

with Kars as its capital to the Caspian Sea, where Baku is the capital of the Azerbaijan republic together with a line of Turks, Kurds and Tatars.

CHERISHED HOPE OF ARMENIA WAS ONCE A REALITY

Special to The Times.
WASHINGTON, April 22.—"Independent Armenia," now cherished hope, once was a reality, as shown by an interesting sketch of the land's history, from a communication to the National Geographic Society by Hester Donaldson Jenkins.

In a preceding bulletin the Armenian people and their customs were described. The historical bulletin follows:

"Emerging from tradition, a distinct Armenian people appears about 1000 B. C., dwelling on the tablelands near Ararat. Having no natural boundaries, the state was seldom independent, but was subjugated in turn by Babylonians, the Medes and Persians, the Seleucidae and the Romans. The ancient Oriental idea of conquest left, however, a good chance of national development. Conquest meant little more than tribute. The Armenians boast of a proud culture during the ancient period and lines of noble kings. The Armenians were closely allied to the Persians by religion, culture, and propinquity and were one of the few ancient peoples who were never Hellenized.

In Middle Ages.
"It is in the early Middle Ages—ages that we of the west call 'dark,' but that to the Near East was a period of great culture—that Armenia attained its highest position, and it is through Christianity that it made its contribution to the world.

"In the year 310 B. C., 15 years before the establishment of the Greek Church, the Armenian Church was founded by Kriwor or Gregory the Illuminator, and Armenia became the bulwark of Christianity in the East. Gregory was baptized by Christian relatives in his childhood. His story is an interesting one, telling of an early marriage, the birth of two sons, then of his vocation and entrance into a monastery, of his attaching himself to Tiridates, who soon became king, of Tiridates' persecution of Gregory because he would not accept the old gods, of years in prison, of his release in response to a vision, his miracles, the conversion of Tiridates and the baptism of a thousand Armenians, until in eight years Armenia was fully Christianized and the religion was adopted by the state. The mummied hand of Saint Gregory is still laid on the head of every bishop at his consecration, thus carrying on the most perfect apostolic succession in the world.

"The glories of independent Armenia quickly passed. With the seventh century there arose a power in the East more fatal to Armenia than any of her ancient enemies—the religion of Islam. Like wildfire, the religion of Muhammad spread from Arabia to Gibraltar, but when it reached the Armenian people it found a substance it could not consume; the Armenians could not be converted to Islam, although their kingdom could be burned to ashes and their people enslaved. Like fire and water, Islam and Christianity met and struggled, but neither could destroy the other, until they settled down in the same land, suddenly irreconcilable.

"The races might long ago have been blended for they are not temperamentally antagonistic, but the two clashing religions, each claiming the world for its kingdom, could never be reconciled.

"First, as the followers of the Prophet conquered and the Armenian provinces of Byzantium, came the Arabs; later came the Seljuk Turks and subjugated part of Armenia, and finally the Ottoman Turk conquered a vast empire and set up his mosque in Agia Sofia.

"Mohammed the Conqueror had not enough Moslem subjects to fill his empire or his conquered city, so he accepted his great body of Christian subjects with tolerance of their laws, customs and religion. He left the 'Rayahs,' or Christians, contemptuously alone, granting them, however, no civil or military advancement unless they accepted Islam.

"The Ottoman Empire was organized in 'millets,' a religious division, there being an Orthodox millet, a Gregorian millet, a Catholic millet, and a Jewish millet, and in the nineteenth century a Protestant millet. Each of these millets has its head, who is its representative or ambassador at the Porte. This is not a purely ecclesiastical position but is really a diplomatic and political office and demands intellectual rather than spiritual qualifications.

"The 'Armenian Question' was brought about by the entrance of Russia upon the stage. Toward the end of the eighteenth century the province of Karabagh, peopled by 200,000 Armenians and 100,000 Moslems, and governed by Armenian chiefs under the suzerainty of Persia, was conquered by Russia, so that Armenia was divided between Persia, Russia and Turkey. The Armenians in Persia have been treated well and are content; the Armenians in Turkey were enjoying fair treatment up to 1876.

THOUSANDS OF ALIENS LEAVE U. S. DAILY FOR OWN LANDS WITH RICHES



APPLICANTS FOR PASSPORTS AT CUSTOM HOUSE

Uncle Sam's customs officials in New York are working themselves into a state of nerves these days with the formalities of speeding on their way to foreign climes the members of a constantly growing army of alien war guests lured home by the prospect of peace. Fully a thousand are leaving every day, and the number is constantly growing. As early as three o'clock every morning the line of these homing aliens, eager to have their passports vised, begins to form at the Custom House, and hundreds stand in line all day. Most of the men came to this country either just before the war started, in 1914, or very soon afterward. They have spent the war period working here in munition plants, shipyards and other industries, earning big wages, and almost every man among them is taking home with him a fat roll of money earned here. By far the great majority just now are Italians within military age who know that when they reach their homeland they will be subject to arrest and imprisonment for avoiding military service; but they are willing to take the chance. Those in this class almost to a man smilingly confide to the customs officials that they are going back with a fortune and that a little sojourn in prison will not matter. Afterward they will buy farms in Italy and till the soil to do their part patriotically to supply the man power of their country so sadly diminished by the year.

"But the trouble had begun, for Russia had framed a policy for the protection of the 'Rayahs' of the Ottoman Empire and annoyed Turkey greatly by her intervention and demands for reform. At first it was her corsairists, the Orthodox Christians, Slav or Greek, whom Russia sought to protect, but later it included the Armenians.

"In 1876 there came to the throne of Turkey one of the most cruel and abominable tyrants whom the world has ever known—Abdul Hamid. Shortly after occurred the Russo-Turkish War. At the Treaty of San Stefano, that closed the war, the grievances of the Armenians were definitely put forward, and Russia engaged to carry out reforms in the provinces inhabited by the Armenians and to guarantee them security against Kurds and Circassians."

FAY MCKINLEY IS HERE IN INTEREST OF ROUND-UP

Fay McKinley, of Fort Worth, representing Marion Sanson Jr. and others, financially interested in the coming Wichita Falls Round-Up of May 15-17, was in this city today, conferring with various members of the chamber of commerce in charge of the business details of the show. McKinley stated that if the big exhibition is put over here on the lines now planned there should be no difficulty in making it an annual spring event in Wichita Falls.

DIRECTORS OF THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE POSTPONE MEETING

The board of directors of the chamber of commerce failed to hold its regular weekly meeting today, owing to the presence of many members at the Victory Loan committee meeting at the Elks lodge. The chamber will hold its regular session tomorrow.

With only three directors present, and several visitors, Duffy Mapes, photographer, showed in the chamber's rooms a motion picture of the Burkburnett oil field. Mapes hopes to sell the film to the chamber to be used in advertising this city and territory.

GREAT BRITAIN SECURES A LOAN FROM SPAIN

By Associated Press.
MADRID, April 22.—The financial convention between Spain and Great Britain which had been under discussion for several weeks, was signed Monday. Under the agreement Spain will loan Great Britain 75,000,000 pesetas at five per cent in return for which Great Britain will permit the free importation of oranges and will export 150,000 tons of coal monthly to Spain.

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SOCIAL ITEMS

Mrs. J. W. Hoover of Fort Worth, is the guest of Miss Ethel Chamberlain of 1503 Bluff-st. Mrs. Hoover is a sister of Mrs. Kendall, who is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Russell at Call Field.

POSTPONE MEETING OF LADIES' BIBLE CLASS

The meeting of the Ladies' Bible class of the M. E. Church South, which was announced for this afternoon has been postponed to meet Thursday afternoon at the church with Mesdames Hutton, Hartsook and Roberts acting as hostesses.

EPWORTH LEAGUE TO ENTERTAIN THURSDAY

The young people of the First M. E. Church, South, will be entertained in the League rooms of the church next Thursday evening with a social consisting of a short program and games. The League is especially active at this time in securing new members and in making the League a place of welcome for the young people of the church. All young people of the church and all others desiring to become acquainted with the Epworth League and its work are cordially invited to attend the social Thursday evening.

MISS DOROTHY BEAVERS WEDS ODDER R. HARTT

On Monday evening, April 21, Miss Dorothy Beavers, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Beavers, became the bride of Odder Raymond Hartt, the nephew being solemnized at the First Presbyterian church, the pastor, Rev. N. F. Grafton, reading the ring ceremony. The church was exceptionally attractive with profuse Easter decorations, the choir left being draped in white with lattice of vines, overhanging, and the flowers used were Easter lilies. Tall cathedral candles were burning on the railing about the choir.

Preceding the entrance of the wedding party, a program was given by Miss Marion Maer, violinist, Miss Veale, Mrs. C. Y. Tully and J. W. Akin, Jr., vocalists, and Mrs. O. E. Maer, organist. Miss Maer played "Because," followed by "Love's Old Sweet Song," sung by Miss Veale, Mrs. Tully and Mr. Akin. Mrs. Tully then sang, "For You a Rose."

Miss Pauline Hitchcock and L. W. Callender, Miss Elizabeth Hughes of Whitehouse, wedding of Miss Beavers, Mrs. Tully and Mr. Akin, here from St. Paul, sister of the bride and maid of honor, preceded by little Ona Bell.

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Britain as flower girl, coming from the vestibule down the two aisles, preceded the entrance of the bride, on the arm of her father, while the minister and the groom and best man, Walter Empia, came from the study, just off the pulpit.

The bride wore a particularly charming picture in her wedding gown of white satin and hand embroidered "georgette" tulle, the skirt draped and entrain. Her tulle veil was caught about her head with strings of pearls and she carried a shower bouquet of bride's roses and lilies. Her only ornament was the silver R. M. A. ring, the insignia of the groom, who has only recently received his discharge as a lieutenant in the air service.

The maid of honor wore a frock of The two bridesmaids wore dainty turquoise blue georgette and carried an armful of pink, yellow and blue, ruffled organza bouquets and carried baskets of sweet peas to harmonize with their frocks. Miss Nichols wore an orchid frock, while Miss Hughes favored the pink. The little flower girl, Ona Bell Britain, was dainty in white organza, with pale blue ribbons, and her basket was of ivory wicker filled with pink rose petals.

The groom and his attendants were in full dress. The church was filled with friends of the bride and groom, and the family and several tiers of seats at the front were reserved for the closer friends of the family, and for the girl friends of the bride. Following the point, they will be at home shortly after May 1, at 1606 Elizabeth street.

The wedding of Monday night was the culmination of romance that began during the days of war, when the groom was sent to call Field for advanced flying training. After the signing of the armistice and the receiving of his discharge he came back to Wichita Falls and entered the oil business, and will make this his home. Before entering the service he lived in Fort Wayne, Indiana. All of his attendants were similarly in the air service, and his friends at Call Field, and now in business in this city.

The bride is one of the most attractive and popular girls of her social circle. She is a graduate of the University of Texas, receiving her degree in June, 1917. She has grown from childhood to "womanhood" womanhood in Wichita Falls and through her delightful personality has won the friendship of all ages, and the interest of all of those who manifested in the wedding of Monday. There was a handsome array of gifts received by the young people, prominent among them an attractive etched crystal service from the office of the Wichita Mill & Elevator, of which the bride's father is superintendent, and a similarly handsome silver service from the employees in the mill.

MRS. FLEMING ENTERTAINS LADIES OF CENTRAL CHURCH

Mrs. George Fleming entertained the Ladies Aid of the Central Presbyterian church at her home at 1706 Tenth street Monday afternoon. As this was the first meeting of the new year, the time was given entirely to business of plans for the coming year. Mesdames Dutton and Pain were elected representatives to the state convention which meets next month, and Mesdames Phil Kerr and George Fleming were elected alternates.

Oil Men Requested to Meet

We, the undersigned members of the local Advisory Board of the Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association, urgently request every man interested in the oil business to attend the meeting Wednesday evening of this week at the county court house. Signed by: Roy B. Jones, G. C. Wood, Thomas Morrissey, L. C. Hendrick and W. E. Norton. 294-1

AMUSEMENTS

MARY PICKFORD COMING THURSDAY AND FRIDAY

Once before has Mary Pickford played a Scotch role—in "The Pride of the Clan," one of her most popular Arctcraft pictures. In "Captain Kidd Jr." her new photoplay which will be shown at the Empress theatre Thursday and Friday, she is again Scotch, but transplanted from the leather to somewhere in America, as the granddaughter of August MacTavish, keeper of a curio and bookshop where the buried treasure, which is the basic idea of the story, is first noticed about.

And Mary is said to be most winning, close-fisted, lovable and at the same time, irritating little person you would find from one coast to the other. She keeps Jim Gleason, engaged in writing a novel, dangling till the very end. And she is a demon at a trade—so that when the book with the secret plan of the buried treasure appears, she is one of the foremost in arranging for the search which takes them to Cabbage Center—and thereafter the sale is one of the most engrossing, amusing and whimsical character.

On the stage, this play by Rida Johnson Young was a great success. In the films with Mary Pickford in the lead it seems destined to create even a greater furor, to judge by the reports emanating from the studio where it was recently completed by William D. Taylor. Frances Marion adapted the comedy to the screen.

MABEL NORMAND COMING IN "SIS HOPKINS" ROLE

"Sis Hopkins"—Mabel Normand! From now on admirers of Goldwyn's unique comedienne will never dissociate one from the other. Mabel Normand bids fair to score the greatest hit of her career.

Completely sinking her own personality into that of the Hoosier hoyden, she achieves a feat of acting like nothing she has ever done. Mabel Normand is the character already known in every city, town and hamlet of America through the success of the stage play in which Rose Melville

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Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey Will Help to Relieve You.

The first dose will produce gratifying results. The second will convince you Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey is unequalled. Soon you forget you ever were a cold sufferer.

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made millions laugh a score of years ago. Miss Melville, who assisted Miss Normand in costuming the part, is declared that the screen "Sis Hopkins" promises to be even funnier than it was as a nationally successful stage play.

There is a touch of histrionic genius in Mabel Normand's portrayal of "Sis Hopkins," and this, together with an absorbing story, dramatic and conclusively funny by turns, causes Goldwyn to predict a success which will sweep the nation. Mabel Normand will justify every belief in her right to occupy a place in her profession—and in the hearts of her admirers—that she has never held before. At the Majestic on Thursday.

BLAIR'S COMEDIANS TO OPEN HERE SATURDAY

Jesse Blair's comedians, favorably known here, will open a week's stand here beginning next Saturday. This will be the first stock company of the season showing here under canvases. The company is composed of 30 people including a jazz orchestra.

"A GRAIN OF DUST" AT PLAZA AIRDOME TONIGHT

The Crest's adaptation of David Graham Phillips story, "A Grain of Dust," showing at the Plaza tonight, was produced and directed by Harry Revier. It is an artistically made picture, and contains more than one dash

of sensationalism that will make it popular with certain audiences. And no matter what a personal criticism might be we have to admit that the production is strong enough in human appeal to make it exceedingly popular with all.

The characterization as delineated in the picture is intensely interesting, and we may add further that the production is not a one-star proposition. Lillian Walker, interpreting the role of Dorothy Halliwell, "the grain of dust," which is unpremeditatedly dropped on the intellectual machinery of one Frederick Norman, does an effective piece of work. Yet not more effective in her portrayal of the weak and unprotected feminine than that of the character of Frederick Norman by Ramsey Mallow.

And if one may depart from the usual method of eulogizing the title role we would say that the character of the man Norman not only provides more opportunities to the player but is more interesting by way of analysis than that of the woman who is blown rather and thither struggling weakly against the prevailing conditions. The man in the question is of that type, which, possessing a powerful intellect and a selfish nature, strives by peculiar and weak-fibered means, to remove the disturbing "grain of dust," or rather to convert the disturbing element into an avenue which would mean added power and pleasure to himself.

Since the entrance of Miss Edith Day, the bright young star of "Going

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EMPRESS THEATRE

TODAY

"Butts" Conroy falls in love with the niece of a famous scientist. Because "Butts" is a press agent instead of a bugologist, the uncle frowns severely on his suit. And then the fun begins!

CARLYLE BLACKWELL

AND

EVELYN GREELEY

Are co-starred in the picture that tells the story of "Butts" and his love affair. It's a World Picture and the title of it is

"HIT OR MISS"

CHARLIE CHAPLIN

"THE FIREMAN"



Yes, it's a re-issue, has been seen and enjoyed by quite a number in our city, but it's good enough to see again and if you haven't seen it you will wonder why you didn't when it was here before, for it's about as good as anything the world's greatest fun maker ever did.

—TOMORROW—

THE KIDS ARE AT IT AGAIN!
TRAVELLING BY PARCEL POST!
KIDNAPPING AN AIRPLANE!
SEE

JANE AND KATHERINE LEE

In the WILLIAM FOX Comedy

"SMILES"

A story of two little girls whose pranks are perilous, but who manage to make everybody happy—especially those in the audience.

PLAZA AIRDOME

TONIGHT

LILLIAN WALKER

—IN—

"GRAIN OF DUST"

A famous novel unfolded from the screen.

A Grain of Dust may clog the mechanism of the universe.

The Plaza now has all its new equipment and our pictures cannot be surpassed.

Adults 20c

Children 10c

WICHITA THEATRE

TODAY

"THE OLD MAID'S BABY"

In Five Parts of Human Interest

It's a Circus Story—with clown, bareback riders, ladies in spangles, and everything! Baby Marie plays "Tiny," daughter of the Clown and the Parachutist, who lose their lives while performing. "Tiny" is adopted by her mother's prim and high-brow "old maid" sister.

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The dandy little peppy musical show has been retained for another week. The opening bill Monday is something entirely new and different from anything that has ever been offered before in our city.

Prices—Matinee 25c Night, 50c, 35c 25c
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—TOMORROW—

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—IN—

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MARY McLAUREN

In

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—TOMORROW—

ALICE BRADY

—IN—

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GOMPERS PERFORMS GREAT SERVICE FOR COUNTRY.

Congressman Thomas L. Blanton

has issued a statement in which he

attacks Samuel Gompers of the Amer-

ican Federation of Labor and labor

unions. He asserts that "labor union-

ism, socialism and bolshevism were

working hand in hand and were prac-

tically identical."

It is true that there are socialistic

elements in the labor unions and prob-

ably something of bolshevism. Prob-

ably nobody knows this better than

Mr. Gompers himself. It is to his

credit that his sturdy Americanism

caused him even before the declara-

tion of war, to wage a sturdy fight

to whip out these elements and to

line up labor solidly in support of the

government. Mr. Gompers performed

a great service for his country and for

the cause of civilization.

Mr. Blanton doubtless has cause

for honest disagreement with Mr.

Gompers but the latter's record has

been such as ought to cause the con-

gressman to hesitate before he in-

pugns his motives.

VIGILANCE IS THE PRICE OF

LIBERTY.

The dictators of old Rome had a

way of declaring a holiday, providing

a feast or building some great public

work or undertaking a campaign

against some tribe or people whenever

the populace threatened to become dis-

satisfied with their rule. They threw

these things as a sop to the people

while the rights of Roman citizenship

were being usurped and abrogated.

The danger of this practice being

followed in America is perhaps re-

mote but it is nevertheless present.

It is conceivable that the time might

come when an administration might

do this or that public work in this or

that section for the purpose of win-

ning or holding favor with the people.

Vigilance is the price of Liberty

and public undertakings by the fed-

eral government may well be scruti-

nized.

PROMOTING A FEELING OF

PARTNERSHIP.

The Willys Overland Company has

just issued profit sharing checks

among its employees aggregating

\$4,000,000. More than 15,000 em-

ployees share in the profits. Employees

of the Willys-Overland company doubt-

less feel that they have a very real

and genuine partnership in that great

industry. Having this feeling they

are certain to give the most intelli-

gent and sympathetic co-operation

that lies within them.

The Willys-Overland Company is

one of the biggest industrial concerns

in this country. Very practical men

are at the head of this great con-

cern. When men of their caliber and

concerns of this magnitude decide un-

on sharing of profits with their em-

ployees it certainly indicates that it is

no longer an experiment.

The humble spinach has become an

important food commodity. Austin is

the biggest spinach shipping point in

the United States. Already this sea-

son more than 400 cars of spinach

have been shipped from that place.

LITTLE STORIES FOR BEDTIME.

By HOWARD R. GARIS

Uncle Wiggly and the Water Barrel.

Uncle Wiggly Longears, the bun-

ny rabbit gentleman, sat up in his

bed of dried leaves in his hollow

stump bungalow one morning.

"What's that funny sound I hear?"

asked the rabbit, making his pink

nose twinkle like a sun flower.

What he heard was a splashy,

splashing, roosting, bubbling, chug-

gling sound. Uncle Wiggly hopped

out of bed and looked from the win-

dow. Down in the yard he saw Nurse

Jane Fuzzy Wuzzy, his muskrat lady

housekeeper, stringing the clothes

line.

Why, my goodness, me sakes alive

and some called peaches!" cried the

bunny. "Here it is wash day, and I'm

rot up to help Nurse Jane. I must

hurry!"

Quickly he jumped into his clothes,

quickly he hopped down stairs and

quickly he ate his breakfast of fried

orange lollypop with cabbage sauce

sprinkled over them. Then Uncle Wig-

gly went out in the yard.

"Oh, Nurse Jane!" he said. "I'm sor-

ry I didn't get up early to help you

cut the clothes pins, or make the

soap suds for you! Can't I help you

now, with the washing, before I go

off to look for an adventure?"

"It is very kind of you to offer, I'm

sure," said Nurse Jane. "If you like

you may bring me in some water

from the barrel outside."

"What's the matter with the water

you get from the faucet over the

kitchen sink?" asked the bunny.

"Oh, that it what we call hard wa-

ter," said Nurse Jane. "I don't mean

that it feels hard, but that it won't

make a good, soapy lather to wash the

clothes. Just outside the bungalow is

a barrel of rain water. If you'll bring

me in some pails of that water, which

is nice and soft, I'll make a good

lather and wash your shirts."

"That will be nice," said Uncle Wig-

gly. "I'll bring you in a lot of soft

water from the rain barrel. Nurse

Jane!" For the water in the barrel

at the corner of the bungalow was

some that had rained down from the

clouds. Rain water is nice and soft

for washing clothes, and makes a fine

suds for blowing pipe-bubbles, too.

Uncle Wiggly took a pail and

dipped it in the rain water barrel.

When with the pail dripping full, the

bunny carried it to the tubs in the

kitchen where Nurse Jane was wash-

ing.

And as Uncle Wiggly dipped up

and carried into the bungalow the wa-

ter from the rain barrel he twinkled

his pink nose and even whistled a lit-

tle song.

"This may not be a very exciting

adventure," said the bunny rabbit,

"but it's helping Nurse Jane, and I

ought to be glad to do it. But, all the

same, I wish something would hap-

pen," said Uncle Wiggly. And it did.

All of a sudden, too.

Just after Uncle Wiggly had drawn

about the tenth pail of water, and the

rain barrel was nearly empty, and he

had to stoop away down in over the

rim to fill the pail, just as this hap-

pened, all at once, around the corner

of the bungalow, came stalking the

bad old Pipsisewah.

"Ah, ha! Oh, ho!" gurgled the pip-

sisewah. "I am having better luck

than I hoped for. I have found you

at home, Uncle Wiggly."

"Yes, I see," said the bunny

rabbit, "and I wish I didn't. What are

you going to do with me, Mr. Pip?"

"You know what I'm going to do,"

growled the bad creature. "I'm going

to carry you off to my den and scrape

all the souse off your ears."

"Oh, dear! I thought you'd do that!"

sadly said the bunny. "But, before you

take me away, will you just do one

favor for me and also for Nurse

Jane?"

"What is it?" growled the Pipsisewah.

"Speak quickly, I have no time

to waste."

"Just did out one more pail of water

from the rain barrel," said Uncle Wig-

gly, slyly. "Nurse Jane needs just

one more pail to finish the washing."

"Well, I'll dip one and no more!"

growled the Pip. "And then off to my

den I'll take you."

He picked up the pail, walked over

to the rain barrel, and leaning over

the edge reached down to dip up the

water. Farther and farther and low-

er and lower dipped the Pipsisewah,

for the water in the barrel was almost

gone, and he had to stoop away down.

And then what do you think Uncle

Wiggly did?

Why, he just gave a sudden hop and

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a jump, and he tipped that bad Pip-

sisewah up head first by his hind legs

and he toppled him over right down

inside the rain water barrel.

"Oh, ho! Now who's caught?" cried

Uncle Wiggly.

"I guess I am," gurgled the bad Pip-

sisewah, and so he was. And he had to stay

in the rain water barrel until a po-

liceman dog came along and took him

to the hollox tree jail.

So the bad creature didn't get the

bunny that day, and Nurse Jane soon

had the washing done. And if the

pussy cat doesn't take the mud pie

away from the puppy dog when

they're having a play party, I'll tell

you next about Uncle Wiggly's new

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PLEADS MISTAKE AFTER SHOOTING A NEIGHBOR

By Associated Press

NACOGDOCHES, TEX., April 22.—

Charles Pallen, a farmer, 81 years old,

is under arrest in connection with the

shooting of Parm Wisener, a farmer,

who was probably fatally wounded

while working in his fields yesterday.

Pallen does not deny the shooting

out maintains he was after another

man and says that when he learned

of his mistake he immediately be-

gan looking for officers to surrender

himself.

GORE TO BE GUEST OF D. W. BENBOW AT DINNER

Senator Thomas P. Gore, senator

from Oklahoma, in Wichita Falls on

business, and who will speak at the

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required to sign the peace conditions, subject only to ratification by their government, the Allies not consenting that these conditions shall be submitted to a plebiscite, it adds.

Satisfaction is expressed by the Paris press at the speedy subsidence of the flurry over the question of what German delegates should come to Versailles. The deduction is drawn that the only thing necessary to bring about the failure of such dilatory maneuvers by the Germans is to speak clearly and firmly to them.

It is pointed out that the only benefit if there be any, which Germany has secured is to delay the opening of the negotiations for a few days. The solution is attributed by the press of all parties to the energetic attitude of the Entente, which is accounted a good omen for the success of the Versailles negotiations.

ITALIAN PREMIER IS ABSENT FROM MEETING

By Associated Press.
PARIS, April 22.—Vittorio Orlando, the Italian premier, was absent this morning when deliberations were resumed at the Paris "White House." President Wilson and Premiers Lloyd George and Clemenceau were present.

The President and the two premiers went again into the Japanese questions, presented by Baron Makino and Viscount Chinda, which were taken up when the deadlock over the Adriatic question was reached yesterday.

TODAY'S SUMMARY OF INTERNATIONAL SITUATION

By Associated Press.
Germany has bowed to the virtual ultimatum of the Entente powers relative to the sending of "mere messengers" to the peace congress at Versailles and will be represented by a delegation having full powers to negotiate a treaty of peace.

This closes what for a time seemed to threaten a grave complication in the work of the congress. It is probable, however, that the actual meeting of the Allied and German delegates will not occur until April 28 as the change in the German plans and the physical possibility of having the official draft of the treaty ready for presentation April 25 makes a post-

ponement of the historic gathering imperative. Germany is ready to cast for a plebiscite on the treaty, it is reported from Berlin.

Italian Situation.

In the meantime the Italian situation is a source of much concern in Paris. After conferences with Premiers Lloyd George and Clemenceau Sunday and Monday morning, Premier Orlando presented himself to the council of four nations. Whether this was a withdrawal of the Italian position or a conference was not clear. President Wilson, still opposed to recognition of the treaty of London, under which Italy lays claim to Fiume and the Dalmatian coast, has prepared a statement on the subject which will be made public if the deadlock continues, it is said. This was expected Monday night, but it has not been issued from the Paris "White House."

A revolution has broken out in Turkey and a soviet government has been set up, according to news dispatches originating in bolshevik quarters at Odessa where it is thought official announcement has been received. Constantinople is said to be under the rule of a bolshevik committee.

Soviet Army Defeated.

The Hungarian soviet government headed by Bela Kun is reported to have fallen. Rumanian forces advancing from the east have been joined by Czech troops, and the soviet army has been defeated, according to dispatches. Special soldiers' representatives of a minor race living in the Transylvanian Alps, have deserted the soviet army and joined the Rumanians. It is said. Advisers from Budapest indicate that the Social democrats will take over control. They are headed by Sigmund Kunfi, the commissioner of education in the soviet cabinet. Chaos is reported to prevail in Budapest.

The soviet regime at Munich also has crumbled; the end coming Saturday, according to reports reaching London. The ministry headed by Herr Hoffman is at work and a resumption of governmental functions is under way.

On the Ural front in Russia, forces under the command of the Omsk, all-Russian government have again defeated the bolsheviks who are reported to be retreating. Demoralization in the bolshevik ranks is reported and in the Viatska government the peasants have revolted against the Lenin-Trotsky government.

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Oil News

**TWENTY-TWO ACRES
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Twenty-two acres of land, adjoining the tract of the Burk Waggoner Oil Company, in Block 84, leased Monday by Roy Jones, Frank Brown, John O'Donohue and C. H. Clark, for \$220,000. This is at the rate of \$10,000 an acre, at present the high figure for acreage in a block as large as this, in this northwest section.

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PARKER WELL WILL BE COMPLETED BY CLINT WOOD

Clint Wood has taken charge of the Parker well, in the Lanier tract, one mile northwest of the Burk Waggoner well, by agreement with A. C. Parker and associates, and will complete the well and has also acquired an interest in the holdings of Parker, et al, in this tract. The casing which was set down to 1200 feet, for a test of shallow showing of , is now being pulled, preparatory to enlarging the hole from this depth to below 1650 feet. Casing will be set on the deeper sand, which has already been drilled in, after reducing from 1200 depth. It is reported.

THRIFT NO. 2 WELL IS TO BE COMPLETED TODAY

The Thrift No. 2 Oil Company, No. 1 tract east of the Burk Waggoner well, Brannon, Block 83, in the quarter section due to be completed today, according to reports from the field.

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To the Sheriff or any Constable of Wichita County, Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to summon John W. Allen by making publication of this citation once each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County to appear at the next regular term of the 20th District Court of Wichita County, to be held at the Court House thereof in Wichita Falls, on the third Monday in June A. D. 1919, then and there to answer a petition in said Court on the 15th day of April A. D. 1919 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 6645 wherein Albie McLeney Allen is plaintiff and John W. Allen is defendant, and said petition alleging plaintiff was lawfully married to defendant about January 21st, 1907, that they continued to live together as husband and wife until about March 21st, 1918, since which time they have not lived together as husband and wife.

That about the last named date plaintiff was obliged to leave defendant because of cruel and inhuman treatment and non-support that plaintiff was at all times a dutiful wife but defendant treated her in a harsh cruel manner and has failed at all times to suitably provide for plaintiff and has abandoned plaintiff and made no provision whatever for her support since on or about March 1st, 1919.

That the actions of the defendant were such as to render their further living together insupportable as husband and wife, therefore, plaintiff prays that defendant be cited to appear and answer herein, for judgment dissolving the marriage relations, restoration of maiden name, costs of suit, etc.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at its office in Wichita County, Texas, this 22nd day of April A. D. 1919.

A. F. KERR,
District Court Wichita County, Texas.

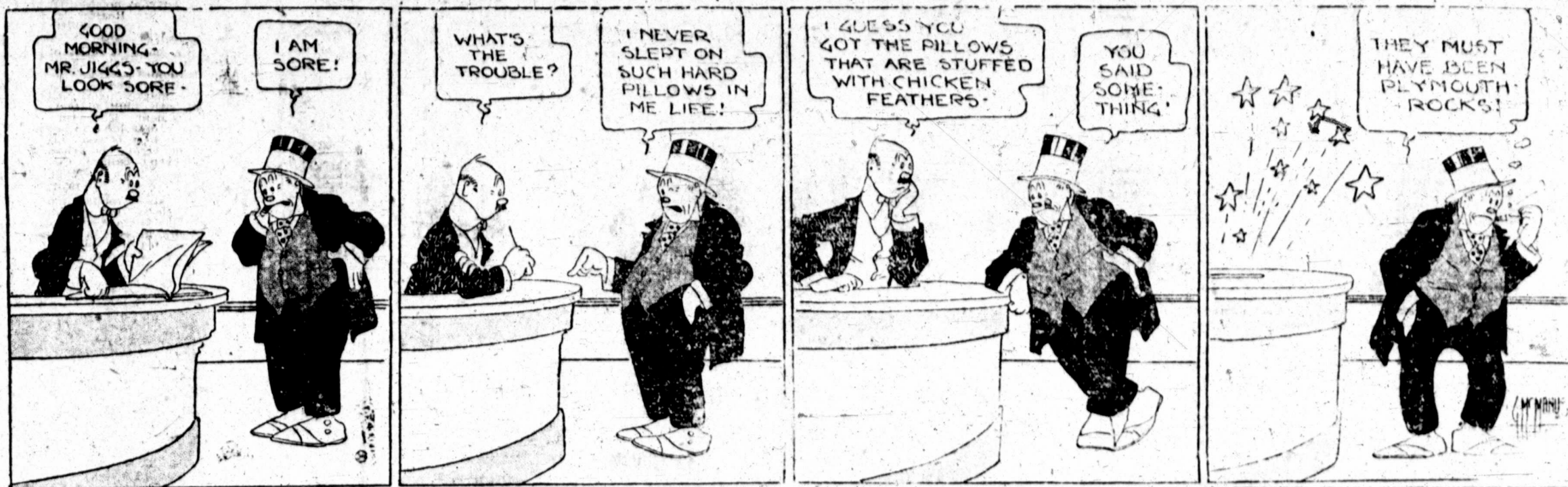
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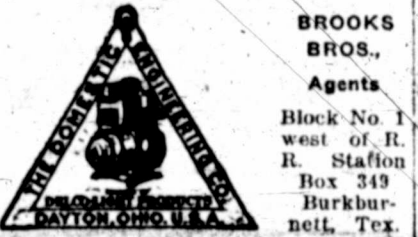
out of the Honorable 78th District Court of Wichita County, on 21st day of March A. D. 1918 by the Clerk thereof, in the case of Pete B. Annasopoulos versus Nick Pappas No. 1197, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell for cash, within the hours prescribed by law, for Sheriff's Sales, on the First Tuesday in May A. D. 1919, it being the 6th day of said month, before the Court House door of said Wichita County in the city of Wichita Falls the following described property to-wit:—
Lot Number ten (10) in block Number Two Hundred nineteen (219) in the City of Wichita Falls, Texas, fronting seventy (70) feet on Bluff Street and running back along 14th Street One Hundred (100) feet, levied on the 21st day of March 1919, as the property of Nick Pappas to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$1621.20 in favor of Pete B. Annasopoulos, seven and 50-100 dollars and costs of suit.

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MORTUARY

J. L. Morrison
J. L. Morrison, aged 34, a local carpenter, died at his home at 211 Bluff street at 2:20 this morning. He is survived by his wife and one brother. The remains will be sent to Jacksonville, Texas, for interment by O. W. Hines, undertaker.

**CHIEF OF POLICE SMITH
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Nothing further has been learned concerning the 15 months old baby girl who was left in the hands of a negro woman on the 12th of this month, according to Chief of Police Fred Smith, who has taken charge of the child and is keeping her at his home awaiting definite information regarding the identity of the couple who left the child. The department is working on several clues one of which is that the baby might have been kidnapped by the couple who used this means to escape when they believed detection and arrest imminent.

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During the next few weeks, dozens of companies will be organized in the vicinity of the Burk-Waggoner Well on 2½ acre tracts, capitalized at \$50,000 and upwards.

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Market Report

COTTON MARKET

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, April 22.—The cotton market was less active during today's early trading and showed a reactionary tendency under realizing and scattered selling from southern and local sources. This was promoted by the absence of aggressive general trade and speculative buying which has been the feature recently, and also by the more favorable showing of the weather map. The opening was 12 points higher to five points lower on new style months and May held relatively steady during the early session, selling around 27.65 but later months eased off with October declining from 24.80 to 24.35 or about 17 points lower.

There was trade buying on the early decline but moderate rallies met increased liquidation and the market was unsettled late in the morning with May selling off to 27.50 and October to 24.40 or 30 to 35 points below last night's closing figures. A less favorable view of reports from the peace conference was partly responsible for the selling, a considerable part of which came from Wall Street sources.

The decline extended to 27.35 for May and 24.30 for October during the early afternoon about 34 to 42 points under last night's closing on the general list. There was trade buying around these figures and some covering which caused rallies of 15 to 20 points from the low but the under one of the market was unsettled and later fluctuations were irregular. Cotton closed steady.

New Orleans Cotton.
NEW ORLEANS, April 22.—After a rise of two to four points on the most active months on the opening today cotton fell off under selling encouraged by favorable weather in the belt. At the end of the first half hour, of trading prices were 21 to 22 points under the closing quotations of yesterday.

Expectations of good weekly crop accounts tomorrow increased offerings and late in the morning prices were 25 to 27 points under yesterday's final.

Less cotton was offered after the noon hour and at one o'clock the trading months showed net declines of 21 to 30 points.

Cotton closed steady.

LIVESTOCK

Fort Worth Livestock.
FORT WORTH, April 22.—Cattle: receipts 3,000; unchanged. Beef: \$18.50@14.50; stockers \$18.00@13.50; cows \$15.00@10.50; heifers \$15.50@14.50; bulls \$15.00@9.25; calves \$15.50@14.50.
Hogs: receipts 2,000; 10c higher. Heavy \$20.25@20.50; medium \$20.00@20.25; light \$19.50@20.00; mixed \$18.50@19.50; common \$17.50@18.50; pigs \$16.50@17.50.
Sheep: receipts 1,000; slow. Lambs \$14.00@19.00; yearlings \$14.00@16.00; wethers \$16.50@14.00; ewes \$10.00@9.50; culls \$8.00@10.00; goats \$5.00@8.50.

Kansas City Livestock.
KANSAS CITY, April 22 (U. S. Bureau of Markets).—Hogs: 16,000; 1c to 2c higher. Packer top \$20.80; bulk \$20.00@20.60; heavy \$20.40@20.60; medium \$20.20@20.75; light \$18.75@20.40; pigs \$17.00@19.00.
Cattle: receipts 9,000; steady to higher. calves lower. Heavy steers \$11.60@19.35; light \$10.50@18.15; cows and heifers \$6.65@15.60; canners \$5.00@6.50; calves \$10.00@14.25; stockers \$8.00@16.25.
Sheep: receipts 7,000; 10 to 25c over. Lambs \$16.50@19.25; culls \$12.00@16.50; medium ewes \$12.00@13.00; breeding ewes \$10.00@17.25.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE

By Associated Press.
CHICAGO, April 22.—New high price records for the season continued to be scored today in the corn market. The incentive was a state-

ment from the federal wheat director that he saw little chance of a return of the five cent loaf of bread and that European supplies of foodstuffs would be even smaller this year than last year. Opening prices, which ranged from the same as yesterday's finish to 1 1/2c higher with July \$1.55 1/2 to \$1.55 and September \$1.54 1/2 to \$1.55 were followed by moderate further gains and then a series of profit taking reactions.

Oats duplicated the action of corn. After opening 1/2c off to 1/2c advance with July 70c to 70c, the market hardened a little and then tended to sag. Provisions were somewhat quiet, despite upturns in the value of corn and hogs.

Hedging operations put some weight on the market later. The close was unsettled 1/2c net lower to one cent advance with July \$1.58 1/2 to \$1.58 1/2 and September \$1.54 to \$1.54 1/2.

Hogs rose to the highest price on record here and provisions were without active buyers in the last part of the day with the market slanting downward.

OPEN HIGH LOW CLOSE

CORN				
July	1.58 1/2	1.59 1/2	1.56 1/2	1.58 1/2
Sept.	1.54 1/2	1.55	1.52 1/2	1.54
OATS				
July	.70 1/2	.70 1/2	.69 1/2	.70
Sept.	.67 1/2	.67 1/2	.66 1/2	.67 1/2
PORK				
May	53.25	53.25	52.50	52.70
July	50.00	50.20	49.35	49.90
LARD				
May	30.95	30.95	30.62	30.85
July	29.85	29.95	29.50	29.70
RIBS				
May	28.75	28.75	28.45	28.50
July	28.75	28.75	28.45	28.50
Sept.	27.40	27.42	27.12	27.30

Chicago Produce.

CHICAGO, April 22.—Butter: low-creamery 56@61 1/2.
Eggs: receipts 69,628 cases; unchanged.
Poultry: alive; unchanged.

NEW YORK STOCKS

By Associated Press.
NEW YORK, April 22.—Fractional reactions in U. S. Steel, Marine preferred and several other leaders detracted from the general strength of the stock market at the opening of today's session. In the main, however, gains predominated, motors and their subsidiaries, oils, equipments and leathers showing a firm to strong tone. Rails also hardened under guidance of Southern Pacific, Reading and St. Paul, with a further inquiry for low priced issues, notably Kansas City Southern and Missouri, Kansas and Texas.

Following its customary course the market quieted appreciably at midday but interest continued to center in rails with material accessions to previous gains. Shippings, metals, equipments and numerous specialties recently favored by bull polls remained under persistent pressures.

Equipments, rubbers and minor rails at extreme gains of two to six points marked the final hour, steel also strengthening. The closing was strong.

Final prices on Liberty bonds to-day: 3 1/2's 98.54; first 4's 95.70; second 4's 95.10; first 4 1/2's 95.70; second 4 1/2's 95.24; third 4 1/2's 95.10; fourth 4 1/2's 93.12.

STRIKERS SPEND NIGHT ON SANSFIELD BRIDGE

By Associated Press.
LIMERICK, April 22.—The 500 strikers who went outside the military limits of the city yesterday and who were not permitted to return over the Sansfield bridge last evening because they would not show military permits, spent the night on the bridge and resumed their demonstrations this morning. The soldiers were still obdurate and would not permit the strikers to cross the bridge. Up to noon today there had been no clashes between the opposing forces.

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STEAMSHIP SERVICE TO BE ESTABLISHED MAY 1

By Associated Press.
NEW ORLEANS, April 22.—Direct steamship service between New Orleans and the west coast of South America through the Panama canal will be established May 1 by the

the New Orleans and South America Steamship Company, according to an announcement today by the foreign trade bureau of the port of commerce. Two vessels have been obtained from the United States shipping board.

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SITUATION EXPLAINED

Says Little Inroad Will Be
Made on Billion Dollar
Guarantee Fund.

By Associated Press.
NEW YORK, April 22.—Despite maintenance of the government guarantee price in the face of an American wheat crop which will probably break all records, domestic consumers will not pay more for the product during the coming year than the rates currently being paid from foreign buyers, Julius H. Barnes, newly appointed federal wheat director, assured the public in a statement last night outlining the policies of his administration.

Mr. Barnes termed unsound any governmental scheme for artificial subsidizing and thought it quite possible, with the greater part of Europe looking to America for food and the crop prospects of the Allied countries even poorer than last year, that little inroad would be made on the billion dollar fund provided by Congress to carry out the farmers' guarantee of \$2.26 a bushel.

Treasury is Protected.
However, should there be a surplus production of wheat, he said, the national treasury would be protected as far as possible in making good the difference between the guarantee and the market rates by determination of a world price for the sale of the surplus. At present the world price exceeds the government price. How much of the federal appropriation will be expended, the director stated, would depend on the harvest, as would also the government policy in buying and selling portions of the crop. Until facts concerning the 1919 yield were more generally known, he added, no definite plan of operation could be intelligently adopted.

Plan Being Considered.
In relation to federal acquisition of wheat, which he predicted would be carried out on an extensive scale, enforcing the farmers' guarantee, particularly if the world price should be lower than the government basis, effective June 1, 1920, Mr. Barnes said three plans were under consideration: direct dealing with the farmers which would bring the director into contact with 1,000,000 persons; purchasing through the country grain exchanges, which would necessitate keeping 20,000 accounts, and buying through the mills, which would reduce the number of clients to 7,000.

As to sale of government-acquired stocks, the director said that congress with a clear conception of the difficulties of the coming year, had delegated to the president large powers and discretion which would be at the service of the wheat administration. The sale policy, he stated, would be determined by factors developing with the season, and the license power would be used to control trade practices to assure proper reflection of the guaranteed price reaching all classes of producers.

To Tax Storage Capacity.
Accepting the department of agriculture's estimate of the largest win-

ter wheat crop in history, and making allowances for unfavorable weather conditions which had held the spring crop back two weeks, Mr. Barnes predicted that America's 1919 wheat crop yield would tax to the utmost the country's storage, railroad and shipping facilities. He expected reduced wheat and wheat product prices within two months—they are now above the government fair price level owing to the heavy export demand—but saw little chance of a return of the five cent loaf of bread. The cost of flour was only 45 percent of the cost of the bread, he said, and with wages and other factors of manufacture at high levels, there was no present likelihood that the price would be cut in two.

Reports Are Denied.
Mr. Barnes denied reports that government agencies were urging farmers to cut down their acreage of spring wheat, and regarded as fortunate, in view of the food conditions throughout the world, the probability that America would produce this year the greatest crop ever grown. The 1918 harvest—second largest in the nation's history—was consumed or pledged, he said. Whether the world would continue during the coming year higher than the government fixed price, he said, would depend on the foreign crop, whose prospects field agents of Herbert Hoover, head of the inter-allied food commission, were studying.

"It would be well for Americans to appreciate," Mr. Barnes asserted, that "four ravaging years had created an unparalleled world food position. Must Share With Europe."
"It cannot be remedied at once," he continued. "We cannot build a wall around our own fortunate country and refuse to share our plenty with the unfortunate of Europe. American food, American shipping, American transportation and American leadership under Mr. Hoover, have saved a total in actual lives and in suffering that should stand in American pride beside the military record of our soldiers. The war broke down the structure of international finance, ocean transport, commerce and distribution, affecting millions of people. The community shop, the wholesaler, the retailer, that distribute and the banks that facilitate payment, are gone or disorganized in these war areas. Trade receives slowly and whether we would or not, government aid must be extended until trade can walk upright again."

Departments Continued.
Mr. Barnes said the food administration, which had "practically disintegrated," would continue technically in operation until peace was declared. At that time, he added, the food administration grain corporation, which he headed throughout the war and will remain in charge of for the present, probably would drop the first two words of its name. He had assurances, he stated, that a majority of the twenty grain men who were associated with him in its management, would remain in the service, despite their desires, with hostilities ended, to return to their private activities. The wheat director thought it probable that his headquarters, with those of the grain corporation, would remain in New York rather than locate in Washington, because of the commercial character of the work.

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PRESIDENT WILL NOT JEOPARDIZE LEAGUE PROGRAM

By Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, April 22.—Administration officials were advised in a confidential cablegram from Paris today that in the consideration of problems confronting the peace conference, such as Italy's Adriatic claims and the question of an alliance to protect France from future aggression, President Wilson would take no action which would be in the slightest degree jeopardize the league of nations or conflict with its fundamental principles. The message was a reply to a cablegram of inquiry regarding the President's attitude toward a secret alliance which, according to certain Paris newspapers, contemplated a special defensive pact to be entered into by France, Great Britain and the United States. The outcome of the apparent deadlock over Italy's Adriatic claims is awaited in official quarters here with evident anxiety. The situation as pictured in press dispatches is regarded as serious and there was no message from Paris yesterday or today similar to those of last week reporting gratifying progress at the peace table.

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REMINDS READERS GERMANY IS LOVED NOWHERE IN WORLD

By Associated Press.
BERLIN, Sunday, April 20.—Hugo Haase, former secretary of foreign affairs, and now leader of the socialist minority, in an article in the Freiheit, reminds his readers that Germany is loved nowhere in the world, not even neutral countries and that nowhere is there any belief in a real change of Germany's attitude. The writer sharply criticizes the German policy and protests against her threats regarding Poland and the Saar region, which he argues will serve no purpose but will incense the Entente. He also denounces Germany's failure to publish diplomatic documents concerning the critical months before the outbreak of the war as confirming the existence of sympathy with the spirit of the old regime. The article concludes by demanding that a national court try those accused of being guilty of starting the war.

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EARL OF COTTENHAM DIES AT LONDON HOME

By Associated Press.
LONDON, April 22.—The Earl of Cottenham who was married in 1916 to Miss Patricia Burke of California died today.

Kenelm Charles Edward Pepys, the fourth Earl of Cottenham, was born in 1874. Miss Burke was his second wife, his first wife who was Lady Rose Nevill having been killed accidentally in 1913. The Earl was the owner of about six thousand acres and his heir is Viscount Kenelm, 18 years old.

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CASUALTY LIST

SECTION ONE.
The following casualties are reported by the Commanding General of the American Expeditionary Forces: Killed in action, 8; died of wounds, 1; died of disease, 32; wounded severely, 1; 20; wounded, degree undetermined, 17; wounded slightly, 213; missing in action, 8. Total, 324.

SOUTHERNERS.
Killed in Action.
Pvt. Jose Candelaria, San Antonio, Tex.
Wounded Severely.
Pvt. Dewey Browley, Seguin, Texas.
Pvt. T. F. Campbell, Whitesboro, Tex.
Wounded, Degree Undetermined.
Pvt. Joe Pfeiffer, Westhoff, Texas.
Pvt. L. W. Simpson, Hugo, Okla.
Wounded Slightly.
Capt. Dewitt Neighbors, Wadler, Tex.
Sgt. C. H. Morrison, Ramona, Okla.
Sgt. Jas. H. Sisk, Altus, Okla.
Corpl. H. W. Arnett, Luther, Okla.
Corpl. T. S. Sharman, Lindsay, Texas.
Corpl. G. W. Shuford, Navasota, Tex.
Private.
Olie B. Cullen, Tishomingo, Okla.
A. J. Sherwood, El Paso, Texas.
S. W. Standridge, Petrolia, Texas.
Wm. L. Tate, Sulphur, Okla.
Wm. G. Taylor, Altus, Texas.
M. B. Tuck, Henryetta, Okla.
M. R. Turner, Sayre, Okla.
Paul Wilks, Welcome, Texas.
W. P. Wilson, Gilmer, Texas.
John K. W. W. Jackson, Texas.
W. H. Wooten, Shamrock, Texas.
D. O. Moran, Novata, Okla.
Ira H. Newby, Cryson, Texas.
Gunner Phillip, Fort Worth, Okla.
Walter Simmons, Fort Worth, Tex.
Fred J. Skaggs, Wellington, Texas.

CURRENT CASUALTIES.
SOUTHERNERS.
Died of Accident and Other Causes.
Corpl. Claud Crawford, Cresson, Tex.
Pvt. M. E. Brown, Skiatook, Okla.
Pvt. Arno Kincade, Palestine, Texas.
Pvt. Bonnie Owen, Mineral Wells, Tex.
Died of Disease.
Sgt. E. G. Frick, Dallas, Texas.
Pvt. Robt. Hogan, Fort Worth, Okla.
CORRECTIONS.
Returned to Duty.
Previously reported died of wounds.
Pvt. Frank Philp, Mart, Texas.
Killed in Action.
Previously reported wounded, degree undetermined.
Corpl. G. W. Harrison, Gage, Okla.
Wounded Slightly.
Previously reported missing in action.
Pvt. Joel R. Hood, Houston, Texas.
Returned to Duty.
Previously reported missing in action.
Pvt. E. B. Brazil, Henrietta, Texas.
Pvt. Joe E. Tipton, Waco, Texas.
Died of Disease.
Previously reported.
Pvt. Walter Williams, Fort Worth, Tex.

MARINES.
The following casualties are reported by the Commanding General of the American Expeditionary Forces: Killed in action, 5; died of wounds, 3; missing in action, 3. Total, 11. No Southerners.

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The list follows:
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Big Pool Oil	30	150	45,000
Big Seven Oil	45	25	11,250
Big Three Oil	40	100	40,000
Block 36 Oil	15	300	45,000
B. O. G. Oil	35	25	8,750
Brown Oil	18	150	27,000
Brown Oil No. 2	40	75	30,000
Burk-Vernon Oil	45	45	20,250
Burk-Wich Oil	35	50	17,500
Call-Slater Oil	30	20	6,000
Canada Oil	50	50	25,000
Cashin Oil	50	100	50,000
Citizens Oil	30	200	60,000
Columbia Oil	20	275	55,000
Comet Oil	100	10	10,000
Couch-Winfrey Oil	30	175	52,500
Electra-Burk Oil	40	40	16,000
E. & M.	35	21	7,350
Finley-Leach	150	10	15,000
Ford-McConkey	32	50	16,000
Fowler Farm	12	300	3,750.00
Goydada	20	300	60,000
Insite	40	50	20,000
Codley	64	150	81,000
Great Dome	30	75	22,500
Green River	30	175	52,500
Gushey	25	75	1,875
Hammond & ak 1	30	300	92,700
Hammond et al. 2	25	200	50,000
Hearn No. 1	35	50	17,500
Hearn	50	500	250,000
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MILITARY SITUATION IN BAVARIA SHOWS AN IMPROVEMENT

By Associated Press.

LONDON, April 22.—The military situation in Bavaria is improving, according to announcements made by the Hoffman ministry. The spartacists who took the town of Dachsau, ten miles northwest of Munich by voting the armistice with the government forces, have been repulsed and the government forces are holding the place. Reinforcements are moving toward Munich from Ingolstadt, it is said.

The Hoffman ministry, which resumed control Sunday following the collapse of the soviet government Saturday night, is feverishly active, according to reports.

Delegates to the diet are arriving daily and the assembly will meet soon. Russian prisoners of war who have been released from camps in Germany are now doing guard duty at the railroad station.

Communist leaders are making earnest overtures to the people of southern Bavaria and are sending agents through the country, making an especial appeal for the support of the women.

SUIT IS SETTLED AFTER TWENTY-FIVE YEARS DELAY

By Associated Press.
CHICAGO, April 22.—After twenty-five years of delay, the suit of the Vazoo and Mississippi Valley, operated by the Illinois Central, against the city of Chicago for \$20,000 damages, is on trial before Judge George T. Page, recently appointed to the United States circuit court. The suit is due to the destruction of freight cars during the strike of 1894, when federal troops were called to guard property. Most of the witnesses are old men and many of this called at court opening were reported dead.

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HOPE TO MAKE THE
ROUND-UP ANNUAL
FEATURE FOR CITY

Posters advertising the Wichita Falls Round-Up of May 15, 16 and 17 which the chamber of commerce is supporting, appeared this morning in many downtown shop windows. Pictures of some of the world's greatest riders, who will battle for championship honors here next month, are on the lithographs and the old Western war-cry, "Kick 'Em, Cowboy," tops each poster as a luring appeal to the cowmen.

Leonard Stoud and Bryan Roosa, who have taken office space in the chamber of commerce to direct the business management of the coming Round-Up, are making rapid headway with their plans to put on in Wichita Falls on all-coolest Round-Up that will easily surpass the rodeo end of the recent Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth. Letters are arriving daily from all over the Western cow country, containing entrance fees and promises to be in the saddle from cowpunchers, trick riders, ropers and bull doggers of national reputation. The fact that the chamber of commerce is solidly behind the big show, and that the same men who much such a success of the Fort Worth show are in charge of the business details indicates now that men and women from all over this territory will visit Wichita Falls May 15-17. Inquiries regarding the show are being received daily at the chamber of commerce and although very little advertising has been done as yet interest in the coming event is unusually keen.

It is hoped that the success of the Round-Up here will result in making the entertainment an annual event in this city, and to that end local business men are working heartily with the show management. Within the next ten days over 100 head of outlaw horses and wild Brahma longhorn steers will be shipped here from Fort Worth, and pastured on a ranch just east of the city. The horses included Eddie McCarty's famous string of outlaw broncos from Shugwater, Wyo., used at the Cheyenne Frontier Days celebration and the feature attraction of the Fort Worth rodeo.

MIX-UP IN SCHEDULE
PREVENTS A MEETING

By Associated Press.
CHICAGO, April 22.—Due to a mix-up of train schedules, the proposed meeting between Jess Willard and Jack Dempsey Monday for a discussion over the selection of a referee for their heavyweight championship fight July 4, did not take place. Dempsey left for his west end hour after Willard arrived from Kansas City.

Willard expressed disappointment over the failure of the boxing bill to pass in New York state, for he believed the bill would pass and that the fight might be held in New York. Willard said most of his training would consist of boxing and that he would continue to do light training here. Weighing close to 270 pounds, Willard said he planned to reduce to about 255 for his contest with Dempsey. He believes that four weeks of hard work will put him in condition.

The champion will remain here for a short stay and then leave for California.

Dempsey plans to wind up his theatrical tour in Kansas City, and then spend a few weeks at Excelsior Springs, Mo. He already has engaged eight sparring partners to work with him.

Baseball Results

By Associated Press.
HOUSTON, TEX., April 22.—San Antonio won the opening game of the Texas League schedule from Houston here Monday afternoon by a score of 2 to 1. Errors by Snedecor and Walker in the second inning enabled Mike Finn's proteges to score their only two runs. Houston scored in the sixth when Walker singled, went to second on Stellbauer's single through Martia and scored on Snedecor's single. A crowd of more than 4,000 persons witnessed the game, despite threatening weather.

The score:
San Antonio . . . 020 000 000—2 7 2
Houston . . . 000 001—1 5 7

Summary: Bases on balls, off Mullins 1; off Hiett 2. Two base hits, Stellbauer, Baggan. Three base hits, Laramore. Earned runs, Houston 1; struck out, by Mullins 1, by Hiett 3. Double plays, Laramore to Doyle to Snedecor. Left on bases, San Antonio 7, Houston 4. Umpire, Miller. Time 1:40. Attendance 4,200.

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The B. F. Goodrich Rubber Co., Dallas branch, announced the recent appointment of the S. Bemrod Auto Supply Co., as their distributors of solid and pneumatic truck tires in Wichita Falls and trade territory. B. F. Bell, factory representative of the Goodrich company, is here for several days working in co-operation with their local collections. According to Dr. Bell, his company has increased their truck tire manufacturing capacity seven times that of 1918 to take care of the increased demand.



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FRED S. HARTMAN IS
KILLED IN AN ACCIDENT

By Associated Press.
CHICAGO, April 22.—News of the death of Fred S. Hartman, the American hero of the 1917 dog derby thru Canadian blizzards from Winnipeg, Manitoba, to St. Paul, Minn., reached here today from France. Hartman was a lieutenant in the A. E. F. and was killed in an aviation accident overseas. He enlisted immediately after the war began and won his lieutenantcy on a Texas field.

TRAPSHOOTER BREAKS
143 OUT OF 150 TARGETS

By Associated Press.
PINEHURST, N. C., April 22.—W. W. Boylston, Florida state champion, led the field at the opening of the North and South Amateur Trapshooting Tournament here Monday, hitting 143 out of 150 targets thrown.

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Eddie McCarty's string of outlaw horses that were used at the Fort Worth Rodeo, and Cheyenne Frontier Days, Cheyenne, Wyo., will be used in this contest to determine the winners. Wild Brahma steers with humps on their back will be used in the steer riding contest. Wild horse races, steer bulldogging, goat roping, bucking contest for the world's championship. Trick riders and trick ropers will compete also for championships.

Remember the date, May 15, 16, 17, 1919.

DECIDED IMPROVEMENT
IN ARMY ENLISTMENTS

By Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, April 22.—Decided improvement in the results of the war department's recruiting campaign was shown today in the report for the week ended April 12, a total of 4,454 recruits entering the army. This brought the grand total to 11,178 volunteers who are available to release an equal number of soldiers from the army of occupation.

Enlistments for three years outnumber those for one year about three to one.

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FORMER MONARCHS AND LOST THRONES QUITE PLENTIFUL

Associated Press Staff Correspondent.

PARIS, March 22.—Now that the dust of crumbling thrones that wrecked whole dynasties in their fall has somewhat cleared, that emperors, czars, kings, grand dukes, archdukes, and princelings have abandoned the tottering structure of Central Europe, it may not be uninteresting to compare the present condition of these rulers with that which they occupied six months ago.

The story of the fall of the house of Hohenzollern would fill volumes. It is a far more dramatic tale than the world dominion of the dreams of a shining helmet and spurred boots arrayed in the palace of Versailles, to the little villa hidden among the lowlands of Holland. Morose and taciturn, William Hohenzollern, second and last of the name, is awaiting the judgment of the peace conference within the narrow confines of the estate of one of the few men in this term themselves his friends. The only who still have the courage to ask of themselves his friends. The only recreation for which this former emperor seems to derive any pleasure or solace from his shattered dream is in wood-chopping. He still maintains quite close relations with the present German government. His staff, and his servants, are reduced but what is left of them are still state officials. A few weeks ago the Herr Hohenzollern appeared to be in financial straits but his exchequer has been replenished by remittances from Germany.

Crown Prince Silent.

The Crown Prince at Wieringen after a few interviews has been silent. Silence from him and silence concerning him is considered the bitterest form of punishment that could be visited upon him. A feeling of pity not untended with sympathy seems to characterize the attitude of the world at large toward Charles, the former emperor of Austria. With his mother, the former empress Zita and the children, he led a homeless dreary life in the ancient Castle of Eckartau. Countess Summerhayes of the British army, commanding a small British force, acted more in the capacity of a mentor and adviser to the former emperor than that of a friend. But life was sad at Eckartau and young Charles was said to be wasting away under the weight of his chagrin. Charles and his family have since sought refuge in Switzerland.

Some weeks ago there arrived at the Swiss frontier a pale, thin young man of thirteen years of age. He was absent about apparently taking no interest in what was going on about him, listless, dull. Under ordinary circumstances this young man would have been received with pomp and honors and addressed as His Royal Highness, Archduke Robert. He is now plain Master Hapsburg come to Switzerland for the benefit that the clear, limpid air of the country might afford to his weakened lungs.

Resides at Vienna Palace.

Maria Theresa, grandmother of the former Emperor Charles and her daughter, Maria Annuncata, reside in the Vienna palace. Archduke Eugene, former commander of the southwestern front; Archduke Max, who has resumed his law study at Vienna university; and all the families of the archdukes belonging to the Toscana branch are living in upper Austria. Archduke Savator, son-in-law of the late Franz-Joseph, is at Wallsee castle; Archduke Frederick at Weilburg castle at Baden near Vienna; his son, Albrecht, is a student of agriculture at Altenburg, Germany; Archduke Joseph and his family live in Budapest; Karl, son of Archduke Joseph, while Archduke Leopold Salvator and family have left the country and are thought to reside in Spain. Ferdinand, late king of Bulgaria, is

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POPULAR INDIGNATION CAUSES SUSPENSION OF NATIONALIZATION

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LONDON, April 15.—The low providing for the nationalization of women in Northern Russia has been suspended in one province as the result of popular outcry, according to information reaching London from Stockholm. The commissary of Vladimir has, by decree, appointed a committee of women who are to inquire into the operation of the law and make a report with the least possible delay. His action has been approved by the local soviet.

The Krasnaya Gazeta publishes an account of the results of nationalization. The system provides that every girl on reaching the age of 18 must register her name in the bureau of free love, after which she is compelled to select a partner from among the men between 19 and 50 years old. The law led to lamentable confusion, says the Gazette, in "judicial notions as to personal inviolability."

Girls Are Seized.

A few days after the soviet's decision, two men known to nobody arrived in the town and seized the two daughters of a well-known non-bourgeois comrade, declaring they had chosen them as wives and that the girls, without further ceremony, must submit as they had not observed the registration rule.

Comrades Babonovsky and Gurtkin, who sat as judges on the claim, decided the men were right and the girls were carried off. They had not since been heard of by the village folk. This, says the Gazette, was done in the name of the nationalization of women.

Inhumanities of Law.

Many other instances of the fantastic operation of the law, not to speak of its inhumanities, are cited by the Gazette. Enthusiasts for nationalization, naturally all males, raid whole villages, seize young girls and demand proof that they are not over 18. As this proof is difficult to give, many of the girls are carried off and there have been suicides and murders as a result.

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Suggestion for Ordinance.
We have not written any letters for a long time, and the mood is upon us today. Therefore, we will at once initiate an open letter to Mayor J. H. Marlow and the members of the City Council:

Dear Mayor, et al:

May we suggest that City Attorney Ralph Mathis draft a tidy little ordinance raising Bolshevism among the men who use their automobiles for business district salesrooms and by so doing force scores of Wichita Falls citizens to park their cars somewhere around the foot of Tenth street bill?

At the present time there are many non-residents of this city who early in the morning "hog" the best parking spaces on Ohio avenue and other business streets; remove the hoods of their cars and start selling fancy spark plugs and other extremely valuable accessories. True, they are used for salesrooms in which to demonstrate various articles.

If the Wichita Mill & Elevator Co. seized parking space as the proper spot wherein to sell flour, or the Wichita Falls Motor Co. began selling trucks at the curb, we doubt not but that someone would raise a Ned—but strangers are permitted to "get away with" this practice; so increasing congestion that taxpayers and property owners, driving down to business, are being forced to park their automobiles around the postoffice and the city hall, and at curbs even more remote from the car owners' places of business.

That's about all, Mr. Mayor. If we think of anything else, we'll give the information to "Squire" Walkup.

Solomon in All His Glory.
With Burk-Waggoner soaring over the \$1,000 mark, and Thrift No. 2 also climbing skyward in dizzy leaps, it was a tough day for Joe Sheridan, the County Sling (Ireland, not Texas) auctioneer at the Central Exchange. Under a terrific sea of rain and wind, Joe's brogue was shot away and the tip of his wily-waving billiard cue lost a lot of "English"—but Joe never backed up an inch until "Monte" Young appeared wearing a shirt that defied all the other noise in the exchange. Monte's excuse to his father was that he had lost his "laundry ticket," and had to buy the shirt from a Neapolitan popcorn merchant.

But that shirt it was the loudest thing we've seen in Wichita town. With silken cuffs and big red stripes that chased it up and down. The color scheme was just immense. A riot, indeed, dandy. Just like those all-day sucker canes. They make for Christmas candy, it captivated every eye.

Joe's head reared in splendid splendor. Some stocks that never had worth before became real legal tender.

Alaska to the Rescue.
"Alaska Can Pay the Nations War Debt," screams the monthly bulletin of the Alaska Bureau of Publicity, which then adds that "that is Alaska's slogan; more than that, it is Alaska's promise for the future."

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May Want Some Stock.
The Baylor County Banner announces that the Pure Oil Co. is preparing to drilling. Wonder whether they apply the word "pure" to the oil or the company.

Disappointed Diner.
When the members of the Panhandle Press Association failed to arrive on time for the luncheon planned in their honor by the Wichita Falls chamber of commerce, a number of invited guests ate at the St. James anyway. We were among 'em, and believing we had to foot the bill, we ordered cold ham and potato salad—and then the chamber of commerce.

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Rent and Shoot.
"Rents Rooms; Soon to Open Shooting Gallery"—headline in the "Frederick Leader." That's not a bad idea; very few people ever deliberately plan like that to shoot their landlords.

Charlie Should Explain.
And then again what does Charlie Martin mean when he states in the "Archer County News" that "the oil gentlemen are becoming thicker every day"—in girth, brains or numbers?

Displaying Gift.
Society Note: Frank Morgan, leader of the youngest set in matters affecting the city pound, is proudly displaying a new set of stirrup leathers this week, the gift of M. A. Bundy.

WICHITA FALLS GETS VALUABLE PUBLICITY IN NEW YORK PAPER

On Sunday, April 20th, Wichita Falls received a generous chunk of free advertising up and down the Atlantic seaboard, and especially in New York City. The New York Morning Telegraph on that date issued a special oil edition devoted to the Texas fields, the edition being one of the few that have been attempted by any big New York daily.

Wichita Falls received prominent mention in the issue through a special article contributed by Elbert M. Jones, head of the local advertising agency of that name, who describes the Burk Burnett and other Texas oil fields and laid stress on the tremendous business activity resulting in this city from Texas oil production.

STATE IS ENJOINED FROM ENFORCING THE ANTI-POOL HALL LAW

By Associated Press.
DALLAS, TEXAS, April 22.—A temporary injunction restraining the attorney general and other state officers of Texas from enforcing the anti-pool hall law which would have closed billiard and pool halls in the state on May 1, was issued by United States District Judge James C. Wilson sitting in chambers at Fort Worth Monday and later filed with the federal district clerk in Dallas. The order was issued upon application of the Dallas Labor Temple Association, Rice Hotel Company of Houston, Baker Hotel Company of San Antonio, Driskill Hotel Company of Austin, and others.

The plaintiffs attack the law as denying them due process and equal protection of law as outlined in the first clause of the fourteenth amendment to the constitution of the United States. In issuing the injunction, Judge Wilson upheld plaintiff's contention, declaring "irreparable loss or damage would result to the plaintiffs unless a temporary restraining order is granted."

Judge J. M. McCormick of Dallas, attorney for plaintiffs, in a statement today said he was proposing to carry the case to the supreme court of the United States. The injunction is so worded, according to Judge McCormick, "that every peace officer and individual in Texas is restrained from enforcing the anti-pool hall law."

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NEW PETITION FOR ROAD BOND ISSUE IS BEING DRAFTED

Delegates yesterday afternoon to the county commissioners' court from Wichita Falls, Burk Burnett, Iowa Park, Elstra, Cashion, Clara and other communities agreed to increase the proposed good roads bond issue to \$1,500,000. The original petition circulated last week asked the county commissioners to call an election next month on the question of an issue of \$1,000,000, but this sum was considered inadequate yesterday to meet all the county's needs.

Iowa Park's representatives convinced the delegates from other sections of the county of the need of concrete permanent highways out of Iowa Park and running eight miles south. Such roads will cost approximately \$250,000, in conjunction with the expense of giving Elstra certain concrete roads originally planned to be constructed of blumfords gravel.

A new petition, providing for an issue to vote on the issue of \$1,500,000 and including the changes mentioned above, together with plans for increasing the width of the gravel shoulders of roads in numerous cases from three to four feet will be drafted today, and will be presented to the commissioners' court next Monday for action.

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PARIS, April 22.—Jules Vedrines, a noted French aviator, was killed Monday when his machine fell in the Department of Brome while Vedrines was attempting to make a non-stop flight from Villacoublay to Rome. The mechanic in the machine also was killed.

The airplane he used was built to bombard Berlin and weighed five and one-half tons. He had a strong wind at his back when he left Villacoublay at 8:30 a. m.

Jules Vedrines, whose death is reported in the fall of his airplane, was one of the leading French airmen. He was one of the first Frenchmen to take up aviation and during the years 1911 and 1912 was very active in aerial races in Europe, winning the Paris-Madrid race, finishing fourth in the European circuit race, making various records for height, distance and speed, and fighting second in the

British circuit race. He was one of the first aviators to fly from London to Paris, doing this on August 4, 1911.

On April 29, 1912, almost seven years ago, Vedrines was injured seriously by the fall of his machine at St. Denis. He recovered from this accident and in August of last year came to America and won the international aviation race at Chicago on September 9. In 1913 he flew from Paris to Cairo.

Vedrines served in the French aerial service early in the war and was later made an instructor. On January 19, this year, he accomplished the feat of landing in an airplane on the roof of a building.

LODGE DIRECTORY

Knights & Ladies of Security will not meet any more this month, but have a nice large hall for next month. J. R. Folk, Fin. Jno. M. Simmons, Pres.

Knights of Pythias Lodge Meets Wednesday night. 1 Masonic Temple. Tenth and Scott Sts. Initiation in the rank of Knight. Visitors welcome. A. G. Deatherage, C. C. H. A. Boyles, R. H. E.

Wichita Falls Lodge No. 535, A. F. & A. M., stated meetings first and third Friday nights in each month. M. M. Cooke, H. P. C. M. Dodgen, Sec.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 308, R. A. M., stated convocations second Friday nights in each month. M. M. Cooke, H. P. C. M. Dodgen, Sec.

Work in the Chapter tonight and tomorrow night beginning at 7:30.

Wichita Falls Commandery No. 55, Regular convocations fourth Friday night in each month. E. V. Friberg, M. C. C. M. Dodgen, Sec.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 257, meetings first and third Tuesday nights in each month. Mrs. Jessie Carithers, W. M. Mrs. Nanette M. Jenks, Secretary.

Wichita Falls Lodge, B. P. O. E., Elks, meets first and third Monday nights of each month at Elks' Hall, D. W. Colley, Sec.

The Brotherhood of American Yeomen meets every second and fourth Tuesday nights of each month at new Odd Fellows hall, 708 1-2 Seventh. Mrs. E. L. Richardson, Cor.

Knights of Columbus, Wichita Falls Council No. 1172, Knights of Columbus, meets every second and fourth Tuesday at 8 o'clock, Catholic Church Hall, 1610 Ninth St., Visiting Knights welcome.

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