

TEUTONIC FORCES STORM AND CAPTURE RUSSIAN FORTRESS, BREST-LITOVSK

Berlin, August 26, (by wireless to Sayville.)—The Russian fortress of Brest-Litovsk has been captured by Teutonic forces. Announcement to this effect was made today by the German army headquarters staff. German and Austrian troops stormed the works on the western and northwestern front and succeeded last night in entering the central fortress. The Russians, the statement adds, then gave up the fortress.

GERMANS RAPIDLY GAINING POSSESSION OF RAILROADS

By Associated Press. London, Aug. 26.—The invaders of Russia with Oswestz safe in their hands are now rapidly gaining the whole triangular railroad system which with its apex at Bialystok also serves Grodno and Oswestz. The mass of heavy artillery freed by the fall of Oswestz and Kovno is now being hurled against Brest-Litovsk and Grodno but not without great difficulties. Hereafter field maneuvering will stand more for the German armies than the use of heavy artillery against fortresses but such field movements will be checked by the reported determination of the Russians to dig themselves in where their line has been reformed back of Brest-Litovsk.

which presents a perilous problem to the Russians, but the Austrians and Germans are getting rapidly within range of Brest-Litovsk notwithstanding the obstacles afforded by the swampy nature of that region. No hint has been given however that the Russians entertained any fear that their armies will be tracked along this line. The near east continues to present an appearance precarious balance between the warring groups. The central powers claim a diplomatic victory in the form of a Turco-Bulgarian agreement while the entente allies apparently are bringing Serbia around to their view that concessions are necessary to procure Bulgaria's assistance to the forming of the Balkan league.

GREATEST AIR RAID OF WAR MADE BY THE FRENCH

By Associated Press. Paris, Aug. 26.—Sixty-two French aviators on August 25 flew over a German armed factory to the north of Barlogue throwing down a total of more than 150 shells. Thirty of these were of large calibre.

So far as official reports have disclosed there never has been previously an air raid of such magnitude so far as concerned the number of machines employed as yesterday's attack by sixty-two aeroplanes.

CAPITAL PUNISHMENT WRONG SAYS DUNNE

FIGURES SHOW THAT DEATH PENALTY HAS FAILED TO DETER-HOMICIDES

REVOKED BY CHRISTIANITY

God Himself, Says Governor, Has Reserved to Himself Final Penalty For Sin

By Associated Press. Boston, Mass., August 26.—Governor Edward F. Dunne, of Illinois, addressed the conference of governors today in favor of the abolition of capital punishment, which he pronounced "wrong in theory and in act." He said the principal argument advanced by the supporters of capital punishment was that it deterred or that it now deterred. He cited a number of incidents from history to show that even in the days when penalties inflicted for crime were most severe the extreme measures taken failed to prevent crime. Coming down to the present day he said:

state—Kansas—had the same per capita punishment states. Illinois was disgraced by 651 homicides in 1910, after a century of enforcement of capital punishment, which in Wisconsin, where it had been abolished, the homicides have not been much over fifty per cent, per capita of those committed in Illinois. "Christianity long ago revoked the doctrine of a tooth for a tooth, and an eye for an eye. Christ prayed the Father, as he saw the thief hanging by his side; 'Father forgive them, for they know not what they do.' Christ himself was suffering the lingering tortures of death at the hands of passion and fury. He did not seek the destruction of those who were murdering him and know God's truth. Verily, God himself has reserved to himself the final penalty for the sins of his children.

"Society becomes criminal when it seeks, by violence and the blood of its victims, to right a wrong committed against it by such product of its own neglect. For this class we cannot conceive of execution performing any function. The hanging of hundreds of thousands of them, even the massacre of their young, would not decrease the crime that springs from the slums and the tenements, so long as the slums remain under the tolerance of an intelligent society. Another evidence that execution is not effective is afforded in the records of lynchings and mob violence. Whether these have occurred in the North or South, they have not had any appreciable influence in reducing crime of the character which aroused public fury. What community has profited by reduction in crime following a lynching?"

BULGARIA AND TURKEY SIGN TREATY—FORMER WILL REMAIN NEUTRAL

Greece Too Not Satisfied With Proposals and Will Remain Neutral for Present is Information That Follows Formation of New Greek Cabinet.

By Associated Press. Washington, Aug. 26.—Official advice to representatives of the Balkan states here says that Bulgaria has signed an agreement with Turkey which includes a provision that she remain neutral and that attempts to form a Balkan league have failed. News of formation of a new cabinet by Premier Venizelos reached the Greek legation today. It is said here that the demand of the allies upon Greece were unsatisfactory and that the Hellenic government will announce its intention of remaining neutral for the present at least.

BOY KILLED WHEN HIT BY BASEBALL. Whitesburg, Ky., Aug. 26.—Forest Adams, 13 years old, was killed yesterday by a thrown baseball while watching a game between playmates.

TEDDY'S THUNDER IS DEPRECATED BY SEC. GARRISON

CABINET OFFICER WIRES DISAPPROVAL TO GENERAL WOOD—FORBIDS SIMILAR VERBAL OUTBURSTS.

ROOSEVELT WAS VERY BITTER

Scorred Neutrality of United States and Condemned Government for Not Taking Steps in Preparing for Defense Against Foreign Attack.

By Associated Press. Washington, Aug. 26.—Secretary Garrison today telegraphed Major General Wood expressing his deprecation that opportunity was given at the citizens-soldier camp at Plattsburg, N. Y., for Col. Roosevelt's sensational speech of yesterday and directing nothing similar should be permitted at any of the other camps.

ROOSEVELT CRITICIZES ADMINISTRATION'S NEUTRALITY

Plattsburg, N. Y., Aug. 26.—"Don't applaud unless you feel a burning shame because the United States has not stood up for Belgium." Theodore Roosevelt, former president of the United States, snapped out these words last night at the prepared instruction camp during a speech in which he censured the administration for its attitude in the European situation and strongly urged preparedness for war. As he paused after uttering the sentence his audience, consisting of about 1,200 business men and others, members of the camp, and more than 2,000 other persons burst into wild and prolonged applause. Colonel Roosevelt was introduced by Major General Leonard Wood.

The former president condemned the government for having "not taken the smallest step in the way of preparing to defend our own rights." Germany, he condemned as "utterly brutal and ruthless in its disregard of international morality," and declared that it would be a base abandonment of morality for some American manufacturer of munitions of war not to make ships for the use of the armaments that are striving to restore Belgium to its own people. Munitions-makers who refused to make such shipments should be put, he said, on a "roll of dishonor." He added that they should be encouraged "so that we may be able to hold our own when the hour of peril comes to us in our turn."

BOOSTING TRAVELING MEN'S DAY AT DALLAS FAIR

L. B. Gilbert Here to Spread Tidings of Big Doings at Dallas October 23rd

L. B. Gilbert, representing the Devoe and Reynolds Paint Company, was here from Dallas today in the interest of "traveling men's day" at the State Fair. Saturday, October 23 has been named as traveling men's day this year and some big stunts are being arranged for the commercial optimists on that date. One of the features will be a big parade in the morning. A program will be given in the coliseum in the afternoon and special entertainment features are being arranged for that night.

Traveling men, their families and friends are especially invited to attend the fair on that day. Wichita Falls is expected to send its usual large delegation. "We're ready to show them a big time," said Mr. Gilbert. "The traveling men at Dallas, the State Fair management and all of the people of Dallas join in the invitation and will welcome them."

A GERMAN SUBMARINE DESTROYED BY AEROPLANE

Undersea Craft Destroyed Near Ostend, Belgium, British Official Announcement Says.

By Associated Press. London, Aug. 26.—A German submarine has been destroyed near Ostend, Belgium, by a bomb dropped by an aeroplane. Official announcement was made here this morning.

TURKEY SAID TO BE THREATENING TO SIGN PEACE

By Associated Press. Paris, Aug. 26.—A rumor is current in Athens that Turkey has threatened to sign a separate peace with the allies unless Germany declares war on Italy, according to the morning papers.

BRITISH ARE MORE AMPLY PREPARED THAN THE FRENCH

WHEN WORLD LEARNS WHAT BRITAIN HAS ACHIEVED IT WILL BE DUMB WITH ADMIRATION, EDITOR SAYS

INTERVIEWS LLOYD GEORGE

Editor of Paris Journal Told That All Industry Now Working to Provide Armies With Munitions—Army One of Greatest in the World

By Associated Press. Paris, Aug. 26.—"The government now has under control all factories able to produce cannon, rifles, projectiles and explosives," said David Lloyd-George, British minister of munitions in an interview with Chas. Humbert, editor of the Journal. "It also controls all foundries and machine and tool factories and not one bolt of metal or one detached piece is turned out by this vast industrial machine which is not designed for the use of our armies. This war must not be fought with brawny chests but with machinery." From what Mr. George showed Mr. Humbert he believes British preparations in many ways are more ample than those of the French. He declares that the army now in training will be one of the most powerful the world has ever seen and when later it will be possible to tell what has been achieved by the British the universe will be "dumb with admiration."

YOUTH ASLEEP ON TRACK STRUCK BY LOCOMOTIVE

J. H. Wren of Live Oak County Rudely Awakened From Dreams But Injured Not Serious

To have his night interrupted by one of the Denver's big new oil-burning engines, as he was doing, was a rude awakening for J. H. Wren, a young man of 18 years, who was sleeping on the tracks near Alford early today. The youth was J. H. Wren, aged eighteen, whose home is in Live Oak county. He was counting the ties on his way to Fort Worth and stopped to rest on the track, dropping off to sleep. Along came the big oil burner, south-bound with Engineer Hall and Conductor. Wren had two suit cases with him; he told the crew he went to sleep on the track because he was tired.

RUMOR OF AN UPRISING AT EL PASO IS HEARD

Results in Joint Action By City and Military Authorities and Guards Put on Duty

By Associated Press. El Paso, Texas, Aug. 2.—El Paso awoke today to find its streets bordering the Rio Grande guarded by United States soldiers as a result of a report circulated last night that an uprising of the Mexicans and Orocoo factions had been planned for the early hours of the morning. Mexicans were not permitted to cross the international bridge from 11 o'clock last night to early today and no American was allowed to cross to Juarez. Extra guards were ordered out to Fort Bliss where General Huerta is being held. Companies of infantry were posted at the international bridge, the railroad viaduct and all strategic points.

The rumor of the alleged move was brought to the department of justice and General John F. Pershing was notified at Fort Bliss. A conference of city and county officials representative of the department of justice, the federal marshal and General Pershing followed at a hotel. After the conference General Pershing announced he was prepared to meet any uprising that might start.

During the night soldiers were hurried to their camp and officers were rushed to their posts in automobiles. The police halted and searched Mexicans in the downtown streets. There was no excitement in the city although an undercurrent of uneasiness was apparent. Occasional shots were fired by police in halting Mexicans found in the lower quarter of the city in order to search them.

WOUNDED GERMAN MARINES ARRIVING AT KOENIGSBURG

By Associated Press. London, Aug. 26.—A dispatch from Amsterdam says a transport carrying wounded German marines who participated in the recent fighting in the Gulf of Riga has arrived at Koenigsburg from Libau.

BELIEVES STRONG MEASURES JUSTIFIED IN MEXICO NOW

CONGRESSMAN STEPHENS WILL NOT BE SURPRISED IF CONGRESS IS CALLED IN EXTRA SESSION

EXPECTS DECISIVE ACTION

Judge Stephens Believes That Government Funds Loaned Through Banks Will Help out Cotton Situation—Spoke at Holiday Yesterday

Forbearance has about ceased to be a virtue in the attitude of the United States toward Mexico, in the opinion of Judge John H. Stephens of Vernon, congressman from this district, who was here yesterday.

"I think the indignities this country has suffered justify strong measures now," said Judge Stephens, "it reminds me of the story of the two Irishmen. The first said he believed in the Bible and Mike said he didn't and offered to prove to Pat that the latter didn't believe in it. 'The Bible says if a man hits you on the cheek to let him hit the other one' said Mike, 'do you believe in that?'" "Sure I do," answered Pat, "but after I let him hit me the second time I'd knock his head off."

Judge Stephens was here en route back to his district where he addressed the U. C. V. reunion yesterday afternoon. He spent the night here, going early this morning to Nocona to deliver an address today.

"I think that Mexico is our chief cause for concern just now," he said, "Carranza doesn't seem disposed to reason, and I feel that the United States has stood about all it can. I'm afraid we're going to be called to take decisive action down there and perhaps it's the best thing to do. Sometimes I think it was a mistake, when this country took Vera Cruz not to go ahead to Michoacan and take charge there as we did in Cuba."

"I won't be at all surprised if Congress is called in extra session, and I would hate to see it as it should mean only one thing, war." Hopeful Over Cotton. Judge Stephens takes a very hopeful view of the cotton situation, though he does not believe that the allies will retract in any way from their position in declaring cotton contraband, because of the importance of cotton in the manufacture of munitions.

"I think steps will be taken to let the farmers have 6 per cent money on their cotton," he said, "there should be \$30,000,000 available for this. If a farmer gets six per cent on his cotton, the insurance and warehousing will not cost over one per cent additional, making seven per cent. I don't favor Henry's plan for the government to deal direct with the farmers. It's socialistic, and there's no need for it; if we have the cooperation of the banks, I believe the cotton situation will rapidly adjust itself."

In his speech at Holiday yesterday, Judge Stephens spoke along general lines for the most part, but dealt specifically with the land question as it affects Northwest Texas. He urged his hearers to do all in their power to secure the cutting up and settling up of the large ranch tracts in this section, saying that most of the cattle land was good for wheat and other crops and that with it all under cultivation the production and wealth of this section would be materially increased.

Judge Stephens was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Avis at dinner last night. He will return through Wichita Falls tonight enroute to Quanah where he speaks tomorrow.

BARBED WIRE BEING PAINTED FOLIAGE GREEN

Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 26.—Barbed wire painted a foliage green is now being manufactured here for use of the armies in Europe. Steel men here said reports from abroad show that the distance away it is impossible to see the green wire.

LIFE CAME WITH STORM, TAKEN AWAY BY STORM

Roy Higgs, Born During Galveston Flood Lost, Life in Storm at Seabrook Recently

By Associated Press. Houston, Texas, Aug. 26.—According to a careful checking up of all figures based on official statements from the cities and larger towns and localities involved and accounting for all persons listed as missing, who have been found subsequently safe, the tropical storm which visited the Texas coast ten days ago took 275 lives. Out of a mass of unusual thrilling stories told, the story of fifteen year old Roy Higgs is perhaps the most unusual. Roy Higgs who lost his life near Seabrook was born September 8, 1900, coming into life with the worst storm in the history of the Gulf coast and going out with the second worst.

GERMANY'S NEW PRACTICE DESIGNED TO CONFORM TO PRINCIPLES OF HUMANITY

FULL SATISFACTION TO UNITED STATES HOLLWEG'S PROMISE

CHANCELLOR DECLARES SUBMARINE PRACTICE ALREADY CHANGED TO CONFORM TO AMERICAN VIEWS

REPARATION IS NOW ASSURED

If It Is Found Submarine Commander Exceeded Orders in Case of Arabic Germany is Ready to Give Full Satisfaction to America

By Associated Press. Berlin, Aug. 26.—The Associated Press is in a position to state on the best of authority that the Arabic incident may be considered as eliminated as a source of discord between Germany and America, or at least it is regarded by the German government in that light. Moreover Germany, in its desire to continue its friendly relations with the United States had adopted before the sinking of the Arabic a policy designed to settle completely the submarine policy as affecting America on the basis of good will and mutual understanding.

This is shown clearly by the statement of Chancellor Von Bethmann-Hollweg last night to the Associated Press by his confident remark that not until all the circumstances in connection with the sinking of the Arabic had been cleared up would it be possible to say "whether the commander of one of our submarines went beyond his instructions, in which case Germany would give complete satisfaction to the United States." Furthermore during his conversation the chancellor referred to the instructions given to submarine commanders. He did not specify as to the particulars of these instructions but they are evidently designed to prevent a recurrence of the Lusitania case and to provide the opportunity for the escape of American non-combatants which the United States desires. Having given these instructions Germany asks suspension of judgment on the Arabic case until the facts are ascertained being confident it will be shown that the sinking of the vessel was not an unprovoked attack without a warning or to some action of the vessel itself. Should it develop, however that a submarine acted contrary to instructions ample reparation will be offered.

The imperial chancellor made the following statement of Germany's position on the sinking of the Arabic: "As long as the circumstances surrounding the sinking of the Arabic have not been fully cleared up, it is impossible for me to make a definite statement. Thus far we have received no report about it. Now we do not even know whether the sinking of the ship was caused by a mine or by a torpedo fired from a German submarine, nor do we know whether in this latter case the Arabic herself may not by her actions perhaps have justified proceedings of the command of the submarine."

"Only after all these circumstances have been cleared up will it be possible to say whether the commander of one of our submarines went beyond his instructions, in which case the imperial government would not hesitate to give such complete satisfaction to the United States as would conform to the friendly relations existing between both governments."

Germany is still unable to understand why Americans travel on belligerent ships in these troublesome times instead of American or neutral ships, but since they insist on taking passage on belligerents Germany will do its utmost for their safety. It is not permissible to quote remarks made by the chancellor other than the formal statement which he made. It may be said, however, that Dr. Von Bethmann-Hollweg showed genuine interest in the feeling in the United States concerning the sinking of the Arabic and expressed the hope that the American people would not form an opinion on the basis of conflicting statements giving only one side of the story. He spoke with emphasis of Germany's desire to maintain the friendship of America.

The chancellor appeared to be in good health and spirits and greatly encouraged by the success achieved by the Germans in the eastern campaign. The interview necessarily was of short duration as the chancellor was hurrying away for a conference with Emperor William at his field headquarters.

GERMAN AMBASSADOR HOLDS CONFERENCE WITH SEC. LANSING

GERMANY EXPECTED TO ANNOUNCE CESSATION OF WAR AGAINST PASSENGER SHIPS IN NEAR FUTURE

WHITE HOUSE IS RELIEVED

Before Reaching Any Decision, However, President Will Have to See Definite Statement From Berlin as to Germany's Intentions

By Associated Press. Washington, Aug. 26.—Count Von Bernstorff, German ambassador, conferred with Secretary Lansing nearly an hour this morning and while both refused to discuss their meeting in any way it was understood the ambassador reiterated it was not the intent of the German government that any American should be lost on the Arabic. Another communication supplementing the one the ambassador submitted to the state department today is expected from Berlin. Pending its receipt Count Bernstorff will wait in Washington.

NEW PROPOSAL EXPECTED. It is confidently believed the next word from Germany will be an announcement that pending further negotiations submarine warfare on passenger ships will be discontinued, and that submarine commanders already have been instructed to sink no merchant vessels without warning. It is understood that Germany at the same time will revise her proposals for a modus operandi for relaxation of British restrictions on neutral commerce. In German quarters it was said this step which had been in contemplation in Germany for some time could now be announced because of the victory in Poland. German officials, it was explained, consider that the victory in their arms in the campaign against the Russian permits Germany to recede a step on the sea.

Count Bernstorff brought nothing to the state department to supplement his telegram of Tuesday or the overnight news dispatches containing the German chancellor's statement broadly inferring that a settlement of a character satisfactory to the United States would be made in the case of the Arabic. The ambassador, however, reiterated his previous disclaimer of any intent that Americans should be harmed and it was indicated that today's conference was requested by the state department rather than the ambassador.

No reports have been received from Ambassador Gerard who was instructed to inquire if the German government had a report on the sinking of the Arabic, but no dispatches informed the officials that the ambassador had made inquiry and found that the government at Berlin had none.

Count Bernstorff's visit to Secretary Lansing and the advice from Berlin containing the German chancellor's statement have put a much better face on the whole situation. TENSION RELAXED HERE. There is a notable relaxation of tension at the White House and at the state department. It was made plain at both places today that while officials were much encouraged by the apparent desire of Germany to avoid a break with the United States the president will not finally decide on his course until he has before him a definite statement of the Berlin government's intentions. It seems certain now that there will be diplomatic exchanges in the Arabic case.

MANY DIVORCE SUITS FOR SEPTEMBER TERM

Heavy Civil Docket in 78th District Court—Today, Last For Filing Suits For September. A heavy civil docket awaits the next term of the 78th district court which opens September 6. Today is the last day in which suits may be filed in time to complete service and a large number of new cases have been docketed this week. Many of them are divorce suits. A number of cases have been transferred from the docket of the 30th district, relieving the congestion in that tribunal.

**GALVESTON NOW GETTING WATER FROM CITY'S WELLS**

Secondary Main Laid Across Bay and Water Now Being Pumped From Alta Loma Wells.

By Associated Press. Galveston, Aug. 24.—Water from the city's wells at Alta Loma was turned into the city main today for the first time since the mains were broken by the tropical storm of Aug. 16th and 17th. This water is coming through a secondary main laid across the bay and completed yesterday. The central relief committee after taking care of the immediate needs of the storm sufferers are today making second investigations of the situation and it is believed that the city will be able to take care of its own problems.

Marriage license were issued yesterday as follows: Homer Johnson and Miss Hester Timmons of Iowa Park; J. C. Johnson and Miss Nora Case; Herman Kirkpatrick of Frederick and Miss Blanche Hosen of Manitow; Claude Howard of Bonita and Miss Lizzie Rochester of Petrolia.

**NORTHWEST TEXAS FIELD TRIAL WILL BE HELD**

Local Men Interested in Promoting Field Contest For Northwest Texas Dogs

A field trial for Northwest Texas dogs is to be held at Henrietta, Bowie county, in November, according to plans now being made. S. A. Light of Bowie, Gus Wilfong of this city and Dr. J. G. Sherman of Vernon are promoting the contest. More than thirty dogs are already in sight for the contest. Several from this city will be entered. Dog owners here favor the Waz-shan ranch near Henrietta as the scene for the trials.

The following suits have been filed in the 78th district court: O. Caldwell vs. R. O. Caldwell, divorce; J. T. Cossey vs. Mary Cossey, divorce; Fred Reinhardt vs. O. L. Kamplatt et al. two cases, debt; C. W. McElhenny vs. W. J. Sheldon, dissolution of partnership and receiver; E. M. Harris vs. Joseph Reinhardt, trespass to try title; Herbert Crist vs. Minnie Crist, divorce.

**Captain Finch Tells Story Of The Sinking Of The Steamship Arabic**



ARABIC'S BOAT DECK UPPER DECK SCENE ON ARABIC LEAVING NEW YORK ON LAST TRIP TO ENGLAND

Captain Finch's story of the sinking of the Arabic is told in a Queens town dispatch of the International News Service in the Austin American which relates an interview with him aboard a train as follows: "I had been on the Arabic for six years," he said. "She was the likeliest craft I ever sailed on. There was nothing she wouldn't do for you. "Of course, it isn't for me to make suggestions, but I do think that lesson that might be learned from this war is the advisability of ending for all time the construction of big ships. "In my position it is impossible for me to make comparisons, but the facts speak loudly enough for me to emphasize the difference between the Arabic and ships of greater tonnage which have been sunk at sea. The Arabic went down in less time than any craft that has been torpedoed since the war began. Reports have varied from eleven to fifteen minutes, but the truth is that the ship disappeared in just a little more than six minutes after she was struck. "Of course, the fact that we lost only thirty-nine out of 429 on board was largely due to the preparations we had made against just what happened. Also, there was the fact that the Arabic stayed on an even keel until the last minute, when she settled by the stern and pointed her nose in the air that enabled us to launch boats from both sides. "But in my opinion, had similar favorable conditions surrounded the torpedoing of one of the big liners the loss of life would have been much greater for the simple reason that the great distance from the boat deck to the water makes successful launching of heavy boats filled to capacity almost impossible. "Ever since the war began, on every voyage in and out of Liverpool, I have practiced the same caution as when we entered the danger zone. As a matter of fact, I for one do not dare to try to put a limit on this danger zone. It would not surprise me in the least to hear of ships being sunk 100 miles or more to the west of the spot where they caught me. "In fact, we were beginning to believe that we had passed the extreme limit of the submarine zone a full half hour before we sighted the Dunsley. "Without wishing to detract from the fine behavior of the officers and crew, I must admit that we had more than our share of luck all the way through. It began with our sighting the Dunsley. As soon as I got my binoculars on her I saw that she was in trouble, down by the head and evidently deserted. As a matter of fact, a few moments later we picked up (sighted) two of her boats under sail and making for shore. "I immediately ordered the wireless operator to send a message giving her position. "I knew well enough that the submarine which had got the Dunsley must be waiting for us. "Probably no ship has been better prepared to meet or avoid a submarine since the war began. In the engine room, where instead of the usual three shifts, we were working only two through the danger zone, stokers and oilers redoubled their exertion after I had telephoned a warning. "In the stern there were two lookouts in the crew's nest, and in the bow two, besides three of us on the bridge. "Every one of us was scanning every inch of sea within reach of our glasses, but never a sign of a submarine. "How that German managed to spot us without showing her periscope amazes me, but she did it, and did it too, when within less than three hundred feet of us. "I was looking at the very spot where she might have been lying under the surface, for I saw the greenish white wake of the torpedo instantly. It hit our starboard side. It was beautifully aimed. "The submarine, being off our starboard quarter, the torpedo coming on diagonally for our middle, I yelled to the man at the wheel to port his helm in the forlorn hope that the old Arabic might answer quickly enough to dodge it, but it was absolutely impossible. "The torpedo was coming at fifty miles an hour, and had only 300 feet to travel. "In the second that elapsed a great many things happened. "Almost all the passengers were on deck—another stroke of luck—looking at the Dunsley. Almost all of them saw the torpedo. Their shouts told the operator in the Marconi house what had happened, and he actually got off two S. O. S.'s in that one second, when the torpedo hit us a glancing blow about ninety feet from the stern. "It struck directly under the Marconi house, and the operator was hurled out of his seat and his instruments smashed. Therefore, it five minutes earlier we had not given the Dunsley's position nobody would ever have known about us unless we had been lucky enough to reach shore in small boats. "Before the torpedo hit us I had shouted to the passengers through the tube to put on their life preservers and get into the boats. Nobody had to go below—although a few did—because there are lifebelts along the decks every three feet on both sides. "All our Henderson collapsible boats were swung out from their davits. We never looked any of the life saving apparatus until we were out of the danger zone. "The passengers themselves behaved magnificently. Out of fifteen lifeboats we launched fourteen, although ten would have taken all there were. "From the bridge I watched each boat fall up, meanwhile shouting to the engine room to go full speed astern. "That engine room force was wonderful. The third engineer, who took the orders responded with never a quiver in his voice. Not one man left his post, and, mind you, they all knew what sticking at their posts meant. For when the torpedo hit us the pool of Arabic staggered like a drunken man and the great mass of almost sixteen thousand tons was actually blew around by the forces of the impact. "As soon as the way (momentum) was off the ship, I ordered the engines stopped, and again my order was repeated in absolutely level tones. "At the same moment I shouted to the men at the falls in the boats to lower away. Every boat landed in the water on a level keel, perfectly. "Unfortunately, three of them did not get away quickly enough, and capsized. The Arabic began to settle rapidly by the stern. "It was a dreadful sixty seconds—those last ones. The ship was nearly standing up straight on her stern. I was standing on the lower side of the bridge rail and could see the water rushing up at me. It was not at all as if she were going down; it actually seemed as if a mighty flood were engulfing the ship. "It looked like a case of 'good-bye William,' because in the last five seconds the old Arabic slid downward. "She dropped like a shot. "I went down—down. I never expected to come up alive, but the next thing I knew my head came up against the bottom of a raft with awful force. The shock served to cheer me up enough to make my way cut from beneath it. "That raft saved my life, for all the strength I had was just enough to hang to it. "Soon afterwards a lifeboat came along and took us aboard. "In that boat I heard a story that I can not corroborate, but if it is true it proves to me premeditated murder on the part of the submarine commander. "They had passed one of the Dunsley's lifeboats, and the crew had shouted to them that the submarine after shelling the Dunsley had driven on the crew into the boats and then had appeared beside them. The commander of the submarine told the helmsman of one of the boats to alter his course, giving as his reason that he was awaiting the arrival of the Arabic, and that the lifeboat on its then course would probably interfere with the submarine's purpose. "One thing that has been overlooked is the fine behavior of the commanders of the two patrolboats that came to our rescue. "There is no doubt that the submarine was still in the vicinity, but both commanders came to a dead stop, and one of them took aboard the occupants of sight and the other the occupants of three lifeboats. "You can imagine what a chance they took when the crews of both ships had been ordered to don lifebelts themselves. Neither patrolboat had a single small boat of its own, but they didn't stop to take our lifeboats in tow. The instant the last passenger was aboard they started at top speed for Queenstown. "I understand they are going to try to make out that I tried to ram the submarine. "The fact is that I didn't see it, and I can not nail hard enough the lie which gives even a semblance of excuse for the ganton murder of the poor souls who went down with the ship.

**THE TIMID OLD LADY ASKED THE BAGGAGE MASTER IF HER PARCEL WOULD REACH "FRISCO INTACT"**

Said that official, "Let's see."

Thereupon, he threw it on the floor. Once, "That's for Chicago." Twice, "That's for Kansas City." Third, "That's for Denver." The fourth time, he dashed it on the floor with extra violence. The box broke! The contents were scattered about.

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The first meeting in a fortnight Wednesday session of the Congenial Crochet Club held with Mrs. J. H. Taylor on Filmore street...

MRS. H. B. PATTERSON COMPLIMENTED AT AMARILLO

Mrs. H. B. Patterson of Wichita Falls was delightfully complimented this morning when her sister, Mrs. J. O. Curtis entertained in her honor the members and guests of the Women's Club...

Allentown Notes. Last Friday Lee Waggoner while plowing for A. E. Gwinn in turning a corner turned his plow over and was caught underneath...

THERE IS NOW TALK OF PAVING BURNETT STREET

Movement on Foot to Pave Burnett From Eighth to Eighteenth—Other Paving Talk

The paving of Burnett street from Eighth to Eighteenth, the paving of Scott from Tenth to Thirteenth and of Tenth from Van Buren to Grant, are now promised...

Work began Monday on the extension of the Tenth street paving, but was delayed by wet weather. There is a strong possibility that Grant street will be paved from Tenth as far south as the Stringer residence...

CITY TAX ROLLS READY FOR COUNCIL'S APPROVAL

Gain of \$390,000 in Taxable Values Shown—Total Taxes Will Be Over \$75,000

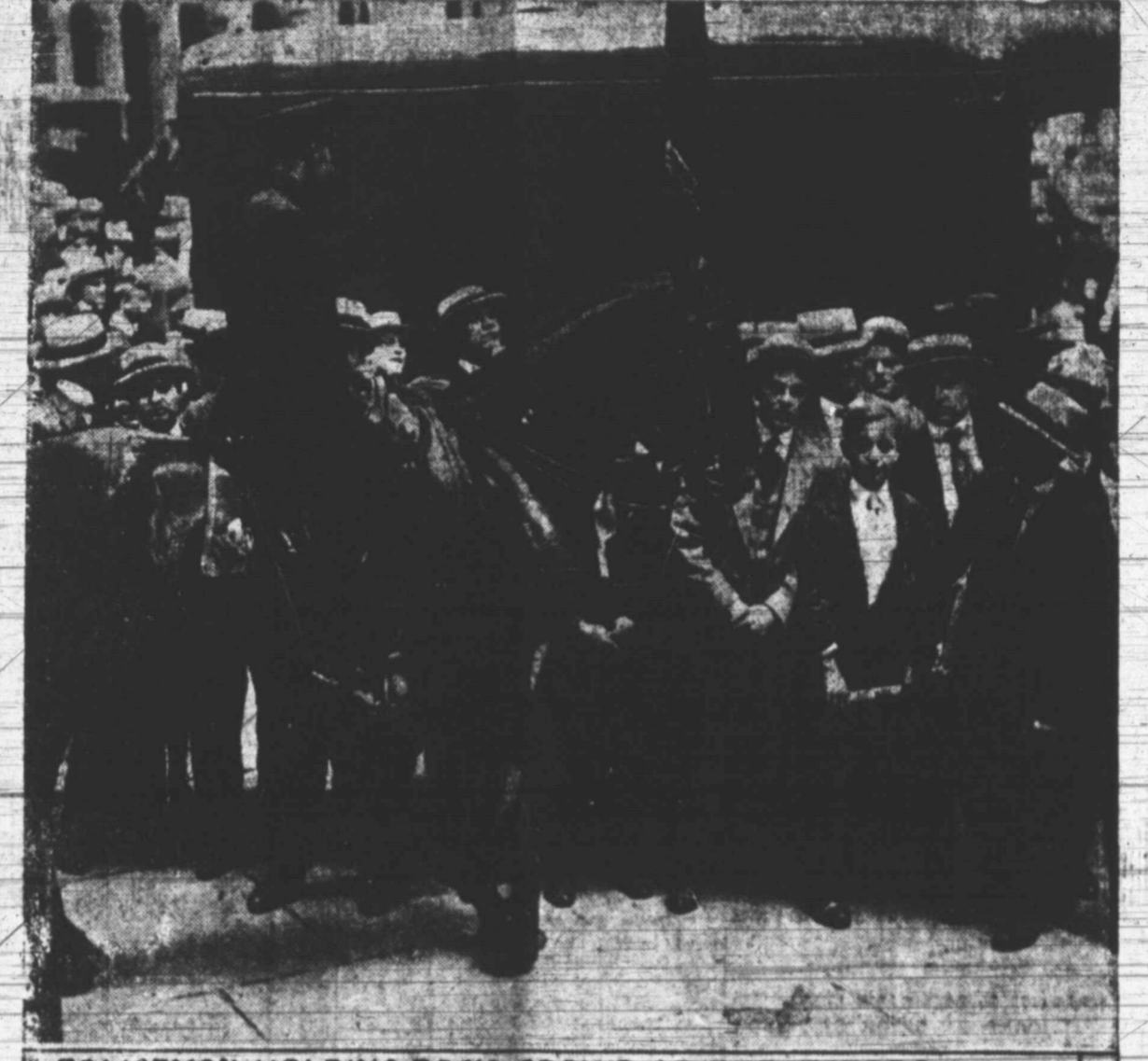
A gain of \$390,000 in the taxable values of the city is indicated by the tax rolls for 1915, just completed by H. F. Robertson, city assessor and collector...

The 1915 valuations total \$8,837,929, as compared with \$8,447,950 in 1914. Real estate values accounted for \$5,964,960 of this year's total, as compared with \$5,667,735 last year...

The total amount of direct taxes due last year with a tax rate of 85 cents was \$70,114.33. This year, with a tax rate of 87 1/2 cents, the total due will be \$75,581.89.

Improvement on their house at section one. Porches are being rebuilt and other rooms being added.

The Scene When Leo M. Frank's Body Arrived In New York City For Burial



POLICEMAN HOLDING BACK CROWD OF SPECTATORS

New York, Aug. 24.—When Leo M. Frank's body reached New York from Atlanta it was hurried from the Pennsylvania station to the mortuary of the New York and Brooklyn Casket Company, at No. 503 Atlantic avenue, Brooklyn...

the Thirtieth street station and railroad detectives. The funeral party which accompanied Frank's body included his widow, Henry A. Alexander, one of the lawyers who fought so desperately to save Frank's life...

slain man, who met the train with Mr. and Mrs. Otto Stern, his daughter and son-in-law. The widow, heavily veiled, collapsed and was half carried to an elevator and hurried from the station to a waiting taxicab.

Fashion Decrees That Skirts Shall Dip To Show Their Linings

New York, Aug. 21.—It's never too late for something new, if that something is fashion. It would seem that advanced summer is an opportune time for launching styles as early as possible...

This is a season when every dress has a hat of its own, matching either the material or the trimming. Miss Post's list followed the rule, being made of the black and white cretonne...



land, noteworthy from a view of sports as well as fashion. Many men of prominence have taken to the air and their wives and sweethearts and cousins were all there to see them do their spiral dips, loop the loops and dizzy descents...



Both mother and child seem to have gone in for the extreme just at present, now that aviation and like sports are uppermost in mind. When the children play an important role at these daytime fetes, boys are especially smart in their suits...

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ARGOT OF THE RAILROAD YARDS WRITTEN INTO DAMAGE SUIT PETITION

Plaintiff Who Had "Squared" With Crew, Failed to "Cop" Railroad Bull Sues For Injuries When He Was Forced to Jump. The argot of the railroad yards were written into the official records of Wichita county late yesterday, when a suit was filed in the 78th district court by O. W. Lyne against the Fort Worth & Denver for \$3,500.

disembark at the convent place into the wilds—that defendant permits to grow upon its right of way in said locality. The petition goes on to say that the plaintiff tried to explain to the "bull" that things had been "squared" with the crew, but the officer, nevertheless put him off the train, the fall breaking the plaintiff's ankle, for which he asks \$3,500 damages.

SEVEN YEARS OF PROSPERITY FORSEEN BY EDISON. New York, August 25.—The United States has embarked on a voyage of prosperity to last seven years and longer if the manufacturers and public do not overdo things, declares Thomas A. Edison. The inventor dropped his manifold tasks in West Orange, N. J., for a few minutes yesterday to discuss the brilliant outlook for better times.

ANOTHER BIG TO DO! SATURDAY equally as good as last Saturday. Watch Windows and Read Tomorrow's Ad. The \$4,000 Clothing Sale. Bought at 25c on the Dollar At The Old Miller Stand. 602 Seventh St.

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Wichita Falls, Texas, August 26, 1915.

The Banham News puts it this way: "The Mexicans are said to have a belief that they could whip the United States if it were not for Texas, and a lot of Texans know they would whip Mexico if it were not for the United States."

The verdict returned by the coroner's jury of inquest in the matter of the "execution" by a mob that took Leo M. Frank from the Georgia State prison and hung him is that the hanging was done by unknown persons. There the matter will probably end, so far as prosecution of members of that mob is concerned.

Dispatches tell us that Germany has made sincere overtures for peace to her enemies but it is said her enemies are not going to accept anything but unconditional surrender. If that be the case, then the chances are that the war is not going to end soon, and when it does it will end in a draw. So far, Germany has had the best of it, and the longer it continues the greater are the victories she wins.

Congressman John Stephens of Vernon was in the city for a few hours yesterday during which time he mingled with his friends here. He is a candidate for reelection and is taking advantage of his vacation from duty at Washington to get over as much of his district as possible. So far he has two opponents, both able and aspiring men, and it is more than likely there will be others yet to announce, but this fact does not appear to disturb Mr. Stephens in the least. He seems confident that the people of this district will give him the nomination by the usual majority.

And now the governor wants an auditor appointed for the State University. While at it, why not give him an assistant and a stenographer or two. That would create two or three new public offices, and as soon as they are created there will be dozens of applicants for the jobs. It's a good way to raise the tax rate to about double what it is now, and at the rate the State government is creating the new positions it will not require more than about five more years to do that. The tax-payers foot the bills; they also do the voting, and apparently are doing all they can to raise their taxes. The politicians must be careful for.

Up to the present the Republicans, apparently, have not picked out a man to put up against Wilson for president, but it begins to look as if there was an attempt to boom Ellhu Root for that honor. There are others that have been mentioned, including Roosevelt, Hughes and Hiram Johnson. None of them seem anxious for the honor, realizing, perhaps, that unless the party can get together it stands no greater chance of electing its nominee over Wilson than it had in 1912. Taft and Roosevelt, the two real big men of the old Republican party, seem as far apart in their ways of thinking now as was the case when the split occurred, and when Roosevelt created an entirely new party and polled the biggest end of the Republican vote for president. Roosevelt seems willing enough to get together with the Taft Republicans, provided the latter are willing to endorse his views, and that Taft and his followers are not likely to do.

Yesterday's Washington dispatches give fresh evidence that President Wilson is on the job and is in every way capable of handling the situation with Germany, and if we can read between the lines Count von Bernstorff was just about to have his passports handed to him when he asked for further time for Germany to explain why the Arabic was sunk. But just how Germany is going to shirk responsibility for that affair is not yet clear. She claims that she cannot make explanation until the submarine that sank the Arabic returns to its base and makes a report of the affair. So far the American government knows nothing except what it has learned through the British government reports, and it stands to reason such information is not likely to favor Germany. The best that can be figured out as to just what Germany's excuse will be for the sinking of the Arabic is that the submarine had just attacked a British boat and disabled or sunk her when the Arabic was in sight and thinking she was coming to make an attack on the German submarine the commander

gave orders to sink the Arabic without stopping long enough to give warning of his intentions. That will probably be Germany's excuse for the sinking of the Arabic, and if accepted, the same kind of an excuse can be made when occasion arises that will demand an apology or excuse of some sort. Knowing this, it is indeed strange that any American citizen who values his life and who is loyal to his country, will take passage on a British boat. Even if they don't value their lives, loyalty to their country should keep them from involving it in trouble of so serious a nature.

A FOOLISH OUTBURST AGAINST THE SOUTH.

The Post is receiving from many sources the Chicago Tribune editorial on the Frank lynching in which it exhorts its vituperative vocabulary upon the entire South. Naturally these oft-cited people are asking the Post to exhortate the Tribune in its own style, but this is an invitation it can not accept.

When the Tribune makes an act of brutal lawlessness in a single community of a great State the basis of an impeachment of Southern civilization, when it says the South "shames the United States by its illiteracy and incompetence," when it mentions "rotten industrial conditions," "rotten social ideas" and declares that "until it (the South) is improved by the invasion of better blood and better ideas it will remain a reproach and a danger to the American Republic," why is it so much at the brainlessness of some excited fool.

Such outbursts might succeed as deeply if the intelligent, broadminded people of the North, whose regard and friendship we value much, instigated or even incited them, but our own knowledge of the enlightenment of people of the North is that they do not condemn the 30,000,000 people of an entire section for what a few dozen assassins of one community have done.

Northern people who know anything of the South know that the people here, multitudes of them of Northern birth or lineage, are law-abiding, decent, justice loving, generous, merciful, kind and intelligent. They know that the people here are struggling with their problems conscientiously and hopefully. They know the people here are conscious of weak spots in their civilization which are commanding at all times the best endeavors of the Southern press, pulp and schools.

In no part of the country is there more intense indignation over the lynching of Frank than in the South. The expression of the Southern press has been as emphatic as it has been unanimous. Such has been the attitude of all the Southern people, and it is an attitude of undoubted genuineness. Furthermore, it is the desire of the great mass of the Southern people that the perpetrators of the crime be punished as they brought to swift and summary justice.

The responsibility in the premises rests upon Obedience, and other Southern States are as powerless as Illinois or the Tribune would like to vindicate the law. We do feel, however, a sympathy for the Georgia authorities, because we know how difficult a thing it is to punish a mob. Even Illinois has frequently failed to punish her own mobs because of similar difficulties that obstruct the processes of justice in cases of this kind.

Nowhere in the United States is there absolute safety from mob violence and of all the Northern States we believe Illinois leads in such offenses. That circumstance, however, can evoke from the Post no foolish outburst against the great State of Illinois. The Post hopes that it is broad enough and discriminating enough to comprehend the certainty that the criminal element of any State, North or South, is to be banished compared to the enlightened mass.

There is room for improvement everywhere, and surely so self-righteous a critic as the Tribune is intelligent enough to know that no Southern commonwealth harbors the criminal numbers that infest the single city

of Chicago. We must mingle, if we are fair and considerate, tolerance and sympathy for the upright citizenry of a community, State or section, when a few lawless men succeed at times in bringing its good name into disrepute.

We did it (the Tribune) to regard the Tribune as of great importance, for the reason that it could not have emanated from a just and intelligent mind. It will be condemned by all fair-minded Northern people who read it, if they know it, and we have no desire to condemn that large and respectable element of Northern opinion which the Tribune's abuse of the South does not and can not represent. -Houston Post.

Another One On The Ford.

A farmer long had a tin chicken coop in his back yard that offended his eye. This metal building was very dilapidated and was no longer of use as he had built a newer and more extensive one.

"Why don't you tear that shack down and send the tin to the Ford company?" suggested a friend. "They pay well for old metal. You know, they use so much metal in the construction of a Ford that it is difficult to get material at all times."

"I'll just do that," said the farmer. He thereupon shipped the tin to the Ford factory and in the course of a week received a letter as follows:

"We have your shipment of recent date and our engineering department has been busy trying to figure out just how the accident happened. However, something must have been wrong with the car or you would not have shipped the remains to us. Therefore, we are sending you a new car in the hope that our pleasant relations will be continued." -Ex.

SPANISH PAPER SAYS MEXICANS ON BRINK OF ABYSS.

Madrid, Aug. 26.—Cannot the Mexicans even now pull themselves up on the brink of the abyss? asks El Imparcial today in its leading editorial, which is headed "Towards Intervention." The situation in the distressed republic is given a very frank review. "As Spaniards," El Imparcial says, "the Mexican situation ought to concern you quite as much as the vast struggle now going on in Europe. The Spanish colony in that republic is numerous. Common interests, friendly ties oblige us to turn our eyes towards Mexico, and yet this attention which undoubtedly thousands of our compatriots, especially in our northern provinces, are giving to the situation in Mexico, finds no reflex in the official conduct of Spain."

The Spanish journal reviews the calling by the United States government of a conference of Latin-American representatives to take cognizance of the state of anarchy in the neighboring republic with frank skepticism of its disinterestedness.

"In its final analysis," continues El Imparcial, "all of this in more or less open terms simply means the certain intervention which the United States have laboriously and cunningly gone about preparing. The policy of the various Mexican parties and factions so as to render the establishment of any order impossible."

"It is true, however, that there is not too much reason for insisting upon this shady aspect of the Mexican civil war. For after all, the Mexicans themselves have been in no special need of interested foreign suggestion to exhaust themselves in sterile and personal strife."

"We may admit that in spite of everything that has happened there, and though Mexican soil has been wet with good Spanish blood, we should like to see the shame of intervention avoided in some definite way. If only the Mexicans could realize the danger in which their very independence stands, if this civil war could cease and the struggle for power in cities and in the country could give way to a period of peace and rebuilding, the riches of Mexico would require very few years to rise again in the midst of all the ruin."

THIRD DEGREE AS BAD AS LYNCHING

COLE BLEASE SAYS GREATER CRIMES COMMITTED AGAINST PRISONERS

HE BELIEVES IN PAROLES

Says People Would Be Horrified if They Knew Happenings Behind Prison Walls

By Associated Press. Bost., Mass., Aug. 26.—Former Governor Cole Blease of South Carolina in an address delivered here today before the Governors' Conference on "The Duty and Responsibility of Chief Executives in Dealing with Prisoners," declared that the lynching of men in the South for certain crimes is a protection to civilization. He condemned the "third degree" in dealing with prisoners and expressed the opinion that it was worse in some respects than lynching.

"The money we spend for courts and prisons is very ill laid out," said Governor Blease. "He continued in part: 'We make, by distasteful, the thief, the burglar and incendiary and by our court and jail we keep him safe. An acceptance of the sentiment of love throughout Christendom for a season would bring the felon and the outcast to our side in tears, with the devotion of his faculties to our service.'"

"Within the past few weeks we read in the newspapers of a man who had made an attempt upon the life of another being pined with questions until he was too weak to talk, then being walked up and down the corridors of his prison to revive him, then pined with questions again, and subjected to God alone knows what else, in the administration of the 'third degree.' Later this prisoner was found on the floor of his cell with his skull crushed in, and it was stated that he had climbed to the top of his cell door and jumped to the floor, killing himself. Whether he committed suicide or whether he really committed suicide I do not know, but this I do know, that the suicide of any man would hardly be unnatural under such circumstances, and that the treatment accorded him before conviction, would have been a disgrace to our civilization even had it occurred after he had been tried and sentenced."

Less Practiced in South. "This 'third degree' method that is practiced in the North and East and the West, less frequently, I am glad to say, in the South—whether a man be killed during its administration, or whether he be driven to commit suicide, or whether he be tortured sometimes into confessing crimes of which he may be innocent, is barbaric in a speaking form, unless the sanction of law, and those who practice it, evidence a spirit as mean and contemptible as the malice which animates the midnight assassin."

"Three years ago I had the pleasure of addressing this conference in Richmond. My remarks were telegraphed throughout the nation, and I was heralded to the world as a chief executive who advocated mob violence. I do not propose to go into a discussion of that here; it is entirely beside the question. Suffice it for me to say that in the South, the lynching of a man for the unmentionable crime is a protection to our civilization, while the practice of this 'third degree' violates the letter of our constitution at its most vital point and is a blow to the whole spirit of our institutions. In the South an accused man is an outlawed community which carries out the law, but brushes aside with mighty force the law's technicalities and delays. There is no hypocritical sanctimonious violation of fundamental rights under the cloak of law by those sworn to uphold the law; the

August Bedding Sale

Begun today and continues to and including Tuesday, August 31st. Blankets, Comforts, Sheets, Pillow Cases, Bed Spreads and other items of Bedding.

A Special Opportunity To Buy Your Wool-Nap Blankets. The wool-nap blanket is the "wonderful all-cotton with a wool finish." They never sell for less than \$2.25 pair and some stores sell them for \$2.50. In this sale we are featuring a size 68x75 blanket in grey, tan and white with colored borders. Pair \$1.95 (See our show windows)

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Bed Sheets. 72x90 Seamless Sheets 40c each, or dozen \$4.50. 81x90 Seamless Sheet 73c each, or dozen \$8.40. SCALLOPED HEM SHEET. Each 95c. Crib Blankets. Beautiful Baby Patterns, 25c, 50c and 65c. Cotton Bed Blankets. 66x75 heavy Cotton Blanket, grey, tan and white, per pair, \$1.00

WHITE BED SPREADS \$4.00 \$4.50 and \$5.00. Values in very pretty patterns, plain and cut concerns, ea., \$3.50

CONGRESSMAN WHO WOULD HAVE GOVERNMENT SEIZE BIG FORTUNES; SOCIETY WOMAN WHO OPPOSES

The chief executive of a state has not a more serious duty nor a graver responsibility than the obligation imposed upon him in dealing with prisoners—and by prisoners, I mean to include those in jail awaiting trial.

Some Prisons a Disgrace. "A state or a nation that allows its prisoners to suffer cruelties is guilty of a greater crime than the prisoners themselves have committed."

"We have prisons and prison methods in the United States today which are a disgrace to any civilization. When I assumed the office of governor of South Carolina, I inaugurated in my state the parole system and granted hundreds of paroles. I was vigorously condemned on the one hand and as heartily praised on the other, for nearly every decision I reached upon each individual case, as any man who has ever been in public life in the history of this country, I cared not for the condemnation or the praise. The parole system which I inaugurated was entirely successful. Out of the hundreds of paroles granted, very few failed to lead good lives."

"I believe more firmly today than ever before in the parole system as the most advanced step that has ever been taken in prison reform. I believe that the whipping of prisoners should be forbidden except in cases of wilful disobedience—of ruled or acts of insubordination and that then the whipping should be administered only in the presence of disinterested citizens of good repute who are not connected in any way, directly or indirectly, with the institution. The people of the nation would be horrified if they knew of the fearful brutality practiced in our prisons—the merciless whippings, the electric shocks and other forms of shocking cruelty."

"In the majority of cases the family of a prisoner suffers more than the prisoner himself. It seems to me that much of this suffering could be relieved by paying to the dependent family of a prisoner a small compensation for the prisoner's labor."

ONE KILLED, OTHER WOUNDED IN REVOLVER FIGHT TODAY. By Associated Press. Alpine, Texas, Aug. 26.—In a pistol fight here today W. M. Grissim was shot and killed and Bob Goodwin received a serious wound in the neck. The men are alleged to have had a controversy over personal matters. Grissim is survived by a widow and eight children. Goodwin, who was arrested charged with killing Grissim was taken to the home of his mother this afternoon for treatment of his wound which is said to be more dangerous than at first believed.

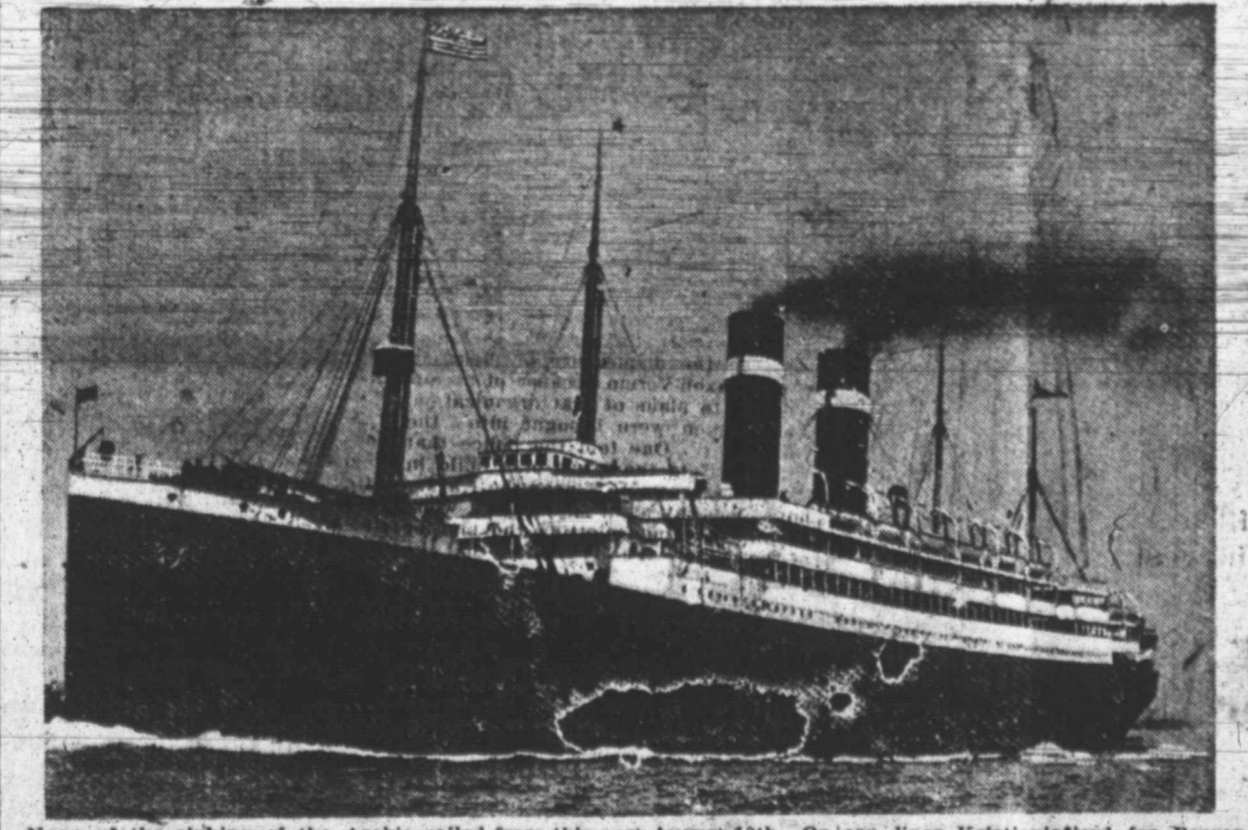


CONGRESSMAN WALSH—MRS. J. BORDEN HARRIMAN

Washington, Aug. 24.—The commission proposed to forbid heirs of wealthy Americans from inheriting more than \$1,000,000 from any one estate. All in excess would go to the federal government. Prof. Commons, Mrs. Harriman and the three members of the commission representing employers, refused to give serious consideration to such a proposal.

Read tomorrow's ad and WATCH WINDOWS! \$4,000.00 Clothing Sale bought at 25c on the dollar, at the OLD MILLER STAND 602 Seventh Street

Steamship Lapland, Big Transatlantic Liner With Others In Submarine War Zone



News of the sinking of the Arabic caused close examination of the lists of big vessels in possible danger. Six passenger steamships were reported in or approaching the submarine zone. Four fly neutral flags and two are English. The Ryndam of the Holland-American line, bound for Rotterdam,

can liner Kristianiafjord for Bergen. The Baltic of the White Star line sailed on August 15th. News of sailings westward was delayed two or three days by the censorship, so it was not known if any ships bound for New York or other European ports were in the war zone.

Local News Brevities

E. G. Hill, undertaker, office and parlors 900 Scott Ave. Phone 225. Prompt ambulance service. 92-11c

An inmate of the county farm escaped Wednesday morning came to town and by evening was very drunk and abundantly prosperous. He awoke in the city jail this morning, and will be taken back to the farm.

Hear the Home quartette at the Airdome tonight. 89-11c

John Davenport, assistant county attorney, has gone to Menard county to remain several days and rumor has it that he will not return alone.

Dr. Prothor, Dentist, Ward building. 77-11c

The Praetorian Quartette at the Airdome tonight. 90-11c

Efforts of relatives to prevent the marriage of Herman Kirkpatrick of Frederick and Miss Blanche Ruten of Manitou were unavailing yesterday, the young people being joined in wedlock by Justice of the Peace celva a phone message from Frederi J. E. Jones. Not long after the knot was tied, County Clerk Kelly received a phone message from Frederick, in- struding him not to issue the license. He replied that it was too late. Kirk- patrick made affidavit that he and the girl were both of legal age. J. C. Johnson and Miss Nora Case also married by Justice of the Peace Jones yesterday afternoon.

Dr. Proctor, dentist, now over Mrs. King Store, phone 1415. 29-11c

Deeds Filed For Record. J. S. McGee and wife to A. A. Kuhn, lots 5 and 6, block 20, Burk- burn. \$350.

W. P. Bolding to W. S. Gullaborn, lot 14, block 45, Floral Heights. \$1100.

A. R. Vaughn and wife to O. B. Deason, lot 11, block 171. \$850.

J. E. Arnold to H. K. Arnold, lot 3, block 13, Floral Heights. \$2750.

Return Engagement Of Delays. Beginning Monday, the Deloy Musical Comedy Company will open an indefinite engagement at the La- mar Airdome. Complete change of program three times weekly, with "The Red Lily" featuring their ladies' quartette as their opening bill on Monday night. Complete change of bills program each evening, and judging from the quality of the show put on here before, a good business is assured. Popular prices will pre- vail.

Several checks for small sums, signed by the same person have been cashed by merchants who have had them come back marked "no funds." The signer of the checks appears never to have had an account in any of the banks here and has offended several times previously in a similar manner. Each time he has gotten off with a promise not to repeat the offense at- ter he had refunded the money secured, and the worthless checks. It is prob- able that sterner measures will now be resorted to.

Deeds Filed For Record. Monroe Newby to Delba May Mc- Clung, lot 12, block 21, Jolonic addi- tion; \$1,950 (dated May 1, 1913).

J. F. Belote to J. F. King, lot 3, block 28, Southland addition; \$1,400.

W. H. Kline and wife to A. M. Rey- nolds, lot 3, block 7, Wigham addi- tion, Burkhardt; \$350.

Ernest Sowell and wife to J. B. Jam- ison, 546 acres out of G. W. Childers survey on Wichita river, \$26,000.

W. M. Watson and wife to J. M. Dea, 45 feet out of lots 6 and 7, block 4, J. Jolonic addition; \$2,750.

Fred Harvey and wife to R. G. Scheu- er, lot 1, block 6, Fairview addition; \$300.

Wichita Falls Undertaking Co., 812 Scott Avenue, Phone 202. Prompt ambulance service. Command us. 18 11c

Miss Maud Irwin left today for Ft. Worth where she has accepted a posi- tion with Mescham's dry goods store. She will be glad to meet her Wichita Falls friends there when they come to Ft. Worth.

Edgar Gorsline left this afternoon for Ringold, where he will meet his sister, Mrs. W. J. Daugherty of Oklahoma City, who will make an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Gorsline.

Home Talent vaudeville at the Airdome tonight. 90-11c

Suits have been filed in the dis- trict courts as follows: 78th, G. W. Lyle vs. Fort Worth & Denver, dan- gers; J. D. Bowen vs. Willette Bowen, divorce; 28th, Wichita Mill & Elevator Co. vs. J. L. Allen, gar- nishment; Wichita Mill & Elevator Company vs. Wichita State Bank, garnishment, garnishment.

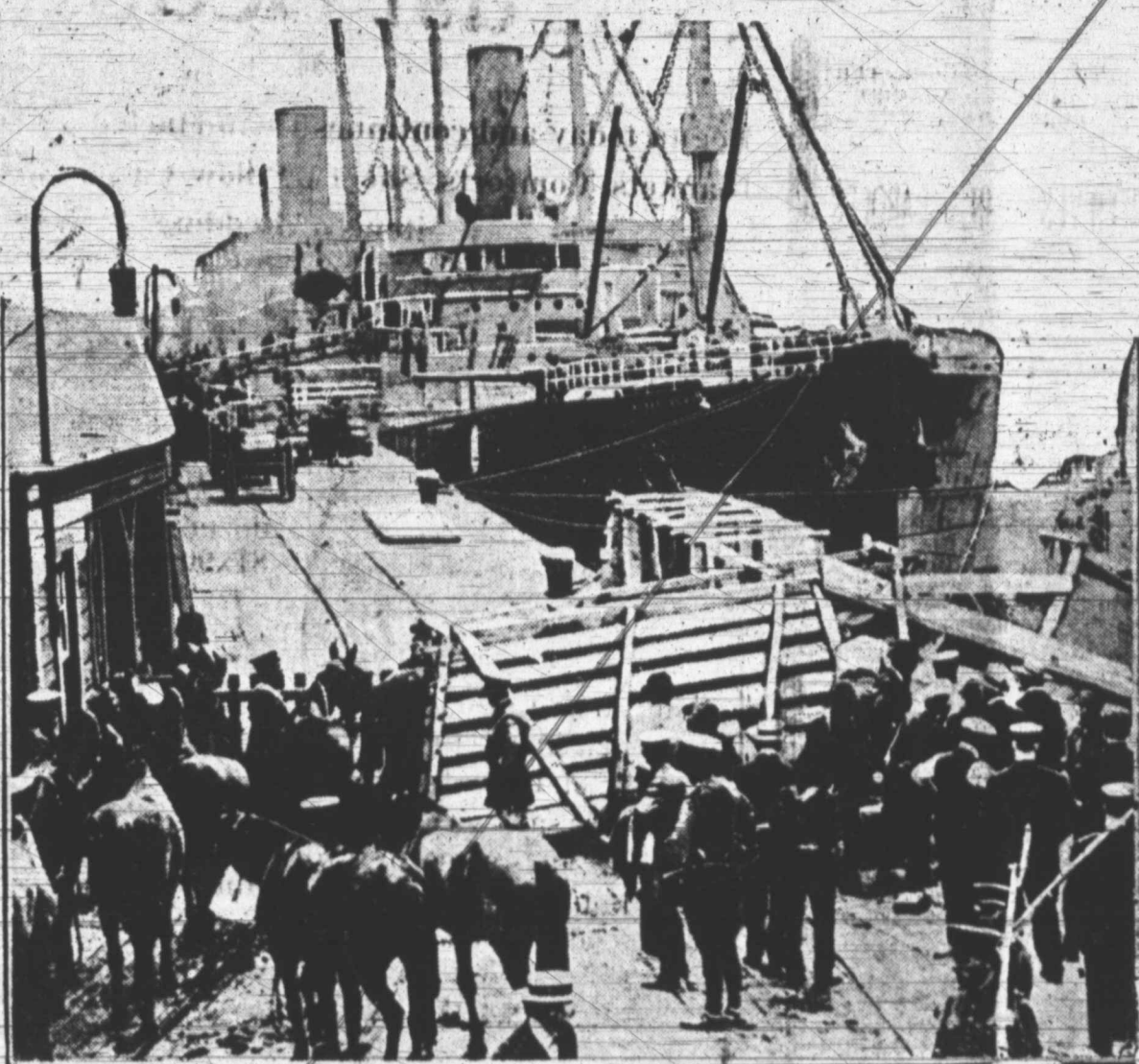
MONTAGUE SOCIALISTS MEET AT BOWIE TODAY

By Associated Press. Bowie, Texas, Aug. 26.—The annual encampment of the Montague county socialists is being held today here. Prominent speakers of the faith are here for the exercises which will last two days.

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English Troopship Torpedoed And Lost With About 1,000 Soldiers



ROYAL EDWARD LOADING FOR HER LAST TRIP

London, Aug. 21.—The British trans- port Royal Edward has been torpedoed and sunk by a German submarine. An- nouncement to this effect has been made officially. Six hundred men were saved out of 1,350 troops and 220 other persons on board. The sinking of the Royal Edward has shattered the tradition of the British navy of having transported hundreds of thou- sands of men across the seas without the destruction of a troop laden ship. On two previous occasions transports have been attacked. The Wayfarer was torpedoed by a submarine in the Irish Sea, but the vessel was not sunk and only five lives were lost. The Manitou was attacked by a Turk- ish torpedo boat in the Aegean and, although the ship was not damaged, fifty-four lives were lost through the breaking of a davit as a boat was

BASEBALL RESULTS

Table with columns for League, Club, P, W, L, Pct. Includes Texas League and Western Association results.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

Table listing baseball games for today across various leagues like Texas, Western, National, American, and Federal.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Table listing baseball game results from the previous day across various leagues.

U. S. PLACES ORDERS FOR HEAVY FIELD-HOWITZERS

Philadelphia, Aug. 25.—A rush or- der was received at the Philadelphia navy yard yesterday for three of the 12-inch naval guns, there to be converted into field howitzers for the use of the army. This will give the United States its first set of heavy field pieces. It was announced in Washington several months ago that this would be the first step of the administration to put the country in a state of preparedness. It was also learned that several naval guns are being converted into artillery adapted for police campaigns. In addition it was stated that tremen- dous tractors with wheels eighteen inches wide, such as are being used by the Germans, will be constructed to haul the huge artillery pieces. Army officers here when told of this order, were elated. At the present time, they declared there is not a single gun in the United States adaptable for piece work larger than 6-inch caliber. Marriage licenses have been issued to E. Burchard and Miss Lucy Wood- ard; S. B. Hewitt and Mrs. S. C. We- bling; G. O. Weinningham and Miss Grace Huffner.

PRO. GERMAN VIEWS NOT BELIEVED CAUSE OF DEATH

Members of Saxon-Verein Arrested in Connection With the Death of Evangelical Pastor. Gary, Ind., Aug. 25.—With the ar- rest today of George Schneider, a member of the Gary Saxon-Verein; in con- nection with the murder of the Rev. Edmund Kayser whose body was found near his parsonage at Kelleston, a suburb Tuesday night the police an- nounces they virtually had abandoned the theory that the German pastor may have been slain because of his pro-Ger- man utterances. Schneider has been a member of the murdered minister's congregation, but is declared to have been his enemy. The Rev. Mr. Kayser, it is said, had incurred the displeasure of members of the Saxon-Verein because of his op- position to plans of that organization. Two women were brought into the case today. One told the police that while visiting the grave of a child in the German cemetery near the Kayser home Tuesday night she heard a woman and four men plotting the murder of the pastor. The police say that the woman, alleged to have taken part in the plot, has disappeared and that the footprints of a woman and four men have been found in that part of the cemetery where the eaves dropper said she had seen the plotters.

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Grain, Cotton and Livestock Market Reports. Chicago Grain Futures. Chicago, Aug. 26.—A show of strength in the wheat at the opening sold gave way today. A fear that followed further reports of frost in the northwest was discounted by sell- ing on the part of large holders who took the ground that a rising wheat was too far along to be damaged by frost. Opening prices were irregu- lar at 1/2 lower to 1/4 higher with September at 99 to 100 and December 27 3/4 to 28 1/4. After a little excit- ed fluctuation the market eased off slightly below the opening figures. Corn followed wheat. December showed the greatest activity and made the largest temporary advance but there was a dip all around when wheat yielded to heavy selling pres- sure. The opening was 1.7 to 3.8 and 1/4 higher with September at 74 to 1.4 and December at 64 to 1.8. After a further upturn the market began to recede. Oats eased off a 1/2 after opening unchanged to 1/2 up. Demand was light. Wheat closed, September 97 7/8; December 98 1/8; May 1.02 5/8. Corn, September 74 3/4; December 64 3/8; May 65 3/4. Oats, September 28; December 37 1/8; May 39 3/8. Fort Worth Livestock. Fort Worth, Aug. 26.—Cattle re- cepts 3000, steady; beefs \$6.50 to \$7.25. Hogs 1500, five cents up, lights \$7.65 to \$7.70. Sheep receipts none, steady. Lambs \$7 to \$8. Kansas City Cash Grain. Kansas City, Aug. 26.—Wheat No. 2 hard 1.10 to 1.37; No. 2 red 1.12

TEXT BOOKS TO BE ADOPTED BY STATE BOARD THIS WEEK

By Associated Press. Oklahoma City, Aug. 26.—The state board of education today un- dertook the task of adopting text books for use in the public schools of the state including primers, sixth grade readers and supplementary readers.

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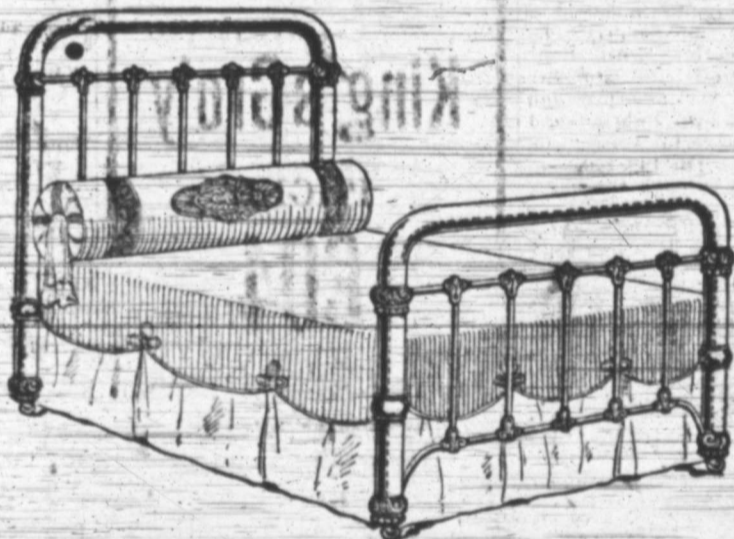
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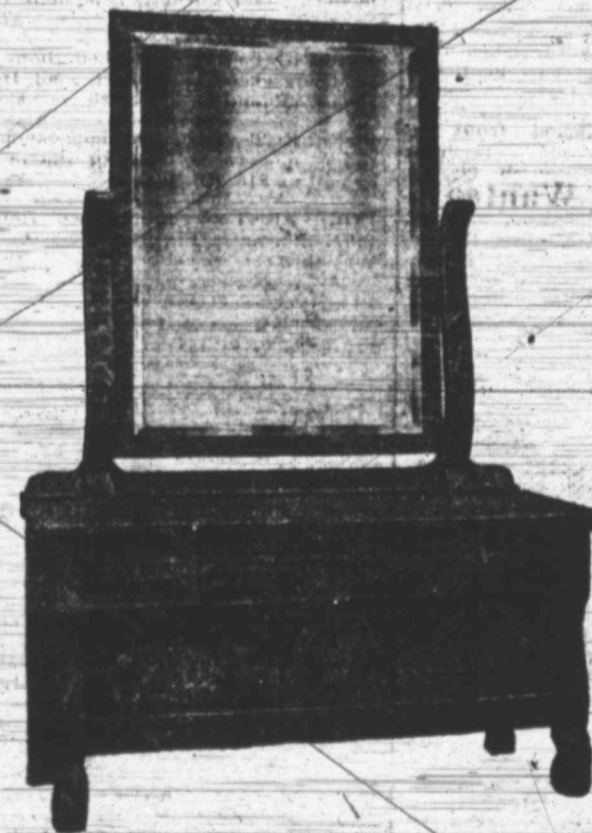
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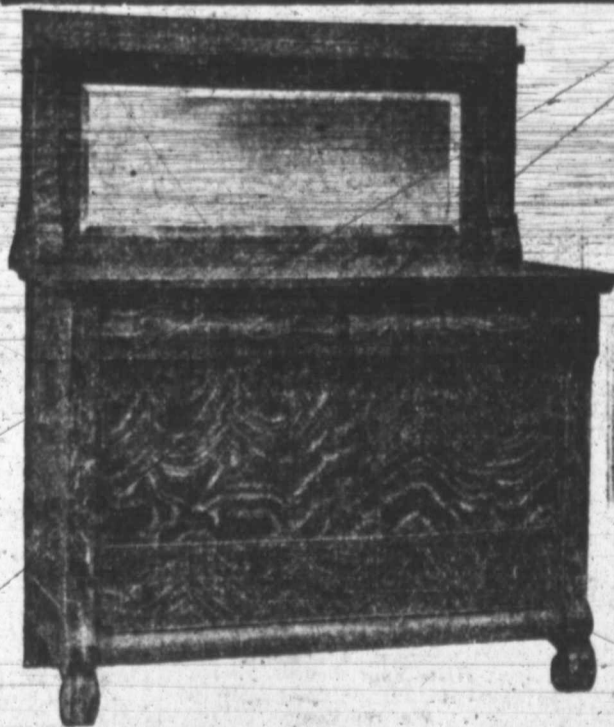
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Mrs. Irwin will leave today for Fort Worth, where she has accepted a position with Mechem Dry Goods Company. Miss Carrie Daugherty and Miss Louise Gustard have returned from a trip to various points in California. Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Jones have returned from a visit to a number of South Texas points. They were in Houston during the Gulf hurricane. F. H. Schaeffer, chief dispatcher on the Denver, returned today from a visit to coast points. G. C. Compton was chief during Mr. Schaeffer's absence. Miss Carrie Finlay left this afternoon for Arkansas points on her vacation. Miss Annie Tumulty returned to her home in Decatur today after a visit with relatives here. Dr. A. D. Patislo of Electra was here today. Mrs. Hardesty-Barelay went to Seymour this afternoon on business for the Royal Neighbors. W. F. Weeks left this afternoon for Kansas City. Dr. A. L. Andrews returned Wednesday from Mineral Wells, where he has been with Mrs. Andrews, but went back there this afternoon. Mrs. S. W. Hurd was expected to return today after a visit with relatives at Leavenworth, Kansas. More Wichita Falls people are now guests of the resort at Medicine Park, Okla., than come from any other town, according to a statement made by Senator Thomas, who owns the grounds made to a Wichita Falls visitor there several days ago. Hardly a day passes in the summer-time but that some Wichita Falls party does not arrive. Sunday usually sees a score or more arrive. A party comprising L. D. Rhodes and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Lightfoot of this city and Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Reed of Quannah and Mrs. and Mrs. Otis Caroway of Clarendon have just returned from this popular resort. E. B. Gorsline, Jr., left for Ringgold, Tex., today to accompany his sister, Mrs. W. J. Dugtry to Wichita Falls, where she will visit her parents and many friends for the next two weeks.

EXPECT REPORT PENITENTIARY INVESTIGATORS THIS WEEK By Associated Press. Austin, Texas, Aug. 26.—Governor Ferguson expects during this week to receive the report of the Senate penitentiary investigation committee which is now nearing completion. The governor will likely reach conclusion as to the proposed extra session of the legislature. It is now said that the governor may not call a legislative session until next January and possibly not at all. How far the governor will go in this respect by the recommendations in operation without the necessity of calling the legislature in special session. The governor has also personally gathered considerable information relative to the penal system, having made at least two trips over the properties and farms belonging to the state and operated by the penitentiary commission.

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BANK CASHIER AT HALLETTSVILLE DIES FROM WOUND

By Associated Press. Hallettsville, Texas, Aug. 26.—Earl Fry, cashier of the Fidelity National Bank, died here last night from pistol wounds self-inflicted, it is said, on August 19. He had been in ill health.

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