre-age formed for drilling purposes. Leasing for the past month has been very active.



Today-ANNE-CORNWALL

The Path She Chose'

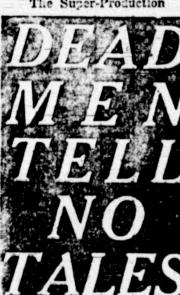
Her father a sot, her brother crook, her sister a wanton-Virginia rebilled at fate and came out victor.

> "THE DARDANELLA: GIRLS"

l'abloid Mus'cal Comedy of 14 People.

Intire Change of Program Daily

The Super-Production



opera flouse

Southwestern Glass & Paint Company

A Towering Climax to Fitzmaurice's "On With the Dance"

and "The Right to Love."

DOLPH ZUKOR PRESENTS A

Idols of Clay wen Mae Murray and David Powell a Paramount Picture

TODAY AND THURSDAY

Harrison Ford and Walter Heirs With

Overture

Selections from "Irene"-Hope-Jones Orchestral Organ

Matinee Tuesday, 2:00 P. M.

Prices—Night, Orchestra, \$1.65; First Balcony, \$1.65; Second Balcony, \$1.10; Gallery, \$1.10. Matinee, Orchestra and Balcony, 756; Callery, 55c. Tax included.

RUSCO & HOCKWALD PRESENT

Monday and Tuesday, Dec. 20-21-2 Days

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STREET

PARADE

Orchestra

WATCH FOR THE

GEORGE FITZMAURICE

Prices

25c and 50c

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MARIE CASPAR Song Shadows From Songland

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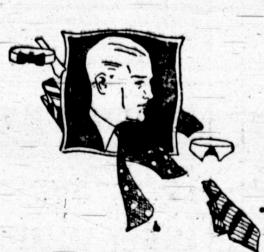
GEORGE KELLY

Late Star of "Finders-Keepers" and "Woman Proposes" "THE FLATTERING WORD"

Matinee Wednesday and Saturday, 2:30 TWO SHOWS AT NIGHT-

Wool Hosiery Is Always Popular With Men

You could hardly find a more opportune time to generally about the coldest time of the year. And the Wool Hose we are showing at advantageous prices this year is certainly very good looking, with fancy ribbed effects and interesting clocks. Practically all colors are offered.



We always make it a point to show Ties that have unusual snap to them. Come and examine the smart Knitted Scarfs and those in beautifully patterned Silks and you will see big possibilities for gift

A Welcome Gift Suggestion for Men of All Ages -Gloves

If he drives a car, he will appreciate a pair of Fur-lined Gloves. It is, in fact, a splendid remembrance for any man who spends a lot of time outdoors in cold weather. Cape Leather and Buckskin Gloves for dress wear have an excellent gift value, too.



Priced, \$3.00 to \$8.50



"The Courteous Service Store"

High Grade Shirts In a Special Holiday Selling

Here is a selling that should create considerable interest among women who have men on their gift ts. It enables them to choose the kind of Shirts that men like to wear, at great savings. There is nothing ordinary about these Shirts. The fabrics and patterns are good and every one is exceedingly well made.

Price, \$2.50 to \$6.50

present a pair of Wool Hose than at Christmas, for it is

Priced, \$1.50 and Upward

Exceptional Values in Men's Ties

selection.

Priced, \$1.00 to \$3.50

HERE HE IS That Reckless Daredevil of the Screen



William Jox

There's Heart Appeal in This One-and all the Thrills.

VIOLATIONS OF SARITARY ORDINANCE FEATURE THE SESSION OF CITY COUR

Nine violators of the city maithry ordinance were served with notice. Teading to appear in court and answer to charges of maintaining unianitary premises. All the notices very given by Tom Ta. lor. city impector of the

of their numerous campaigns to clean up unantisfactory conditions in the pusitions section of town and thus far have uncoacied in convicting a half-leven local men who allowed trash, subbish or other eye sores to accumulate at the rear of their establishments. A conviction on charges of anitary erdinance iolations carries with it a fine of \$15, unless the case be aggravated, when the fine may be ansensed at the pleasure of the court in any amount not exceeding \$100.

Among those called upon Tuesday by Inspector Taylor were four of the most promient auto dealers in the city. Each had allowed rubbish to collect at the rear of his establishment which in the eyes of the watchful Tom may may unforgivable violation of the law. Restaurant owners and proprietors of loft drink stands made up the remain-

UNOCCUPIED ROOMING HOUSE DESTROYED TUESDAY NIGHT

An unoccupied two-story frame rooming house at 1004 Sixth street was totally destroyed by fire shortly after

tain furnishings of any kind. This alone prevented serieu damage, for the house itself was a complete wreck after the flames had been extinguished. The fire was discovered by a pedentrian p ssing on the atreet. He promptly turned ir an alarm, but the interior was a mass of flames by the time the fire department arrived and nothing could be done but protect houses closely adjoining the blazing structure. A family living in the house immediately to the west of the burning building was not aware of their dange until aroused by the man who discovered the flames and furned in the alarm.

wheel by a man named Fowler. No peason could be assigned for the blase

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as a steve or heaters were in operation. Rate chewing on matches is the most plausible explanation of the start of the fire, according to the firemen.

JACK NICHOLSON DIES

Jack Nicholson, aged 14 years, diet at his hom, 2145 Avenue D, at 7 porciock Tuesday morning. He had been in poor health for some time. The body was removed to the Markle and Luhn undertaking pariors and prepared for burial.

Mr. Nicholson has worked in Wicklin Falls for the last seven and a half years at his trade as a barbor. He was well known to many local people. Besides his wife, he leaves one small daughter, a brother, J. F. Nicholson of Mayview, Mo., and one sister, Mrs. F. E. Jenkins of Kansas City. All of the surviving relatives were at the bed-side at the time of death.

Funeral services were held at the Merkle and Lunn funeral chapel at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, conducted by Rev. W. L. Tittle, pastor of the Nichols.

AMEWELL REPUBLISHMENTATIVE INSPECTING ALARM SYSTEM

Charles L. Maulen, a representative of the Gamewell fire alarm company, was in Wichita Falls Wednesday inspecting the local system and making needed repairs. The equipment at the central station was thoroughly gone over this morning and reported by Mr. Maulen as being in excellent condition. He intended making a tour of the city later in the day, examining the various boxes and wiring.

The system installed by the Game-

boxes and wiring.

The system installed by the Gamewell company is declared by Chief McClure to be thoroughly satisfactory
and has rendered efficient service at a
minimum of expense and trouble.

JURY RETURNS A VERDICT AGAINST DENVER FOR \$12,00

C. W. Reneau was given a judgment of \$12,000 against the Fort Worth and Denver City Railroad company by a jury in the \$52th district court late Tuesday afternoon. The plaintiff sued the company for personal injuries which he alleges he sustained when the employ of the company, charging the company with negligence. It was allown at the trial that he lost all of the toes on his right foot with the exception of the small one.

CITY TAX

Tax collections are picking up, according to City Collector Anderson, but are still far below what they should be. At the "elees of business" Tuesday a total of \$56,991 had been received for December, which makes about 10 per cent of the amossed valuation that has been received during

Tuesday, incidentally, was one of the set days recorded thus far, both it se amount of money redelved and the umber of tax payers who presents semastres to settle their debts. Birty we of those inter paid in a total of 1,651 during the day.

ABY HOLMAN'S Quick recovery Joy to mother

"I used Teethins for my haby' stomach trouble with the best of results." writes Mrs. Lula L. Heiman Rendalla. Als.
"Wa commenced using Teethin when baby was seven mosthe old and it has kept him in laughing, happy health, and I advise all mothers to us Teethins when babies are in pain of centiling."

Teethina has been used for over fifty years and is the prescription on a highly respected family physician it brings grateful relief to teethin babies and quickly corrects their pain ful bowel disorders. Teethina is per fectly harmless, the ingredients arplainty printed on the package and it is recommended by doctors. Sold by druggists or we will see a full-sized package postpaid for a cents. Our instructive bookled. "Baby, gladly sent free to any address. Med

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At 20 Per Cent Discount Backed by This Guarantee

You can borrow from us, within 30 days, the full purchase price of any Diamond you buy here.

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Other gifts in variety at discounts that mean big savings.

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THE WAGGONER BUILDING

Useful Things For Christmas Gifts

Ladies' Blouses

of the better kind. See our new Christmas Blouses.

Wool Sweaters

Fine assortmnet of Sweaters and Wool Scarfs. They are useful.

Petticoats

Have you seen our wonderful values in Jersey Petticoats and Bloomers?

Silk Underwear

makes an excellent gift, and our assortment is complete. The prices are attractive.

Breakfast Robes

Why not give a nice Pullman, Lounging or Breakfast Robe? See our line.

Luxurious Furs

for Christmas. Stoles, Capes, Neckpieces and Fur Coats specially priced.

Christmas Dresses

See our line of Afternoon, Dinner and Party Frocks. These make splendid gifts.

Coats and Suits

Special prices on all fine Coats and Coat Suits. Plain and furtrimmed.

Shoes for Gifts

If you want Shoes of the better kind, see ours at One-half price.



Special Notice to Shoppers

We have provided a place to wrap your Christmas packages. We have also prepared to take care of your Christmas wants, so bring your Christmas list and make our store your Christmas shopping headquarters.

On our Mezzanine Floor is located the Ladies' Rest Room, which is provided with plenty of comfortable chairs and writing desks, Come here and address your packages.

Xmas Gloves

Most any kind you want in both long and short styles, at Half price.

Bar Pins

Fancy and Pearl Beads make useful and appreciated gifts. See our line.

Ladies' Purses

make very appropriate gifts. See what we are offering in Beaded and Novelty Bags.

Manicure Sets

Travelling Sets and Overnight Bags make splendid gifts for everyone.

Handkerchiefs

can be given with the assurance that they will be appreciated by the one receiving them.

Silk Hose

What makes a better gift than Silk Hose? See our wonderful values.

Ivory Goods

are very useful and appreciated by all and the prices reasonable. See our assortment.

Parasols

The kind that please as to price and quality. Why not give one?

Travel Goods

Give a good fitted case, Hand Bag or Suit Case.

In Massoner Wassoner Williams

TRADE CAMPAIGN IN

Au entertainment that "will include a speech by Clint Wood" was promised by W. W. Slik this neon as one feature of the annual meeting of the Wichits clib on the evening of December 29. As a result of this promise, or threat seventy-nine members of the club at the weekly luncheon today permits by signed u.) for tickest to the annual meeting and diliner.

The club at the weekly luncheon today promotily signed u.) for tickest to the annual meeting and diliner.

The committee from the Retail Merchants' association, outlined to the club members a plan being preparel by local merchants association, outlined to the club members a plan being preparel by local merchants to obtain "foreign" trade in the trade territory adjacent to this city. A fund of approximately \$15,000 mem for both the club members a plan being preparel by local merchants to obtain "foreign" trade in the trade territory adjacent to this city. A fund of approximately \$15,000 mem for both the district of the submitted on brief and oral argument for both. Rubert Cotton, from the country of in every direction as far as Altus, Okla. Byers, Bowle, Vernon, Seymour and Graham.

"Every man here present," he said. "Sinterested. I know, in making the city a retail center for name and through semi-annual trade trips to be made by large groups of local business men. John W. Bradley also spoke for the plan and declared it "not the dream eff an enthusiast but absolutely pracifical and already worked out carefylly."

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Dallas polo clubs, and urged members to support the local polo organization which already has demonstrated its ability by defeating Dallas on that club's home grounds for the champion-ship of northwest Texas.

REPORT ON CONDITION

Deposits of \$303,557,702 Is Shown in Statement Issued at Austin.

Resources totaled \$414,862,755

COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS
FOR THE SEVENTH DISTRICT

AMARILLO, TEXAS, Dec. 15.—Following proceedings of the court of civil appeals for the seventh district;
Motion granted: W. D. Wagner et al vs. G. W. Erewster, to dismiss appeal.

Motion overruled: Self Motor com-pany vs. First State Bank of Crowell

at Austin.

et al., from Ochlitree; Geo, T. Webb et al vs. Emerson Brantingham Imp. company, from Swisher; P. & S. P. Ry. Co. vs. W. L. Wallace, from Swisher; w. P. T. Smith et al vs. C. N. Kidd, from Dickens; John Barton Payne vs. J. B. Mull, from Crosby: Lubbock from Dickens; John Barton Payne vs. J. B. Mull, from Crosby: Lubbock issued today by the state department of insurance and banking.

Capita stock tetaled \$49,724,296, surplus and undivided profits \$23,976,993 and bills payable and rediscounts \$29,-956,113.

Resources totaled \$414.862.755 of which \$284.365.626 was loans and discounts and \$77,007,136 cash and exchange.

Overdrafts amounted to \$2,340,012 gram from Attorney General A. Mitchell Palmer advising him that A. V. Anderson, warden of the federal prison at Leavenworth, has been ordered to censor the moving picture films of the Jack Johnson fight at the prison on Thanksgiving and to eliminate all fight accurate here today began selling a 26-ounce loaf of Iread for 15 cents. Sixteen ounces was the weight of the former loaf sold at this price.

Governor-elect Wants All Evidence Presented in Connection with

Maco, Texas, Dec. 15.—A dramatic scene featured the trial of the case of the state against Fisher Alsup, charged with criminal libel in the county court here today when Pat M. Neff arose when objection was made to questions asked by defendant's counsel while Mrs. Patsy Neff, sister-in-law of Pat Neff, and as a friend of the court, asked the county attorney to withdraw the objection. The question was whether or not witness had from Dickens; John Barton Payne vs. J. B. Mull, from Crosby; Lubbock Grain and Coal company vs. Joe Lee Ferguson, from Hale,

PICTURES OF JACK JOHNSON
FIGHT HAVE BEEN BARRED

TOPEKA, KAN, Dec. 15.—Governor Henry J. Allen today received a telegram from Attorney General A. Mit-

haps a part of Friday.

Organic matter decays very slowly in peat bogs.

John L. Jones **Furniture Company** 815 Ohio





98c

Patent leather, handturn soles; size, 2 to 8: worth \$2.00 a pair. Baby's Day

98c

FREE

-to the first 10 Babies brought to store tomorrow morning-

A \$3.00 PAIR OF SHOES Sizes, 2 to 8. We do not fit them. Doors open at

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Baby's Shoes at Baby Prices

\$1.49

Red top, White top, Patent and Vici Kid, hand-turn soles; worth \$3.50 a ir; sizes, 2 to 8.



\$1.49

Baby Felt Slippers, Red and Blue, all sizes; worth

IF YOU CAN BEAT THIS, I WILL GIVE MINE AWAY

Baby's Hose, White or Black, all sizes; worth 75c

Baby's Day 39c

HARR' IS BACK TO STAY

Baby's Hose, Black and White; worth 50c a pair;

Baby's Day



HARRY KATZ, Prop





The Christmas Gift Store

Beautiful Ready-to-Wear stands out supreme among the choice of gifts for women. Nothing will be more admired by their friends nor appreciated by themselves. You cannot go wrong in remembering women with select Ready-to-Wear. This big store is ready to serve you as never before. Each express brings us new shipments of goods fine enough for the most exacting and we are passing them on to our trade at the same favorable terms upon which we are buying them. Do not delay another day. Come this morning and inspect these beautiful offerings.

What Would Be More Appreciated Than A Handsome Cloth Coat?

Nothing that you could select would be more appreciated than one of these stunning Coats which we are placing on sale now at prices one could hardly expect even as late as March. They are here in both the wrap style and the more fitted models, and a generous selection is offered in both sizes and colors. Velour, Silvertone, Broadcloth, Cormelian Cord, Bolivia and Evora Cloth are well represented, some trimmed in choice fur, some handsomely beaded and embroidered. Priced for Christmas selling,

\$19.50 to \$65.00

Fine Plush and Baffin Seal Coats Are Always Very Acceptable Gifts

We have a select showing of handsome Plush Baffin Seal Coats, trimmed in Beaver, Raccoon and Skunk, which we are placing within the reach of every Christmas shopper. These Coats have sold at prices ranging from \$150.00 to \$250.00. Our Christmas shoppers' price is --

\$95.00

One More Blouse Always Welcome

A big shipment of Blouses has just reached us fresh for the Christmas shopper. In Crepe de Chine, Georgette, Satin, Taffeta, Pussy-Willow as well as Wool Jersey and Velvet. Every color is well represented and beads and embroidery have been generously used in their making. They appear in both over-blouse and tailored effects—some with the new high-neck effect which is so popular.

Reduced 50 Per cent

Did You Ever Know a Girl With Too Many Pretty Sweaters?

We never did. But we do know that there is not a woman living who would not be pleased with one of our new models in either Silk or Wool. We have them in a variety of styles -both the slip-on and coat modelsin a wide range of colors-

At Greatly Reduced Prices

Silk Underwear'at 1-2 Price

Our One-Half Price Silk Underwear Sale made a big hit. We hope to get another big lot Friday to offer you. Come in and see if it has arrived.

Dresses Should Not be Omitted From Your List

To a sensible woman, a new Dress would make a strong appeal as a gift. We have a very satisfying showing which will be sure to please you. Give us the pleasure of showing you these garments.

Christmas Shoppers' Price \$19.50 to \$49.50

This is less than 50% on most of these Dresses.

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In Crepe de Chine and Pussy-Willow, in all styles and colors. Splendid for gift-making and sure to be appreciated.

50 Per Cent Discount

Bathrobes Make Acceptable Gifts



We are just getting a big shipment of Bathrobes which we expected in weeks ago. They are pretty late, and as they are seasonable goods, we have decided to throw them into this great sale at a smart part of their real value. Beacon Robes, fancy trimmed with Satin Ribbon bindings in a great variety of colors and patterns.

\$12.50 Robes. . \$5.95 \$16.50 Robes. . \$9.85

Corduroy Robes Will Make a Hit

Handsomely embroidered and braided with silk lining in all colors and sizes. Very smart and sure to please.

\$40.00 values, \$22.50 \$15.00 values, \$7.50

EVERY PIECE OF FUR AND FUR COATS REDUCED ONE-HALF A wonderful assortment. Nothing more appropriate than a fur piece or fur coat.

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Men's Blue Overalls

The Kind You Have Been Paying

Why This Sale?

Well, here's an answer that is Why wait till after Christmas when everybody else will have one? I'll have mine now and inventory "dollars" instead of dry goods on January 1st.

To the Farmer!

Don't cry! We merchants are in the same hard shape you are in. If cotton would be 40 cents, Saul would not be selling Clothing. Dry Goods and Shoes at a loss eight

\$7.50 Woolnap Plaid Blankets

Greatest Annual Christmas Sale Starts Thursday, Dec. 16th at 9 a.m. Sharp

and lasts eight days-closes Christmas eve. A sale that will outclass any sale that I have had this year-any sale that has been attempted by anyone. I admit you won't believe the prices unless you see them with your own eyes—but it's so! You have never found Saul misrepresenting anything.

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I am not going broke, but I will not make any money. I am willing to lose \$5,000.00 in these eight days. I am going to give you back part of the profits I made last year—we are all in the same boat! NOTICE-I am going to have you come to the store every day during this greatest of all Eight-Day Sales. For this reason I have Eight Daily Specials. Watch these days and you will get them on the days advertised.

Thursday Forencon	Thursday Afternoon	Friday Forenoon .	Friday Afternoon	Saturday	Monday _	Tuesday	Wednesday Forencon
Men's	Calicoes	3-lb.	72x90	\$2.00	36-Inch	Ginghams and	150-Yd. Spools of
Canvas Gloves	5 c	Cotton Bats	Pepperell Sheets	Baby Blankets	Bleached Muslin	Percales	O.N.T. Thread
5c	A Yard	33c	\$1.19	\$1.19	10c	10c	5 c
A Pair Friday—Last Day	Men's Work Shirts	Pretty	Boys' Dark	Men's \$6.50	Ladies' and	A Yard	Thursday
Will Tell You	That Used to Be \$1.50,	Dress Ginghams	Corduroy Pants	Corduroy Shirts	Misses' Blue Serge Middies	House Canvas	Outing Flannels
Later What You'll Get on That Day!	79c	15c	\$1.49	\$2.95	\$1.98	71/2C	10c

LISTEN FOLKS—If any Other Store can Sell you Goods Cheaper Than I Will, Then buy it of the Other Fellow, But if They Can't Come Down to SAUL'S Prices Then "TRADE WITH SAUL AND WE'LL ALL HAVE MONEY IN THE BANK"

\$10.00

Buys Any Ladies Dress on Balcony

\$5.00

For Boys' Suits that Are Worth \$10.00 and \$12.00

\$3.95

For Men's Dress Pants (Corduroys and Moleskins) Worth up to \$7.50

For Genuine Leather Grips and Suit Cases That Are Worth \$25.00

\$10.00

Will Buy Ladies' and Misses' Cloaks Worth up to \$20.00

\$10.00

For Men's Extra Fine Sheep-**Lined Coats**

\$10.00

For Boys' Overcoats Worth \$18.00; Sizes up to 16

buy them anywheres. Compare prices!

\$15.00

Will Buy a Men's Wool Suit That Will Compare With Any \$25.00 Sale Suits

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For Choice Ladies' Best Suit or Coat in Stock

\$5.00

For Girls' Blue Serge Middy Dresses Worth \$10.00

WHEN IT COMES TO SHOES—I HAVE BOUGHT A DOZEN ERASERS

in the last thirty days and kept my shoe men busy rubbing them out and marking them down.

So don't expect too big a cut on any of my Shoes—they are cheaper right now than you can

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For Crepe de Chine and Georgette Blouses Worth \$7.50 and \$10.00

\$69.50

For Ladies' \$100.00 Fur Coats

For Girls' Gingham Dresses Worth \$2.50 and \$3.00

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For \$7.50 and \$10.00 Jersey Silk Petticoats

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A Pair for One Lot 100 Pair Men's, Women's and Children's Shoes

ſ	Men's Dress Shirts That Used to Be	36-Inch Percales	Comforts	Men's \$5.00 Hats	26-Inch Purity Cambric	\$2.50 Felt House Slippers	Men's Jersey Knit Gloves	Men's Union Suits That Used to Be \$1.50
	\$1.50 and \$2.00 79c	15c	\$1.50	\$1.98	15c	\$1.49	19c	79c

NOTICE-Don't buy if you don't think it's cheap enough don't buy if you think it'll suit or fit. I'll positively not make any refunds, but will gladly exchange when possible

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for it 60 days ago, a month ago, or a week ago. Look at me: 90 days ago I paid for Outings 35c; 60 days ago I bought it for 25c; 2 weeks ago I bought it for 18c—same with everything else. DON'T KICK!

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UNEQUAL TAXATION.

cepted as approximately correct.

something can be done to prevent a continuance of this inequality. One thing that can be done is for Wichita county to make its assessments on a lower basis of valuation than has been

as a number of other rich counties fail to pay their rightful share. Mr. Reinenger says that farm land in Hopkins county worth as much as \$150 per erty on a very low basis. On this low valuation a comparatively small sum in state taxes will be paid. On the other hand a county that is trying to progress must have large revenues and therefore assessments in such counties are made on a higher basis and these higher valuations yield larger revenues to the state govern-Such a penalty upon progress is against the public good and ought

As long as state taxation in the more than 200 counties of the state is determined by local boards, so

lem, has gone to the European cenfirst-hand information as to conditions and hopes to build upon that information a workable system that will at least help to meet a very serious problem. As a result of his Caminetti has come to the conclusion that the best solution lies in the ports which he has been studying, that Ellis Island must have out-posts in Europe where each prospective immigrant could be thoroughly examined in his native environment ing comment on the commercial record and with the health and police rec- of the past month; ords accessible to the examiners. This, he points cut, would be more just to the intending immigrant; many of whom are turned back after arrival over here, for causes that would have hean evident had the examination been made on the other side. All this would require time for inaugurating, making pertient the pending legisla.

"November was a paradoxical month from the economist's viewpoint: There was at the end of the month, compared with 1917, 28 per cent more money in circulation, and clearings were 23 per cent higher, yet prices were 17 per cent lower. From such a maladjustment a reaction is inevitable, and when the buyes' strike is overcome by good salesmanship it is likely that ords accessible to the examiners. This, tion to bar all immigration for a stated period of time, which could be used for putting the proposed plan into working order. But an improvement that looks essential to any system that will satisfactorily handle even a limited immigration it has always seemed to us, must take into consideration the distribution of the immigrants after their arrival. Probably 95 per cent of European immigration comes through Ellis Island. New York. Recent figures are not available, but it is probable that the bulk of the immigrants estite down. consideration the distribution of the within a hundred miles or so of New York—most of them, indeed, in the already congested centers where they become a further problem. If the already congested centers where they become a further problem. If the stream of immigrants could be distributed more widely, with other east which are estimated at 30 to 40 per ern and guif ports used for their cent and \$6,000,000,000,000,000,000 era and gulf ports used for their handing not only would it more evenly distribute the newcomers, to their advantage and to the advantage of the other sections of the country as well, but it would materially help in their Americanization, their absorption into the body politic, which is a thing to be hastened if the desirable immigrant is to make the good citizen he should want to make. Examination on the other side to keep out the unfit, the establishment of standards that would let in only those capable of becoming real citizens, and then the wider distribution of the newcomers are fundamental improve-

ments in the present haphazard sys-tem that should be considered in any immigration legislation if it is to do

that which is expected of it. Personally we have a much stronger admiration for Mr. Houston than for Mr. Kitchin, both fellow democrats. But we think Mr. Kitchin's criticism of some of Secretary Houston's recom-mendations regarding income tax re-vision is well placed. It is of course always onerous to pay taxes, regard-less o ftheir amount. But with \$2,000 SUBSCRIPTION RATES
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Aways oherous to pay taxes, regardless of their amount. But with \$2,000 as a minimum, the little fellow already is being called upon to pay just about all he can stand, because under existing conditions the income tax minimum is also about the minimum upon which a family of average size can be maintained, and to increase the tax on all incomes below \$5,000 by 50 per cent is, we think nutting too. tax on all incomes below \$5,000 by 50 per cent is, we think, putting too only is the dissatisfaction with The Associated Press is exclusively entitied to the use for republication of all news dispatches credited to it or not otherwise credited in this paper and also the local news published herein.

Its yield is fikely to be tremendously cut during the coming year or two. The gasoline tax will be heavy, and the automobile horse power tax will ad another \$100,000,000 on to the automobile users, but that tax follows the line of luxury taxes, even if the automobile has come to be a virtual to the coming year or two.

necessity to most. It exempts trucks and wagons. Theatrical attendants can pay \$70,000,000 a year more without entailing any great suffering, and tobacco users and chewing gum chewers can stand the \$34,000,000 additional imposed, as can the soap and cosmetics users put up the \$14,000,000 In 1919 Wichita county paid into the additional imposed upon them, and the state treasury \$150,000 in excess of users of jewels and precious metals its proportionate share of taxes, had all the countles of the state been assessed on the same basis of yaluation. It is increases are all demonstrably necessary. But lack of the whole list This year Wichita county will pay in of increases stands the important state taxes over \$300,000 more than derease status the important question of whether it is well to under proportionate share. These figures have been furnished by the Texas portion of the war debt in so short a time and whether it were better Something ought to be done about from numerous sources that the debt it. Wichita county can not recover the be refunded and its retirement be ex-\$450,000 more than its share of taxes tended over a much longer period; paid in the two years, but surely and this suggestion, it seems to us,

"Conditions are fundamentally sound; there is nothing to get excited done for the past two years. Doubt about," That is the statement of a less some reduction in assessments leading Dallas retail dry goods merwill be made next year and some chant that about covers the present measure of relies afforded in this situation. He recalled that conditions manner. But Wichita county will continue to ginning of the world war with the bottom apparently dropping out of prices pay a disproportionate share of the burdens of state government so long the transparently dropping out of prices with nothing to check them, and then burdens of state government so long the tremendous boom that followed within a few months. Most econo- ter way to make our hearts swell with within a few months. Most econoter that mists believe that this country has been fortunate in that the readjustment following the tremendous boom, the deflation that had to come, is being achieved without disaster. Business conditions are dull, but incomparably better than they were at this time six years ago, and the beginning to make someone happy, and that's what you should be doing when you give a Christmas gift. But don't we stretched the truth a yard, our conscience like a boafire burned, and scorched us pretty hard. But that was in a time gone by, a time that's vague, the six years ago, and the beginning less at Christmas time, you have probacre and more is assessed at a card therefore Hopkins county pays proportionately much less in state taxes than does Wichita county of the present system of allowing each county to determine what it shall pay in state taxes at once puts a premium of the new year is likely; we think, to upon backwardness and a penalty upon backwardness and a penalty upon backwardness. As it is now worked to more the cadjustment, the return to more puts a premium of the new year is likely; we think, to see the readjustment, the return to more puts and college fiends and distant cousins and college fiends and distant cousins and college fiends and distant cousins starting on the upgrade, for as Mr. Goettinger so correctly observes, "con-Goettinger so correctly observes

Fairs of Texas, J. W. Dabenport, of Honey Grove, is to be in Wichita Falls soon to discuss the plan of organizing a district fair here. From Wichita Falls he will go to San Angelo, where their county fair has been so successful that it has been decided to enlarge it into a West Texas fair. A North-west Texas or a Central West Texas more than 200 counties of the state fair here in Wichita Falls would be is determined by local boards, so long will there be as many inequalities of very great benefit to all this section of Texas, and Mr. Debenport's as there are counties. There ought to be a state board with power to equalize taxation for the support of the state government among the different fair in seing, because it is necessary counties of the state. Steps to pro- to start without further delay on actua vide such a board ought to be taken at the coming session of the legisla. Wichita is the logical place for such an organization, and Wichita busin and commercial interests can be counted upon, we are sure, to give Immigration Commissioner Cami-netti, studying the immigration prob-so valuable an adjunct to the continued growth and prosperity of the city and its trade territory.

With Other Editors

The Situation Is Sound. (Fort Worth Star-Telegram.) In his weekly review of conditions Theodore H. Price makes the follow-

by good ralesmanship it is likely that prices will participate in the readjust-ment by rising to some extent, at least until the volume of currency is re-

This is in line with the opinion of other economists to the effect that there will be an advance of greater or less degree of the price level soon after the present stocks have been after the present stocks have been

Just Folks

The Bossiful Rore, not mind the man who brags about his kith and kin, ugh I think his family was good to take him in;

not mind the braggart who proclaims his youngster's worth, coastful parents I have found the finest folks on earth;

sh, protect me from the man who swells his chest to tell some one else has failed where he'd have really done it well.

Though silence of that point I think would grace him better still; With patience I will hear the man who speaks with honest pride Of what he gives to charity, if truth is on his side;

But I confess I try to shun the man, whos'er he be, Who claims that no one else on earth

it more or less.

Though what we are and what we do, is proved by our success;

And I can patient be with men whose

worth all people know while they readily admit each flattering speech is so; But oh, defend me from the man who lets his boasting run
When some one else has tried and
failed, to tell what he'd have

Side Talks

I can't tell you how many people I have heard say in these last few years that they dropped the observance of Christmas during the war and that they were questioning whether to take it up again or not.

Some of them have asked me what I thought about it, and as a Letterfriend was among these I'm going to give you my point of view for what it is worth on whether we should take up the celebration of Christmas again

Let's take it up, I say, but let's not take it up in quite the same way, Let's take up a better Christmas than the one we laid down, How can we make it a better Christnas, you ask, naturally. I don't blame

mas, you ask, naturally. I don't blame you. I hate lectures, or articles in which people make beautiful big statements and don't help you any with the concrete application.

The world."

Let's put more love and tenderness, and less of the spirit of barter, into the new Christmus and make it so much a better one than the old. concrete application.

My own feeling about a better
Christmas is this—that we shouldn't give up gift-giving (that is the first question that always pops up) but that we would do well to do less gift-ex-

changing. It was the cut-and-dried-ness of gift-exchanging that came near taking the beauty out of Christ-

stunt no more; we've lied to much, we've lied so long, that conscience is a bore. Our old the cars are red with gifts among a large family of in-laws. That seems to me a good thing to let stay dropped. But do not leave a vacuum in the place of what you have tinkering with tools, o'er motors brother and something's always sure to bust before they go a mile. We're always tinkering with tools, o'er motors brother always and blying farmers with up. Fill it up with the giving of gifts (mark the different verb) to people to whom the gift may mean a

great deal.
There are some among your relatives who are not so properous; why not concentrate on them? There are old friends who have to strain and struggle just now to make things meet and give their children all the modera

HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

PARSON AXIN' BOUT WHUT'S MAH SCUSE FUH QUITTIN' DE CHUCH BUT AN AIN' GOT NO SCUSE - AH'S GOT A REASON -- DEY DONE RIZ DEM SESSMINTS CLEAN OUTEN MAH CLASS!



Is spite of the fact that it has many of the properties of a solid, mercury—or "quicksliver" as it sometimes called—ts really a liquid, the tiny parts of which have a great attraction for each other. It is as a liquid, therefore, that we must consider it, remembering that it is not possible to pick up drops of water, or any other similar substance. A part of the water, it is stance. A part of the water, it is true, will adhere to the hands and

true, will adhere to the hands and moisten them, but mercury will not do this because of the minute quantities of oil which are always present on the skin, and which cause the quicksilver to slip away.

A quantity of mercury spilled upon a surface will break up immediately into a number of smaller drops or balls, because of the great attraction which the atoms of mercury have for each other. Much the same phenomenon is to be seen when water is spilled upon a powdered table or plate, but, before long, the water will spread out over the surface, while mercury will remain in the sphere shape because the particles of which it is formed are always pulling toward each are always pulling toward each

Tomorrow-WHY does a stream run most swiftly in the center?

child must have. If you can do it in a delicate way, why not send some bit of luxury to one of these men or women? There are children who have but little of the Christmas galety. There are old people gone back into the second childhood in which a gift is as much an event to them as to the real child, These all represent opportunities to do Christmas giving instead of Christmas

Then, of course, as I have said be-fore in these columns, I hope to see the new Christmas made one in which more emphasis is put in the Christmas ceremonies. The singing of Christmas carols, the candle lightings, the yule log, the gathering of the family on Christmas eve to read Dickens' "Ghristmas Carol," the trimming by the children of a tree for the birds— it is in such things as these, to my way of thinking, that the very es-sence of Christmas is found, old order changeth yielding to

new, lest one custom should corrup the world."

RIPPLING RHYMES By WALT MASON

quilly we lie, and tell of how our cars can climb stupendous hills on high. We used to be a truthful lot before the tinkering with tools, oer motors pro-ken down, and hiring farmers with their mules, to haul us back to town. I'ut when we smoke our evening pipes the fiction graft prevails, and Ananias has the gripes if he can hear our tales. And on we sit beside the sea, and tran-quilty we lie, of how our autos climbed a tree, and did the trick on

intains, perseverants can do eny-

Can it make skool as good as moving pictures, pop? I sed, and pop sed, It can do enything, I told you, perseverants won the war and with perseverants you can do that ixample. Allways perserveer no matter wat youre doing or how hard it seems, and you will be

perserveer no matter wat youre doing or how hard it seems, and you will be a grate man.

And he kepp on smeaking and thinking and I stared to feel persevering, and the more perseveering I felt the more the ixample came out rong till my perseverants was all wore out, and all of a sudden I got a good ideer, saying, Hay pop?

Wats the news- sed pop, and I sed, Can I Lave a dime for the movies, pop?

Absolutely no, dident I tell you you were throo with the movies for this week? sed pop, and I sed, Well aw G, pop, cant I, pop?

Wat do you think no meens? sed pop, and I sed, No sir, but will you Mirs, Buffalo, N. Y.—Adv.

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prophesies of astrologers to the effect

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and Uranus are all adverse. The sun rises beneficiently after noon.

As the year draws to a close, the APPLICANTS FOR INSURANCE OFT-EN REJECTED.

In 4921 there will be many adjust-In 4921 there will be many adjustments to conditions that have altered all the old standards of life, but these all the old standards of life, but these all the old standards of life, but these will not be made without serious troubles.

By LED PAPE

Pop was smooking and thinking and I sed Asynchet, this is a heck of a ixample, I can't do this.

Never say cant, there is no sutch word as parts in the sents of important, and the greatest thing in the word is perseverants. Mountains are big, yes, but perseverants can move mountains, perseverants can do enything.

WHY IT SUCCEEDS.

In there will be many adjustered all the old standards of life, but these while there is delicity to the public, there is one preparation that has been very successful in overcoming in the selds who are constantly in direct touch with the public, there is one preparation that has been very successful in overcoming in the beak or high the public, there is one preparation that has been very successful in overcoming in the selds who are constantly in direct touch with the public, there is one preparation that has been very successful in overcoming in the selds. It stands the highest for its remarkable record of success.

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IT'S A PURTY GOOD LIL

LOOK AT EUROPE! IT CERTAINLY

INSPIRES ME WITH LOVE AND RESPECT

FOR TH' HUMAN RACE!

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 15 .- Advisory Children born on this day will be small craft warnings for the Texas quick in mind and very active. In coast from Sabine to Velasco were is-financial matters they are likely to prosper, but their chief weakness will caster for the local weather burbau, be a tendency to worry over trifles. here early today. Fresh northwest winds subsiding by Thursday morning

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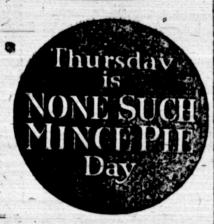
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said, has impressed the moneyed interests that it must be liquidated and that big finance must materially assist. The mill owner expressed himself as favoring a departure from the graduated tax and levying a flat tax on every

income.

"The sales tax is equitable, just, and will tend to create good citizenship," Mr. Kell declared. "The question of taking care of special classes is one of the most dangerous we face. We must get government back where it is a government of, for, and by the people."

Mr. Kell declared that the recent dence in our government. He based his-assertion on the fact that by reason of the war we had suspended our rights, and when the war was over we came very near getting on a basis that would have suspended our constitution for a number of years.

Another recommendation made by the financier was that the excess prof-its tax be repealed and that corpora-tions shall be taxed on their undis-tributed funds in an effort to force

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Tanlac Overcomes His Troubles.

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'NOT YET SATISFIED THAT DEMPSEY IS MY SUPERIOR"-BRENNAN

Finds Tougher Oppone

round by Jack Dempsey, the heavy-weight champion, in Madison Square Garden last night, said today he intended to ask for another match. "I am not satisfied that Dempsey is my superior," he declared.

The challenger, while saying that he had vindicated himself, asserting much stiffer opposition. Saturday and round by Jack Dempsey, the heavy-

am not natisfied that Dempsey is my superior," he declared.

The challenger, while saying that he had vindicated himself, asserting he was "surprised" when the referee motioned him to his corner, believing that he had beaten the count in the

Dempsey said: "Brennan was much tougher than I expected. He stood up longer than I thought he would. His blows didn't hurt me at any time, but I found him a hard man to hit prop-

match with Jess Willard on St. Pat-

match with Jess Willard on St. Patrick's day.

The match last night broke all records for receipts for an indeor affair in this country, according to unofficial estimates today. The 11,956 seats brought in \$209,052.50. This does not take into account the receipts from about 1,000 temporary seats and 2,000 persons who obtained standing room. The match between Dempsey and Willard which was fought in an open Willard, which was fought in an open air arena, netted \$452,332, the high

Deducting Dempsey's share of \$100.-000 and Brennan's guarantee of \$35,-000 last night, the promoters estimated profit after paying taxes and expenses probably will be about \$12,000, i, was unofficially estimated. The federal tax will be approximately \$12,000 and the state tax \$10,500.

Endless Practice Is Willie Hoppe's Secret of Success

Hoppe does it-how he goes along year after year cueing his way through the strongest opposition that can be mustered against him. Ever since perennial champion defeated Welker Cochran and Jake Schaeffer in the world's championship tournament last week, he has been besieged with questions as to how he does it. In a recent laterview given in New York he is guested as saying "Prac-

In a recent laterview given in a very York he is quoted as saying. "Fractice. Billiard playing is my profession. A man in any other prefession or business devotes at least seven hours a day to work, doesn't he. Why shouldn't a man who maker billiards fits work do the same thing? I put in FOR TRAINING CAMP

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THE SEASON AND TO CAMP

The American and forward pale, the most striking feature of the season was the great interest shown by coaches and enthusiasis in the east as to what the west and south were doing, and in the south and west as to what the south and south were doing, and in the south and west as to what the south and south were doing, and in the south and south were doing, and in the south and south were doing, and in the south and south were done, and south were done and south were done

billiards. A player who simply plays ball to ball billiards, with no thought of the position the balls will be in after the immediate point has been

ball to ball billiards, with no thought of the position the balls will be in after the immediate point has been made, cannot hope to get very far in competitive billiards." Irslinger Plans to Do Some Wrestling To Some Wrestling Lin Nearby Tourse In Nearby Towns v. m. I. CLAIMS LEADING

The recent success of the wrestling game in Wichita Falls has caused Henry Irslinger and Manager Crosbie of the Wichita theatre to be besieged with requests for bouts to be staged, preferably in the opera house. If Ir-slinger were to accept all the challenges he could stage a bout two or three nights a week here for several He would like to take on some of

wever, Henry is not particularly en for letting a bunch of this soft in slip away from him and he will ubtless take on some of these boys Just received, A large shipment of Burkburnett or some other town gold fish. S. H. Kress & Co. 215-3te ubtless take on some of these boys

One grappler whom he is quite anx is to meet is Ben Parrish, a wreswell known in this territory and who he figures will give him some position. The bout will probably be anged for some date in the near sture, though it will not be staged

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The Dallas pole team which is coming to Wichita Falls for a return series with the local club next Saturday and Sunday at Call Field, is out for revenge, and a team of different morale than that which went down to defeat three weeks ago before the fast local quartet, will take the field.

quartet, will take the field.

Colonel Barton of the 5th Texas cavalry, one of the enthusiastic backers of the Dallas team, is expected to arrive by auto from Breckenridge the latter part of the week, while Col. Eugene De Bogary, captain of the team, and Major Richards, commandant of Love Field, will fly over in a plane Friday. plane Friday.

The Dallas outfit has been coached Than He Figured in Windy
City Heavyweight.

NE... YORK, Dec. 15.—Bill Brennan,
who was knocked out in the twelfth
round by Jack Dempsey, the heavy-

ship, they realize that they will have much stiffer opposition Saturday and Sunday than they did three weeks ago. They have been practicing faithfully every Wednesday and Sunday, and they went through their final workout

they went through their final workout this afternoon. The team is not resting on the laurels already won.

In addition to the championship henors that will be gained by the winner, a beautiful loving cup has been donated by Dave Paul, the jeweler, which will go to the winning club.

The action Dallas team is expected. pion was not in the best of condition, having trained too hard.

Dempsey expects to leave for the Pacific coast tomorrow, to stay until late in February when he will come back to New York to train for his match with Jess Willard on St. Pat. romewhat by the playing surface at Call Field, which is composed of dirt. The latter is a much faster field and the visitors do not care to take any

chances on giving away a handicap.

Referre Not Selected Yet.

The referre for the matches has not yet been selected, but the choice Hes between Colonel Andres, head of the Dallas recruiting office, and George Willer, the yeters player who referred. Miller, the veteran player who referee in Dallas. It is said that the Dallas team is anxious to have Andres in the lifteup and if he is not available, Miller will be asked to officiate.
Captain DeBogary has announced that his team and substitutes will be

selected from the following men Major Richards, Major Davidson, Colo-nel Andres, Colonel DeBovary, Mr. Lester, Major Crowdus, Lieutenant Robinson, Lieutenant Freeman Sergent Dye.
The Wichita team and substitute

The Wichita team and substitutes will be selected from the following players: H. E. Hemphill, Horace Robidus, Dr. John Fletcher, Cecil Wilfons, Warren Jennings, Zeb Nixon, linea Nixon, Rob Rothwell, John Pastins, Lon Jennings, Mr. Anderson, Frank McDowell and Jack Nelson, It is the intention of the club to give all its members an opportunity to participate in these games. Spectator in Football Stands is Now

ticipate in these games.

Both the Saturday and Sunday games will be started at 3 o'clock and the third game, if necessary, will b

DALLAS IS DEFINITELY Camp, published in the current issue of Collier's Weekly in connection with of Collier's Weekly in connection with his all-American selections for 1920, the dean of intercollegiate football SELECTED BY SPEAKER "Outside of the development of the open play and forward pa.s. the most striking feature of the season was the

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nges he could stage a bout two or here nights a week here for several cadets" 1920 schedule, Leech ran up a grand total of 210 points, scoring 26 touchdowns, kicked 48 goals after touchdowns and two field goals. He alls, but there are so few open dates also is credited with having made at the theatre that it is impossible, total of 1,723 yards in line plu.ge and towever, Henry is not particularly end runs and with having hurled forward passes for an aggregate of 448

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letters by Coach Cantwell: Capt. Luke Wilson, William Cantwell, Viron Nor-ris, Clifford Waggoner, Ralph Harper, Marvin Jordan and Leon Haney. Others will receive the coveted letter. as soon as the number of periods played

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Event of This Kind.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.-The first foreign invasion of an American college cross-country team started here yesterday with the sailing of the Cornell university runners for England, representing Oxford and Cambridge universities on December 27 in the first international intercollegiate contest of this type ever staged.

The run will be held over the seven and a half mile course of the Thames Hare and Hounds club at Rochampton pear Lepting, and both Scorell and

near London; and both Cornell and Oxford-Cambridge will start teams of seven runners. Of the 14 long-distance hill-and-dalers the first five of each team to finish will score and the team having the lower total after ten runners cross the line will be declared the winner of the race. Thus if five Cor-nell entrants were to finish in the lead of the pack, a most improbable occur-rence, the total team score of the American university would be the minimum of 15 points.

minimum of 15 points.

The Rochampton course, which is always used for the Oxford-Cambridge dual cross-country run, is considered one of the best in England, where this particular branch of sport is popular, especially during the open winter months when any other form of run-Have car load of Christmas trees at 1905 Indiana. Order now. Phone 6214.

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two miles of road, one mile of ploughed land and the remainder of rough grass land. It includes two small hills and two water jumps, neither of which can be cleared without a wetting. The record for the course is 41 minutes 55 seconds.

While Cornell is the champion cross-country college of the country no forecast as to the outcome of the race can be made for the personnel of the English universities combined team is unknown here. England has been noted for years for the ability of her distance runners and hundreds of cross-country runs are held there during the winter season. In selecting Cornell as the institution to be invited to compete in this event the English collegians recognized the premier standing of the Ithica university in this branch of sport. Cornell has won 16 of the 21 intercollegians recognized these country haces of the Ithica university in this branch of sport. Cornell has won 16 of the 21

of sport. Cornell has won 16 of the 21 intercollegiate cross-country haces held annually in the east, whereas no other college has won more than one title in the five contests not captured by the red and white runners.

The team which sailed today on the Aquitania is due to arrive at Southampton on December 21 and will proceed direct to Oxford where it will be the guest of the English university and finish its training over the Ocford course. In addition to the seven and finish its training over the Ocford course. In addition to the sevenCornellians composing the team the
party included Coach Jack Moakley;
Team Manager C. C. Balley and John
T. McGovern, a former Cornell runner
of note, who accompanied the team in
a semi-official capacity. The entire
party will sail from Liverpool on the
return trip on January 1.

Announcement.
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hould be used in peace time for han-ling press messages.

PROVIDE FOR A BONUS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.-Legislation royalding compensation of a so-called bonus" for former service men, was taken up foday by the senate fluance committee with a delegation representing the American legion invited to open the hearings. The bill was passed

In the house last spring.

Although conceding that the question is difficult because of the treasury's condition, taxes and other considerations, senators have expressed themselves as anxious for disposition of all matter furning the present sea. of 41 matter during the present ses-alen of congress. The hearings begun today were ordered before the full acpate-committee instead of the usual

sota.

Besides the general question of cable landings, the sub-committee expected to go into the controversy between the state department and the Western Union Telegraph company regarding the latter's connection at Key West with the British cable from Barbados.

hadoes.

The hearings begun today were requested by the state department and cable companies. Among witnesses invited were Norman H. Davis, acting secretary of state: Newcomb Cariton, president of the Western Union, and representatives of other cable conserves.

All the parties holding stock in the Sunshine Slope Oil company are again requested to either be present at Aho meeting salled for 8 p. m. on December 17 at the W. A. Freear Furniture company or to send in their proxies.

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MEXICANS REMANDED TO JAIL WITHOUT BAIL

GEORGETOWN, TEXAS, Dec. 15.—Manuel Sagu, a Mexican charged with killing W. O. Wofford of Austin, and wounding Will Pisher of Bartlett, Texas, and Will Wallace of Eufaula. Okla., on a passenger train ness Granger, Texas, December 10, was remanded without bail at his preliminary hearing here late yeaterday. Two other Mexicans were held in \$1,000 bond each in consection with the crime. Witnesses testified that without apparent cause. Sagu arose from his seat in a day conch and began slashing at passengers with a rasor. He was arrested shortly after jumping from the train.

MUCH DAMAGE IS DONE BY STORM NEAR CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—Reports of damage from Chicago and Lake Michigau points indicate that the less from the storm which swept over this section Monday night and yesterday may run into hundreds of thousands of dollars. Wind, which at time attained a velocity of 74 miles an hour, did the greatest damage. Summer resorts along the eastern shore of Lake Michigan suffered geverely.

PRICE OF LOAF BREAD REDUCED AT STAMFORD

STAMFORD, TEXAS, Dec. 15.—The price of the pound loaf of bread was reduced from 15 to 16 cents here to-day. The reduction affects a large section of west Texas, which obtains bread supplies from Stamford.

NEW YORK PLANS TO REGULATE AIR TRAFFIC

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—Regulation of air traffic over New York City is provided in an ordinance to be submitted by F. D. Laguardia, president of the board of aldermen, he announced today. The ordinance he said, would stipulate 3,000 feet as the minimum altitude for airplanes over Manhattan anu 5,000 feet over other boroughs. All "stunt" figing over the crowded streets would be prohibited.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—General legislation to provide regulations for landing of ocean cables in the United States was the object of an inquiry begun today by a senate interstate commerce sub-committee, headed by Senator Kellogg, republican, Minnesota.

Besides the general question selected to go in sub-committee sub-committ

Thursday Day

FATE OF NAVAL BALLOON WITH THREE PASSENGERS STILL UNCERTAIN TODAY

NEW TORK, Dec. 15.—The fate of the naval balloon which left Rockaway Point for Canada on Monday afternoon with three passengers and which was reported to have crashed into the side of Fork mountain near Wella, N. Y., last hight, was still uncertain today.

Officials of the Bockaway naval air station were without word from the crew and had received no homing pigeons which were taken in the balloon.

The crew was composed of experi-enced aerial navigators headed by Lieutenant Walter Hinton.

SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS, Dec. 15 .-BAN ANTONIO, TEXAS, Dec. 15.—
The Texas Association of real estate men named Fort Worth as the meeting place for their 1921 convention in their annual session here yesterday. During the course of the convention, which lasted two days, they approved a new real estate bill which will be presented to the legislature when it convenes. The bill provides for the organizing of a state commission who shall have the power to license real estate men in the state. A realters license will be reveked for misrepresentation or fraud.

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PADUCAH, TEXAS, Dec. 15.—The
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a Thousand Registered Letters in His Possession When Arrested.

CHICAGO, Dec. 15 .- Edward Valen tine, a negro who said his home was in Akron, Ohio, today confessed to police here that he participated in the \$3,506,000 Omaha mail robbery.

Valentine was arrested Saturday in a raid on a rooming house. He had about 1,000 registered letters in his neasession.

While under examination late yesterwhile under examination late yearer-day he made an attempt to escape from his guards but was caught. Valentine said he came here from Indianapoliss where he went after the mail robbery. He said six white men.

mail robbery. He said six white mea-one white woman and three negroes participated in the mail robbery. Police got in touch with Omaha po-lice imrediately after the prisoner con-feased and he probably will be sent to Des Moines for trial. Detectives here releived word from the Kokomo, Ind., chief of police that authorities in the Indiana city believe Valentine is the man who cobbed mail pouches there of

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DECLARE NEGRO WAS NOT

A PARTY TO THE ROBBERY

LEAVENWORTH, KAN., Dec. 15.—
Neither Orville Phillips nor Kelth Cellins, now doing time at the federal penitentiary here, ever heard of Edward Valentine, alleged to have confessed participating in the Council Pluffs mail robbery, according to Warden W. H. Anderson.

The warden said he had talked with the two men convicted of the crime and they insisted Valentine had nothing to do with the big holdup.

Two grass fires which goe beyond control and endangered nearby buildings caused two alarms for the fire department to be turned in Wednesday. The first call was responded to at 10:30 in the morning where burning grass at 1409 Twelfth street threatened to start a blass in a residence. The second alarm came in at 1:15 from the 1100 block Scott street where a duplicate of the morning performance was being enacted. This call was the third in less than a week to be made from the corner of Scott and Eleventh.

CYPHER CLUB DANCE THURSDAY: VAUDEVILLE ACT AND MUSIC

The Business Women's Club is entertaining Thursday evening with their annual Christmas party. Music for the entertainment is to be furnished by the Louisiana Five.

The Cypher Club is having a reasonable for the company that the Kemp ballroom for the membership, for which the Hallsworth Harmony Hounds will furnish the music, including their regular vandaville act, which is being

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that he attempted to escape Hammond. He ran through a door and just as he prised through the door Hammond raught him by the shoulders and pulled him back, and that when he did so Hammond fell through the glass door. Mr. Conner testified that he pulled as to the nature of the wound. W. R. Ferguson testified that he had talked with Hammond at the hospital and! deramined the rent in his clothing. He said that it was not such a rent as wind, have been caused by a knife cut. All of the witnesses at the scene testified that they saw no knife and heard no report of a revolver. Several testified that they saw hammond put his hand on his pocket from which an automatic revolver was later taken.

Ok, garment and grocery interests "Those who fall to pay will be served with a notice and demand. Ten days after that a tax of five per cent on the unpaid amount and interest at one per cent a year is added. If the tax remains unpaid, a warrant of distraint, which is in-effect a lien, is issued. It is peat that many concerns and individuals now defaulting were able to pay their full tax March 15, but preferred to pay it in four installments so as to get the interest themselves.

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INTENDED VICTIMS ROUT HIGHJACKERS

One Man Is Shot and Painfully But Not Seriously Wounded.

An attempted highjacking in the Northwest field Tuesday night was frustrated by the intended victims who routed the two gunmen after taking a gun and a hat away from them. One man, J. W. Dallas, a bookkeeper for the Kansas and Gulf Oll Company was shot in the head but was not seriously injured, according to reports received at the police station today.

The affair fook place in block 75 of

the Northwest field, a short distance from Newtown. About 10:30 two men walked through the door of the roadwas grazed by the bullet, causing a deep scalp wound but otherwise causing no injury. Dalias is reported to have grabbed the gen,, which was an Ramy automatic, and to have wrested the from the robber's grasp.

Another of the party, C. H. Rugeley, Exercise to the cherry of the party, C. H. Rugeley, Linguist to the other highjacker who block

apparently was not armed. After losing his, gun the first man dove through a window and disappeared into the dark. John W. Price from W. T. Carlton et John W. H. Eller et ux to Mrs. J. A. Eller latter lost his hat in the fight, and this article together with the pistol, was brought to the police of this city today.

W. H. Eller et ux to Mrs. J. A. Eller intentions of being present.

Julia Jindra et ux to Marie A. Ivice, lots 174, 184, 185, 186, 162, 196.

News From the Courts

Suits Piled in 78th District Court. Gussle Bradford vs. Harry E. Brad George Slater vs. Florence Slater, di-

Suits Filed in 90th District Court. W. C. Shipper vs. Jennie E. Shipper, Norce.
Alice Still vs. Talbert Still, divorce
Eurkburnett Rcf. Co. vs. Wholefield
b. & G. Co., debt.
Bell Etheridge vs. Homer-Etheridge, Mrs. Myrtle Wright vs. G. W. Wright

et al, appeal.
R. J. Williams vs. W. J. Brown, debt.
R. J. Williams vs. First National
Cank of Burkburnett, garnishment.

Marriage I lectures.
F. K. Kelley vs. Mrs. Fannie Ferris, both of Burkburnett.
W. L. Reinhardt and Mrs. Beunah Wolverton of Fort Worth.
B. C. Whisemunth, Hollis, Okla. Okla. and Adna Williamson, Fort Worth.
Raymond Wheeler and Fannie Cc-bern, both of Duncan, Okla.
Willie Johnson and Alta Lee Curry.

Real Estate Transfers.

R. C. Knight to F. O. Fritz. lot 3, block 65, Floral Heights, \$9,000.

M. L. Littrell to Oscar S. Hope, lot 14, block 11A, Highland addition, \$650. Linn Eoyd to George Perkins, lot 20, block 3, Boyds subdivision Granger Park.

this article together with the pistol, was brought to the police of this city today.

DOZEN AUTOMOBILES ARE

DESTROYED IN THRALL FIRE

TAYLOR, TEXAS, Dec. 15.—Fire which for a short time threatened the eftire oil town of Thrall, five miles east of Taylor, destroyed the Avait Casage containing a dozen automobiles and machinery last night. The Taylor fire department was called.

Origin of the fire is unknown.

CONSIGNEES REQUIRED TO

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Supreme Court Justice Cohalas today handed down a decision compelling consignees in 24 sugar cases involving more than a million dollars, to bay 22 cents a million dollars.

IN ARKANSAS RIVER **BED CONTROVERSY**

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 13—Claim to the sum of \$131,341.45 held in escrowwas lost by the state of Oklahoma as the result of a decision handed down by the United States circuit court of appeals at 5t. Louis yesterday in regard to ownership of the bed of the Arkansas river between Osage and Pawnee counties, this state. A telegram announcing the decision was received at the state attorney general's department today.

Under the theory that the Arkansas river is navigable and its bed state property, the commissioners of the land office leased it for oil and gas purposes to a number of oil companies. On April 5, 1914, the federal government filed suit against the leassees and the state attorney general's laim 11.50 11.55 11.57 11.70 11.75 Osage Indian nation.
It was announced at the attorney general's office that appeal would be taken to the United States supreme

MEDICAL SOCIETY BANQUET AND ELECTION OF OFFICERS AT KEMP HOTEL TONIGHT

The annual banquet and election of officers of the Wichita County Medical society will be held in the Kemp hotel tonight. In addition to the election, the regular business routine, will be

MUNDREDS OF DETROITERS ATTEND THE DODGE FUNERAL

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CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—Sharp deglines in wheat prices were registered at the opening today as a result of the increased yield indicated by the government crop report. Opening prices, which ranged from 1½ to 6c lower, with December \$1.64½ to \$1.65 and March \$1.60½ to \$1.63, were followed by a moderate raily in some cases.

Corn after opening \$\frac{1}{2}\$ to \$2\frac{1}{2}\$ c lower, including May at \$70½ to \$71\frac{1}{2}\$, recovered somewhat, but then sagged again.

Oats weakened with other cereais, starting \$\frac{1}{2}\$ to \$1\$ down, May \$4\frac{1}{2}\$ to \$4\frac{1}{2}\$c, and later sagging more.

EDpression of grain and hogs had a bearish effect.

Subsequenty, weakness intensified and it was said country offerings in the southwest were much larger. The close was unsettled, \$\frac{1}{2}\$ to \$\frac{1}{2}\$ c net lower, with December \$1.65\frac{1}{2}\$ and March to \$1.58\frac{1}{2}\$ to \$\frac{1}{2}\$ to \$\frac{1}{2}\$ c net lower, with May \$6\frac{1}{2}\$ to \$\frac{1}{2}\$ c net lower, \$\frac{1}{2}\$ to \$\frac{1}{2}\$ c net lower.

Kansas City Cash Grain.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 16.—Cash
wheat: No. T hard, \$1.62; No. 2, \$1.52@
1.72; No. 1 red, \$1.97@1.99; No. 2, \$1.95
@1.96.
Corn: No. 2 mixed, 66c; No. 2 white,
Tic; No. 2 yellow, Tic.
Oats: No. 2 white, 51c; No. 2 mixed,
46@47c. Rye, \$1.47.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Coffee: Rio No. 7, 6 9-16c. Futures steady. March, 6.71; September, 7.55.

Chicago Froduce.

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—Butter unsettled; creamery 33 \$\overline{6}\$51c. Eggs uschanged: receipts \$02 cases. Poultry alive, fowls 16 \$\overline{2}\$24e; springs \$25c.

FORT WORTH, Dec. 15.—Cattle, 1.800; steady Heeves, \$5.00@8.00; stockers, \$4.00@6.50; cows, \$2.00@6.00; canners, \$2.00@2.00; bulls, \$2.00@4.00; calves, \$2.50@8.00. This heavy, \$8.25.78.50; medium, \$8.00@8.50; heavy, \$8.25.78.50; medium, \$8.00@8.50; mixed, \$7.50@8.60; common, \$7.00@7.50; pigs, \$4.00@7.50; common, \$7.00@7.50; pigs, \$4.00@7.50; wethers, \$6.00@7.50; yearlings, \$6.00@8.00; wethers, \$4.00@7.50; ewes, \$4.00@6.50; culls, \$1.00@5.00; goats, \$1.50@3.50.

NEW YORK. Dec. 15.—Liberty bonds closed: 21s. 90.10; first 4s. 86.00; second 4s. 85.20; first 41s. 86.12; second 4's. 86.26; third 11s. 87.90; fourth 41s. 85.20; Victory 32s. 85.00; Victory 41s.

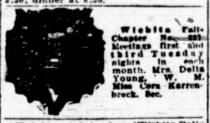
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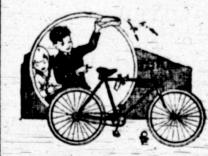
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