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Weather Forecast

Tonight, increasing, cloudiness, warmer. Wednesday unsettled and colder.

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ENGLAND MUST FIGHT ON, DECLARES LLOYD GEORGE

SAYS PEACE MUST BRING REPARATION

BRITISH PREMIER CONSIDERS GERMAN PROPOSALS A NOOSE INTO WHICH ENGLAND IS ASKED TO PLACE HER HEAD

EMPHATIC REPLY

Cannot Treat With Germany Until Given Assurance Promises Will Be Kept, He Says—Discusses General War Situation

By Associated Press. London, Dec. 19.—Premier Lloyd George said in the House of Commons today that it was felt that England should know before entering on negotiations that Germany was prepared to accede to the only terms whereon it was possible for peace to be obtained, and maintained, in Europe.

The premier said that without reparation peace would be impossible. He said that there were no proposals for peace. To enter into proposals of which they had no knowledge was to put their heads into a noose with the rope end in the hands of Germany. The premier said: "We will wait until we hear what terms and guarantees there are, surer than those which Germany broke. Meanwhile, we will put our trust in our unbroken army."

"Much as they longed for it," the premier added, "the Central Powers' note and the speech preceding it, afforded small encouragement and hope for an honorable and lasting peace. Our answer will be given in full accord with our allies. Each of the allies has separately and independently arrived at the same conclusion. I am glad of the first answer given by France and Russia."

Lloyd George said the allies would insist that the only end of the war must be a complete guarantee against Prussian militarism disturbing the peace of Europe. The formal reply of the allies, the premier said, will be given in the course of a few days.

During the war, the premier said, shipping would be nationalized in a true sense.

Premier Lloyd George announced it had been decided to give recognition to the agents of former Premier Venizelos of Greece.

When the House assembled, every seat on the floor and in the galleries was filled.

After declaring that peace without reparation was impossible, the premier asked whether "all the outrages on land and sea" had been liquidated by a "few pious phrases about humanity."

Dealing with the war situation, the premier said, he had to paint a stern, but not gloomy picture. The Roumanian blunder was an unfortunate one, but at the worst it would only prolong the war and could not affect it. It might have a salutary effect, he continued, in calling the attention of the allies to obvious defects of organization. To prevent the Roumanian situation from becoming worse, they had taken strong action.

In Greece, they were taking no risks, he said, they had decided to recognize the agents of former Premier Venizelos, he said, they had decided to recognize the agents of former Premier Venizelos, he said.

Speaking of the Western front, Mr. Lloyd George referred to the growth of the British armies there, and continued: "I am convinced ultimate victory is sure if the nation shows the same spirit of endurance

"CAN'T TAKE PROPOSALS SERIOUSLY"

By Associated Press. Paris, Dec. 19.—Premier Briand announced in the Senate today that the entente allies would send tomorrow a concerted reply making known "to the Central Powers that it is impossible to take their request for peace seriously."

BERNSTORFF IS YET OPTIMISTIC DESPITE SPEECH

By Associated Press. Washington, Dec. 19.—Count Bernstorff said after hearing the first portion of Lloyd George's speech: "That sounds as if they would not refuse to talk about peace, anyway."

Every effort, it is said, will be made to bring about a conference for the discussion of terms. The view was expressed in Teutonic diplomatic quarters that should Great Britain and her allies, in reply to the proposals of the central powers, ask that terms be defined, Germany and her allies would announce that they would be presented in a peace conference. It was added that unless there were unforeseen developments, it was doubtful that the central powers would agree to set down their terms in a note.

So much of Lloyd George's speech as has been received here was taken into the cabinet meeting and discussed by the president and his advisers. No official comment was made. The Spanish ambassador, Juan Riano and the Swiss minister, Dr. Paul Ricker, representing the two other neutral countries, together with the United States, with the forwarding of the central powers' peace proposals to the allies, both called on Secretary Lansing today, but declined to state the purpose of their visit.

and readiness to learn as the mud-stained armies at the front.

Turning to the more purely political of the domestic problems before the new ministry, the premier said:

"We are anxious to avoid all controversial questions. The functions of the premier and head of the House of Commons have been separated because it was believed the double task was too much for one man. The organization of the new cabinet is best adapted to the purpose of the war. In war, you want prompt decision and the allies have suffered disaster after disaster from the tardiness of decision."

The speech of Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg before the German Reichstag was characterized by Lloyd George as constituting in substance a denial of the only terms upon which peace was possible.

Premier Lloyd George said the time had come when the dominion should be consulted more formally as to the war. An imperial conference would be summoned at an early date to discuss vital questions, he said.

The premier said it was proposed to appoint a director of national service and that all industries and services would be scheduled as essential or non-essential to the war.

The premier analyzed the German chancellor's speech and then declared emphatically: "Without reparation peace is impossible. Moreover, what guarantee is there that substitutes will not be used in future to overthrow what we might have secured by peace?"

"We must keep a steadfast eye on the purpose for which we entered the war. We entered it to defend Europe from aggressions of the Prussian military character. We must insist that there be the most complete guarantees against this."

The Irish question was due to a misunderstanding and that he hoped this would be removed. Settlement of the Irish question, the premier added, would be a great war measure.

GAS SUPPLY SHORT IN EASTERN FIELD

Companies Trying to Conserve Supply for Domestic Use and Some Factories Close

By Associated Press. Pittsburgh, Dec. 19.—The increased demand for natural gas by manufacturing concerns and the greater domestic consumption on account of the cold weather has resulted in a gas famine in southwestern Pennsylvania and northern West Virginia which has caused ten factories in this district to suspend operations. Gas companies are endeavoring to conserve the supply for domestic consumers.

FEW NEW WAR DEVELOPMENTS

ONLY BOMBARDMENTS ARE REPORTED FROM VERDUN FRONT IN FRANCE

STAND IN ROUMANIA

Some Indications That Russian Forces There Are Stiffening Defense

The Associated Press summarizes European war developments as follows: The military developments of the past 24 hours have been few in number and unimportant. In the Verdun front, there have been only bombardments since the French attack of yesterday which Paris reported as winning back the Chemin des Dames which the Germans had taken by a counter attack.

In the Roumanian war theatre, the latest report indicates preparations by the Roumanians to make a decisive stand in the Moldavia, where they are reported to have made a strong defensive line.

Petrograd yesterday reported a holding up of the Teutonic offensive and Berlin announced no new advances except in Dobruja where the Russo-Roumanian forces have fallen back some distance to the north, and are forming to the retreat across the Danube in Wallachia.

AID FOR THOSE DEPENDENT ON GUARD PLANNED

By Associated Press. Washington, Dec. 19.—An appropriation of \$125,000 for the dependent families of the militiamen on the Mexican border is included in the urgent deficiency bill reported today in the House. Provision also made for \$210,000 for the Philadelphia mint currently in need of money to continue making of small denomination coins, now so greatly in demand.

AMERICAN PRINCESS IS DEAD IN ITALY

Illinois Girl Who Wed Royalty Succumbs to Illness—Many Marital Adventures

By Associated Press. Chicago, Dec. 19.—Confirmation of the death of Princess Haryman Chimay, formerly Miss Clara Ward, of Detroit, at her villa in Padua, Italy, was received here today in a cable message to Calvin Pentecost, a local banker. According to Mr. Pentecost, the princess died after a brief illness, no details of which he has learned.

Princess Chimay was born in 1873, the daughter of John B. Ward, a millionaire shipbuilder of Detroit. At fourteen she was sent to a European convent and subsequently while still a young girl inherited the millions of her father. When she was eighteen she married Joseph de Chimay a Belgian prince, later she was divorced and became the wife of a Hungarian violinist.

Four years later she was again divorced and married Giuseppe Riccardi from whom she also separated.

\$170,000 VERDICT FOR BROKEN HEART

Woman Employed in Pittsburgh Hotel Wins Suit Against Millionaire Recluse

By Associated Press. Pittsburgh, Dec. 19.—Miss Nettie Richardson, aged 40, former cashier of a Pittsburgh hotel was today awarded a verdict of \$170,000 in her suit for \$500,000 for breach of promise against Henry Deniston, aged 78, millionaire recluse of Swissdale, a suburb.

Deniston, who belongs to an old Pittsburgh family and whose fortune is estimated at several million of which half a million is in cash lives in a little house on his farm almost within the city limits, although there is a handsome residence on the place.

TEXAN QUITS HIS DIPLOMATIC POST

Resignation of Thomson as Minister to Columbia Is Accepted with Regret

By Associated Press. Washington, Dec. 19.—Thaddeus A. Thomson, retiring American minister to Columbia, today closed up his business with the state department and left for his home in Texas. Officials pointed out that since Mr. Thomson's resignation was offered several months ago on account of his wife's precarious health the resignation was not in the category of cases wherein many diplomats have tendered theirs as incident of the termination of the first term of President Wilson's administration. In order to leave him free to make any changes deemed necessary.

President Wilson accepted Mr. Thomson's resignation with regret because of the success attending his ministry in Bogota.

MENINGITIS HAS DEVELOPED AT MILITIA CAMP

By Associated Press. San Antonio, Tex., Dec. 19.—Three cases of spinal meningitis resulting in two deaths have developed among troops on duty in the 22nd district in the last few weeks according to information today from Col. Walter D. McLaw, chief surgeon of the southern department.

Col. McLaw said medical officers had the situation well in hand and declared there was no danger of an epidemic.

The chief surgeon was not officially advised of the report that another soldier had died from the disease.

NO EXPLANATION OF ATTITUDE OF CARRANZA TODAY

By Associated Press. Philadelphia, Dec. 19.—An exchange of calls by the mayor of this city and the chairman of the commission interrupted the discussion of Mexican problems today.

Soon after the members of the Mexican American joint commission convened Mayor Thomas B. Smith paid an official visit which was returned by Secretary Lane and Luis Cabrera.

It was announced that no discussion of the explanation of the failure of the Mexican government to sign the proposed treaty adopted at Atlantic City would be had.

DUTCH CONSIDER FOREIGN ISSUES

Foreign Minister Explains About Mail Seizures, and Torpedoing of Vessels

By Associated Press. London, Dec. 19.—A Reuters dispatch from The Hague says that, replying to a committee report on foreign affairs in 1917, the foreign minister said the British government had not been able to do much more than regard the seizure of mail.

He said that in reply to a Dutch protest in November Great Britain had declared her readiness to come to an understanding for similar to that reached with the United States by which universities and other bodies in overseas countries might obtain scientific and technical publications, this arrangement including certain private persons.

Regarding the torpedoing of the Palembang, the minister said that he was unable to add facts to contradict the positive declaration of the German admiralty and that the German government was not ready to submit to a commission of inquiry.

In respect to the sinking of the Bloembergen, questioners were referred to an Orange Book which will be published shortly.

TO LURE MONKEYS BY CONVERSATION

Man Who Knows Their Language Taken Along as Decoy By Hunters

By Associated Press. New York, Dec. 19.—With Prof. Richard L. Garner, an expert in monkey language, as a decoy, scientists from the Smithsonian Institute and the American Museum of Natural History are on their way to the French Congo in Africa after skins and skeletons of gorillas for a group to be mounted at the American museum.

The party left today aboard the steamship Chicago.

Professor Garner once lived for several years in a bamboo hut in Africa studying the language and habits of apes. He acquired a vocabulary of 20 words, he said, armed with his vocabulary Professor Garner will sit as a decoy employing the language to lure gorillas to the stand where are to be stationed men with rifles.

MEMPHIS LIKELY AS AVIATION CAMP

Winter School Will Probably Be Held There Instead of in Chicago

By Associated Press. London, Dec. 19.—The winter establishment of the army aviation corps for the central states probably will be moved from Chicago to Memphis.

Final selection of a new location has not been made, but Memphis possibilities are considered by army officials to be the best of any place under consideration. The school is fitted with equipment for an aviation squadron and is attended by about 50 students.

SINKING OF STEAMER AS REPORTED TODAY

By Associated Press. London, Dec. 19.—Lloyd's shipping agency announced the steamer Aspon arriving at Bordeaux on November 25 from Scotland.

Declares National Guard Has Shown Failure of Volunteer Army Plan



MAJOR GENERAL HUGH L. SCOTT

OKLAHOMA PLANS CONSERVATISM IN LEASE LAW CHANGE BUSINESS IS NOTED

Legislature Expected To Consider Action on Leasing of State Land

Special to The Times. Oklahoma City, Dec. 19.—The approaching legislature will be confronted with the coming expiration of oil leases on about 1,000,000 acres of land owned by the state and the probable request for extension of those leases. The oil leases of the state are made for terms of five years and are subject to be renewed at the expiration of the term or even if wells have been sunk and are producing the leases expire. In case this has been no development the reversion is without limit. In case the leases shall have been developed the lease has preference right to renew.

There are millions of acres of school lands upon which leases were made four years ago and upon which no development has been attempted. With the increasing interest in oil and the growing scarcity of it there is expected to be great activity in exploration during the coming five years and pressure is expected to be brought in behalf of some of the larger lessees who hold many thousands of acres in small tracts for extension by act of the legislature of the tenure of the present leases.

The question is likely to bring about some debate, as there is some probability that the state might do better by redeveloping at least in some sections of the state. It is maintained by some members of the state administration that the legislature has no power to extend the leases in question owing to limitation in the enabling act under which Oklahoma became a state, and accepted the land endowments in question.

COTTON EMBARGO CAUSES DISCONTENT IN MEXICO

By Associated Press. Torreon, Mexico, Dec. 19.—Cotton growers in this section, the largest cotton growing area in Mexico, are generally dissatisfied over the imposition of an embargo on cotton from this section by the United States government, because of the alleged presence of pink boll weevil. Growers have made protests to the Mexican government, asking that steps be taken to have the embargo lifted.

TO DECIDE NEXT MONTH ABOUT INSURANCE INCREASE

By Associated Press. Austin, Texas, Dec. 19.—Decision of the State Fire Insurance commission in the application of the fire insurance companies doing business in Texas for an advance in rates, is not to be announced until the middle of January, according to information given out by the commission.

The commission spent several weeks on a hearing of this proposition and elaborate arguments were submitted about ten days ago and the matter is under advisement. Additional letters are to be filed with the commission by the companies and also by the opposing interests and these will be taken into consideration before action is taken. The companies are asking for an advance of 33 and 1-3 per cent on dwelling, apartment houses and other risks of this class. It is said that considerable amount of interest is being manifested in the forthcoming decision by the commission.

HEALTH OFFICIALS PLAN TRAVELLING LABORATORY

Austin, Texas, Dec. 19.—A travelling laboratory, on an especially equipped car for the public health service of the state, will be recommended to the Legislature should be located at or near the place from which the samples are obtained. It is pointed out. When it is shipped to distant points, the bacteria often die in transit. Often water that is impure when bottled will be pure when it reaches its destination for examination.

Articles of food will also be tested in this laboratory should the state be fortunate enough to procure one.

MILITIA NEEDS YEAR'S TRAINING

GENERAL SCOTT SO DECLARES BEFORE SENATE SUBCOMMITTEE TODAY

WHAT REGULARS DID

Their March into Mexico Would Have Killed General

By Associated Press. Washington, Dec. 19.—The National guard force mobilized on the Mexican border would have required nearly a year of intensive training to prepare to meet trained troops, Major General Hugh L. Scott, chief of staff of the army, declared in continuing to urge universal service before a Senate subcommittee.

Fortunately, the Mexicans were untrained troops, he added, and our purpose to protect the border was accomplished by the mere presence of our men on the border without firing a shot.

"We felt that the national guard troops would have destroyed themselves in marching had they been sent through that part of the country. General Pershing's troops made phenomenal marches. There was not a National Guard organization that could have done it. It would have killed both men and horses."

"It is the volunteer system that is at fault," General Scott added, "it has always fooled us. It is undemocratic, unreliable, inefficient and expensive. Asked if double the pay of privates would improve the present system, General Scott said:

"If you increase the pay of the army to a point where it would produce a force of the size we must have, you will bankrupt the nation."

KANSAS CITY MAN NEW CIRCUIT JUDGE

Kimbrough Stone Named By President to Succeed Elmer D. Adams

By Associated Press. Washington, Dec. 19.—Judge Kimbrough Stone of Kansas City, Missouri, has been selected by President Wilson for nomination as United States circuit judge in the eighth circuit to succeed Judge Elmer D. Adams.

NEW JUDGE IS SON OF SENATOR W. J. STONE

By Associated Press. Kansas City, Dec. 19.—Judge Kimbrough Stone, who has been selected as federal circuit judge at St. Louis, is the son of Senator William J. Stone of Missouri. He is a circuit judge of Jackson county.

CONSTITUTIONALISTS IN FIGHT WITH DIAZ TROOPS

By Associated Press. Tuxtla Gutierrez, State of Chiapas, Mexico, Dec. 19.—During fighting between constitutionalist soldiers and followers of Felix Diaz, several hundred persons were killed, some by execution during the last week in November.

For months Diaz soldiers have been active in the states of Oaxaca and Chiapas and recently a large detachment of constitutionalist soldiers, a so-called Diaz general, named Magana, was killed, likewise a score of his followers. The remainder of the band was disbanded and executed, being fired upon with machine guns. A score of officers and forty-five soldiers were among those killed.

It is said that the irregular mail service has been cut off by the band with which Diaz's southern Mexico reaches the outside world.

HIGHWAY MEETING IS CALLED AT CORPUS CHRISTI

By Associated Press. Corpus Christi, Tex., Dec. 19.—A call has been issued for a meeting to be held in this city on Thursday, December 28, in the interest of the Corpus Christi highway.

The road between the two cities will parallel the lines of the San Antonio, a short rail-fall railroad. The road between the two cities will parallel the lines of the San Antonio, a short rail-fall railroad. The road between the two cities will parallel the lines of the San Antonio, a short rail-fall railroad.

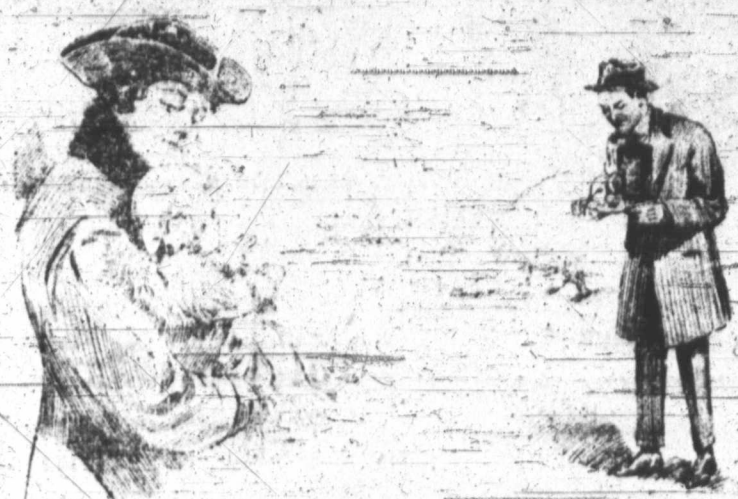
VACATION AT A. & M. WILL START THURSDAY

By Associated Press. College Station, Tex., Dec. 19.—Holidays begin at A. & M. College at the conclusion of afternoon classes, Thursday, Dec. 21, and continue until the morning of January 1, 1917.

Special trains will leave Thursday afternoon for Dallas and Fort Worth, Waco and Houston. About 200 students, most of whom are working their way through the college will remain on the campus during the Christmas recess.

SPECIAL RULE PROVIDES PRINT PAPER INQUIRY

By Associated Press. Washington, Dec. 19.—A special rule to bring up for immediate consideration the resolution by Representative Mann of Illinois for an investigation of the increase in the price of print paper will be reported out of the House rules committee immediately after the Christmas holiday recess.



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GIVES BANK ACCOUNT

Willing to Start Youths Off on Aight Path If They Will Make Pledge to Him to Lead Right Kind of Lives, He Says

Fifty Wichita Falls boys will be assisted on the road of honesty, industry, respect and reverence and temperance by A. Zundlowitz, retired merchant and capitalist of this city, according to a plan made public by Mr. Zundlowitz today. Briefly stated, Mr. Zundlowitz plan is this: To any boy between the years of eight and sixteen, who will pledge himself not to use tobacco, or liquor, not to swear, or gamble, to be honest and fair to his employers, to attend some church and Sunday School of his own choice, and obey his parents, he will give a bank book and deposit on January 1, 1917, in the Wichita State Bank one dollar to the boy's credit. If the pledges are kept Mr. Zundlowitz will add one dollar to this bank account each year through a period of five years, and in addition will give the boy a nice present each year.

No money shall be withdrawn from this account except on account of urgent need and upon the advice of the donor. All money deposited will draw four percent interest compounded annually.

Mr. Zundlowitz believes that getting a boy started right is half the battle in life. He believes a boy who saves a part of what he earns, is thrifty, sober and temperate, who is honest with his employer and who honors his father and mother has started on the road to success and happiness. He hopes that his plan will assist boys in taking the right path, and his only hope of reward in the undertaking is the satisfaction he hopes to derive from the results.

Mr. Zundlowitz is engaged in no business from which he could expect to profit by the advertising that might result from such an enterprise, and can give the time for the promotion of the interests of the boys who accept his offer that such an undertaking requires. It is his purpose to counsel with the boys from time to time and to assist them in every way within his power, so long as they continue in the right path.

Mr. Zundlowitz heard of a similar plan being carried out by a man in Los Angeles several years ago. He has had the suggestion in his mind ever since and some weeks ago decided to put it into operation here. Mr. Zundlowitz has no children of his own and it is his purpose to counsel with the boys who accept his proposal as if they were sons of his own. All that he will ask in return for the money he gives is that the boys strive their best to keep the pledge he will require them to sign.

Mr. Zundlowitz came to America from Russia when a lad of about 17 years of age. His early life was full of hardship and he often went hungry but as soon as he could he began to save. He did this while helping support his widowed mother and his orphaned brothers and sisters. Years ago he came to Wichita Falls and engaged in the mercantile business. He made a success in business and a reputation for fair and honest dealing. He has been engaged in the mercantile business for a number of years but has extensive interests in Wichita Falls and in the Panhandle. He has always had a keen interest in boys and young men and has rejoiced in their successes.

He will be at the Wichita State Bank from now until January 1 where he invites boys who would like to accept his offer to call and see him. Any boy under seventeen years of age who will sign the pledge will be eligible. The pledge will be as follows: I promise not to use tobacco, swear or gamble. I will be honest and fair to my employer and faithfully attend some church or Sunday school. If in city school I will do my best to succeed. I further promise to be kind and obedient to my parents, other children, ladies and old people, and add to my first deposit all pennies and dollars possible.

In return Mr. Zundlowitz will give this pledge to the boy. "I don't promise to faithfully keep the foregoing pledge, I will give each of fifty boys, a pass book wherein is deposited one dollar to his credit in the Wichita State Bank, Wichita Falls, Texas. Each boy must add to donated amount as much as possible, weekly or monthly. If above requirements are carefully kept, I promise to add one dollar per year to each boy's bank account for a period of five years. Besides I will give each boy a nice present each year. No money can be drawn from the bank, except in case of urgent need and upon the advice of the original donor. All money will draw four per cent interest compounded annually. All boys must report monthly to me."

Signed
Mr. Zundlowitz announces that if he gets fifty boys started by January 1, 1917 and the plan works out as he hopes it will, on January 1, 1918 he will start another fifty boys on the same plan.

CHICAGO AND NEW YORK
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MOTOR CLUB TO BE IN SESSION TONIGHT

Will Be Last Meeting of Year. Talk By Bert Bean To Be Feature

Tonight's meeting of the motor club will be the last of the year and President C. W. Reid earnestly urges the attendance of every member, this meeting being of especial importance on account of the discussion of plans for the membership campaign to be put on in January. Other plans for the coming year will also be discussed.

Bert Bean will talk on the value of a good roads system to the smaller towns of the county. A round table discussion of random topics will conclude the program.

A set of squirrel skin lined automobile gloves donated by Marvin Smith of McClurken's will be drawn for as the prize of the night.

Three speeders and a half dozen drunks made up the police court docket this morning. Two cases of speeding were passed and one fined \$5 on a plea of guilty. Each of the drunks pleaded guilty and were fined \$5 around.

MRS. R. H. COVERT IS INDICTED MONDAY

Is Charged With Killing Her Husband—Two Other Bills Are Returned

Mrs. R. H. Covert was indicted by the Wichita county grand jury late Monday afternoon on a charge of murder in connection with the killing of her husband here about two months ago.

The grand jury also indicted Wirt Roberts on charges of robbery and burglary, in connection with a recent incident at the home of Gertrude Bricker, his former wife. Roberts was rearrested but made \$750.00 bond. Mrs. Covert has been in jail since the slaying of her husband. It is planned that her case shall be among the first to be taken up, probably during the week of January 1.

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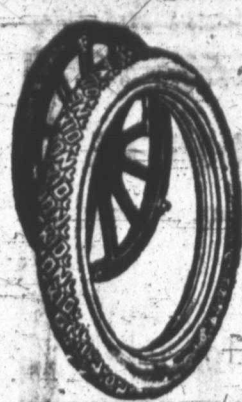
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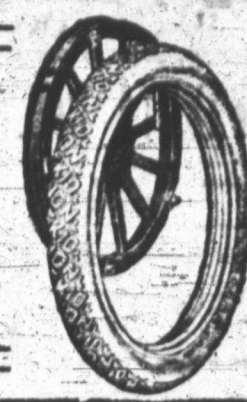
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All-silk Kimonas, new designs, for **\$7.85**
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Good white Quilts, special **\$3.00**
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FIRST CHRISTIAN LADIES
MEET IN SOCIAL SESSION

Mrs. A. A. Young was hostess to the Ladies Aid of the First Christian Church Monday afternoon in social session. The members of Mrs. Hancock's division, entertaining jointly with her. After the business and devotionals which were led by Mrs. F. P. Walters the social features were instituted. Roll call was answered with short poems, jokes and stories and Mrs. Thorburgh entertained with a humorous reading. Then the society's parting gift to Mrs. Walters and the family will leave shortly for Kentucky, was presented by Mrs. Hamlin, who spoke of the love and affection felt for Mrs. Walters in her usual charming manner. The gift was a handsome silver vase. Refreshments of chicken salad, sandwiches, olives and coffee were served by the hostess. Mesdames Tyson, Parker, Wheeler, Cummings, Hancock and Young. This was the last meeting of the society until the new year and the final report of the society was very satisfactory and a splendid offering was taken.

EPISCOPAL GUILD MEETS
IN BUSINESS SESSION

Bazaar business was finished up and plans made for the Christmas tree for the church by Saturday by the Guild of the Good Shepherd meeting Monday afternoon at the chapel. The members present: Mesdames Goodale, Allen, Basham, Greenwood, Aksh, Shaw, Inge, Fegenpohl, Sammons, Burns, Datson and Miss Simpson.

CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN
AID MEETS MONDAY

Christmas tree preparations busied the members of the Ladies Aid of the Central Presbyterian church meeting Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Henry Wilson. Refreshments were served late in the afternoon.

JEWISH AID HOLDS
MEETING MONDAY AFTERNOON

Business and pleasure was combined in the meeting of the ladies of Temple Israel Monday afternoon at the apartments of Mrs. Lazarus Cohen at Kemp Kort. The hostess served refreshments of hot chocolate with whipped cream and marshmallow cake late in the afternoon. The society will hold no more meetings until Jan. 8 when Mrs. Saul Levenson will be hostess.

BUSINESS MEETING OF
FIRST METHODIST AID

Numerous business plans were made by the Ladies Aid of the First Methodist Church at the regular meeting Monday afternoon at the church. The attendance was good and much interest was taken in the plans under discussion.

CIRCLE NO. 2 HOLDS
LAST MEETING MONDAY

For the last time the ladies who have constituted Circle No. 2 of the Mission Society of the M. E. Church, South this year met in social session Monday with Mrs. B. E. McIlmerry and Mrs. P. P. Langford at the Langford home. It was the Christmas gift social of the circle and the members on arriving deposited their gift on the gaily decorated Christmas tree which was the center of attraction. Instrumental selections by Mrs. Overton McDowell and vocal numbers by Mrs. George Thorburn were much enjoyed and the distribution of the presents occasioned much merriment. The hostess served a delectable sandwich course. During the financial report which wound up the business of the circle it was shown that the circle has raised \$229 in the year 1916, considered a splendid record of work.

NOMINATIONS MADE BY LABOR COUNCIL

Will Await Next Meeting in January
—New Delegates Offer Credentials

Nominations for officers of the Trades and Labor Council for the coming year were opened at last night's meeting. W. J. Hefner of the carpenters was renominated for president of the organization. H. C. Fitzgerald of the Laundry Workers and J. C. McCoy were nominated for vice presidents; Ed Anderson of the Bartenders for chairman of the board of trustees; L. D. Latimore of the typographical union for recording secretary and J. W. Buchanan of the ice drivers for sergeant at arms. The nominations will be open until the next meeting when the election and installation of officers take place. As the next regular meeting night would fall on New Year the meeting has been postponed until the second Monday night in January. A large attendance is urged at this meeting, both on account of the importance of the election and on account of the social session which is planned following the conclusion of the business session.

The attendance at last night's meeting was very good. The credentials of a number of new delegates were passed on and the obligations of office administered to them. No nominations were made for the office of treasurer last night. The office of financial secretary was abolished.

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Wichita Falls, Texas, Dec. 19, 1916



Prohibition and Woman suffrage are
twin sisters in the Senate; both are
crying for recognition.

Billy-Sundays revival in Boston is
like having "a hot time in the old
town."

Wichita Falls already has a stock-
ing full and is happy and contented
but if another Santa Claus comes along
and wants to leave something nice, it
will be accepted.

A dispatch from Mexico City says
the high prices of necessities there
are oppressing the poor-Mexico hasn't
got anything on the good old U. S. A.
In that respect—the h. c. e. is oppres-
sing both the poor and the well to do
here.

The Denison Herald suggests that
if Senator Sheppard succeeds in mak-
ing the District of Columbia dry, it
may result in shortening the sessions
of congress, which the Herald thinks
would be sufficient recompense for
the enactment of almost any sort of
drastic regulation.

The Mexican question still looms
up like unsettled weather indications.
The joint commission is holding an
other meeting since the return of the
Mexican delegate with Carranza's reply
to the protocol. But, like having a
swarm of bees, the questions have not
yet been settled.

Plans are already being laid for
local option elections in Dallas and
Tarrant counties in event that the
legislature fails or refuses to accede
to the will of the people and submit
a statewide prohibition amendment.
The situation is this: If a prohibition
amendment is submitted it is prob-
able the state will be voted dry; if
the amendment is not submitted a
wave of indignation will sweep over
the state which is likely to put a num-

ber of the counties now wet into the
dry column. There isn't much comfort
in the situation for the wet partisan
viewed from any angle.

The peace proposals of Germany,
not only concerning the countries at war,
but also raises grave questions for
the neutrals. Unsettled questions of
diplomacy give some of our congress-
men an opportunity to express their
fear of complications with England
and Japan. And, upon this basis, argue
the necessity of a large increase of
soldiers for the regular army, backed
up with citizen reservists sufficient to
make an army of 1,500,000. Along this
line, General Hugh Scott advocates
making every able-bodied man subject

to enlistment for a number of years
as required by Germany and other
European nations.

Those Denison country folks are in
dead earnest in their efforts to obtain
good roads. A county election on a
bond issue was held about two months
ago. In that election a proposed bond
issue for road purposes was defeated.
The good roads folks were not dis-
couraged. They at once got up a
petition for an election for road bonds
in a district which takes in the city
of Denison and covers most of the road
system originally proposed, and com-
prises a district in which there was
more than the required majority for
the bonds in the previous election. A

vigorous campaign is now being car-
ried on in that district by both the pro-
ponents of the bond issue and its op-
ponents. The election will be held in
a few days.

Emory, Tex., Dec. 19.—Rains coun-
ty authorities today awaited action by
Governor Ferguson on extradition
papers mailed from here yesterday
seeking to bring from Alexandria, La.,
a man taken into custody there in
connection with the killing of Clar-
ence Glass, the Point bank cashier.

**Women Who Voted
For Wilson to See
Him Inaugurated**

"I voted for Woodrow Wilson, and

I'm going to see him inaugurated,"
says Mrs. W. P. Russell of Spokane,
Washington who is visiting Mrs. J. P.
Reed and her sister Miss Mary Edmis-
ton in this city. Mr. and Mrs. Russell
are on their way to spend the winter
in Florida and Cuba. They will return
by way of Washington in March.

**LACK OF CRUSHED ROCK
DELAYS TENTH STREET WORK**

Inability to get a supply of crushed
rock is holding up the paving repair
on Tenth street, according to L. C.
Hinckley, city engineer. Although
ordered several weeks ago, only a
single car out of six has been deliv-
ered to date, and the work can not
be carried further until the rock is
secured.

The repair work halted at Broad
street, six blocks from the starting
point. The last block, however, is not
yet opened for traffic. It is hoped that
part of the rock can be gotten on the
ground during the week, and the work

carried to completion without further
delay.

**SEVERAL CONTRIBUTIONS
TO LOVING CUP FUND**

A number of citizens called at The
Times office today to make contribu-
tions toward a fund for a loving cup
to be presented J. A. Kemp by the
people of Wichita Falls. The only
purpose in receiving these contribu-
tions is to give every one who desires
to have a part in this token of love
and appreciation an opportunity to
set in his contribution. It is not the
purpose to spend any large sum, but
it is believed that a great number
will wish to contribute. Contribu-
tions may be left at The Times office
or may be handed to John W. Thom-
as.

**W. O. W. CAMP PLANNING
STUNT TOMORROW NIGHT**

A drill by the W. O. W. team, using

rifles for the first time, in places
of the axes which have been so long
a part of Woodmen paraphernalia,
will be a feature of a special occasion
by the W. O. W. Camp No. 3001 to-
morrow night. There will be a box
supper, in which the ladies of the
Woodmen circle will participate.
Speeches will also be on the program.
The public is cordially invited to at-
tend.

**HIGHER FLOOR NECESSARY
IN BUILDING WAREHOUSE**

A new warehouse is being con-
structed at the corner of Fourth and
Ohio avenue by Newton Maer of the
Overland Automobile Company. The
building is one story in height of
galvanized-iron and is about 55 by
140 feet. The floor of the building
had to be raised about three feet on
account of the river getting up in
that section of town sometimes. It
required about 500 loads of dirt to
fill in the floor.

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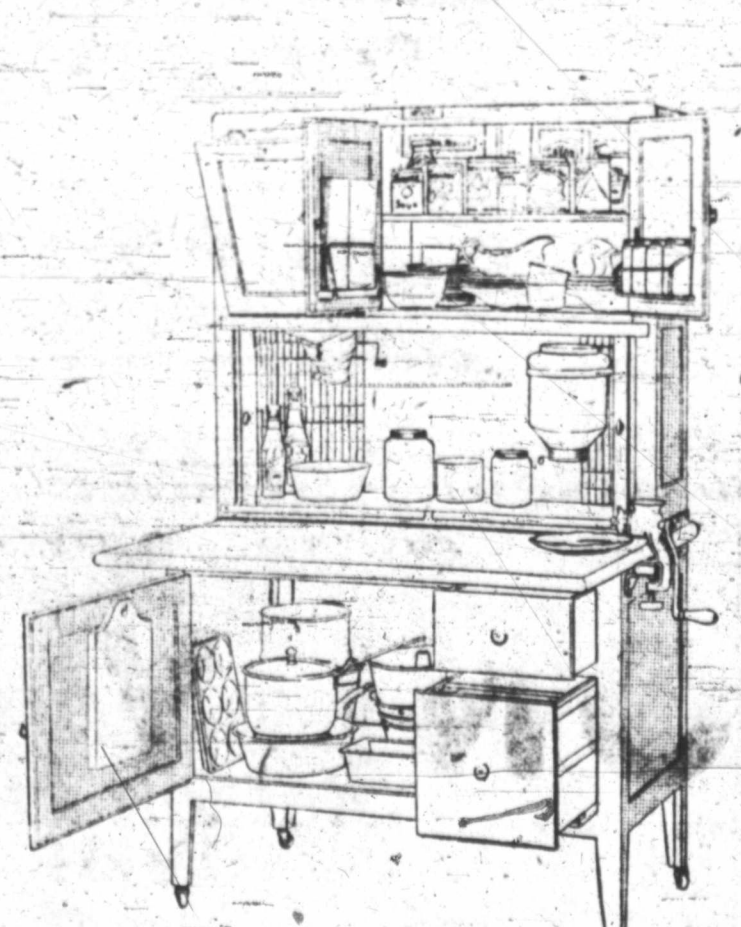
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JUST received, a nice line of Christmas trees and holly wreaths. C. H. Hardeman, phone 231 or 232. 89 tlc

Remember that we have a fresh line of Blank Wenzel candles also a big shipment of package goods. W. E. Stampfl, 183 tlc

We have just got in a nice assortment of gifts which make appropriate Christmas presents. Call and inspect them. Patton Furniture Co. Phone 1660. 710-12 Seventh street. 187 tlc

Oswald Averitt, William Sullivan and Garland Simmons of Frederick, were visitors here today.

A marriage license was issued today to J. M. Robinson and Miss Maggie Thompson.

Christmas trees, a lot of nice Cedar trees, from 4 to 8 feet high, to be delivered on 22nd or 23rd of December. Phone 1611. 187 tlc

The annual meeting of the stockholders of First National Bank of Wichita Falls, Texas, will be held at its banking rooms on Tuesday, January 9th, 1917, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing the board of directors for the ensuing year and the transacting of such other business that may properly come before said meeting.

T. J. TAYLOR, Cashier.

181 tlc

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Being unable to get the attorneys in any of the cases on call to a trial Judge Harvey Harris this morning dismissed the jury for the week in the county court and advised the lawyers that they would have to either try their cases before a pickup jury or without one. The case of Wichita Falls Sash and Door company vs. Nick Pappas et

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al, debt, was called and went to trial this afternoon.

Mr. Santa Claus

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We re-line, pad and make your Tuxedos into the new shapes, phone 1231 Home Tailoring Co. 86 tlc

Judge W. N. Bonner refused the petition of Ola Braddock for a divorce from her husband, Frank Braddock on the grounds of lack of jurisdiction. It was shown that Mrs. Braddock's home was in Oklahoma, although she had formerly lived here. Two divorces were granted today: Gladys Sims vs. Frank Sims and Frankie Rosa vs. W. M. Ross.

Knights and Ladies of Security Will give their regular dance next Monday night. A short program will be rendered first. Dancing will commence at 9 o'clock. Admission 50 cents. Ladies free. Members invite your friends. 186 tlc

At St. James Hotel, New Year's night Jan. 1st, dinner, \$1.00. Music.

Phone Moore Plumbing Company for plumbing supplies, plumbing repairs and gas fitting. 46 tlc

Judge J. E. Shropshire a Brady attorney, was in Wichita Falls on professional business today.

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W. W. GARDNER, Cashier

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John F. Conn of Henrietta, county and district clerk of Clay county was here today for the purpose of getting Judge Nicholson to sign the minutes for the Henrietta sitting of the 30th district court. Judge Nicholson held court for Judge Bonner part of the time and since the adjournment of the court has suffered an injury which prevented him from returning to Henrietta to sign the minutes.

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Administration Notice

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed temporary administrator of the estate of Moses Duke, deceased. And all persons holding claims against said estate are requested to present them to me forthwith. This Dec. 18, 1916.

CHARLES T. PRICE, First National Bank Building, Temporary Administrator.

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Dr. Schaffert, Osteopath, K & K Bldg.

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D. M. Perkins & Company, Fire Insurance & Real Estate, 605 Seventh, Phone 520. 175 tlc

Following the meeting for the formation of pools to take advantage of the new farm loans called for the Chamber of Commerce rooms next Saturday afternoon a meeting will be held of the board of directors of the cotton warehouse association.

FOR RENT—Business house 1004 Indiana avenue, also 10 room home furnished, phone 2089 or 150. 189 tlc

BOYD-JACKSON TEST NEWS UNFAVORABLE

Only Slight Showing Reported. Southside Well Due To Be Completed Today

Unfavorable news came today from the Boyd-Jackson well on the Bashara farm, north of Iowa Park, the report being that the sand was dry. The hole will be drilled deeper and stockholders are still hopeful of getting production, as there was a fair showing when the well was bailed yesterday.

Stock in the company which had been posted at 300 on the local exchange, slumped severely when the news came in and John Boyd, one of the principal stockholders, sold eighteen shares to W. W. Silk for \$900. M. J. Bashara, owner of the farm on which the well was drilled late yesterday paid \$1000 for four shares in the well.

Conflicting reports which came early today from the Southside well in Archer county were set at rest this afternoon when it was learned that the test had not been completed. There is over 30 feet of oil standing in the hole. The well will be completed this afternoon unless the wind makes it necessary to move the boiler. Stock in this company also declined on the local exchange on the early reports.

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Market Report

Fort Worth Livestock.
Port Worth, Dec. 19.—Cattle receipts 6100, steady. Steers \$6 to \$7.50. Hogs 3000, strong; bulk \$9.75 to \$10. Sheep receipts 300, steady; lambs \$9 to \$11.50.

New York Cotton.
New York, Dec. 19.—The morning press advices from London created a less favorable view of peace prospects and after opening at a decline of six to 24 points the cotton market had a severe break. Stop orders were uncovered just below eighteen cents for the summer months and before the decline was checked. January contracts had sold at 17.40 and May at 17.15 for the break to 17.15 for uncovered in the break to 17.15 for January and 17.50 for May or 61 to 71 points net lower.

Cotton closed irregular and excited. January, 16.98; March, 16.98; May, 17.50; July, 17.50; October, 18.50.

Chicago Grain.
Chicago, Dec. 19.—Uncertainty and expectancy chiefly characterized the wheat market today. Opening prices which ranged from the same as yesterday's finish to 2 3/4 higher, with May at 1.64 1/2 to 1.65 1/2 and July at 1.38 1/2 to 1.39 1/2.

Wheat closed excited at 2 1/4 net decline to 7 1/2 advance with May at 1.64 1/2 to 1.65 1/2 and July at 1.38 1/2 to 1.39 1/2.

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Open evenings until 9 o'clock.

OPEN MEETING OF BOYS' CLUB MONDAY

Few Parents Attend, But Members
Stage Program of Much
Interest

Individually and collectively the Boys Club members started in their first open meeting of the season Monday night at the high school, the program of addresses, readings and music being contributed by boys only. The high school students attended the program in large numbers but the boys feel that they have not yet sufficiently educated their parents in the purposes and ambition of the club, as there were scarcely more than a dozen mothers and fathers present Monday. So they will continue their efforts of interesting the parents in the club and will give another open program some time later.

The program was quite a tribute to the efficiency and achievements of the departments of public speaking and music of the high school. All of the speakers are pupils of Miss Day, head of the expression and public speaking department and Miss Agnew, director of the music department scored a remarkable hit. The Boys Club quartet was unable to give their number, so the club sang an extra selection. These singers included: W. P. Akin, Herbert Zeider, Paul Pond, Luther Nelson, Robert Bell, Andrew Urban, Lester Leicher, John Albritton and Alfred Burnside. Thomas Burnside, a pupil of Miss Day, pleased his audience considerably with some negro dialect readings, an encore being demanded. The high school orchestra also contributed interesting numbers to the program.

The auditorium was pleasingly decorated for the occasion and the pictures of the Elson Art Exhibit were still hanging. This will be the last meeting of the club until Monday, January 8.

DENTON MAN SPEAKS TO TEACHERS TODAY

Talks By A. E. Chrislip and R. M. Johnson Feature This Morning's Program

A. E. Chrislip, instructor in education, Denton Normal College was the principal speaker of this morning's session of the Wichita County Teachers Institute, his address closing the morning program.

Owing to the high school chapel in the auditorium the opening of the session was postponed about 30 minutes. R. M. Johnson, former county superintendent, opened the program with an address on "Measuring the Efficiency of a Teacher."

"Probably the only way in which the efficiency of a teacher can be judged is by the reports that are sent to the county superintendent's office," Mr. Johnson said. "The trouble with most reports is that they are hurriedly fixed up to send to the county superintendent's office and that no care is taken that the questions are answered properly." Mr. Johnson then got a report sheet and explained all of the questions that have to be answered. He said that there was not another county in the state that had better rural schools than Wichita county.

"The Preparation of a Teacher" was the subject of the address by Mr. Chrislip.

Mr. Chrislip said that the largest opportunities to be had in teaching school were in the rural schools; it will not be long he said before there will be consolidated country high schools in all parts of the state and when that happens the country high school will be very much better than the city high school and will take better educated teachers. The trouble with some teachers, he said, was that they would think a pupil very bright when that pupil had only memorized the lesson and said it just as a parrot would say "Polly wants a cracker."

A teacher should be more of a companion of the pupil than an instructor. He told of when he was a rural school teacher and had a class of small children that were not old enough to go to school, but who learned very fast from watching the things that he did. He said the teacher that is not trained is the one that the public wants to get rid of.

COAL SHORTAGE IS NOW THREATENED ON KATY

Inability to secure a sufficient supply from the Newcastle mines has made the coal situation on the Katy and Northwestern a serious one and a very narrow margin is maintained above the actual operating needs of each day. Some coal has been hauled in over the Katy and some Colorado coal secured from the Tonawanda. It is stated that the Newcastle output is simply not large enough to supply the

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Boys' all-wool Mackinaws choice \$3.98

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617 Indiana Ave.

demand of the road, and some arrangements for the regular importation of coal, which has hitherto been a comparative rarity for this railroad will have to be made in the near future.

AMERICAN AMBASSADOR IS COLLECTING EVIDENCE

By Associated Press. Rome, Dec. 19.—The American am-

bassador Thomas N. Page, is gathering evidence from the 25 American hostlers on board the Italian steamship *Patema* torpedoed and sunk recently off the Spanish coast. This evidence tends to show that the steamship was sunk without warning and without having attempted to escape.

NEVER in THE HISTORY Of Our JEWELRY Business

Have we experienced the LARGE SALES we're making daily. New goods arriving all the time. One call will convince you that a sale is going on here all the time. Diamond Rings, Diamond Lavallieres, Diamond Ear Screws, Diamond Studs, Watches, Bracelet Watches; all kind of Jewelry, Cut Glass, Ivory; everything in this line, Sterling and Platedware.

MORRIS

Dependable Jewelry

Eighth and Indiana Ave.

WHO GETS THE MONEY YOU EARN?

It isn't the money you make that counts, but what you SAVE.

When you spend all the money you make someone else gets it—not you and your family who are entitled to it.

You may want to buy a home; you will want money for many things you actually need; that "Rainy Day" will be sure to come and then, are you going to grow old and be penniless? Don't do it. Start today.

COME IN NOW AND JOIN OUR

Christmas Banking Club

The Reasons for Christmas Banking Club

To provide a way for those of moderate and even small means to save money. To teach thrift to old and young by a systematic method of saving a specified sum each week. The Christmas Banking Club makes it easy for all to save.

It Costs Nothing to Join—

our Christmas Banking Club and it is an easy way to have money next Christmas. The plan is simple! You start with 10c, 5c, 2c or 1c and increase with the same amount each week.

Or you can deposit 50 cents, \$1.00, \$5.00 or more each week and deposit this same amount each week.

HOW TO JOIN

Look at the different Clubs in the table below, and select the one you wish to join, the 1c, 2c 5c, 10c, 50c, \$1.00, \$5.00—then **come to our Bank with the first weekly payment.** We will make you a member of the Club and give you a Christmas Banking Club Book showing the Club you have joined.

Come in
and get
a



Girls and women
can join our
Xmas Banking Club
Come in, ask about it.



Increase it
5 cents weekly
and have \$63.75 next Christmas.

WHAT THE DIFFERENT CLUBS WILL PAY YOU

1c Club	2c Club	5c Club	10c Club	50c Club	\$1.00 Club	\$5.00 Club	X Club
Payments	Payments	Payments	Payments	Payments	Payments	Payments	FOR
1st Week 1c	1st Week 2c	1st Week 5c	1st Week 10c	1st Week 50c	1st Week \$1.00	1st Week \$5.00	\$2, \$3, \$4
2nd Week 2c	2nd Week 4c	2nd Week 10c	2nd Week 20c	2nd Week 50c	2nd Wk. \$1.00	2nd Wk. \$5.00	\$10
3rd Week 3c	3rd Week 6c	3rd Week 15c	3rd Week 30c	3rd Week 50c	3rd Wk. \$1.00	3rd Wk. \$5.00	any amount
Increase Every Week by 1c. Total in 50 Weeks	Increase Every Week by 2c. Total in 50 Weeks	Increase Every Week by 5c. Total in 50 Weeks	Increase Every Week by 10c. Total in 50 Weeks	Deposit 50c. Every Week. Total in 50 Weeks	Deposit \$1.00. Every Week. Total in 50 Weeks	Deposit \$5.00. Every Week. Total in 50 Weeks	
\$12.75	\$25.50	\$63.75	\$127.50	\$25.00	\$50.00	\$250.00	

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WE PAY FOUR PER CENT INTEREST IN OUR CHRISTMAS BANKING CLUB

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OF WICHITA FALLS

YES,

Everyone can
eat butter now
It is nice and clean
and good

Only 30c a pound
PREMIUM DELO

This is better than the
kind you have tried.
Let us show you

Kings Grocery
721 Seventh Street
Phone 604

WANTED TO BUY Second Hand Furniture and Stoves

Phone 1011 **Star Furniture Co.**

Miscellaneous Wants

WANTED—Cast off men's clothing and shoes, phone 434. 189 14tp

AUTO repairing at Cash Garage at Leucke's shop, Ohio and Sixth streets, Wichita Falls, Texas. 181 tlc

WANTED—Passengers to go to Seymour from Wichita on Service car line. At 8:30 a. m. the Pronto service car will make regular trips to and from Seymour. Starting from 8th and Ohio Avenue. Phone 1198. 185-5tp

WANTED—To do auto and car painting and upholstering, and top finishing. 909-12 Scott Avenue. Phone 1353. 186-6tc

We buy all kinds of office furniture and fixtures, desks, filing cabinets, show cases, tables, etc. McFall Transfer and Storage Co., phone 14. 36 tlc

WANTED—Nine or ten room house, suitable for roomers, address 301 Sixth street, phone 2178. 187-3tp

WANTED—Gentleman or lady, employed during day to take a well furnished front room, walking distance of town, schools and churches. Good board close by. Between Ninth and Tenth streets. Apply 907 Bluff, phone 1477. 188 tlc

WANTED—Two completely furnished light housekeeping rooms in residence section. Address post office box 220. 189-3tp

WANTED—Light housekeeping rooms, modern, close in, call 1008 Indiana Avenue. 189-3tc

Housekeeping Rooms

FOR RENT—Furnished housekeeping rooms at 1406 Broad phone 244. 161 tlc

FOR RENT—Furnished housekeeping rooms, \$2.50 per week, 1005 Travis, phone 1580. 174 tlc

FOR RENT—Two light housekeeping rooms, very desirable neighborhood, phone 1304. 176 tlc

FOR RENT—Two large well furnished rooms for light housekeeping 509 Scott. 181 tlc

FOR RENT—Two furnished light housekeeping rooms. 1206 Twelfth street, phone 1624. 183-6tp

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping rooms close in. Phone Mrs. Bertram Jones-Kennedy's or phone 1830 after 6 p. m. 184-6tc

FOR RENT—3 furnished housekeeping rooms, 1417 Ninth street, phone 2266. 187-3tp

FOR RENT—One suite of furnished housekeeping rooms. Phone 2664. 1210 Indiana. 87-3tc

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping, 1405 Fourteenth street, phone 1250. 189-3tp

For Rent—Bedrooms

FOR RENT—Large, south side front rooms, American Hotel. 159 tlc

FOR RENT—A nice large room, 1008 Scott, phone 2196. 177 tlc

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished upstairs front bedroom, gentleman preferred. 1106 Burnett street, phone 549. 179 tlc

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished bedroom rooms close in, call Mrs. Bertram Jones & Kennedy's. 181 tlc

FOR RENT—Lovely upstairs bedroom in private home, all modern conveniences call at 1106 Burnett or phone 549. 187-3tc

FOR RENT—Bed room, 401 Scott, phone 1741. 188-3tp

Chickens, Eggs and Pet Stock

FOR SALE—50 single comb white Leghorns, yearling hens and pullets, phone 157. 177-13tp

For Rent

FOR RENT—Farm, phone 1580, 87-9tc

Livestock

FOR SALE—3 span good mules, apply Peoples Ice Co., phone 81. 180 tlc

FOR SALE—8 head heavy work mules; one good family horse; rubber tire surry; harness. All in good condition, ready for service. Wichita Ice Co. 185-6tc

FOR SALE—4 head of Jersey cattle, one fresh, two springers, one yearling and one cream separator, phone 1647. 1100 Duval street. 187-3tc

FOR SALE—Horse, wagon, harness, buggy. Also fine business paying \$40 per month. Will take \$95.00 for all, leaving city. Address Box 850. 189-3tp

Situations Wanted

WANTED—Stenographic position in Wichita Falls by young lady stenographer, employed in Dallas. Experienced. Address care Times. 185-13tp

WANTED—Position in Doctors or dentists office by refined lady. Phone 610. 187-3tc

For Sale or Trade

FOR SALE OR TRADE—5 passenger Cadillac, 1918 Model. Has not been run over 15,000 miles, phone 1320. C. J. Joline. 187-3tp

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List your Lots

With **Cravens Walker & Co.**

Kemp & Kell Building Phone 694

For Sale—City Property

FOR SALE—New modern 5 room bungalow and two vacant lots on 9th street, phone 1227. 153 tlc

Will sacrifice my house, horse and wagon reasonably. For full particulars, address box 850. 185-3tp

FOR SALE—New five room house on Eleventh street, in the best block in town, price \$3250.00.

Six room house on Tenth street, 2090 block; a nice home for \$3500.

Five room house on 10th street, the best buy on Tenth street at \$2350.

Five room house and store building between Ninth and Tenth, on Van Buren, a bargain at \$2750.

Five room house close in on Ninth street, a bargain at \$2750.

Room 5 Friberg Bldg, phone 201. 175 tlc

FOR SALE—Rooming and boarding house, close in property. Well furnished, doing good business. See me about this. J. J. Simon, phone 472, room 3 Ward Bldg. 179 tlc

FOR SALE—Two of the best lots on Tenth street corner, and can be bought for \$2750, might sell separate. Thomas & Bland, phone 99. 181 tlc

FOR SALE—The house with style on Tenth street, 5 extra large rooms, edge-grain floors, highly polished. Brick mantle with tile and grate. Gasoline fire doors, with glass door knobs. French glass doors in front, part of house, very expensive light and bath fixtures. Beautiful decorations in papering, solid concrete foundation, concrete driveway, real nice garage and fences. The price is only \$3500.00 and a great bargain. Thomas and Bland, phone 99. 181 tlc

FOR SALE—Nice 5 room bungalow, floral heights, on corner, price \$1350. On very easy terms, handled exclusively by R. H. Chancellor, phone 1352. 186-3tc

FOR SALE—One 1/2 room house in Floral Heights. Price \$1650.00 will sell for small payment down, balance monthly or will take good cash payment, phone 1010. 187-3tc

Do you want a nice home 25 per cent cheaper than you can build at present. For few days I offer my modern five rooms, 2006 Ninth street on car line, at a bargain. All conveniences. Block of Alamo school, good neighborhood, lot 30x150, nice garden, chicken lot, for \$2500, easy terms. Look it over, phone 555 owner. 187-3tp

FOR SALE—One small cash register, also 2 typewriters, cheap, for cash. Winfrey Gun Store, 711 Eighth street, phone 388. 187-6tc

FOR SALE—New and Second hand bicycles at right prices, also air rifles, roller skates, foot balls, boxing gloves, striking bags, and pocket cutlery. Gun Store, 711 Eighth street, phone 388. 187-6tc

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For Rent—Houses

FOR RENT—Several houses. See R. B. Goraline, Phone 739 or residence 1234tc

FOR RENT—Nice 4 room house, \$15.00 per month, 1517 Fifteenth. 171 tlc

FOR RENT—Several houses, some good, some cheap. W. E. Frieze, phone 618. 184-6tc

FOR RENT—Six room resident, No. 1110 Tenth street, phone 496, or 373. 186 tlc

FOR RENT—A nice 4 room house 1114 Elmwood street, phone 645, or 1309. 189 tlc

FOR RENT OR LEASE—The Terminal Hotel 200 feet, north of Union depot, 25 bed rooms, lobby large and well lighted dining room and kitchen large hot and cold water in each room modern throughout, 50 foot front, a money maker for you. See A. L. Lane, Sr., phone 487. 187 tlc

FOR RENT—A servant house, 2012 Tenth street, phone 677. 188 tlc

For Sale—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—Chalmers five passenger automobile, 1913 model, 56 horse power motor, 6 cylinder, cost \$2800 new, will sell at a sacrifice for quick sale. J. S. Minum, Phone 110 and 1108. 186 tlc

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FOR SALE—\$100.00 scholarship to the College of M and A for Mrs. W. H. Sullivan at Kahn's Store. 184-6tc

FOR SALE—One good gas heater, phone 1162. 186-3tc

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Two nice lots on 12th street south of 10th in nice neighborhood, \$850.00 each, one third cash.

Nice five room house on 17th street, on the car line, gas, lights and water in house. Sewer in street, but not connected. Owner must sell, price \$1400.00, one third cash.

55x150 feet on the corner of Lee and Fourth streets, with sidewalk, gas, water and sewer tap on lot. A fine location for some rental house and at a bargain at \$750.00 one-third cash.

J. S. BRIDWELL, Phone 661.

FOR SALE—On easy terms, the greatest bargain in town, one four-room house and three vacant lots near the court house. See Creed Bros. Phone 1315.

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With the service you are getting from your cleaner and presser? Are your clothes clean and delivered just when you want them? If so then you don't need us. But if you are not satisfied, phone us, a trial will convince you, words never will. We appreciate the necessity of giving our patrons prompt and efficient service.

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MONEY TO LOAN

Plenty of money to loan on first class real estate securities, at reasonable rates. Terms to suit you.

Wichita Southern Life Insurance Co. Fifth Floor Kemp & Kell Building

For Sale—Farms and Ranches

FOR SALE—3 1/2 miles, Dundee, Archer county, Texas, 240 acres, 140 been cultivated, no trees, 2000 ft. high, fenced, water, school, 1000 ft. value. Only \$10.00 bonus, \$200.00 state, M. D. Bell, owner, San Pedro, Calif., 81-1210

A good 5 room house on Eighth street, two lots corner. Price \$2500. \$100 down balance like paying rent. A good chance to save a home. These two lots are worth the money asked for the property.

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PERSONALS

A. P. Mitchell of Fort Worth, salesman for the Mitchell motor cars, is in the city on business.

R. J. Pope, commercial agent for the Northwestern, went to Mineral Wells on business yesterday.

J. W. Butz, superintendent for the Northwestern left for an inspection over the line this morning.

Frank Burnett of Fort Worth, special agent for the Denver, was in the city on business today.

E. E. Maer, superintendent for the Wichita Valley, returned this afternoon from a trip over the line.

C. O. Simmons, travelling freight agent for the Denver went to Abilene on business this morning.

R. G. Fitzpatrick of Childress, superintendent for the Denver, was a visitor at that roads local offices this morning.

Judge John C. Kay left for Cordell, Okla., this afternoon on professional business.

Mrs. E. G. Martin of Stamford arrived yesterday and is the guest of Mrs. Geo. W. Eagle while en route to Sherman.

E. E. Sanders left last night for a business trip to Dallas.

W. A. Huper left this afternoon for Houston to spend Christmas with relatives.

A. A. Dickson, manager of the St. James hotel and wife will leave tomorrow to spend the holidays with relatives in Chicago.

Mrs. Joseph Polifino of Frederick, was a visitor in the city today.

Mrs. W. W. Larkin of Mason, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. R. Carrington, 712 1/2 North Street, returned home today.

J. A. Murphy, trainmaster for the Fort Worth & Denver returned today from Fort Worth, where he had been with a shipment of explosives.

Mrs. G. V. Harris of Frederick, who has been visiting her daughter in Dallas, was in the city today returning home. Her daughter, Miss Nell Harris of Dallas, accompanied her home.

Miss Delphano Wyatt and Miss Margaret Noble who have been attending the C. I. A. Normal School in Denton returned today to spend the holidays with relatives.

Ridney Pew of Frederick, was a visitor in the city today.

Dr. J. W. DuVal
Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat
First National Bank Building

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR RENT—Two modern unfurnished rooms on car line. 1005 Seventeenth street. Phone 1168. 89 31c

FOR SALE—An Irish setter bird dog, about three years old. A good worker. Will retrieve. Address P. O. Box 565, city. 89 31p

CIGARS FOR CHRISTMAS

If you want to make the smoker happy, you give him something that caters to his pleasure—and that's a box of good cigars—

This Store Has Always Been Headquarters for Quality Cigars—

LADIES who desire to make a present of a box of cigars to the men should come here to buy those cigars. We will help you select, so that you can give him the brand that he appreciates most, and with the fullest credit to yourself—

We are showing a big stock of cigars in boxes of 12, 25 and 50 cigars—Prices 50c per box up

First Attention To All Orders For The Sick **Palace Drug Store** Special Attention Given Our Prescription Dept.

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We are distributors for this section of the state for the new St. Louis Cash Register, and have a shipment in stock.

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TUESDAY
America's foremost screen favorites are featured today. The most versatile star, LOIS WILSON in a film version of intense emotion at interest

"HER CHANCE"
The popular male star, Wm. V. MONG in a 101 Bison feature.

"THE SON OF A REBEL CHIEF"
a drama of patriotic thrill

EDITH ROBERTS in
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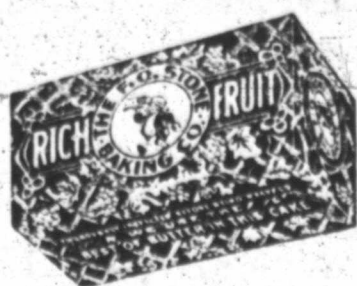
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