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CONCORD, N. C., THURSDAY, MAY 2, 1918.

Charged With the Killing of Blackwelder Spring, Near and later Means' automobile.
Tenth. That C. B. Ambrose and W. Here, August 29.

AFFAIR TAKES

Represented Gaston Means

A warrant for the arrest of Otto Schumann, an interned enemy alien, charging him with the murder of Mrs A, King, was issued here yes terday. The warrant alleges that Mrs. King was killed by a bullet fired at Gaston B, Means. The death of Mrs. King occurred at Blackwelder spring. near here, last August.

The warrant was issued by Police Justice A. B. Palmer, upon affidavit of M. H. Caldwell, attorney for Gaston B. Means in the notable trial last fall. Mr. Caldwell, who is prosecuting at-torney for the city of Concord, issued lengthy statement yesterday setting forth what he "expects to prove." Mr. Caldwell's statement is as follows:

Otto Schumann is a German spy and is now in the custody of the United States government, and we expect to

First, That Gaston B. Means severed his connection with the German government in 1916, because of its attitude towards the United States gov ernment and the then strained relations between the two governments.

Second. In July, 1917, in New York city, Gaston B. Means called on German interests there in connection with profits Mrs. King and himself had in the custody of these interests, derived from the shipments of rubber and copper to Germany long prior to the declaration of war between the United States and Germany.

Means' profits in these transactions amounting to about \$8,000 and Mrs. King's profits to about \$145,000.

In this interview with the German interests, he stated to them that he had just completed an investigation that he had been working ou for five six months, and that he was going to volunteer his services to the United States government or accept a permanent position that had been offered to him by a leading newspaper, which rould enable him to be of service to the United States government, and beie when ever citizen should be of all possible ser-vice to his own country. Immediately after this interview he did, in connec tion with the editor and manager of one of America's leading newspapers prepare their plans for an investiga tion to ascertain positively where the German government submarine base of this side of the Atlantic ocean was lo cated. These German interests knew that Means had full knowledge as to how the German government had been able to get its requirements of rubbe and copper prior to the declaration of war between the United States and Third. Gaston B. Means had place

ed in the hands of Mrs. King's attor neys all of the facts, data and affida vits that he had gotten together, and the opinious of the hand-writing experts on the disputed James C. King will of October, 1905, and had made arrangements through Carl L. Schurz one of Mrs. King's attorneys, to meet Chas. B. Hughes in reference to em-ploying him in connection with the will case, according to the instructions of Mrs. King.

Fourth. That Otto Schumann, a the direction of the German interests with whom Means had had his inter-view, followed him out of the city of New York to North Carolina. After his arrival in North Carolina, Otto last night of Schumann during Means' several automobile trips with Mrs. King and afternoon. friends in this section of North Carolina, followed him on a motor cycle.

Fifth. That Means was also under the surveillance of C. B. Ambrose in the interest of and for the Northern Trust Company, of Chicago, Ill., connection with the prospective litiga-tion involving the disputed James C King will of 1995, and that C. B. Am-brose and Otto Schumann prior to the night of August 29, 1917, the night of the tragedy at Blackwelder's spring, met and had numerous conferences, and that G. B. Ambrose by numerous reports from North Carolina, was keep-ing W. S. Miller, attorney for the Northern Trust Company posted as to ng W. S. Miller, attorney for the Northern Trust Company, posted as to just what Mrs. King and Gaston B. Means were doing in North Carolina. and in addition that Means was also under survéillance by Otto Schumann for German interests.

Sixth. That on the evening of Aug-Sixth. That on the evening of Aug-ust 29, 1917, Otto Schumann on a mo-torcycle followed Mrs. King, Captain Blingham, Afton Means, Ernest Eury and Gasten B. Means to Blackwelder's spring, where he saw them stop in their automobile, and he, on his motor-cycle, tarned up the plantation road that runs in front of the church and school house just between the spring and M. L. Cline's farm.

Seventh. That in the church that evening there was a man and woman whose veracity in Cabarrus county will not be questioned, who saw Otto Schu-

not be questioned, who saws Otto Schu-mann go up this road with his motor-cycle, leave his motorcycle in the woods and walk to the underbrush on the hill just above the spring.

Eighth. That abortly thereafter they heard a shot near the spring and saw Otto Schumann come back soon after the shot to his motorcycle, get on it

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somebody, immediately after the shot run through the underbrush and some thereafter saw a light from what ap-peared to them to be an automobile going at a rapid rate of speed over the hill on the Gold Hill road towards Concord, and later a second automs leave the spring going in the same di-

Otto Schumann did run through the underbrush and it was his motorcycle Mrs. Maude A. King at that Dry and his wife first heard and saw leave the vicinity of the spring,

S. Miller, attorney for the Northern Trust Company, had in their possession in whole, or in part, before the trial of Means and at the time of the trial of Means and at his acquittal; all of the foregoing facts, and that C. B. Ambrose, from North Carolina, had Attorney M. H. Caldwell, who attorney for the Northern Trust Company, acquainting him with these facts, at His Trial, Makes a State-B. Ambrose were in daily conference using all of their endeavors to suppress these facts, and Miller sent Ambros away from Concord at the time of the trial of Means for the murder of Maude A. King, after Ambrose had \$30.00 per month with all expenses, been made by the court to stand up in the audience for the purpose of iden tification, for fear that by some chance Ambrose might be called on to take the stand as a witness, Eleventh That there was an eve

witness to the tragedy as Ambrese first publicly stated and privately reported to W. S. Miller, attorney for the Northern Trust Company, and that that eye witness was Otto Schumann and Am brose knew this fact.

Twelfth. That from the underbrush above the spring Otto Schumann with a rifle equipped with a supplementa chamber fired at Gaston B. Means as he was getting a drink of water, the bullet hit a rock on top of the brick and rock wall of the spring, glanced and struck Mrs. King. Mrs. King fell crumpled up, mortally wounded with her feet under her and that was when her ankle was broken.

Thirteenth. That C. B. Ambrose was employed by the Northern Trust Company of Chicago, Ill., during all the time he was in North Carolina and had Gaston B. Means and Mrs. King under surveillance and that he was not representing nor acting for the Department of Justice, and this information is officially stated by A. B. Bie-laski, chief of the Department of Justice, in letters to United States Sena tors John Sharp Williams, of Missis sippi, Calder, of New York, and Sim

mons of North Carolina.

Fourteenth. That the Norther mons of North Carolina.

Fourteenth. That the Northern Trust Company is equally guilty with Ambrose in perpetrating a fraud on the courts of North Carolina and the atteneys who prosecuted Means for the murder of Maude A. King, and that Ambrose was the instigator of the proceedings against Means and as agen and representative of the Northern

Trust Company.

Fifteenth. That Gaston B. Means was a victim of the Northern Zrust Company as a result of malicious reports given to the press so effectively, by the agents and representatives the Northern Trust Company, which reports and statements concerning Means were not based on facts and manated from Chicago and New York

Services at St. Martin's Lutherar Church.

There will be an all day service a St. Martin's Lutheran Church Sunday The morning service will be n charge of the pastor. In the after noon, the missionary society will meet Rev. J. S. Wessinger, of China Grove nd Rev. M. L. Stirewalt, of Concord vill deliver the addresses. The publis cordially invited.

Notice to Veterans.

It is the earnest desire of the Presi lent of the Daughters of the Confed eracy for all veterans to be presen and participate in memorial service held on May 10, at 3 p. m., at Central graded school building. H. B. PARKS, Com. Camp 212, U. C. V.

German Attack Fails.

(By The Associated Press) Paris, May 2 .- A German attack ast night on the Tennen sector failed the French war office announced this French troops made raids on Le Monchel and west of Coucq-le Chateau.

German Artillery Active.

London, May 2.—The German artil ery became active this morning in the Villers Brettonneu sector and in the neighborhood of Merris on the

NEW PIEDMONT TODAY DARRELL FOSS

a beautiful Triangle drama of America and Japan, entitled "HER AMERICAN

HUSBAND" Also an amusing single reel

"TOO MANY

iver Pearl Drug Store Now Ready Acceptance of Applicants. The new Recruiting Station for the U. S. Army at No. 2 Union street and

ever the Pearl Drug Company, was ready and opened up for the acceptance of applicants for the army yes terday morning. In one should have ed to cast his eyes toward the square yesterday, his gaze would have met with the swinging of the Stars and Stripes suspended from a pole coming from the window of the Recruiting Station. Alongside the Stars and Stripes was seen a large blue flag with the inseription in white letters: "Men Wanted for the U. S. letters: "Men Wanted for the U. S. Army." The army of today is not the army of some years ago, but it is now one of the greatest armies of the world and is looked to at the present time to be the chief element in the settling of the present crisis that is prevailing in Europe. To belong to the army to-day is the most honorable thing a man can do. The United States govern ment has made all preparations for the care of married men's families and the pay is far better than any other army in the world. The rate of pay and allowances are as follows. A such as board, clothes, lodging and

nen and their families, or dependents You get \$30,00 per month: wife, \$15; first child, \$10; second child, \$7.50; third child, \$5.00; fourth child; \$5.00 8fth child, \$5.00, and sixth child, \$2.50 Pay every month. Each and every man enlisting in

medical attention. Rate for married

the army has the same chance for prowhich increases his pay. An enlisted man can get promoted until his pay will reach the amount of \$90 er month, with all allowances free and he also has a chance to take the examination for commission. - If he passes the examination he, is at once romoted to second lieutenant with chance for further promotion.

The Recruiting Station is open from 8 a. m. until 5 p. m. every day except Saturday and Sunday. On Saturdays the station is open until 9 p. m., and Supdays by appointment. Any one the recruiting officer at any time outside of the given hours can call 'phone 131 or call in person at 97 West Depot street. Any one wishing to communicate with the station during the given hours can call

If you are interested call at the Re cruiting Office and let us talk it over with you, as we are always ready to give any information we can and it does not put you under any obliga-tions. Lou will find Sergeant Wilson and Corporal Lael accommodating and ready to give any informations or advice, they can to help every one to un-derstand what the army does for you Do not forget the place, over the Pearl Drug Company, confer Union and De-pot streets. EDWIN WILSON, Sergeant G. 'S. Infantry, in charge of

C. V. LAEL. Corporal G. S. Infantry, Assistant.

VILLISTAS KILL OLD FOLKS AND CHILDREN Wipe Out Village When Demand For

Three Girls is Refused. El Paso Texas, April 30.—Thirty old men, women and children were

cilled by Villa's men at Stanta Cruz de Rosales, 40 miles southeast of Chihau-hau city, last Friday, according to a report brought to the border today by three young girls be delivered to him When this was refused his men were ordered to kill every one living in the little settlement, according to the report from Chihauhau city.

Bost Mill News Notes. Mrs. Duncan Morris, of Albemarle, Miss May Blackwelder, of Concord, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Boger, of St. John's, have returned home after spending several days at the home of Mr. Reu-Mr. George Smith and Mrs. Rebecca

and Ruth Smith, and Miss Belle Haw kes, of Cornellus, have returned home after a visit at the home of Mr. F. P.

Mr. Biles, of Bessemer, Alabams who was called home on account of the death of little Ruth Biles, has gone to

Those who attended the exercise Georgeville last night report that the entertainment was enjoyed very much especially the address of Prof.

The price of cotton today on the local market remains at 30 cents per pound and cotton seed at 75 cents

C. COVINGTON'S

For Dresses

Misses Dress \$1.25 Child's Dress \$1.00 Ladies' Dress \$5.00 Ladies' Dress _ - \$8.00 \$1.00 Ladies' Dress

Palm Beach \$7.00 Brevity is the soul of wit

\$5.00

Palm Beach

that's why I'm brief.

C. COVINGTON Back of the City Hall

STILL MORE TROOPS

igns Not Wanting that Gen. Von Arnim is Bringing Up Reinforcements on Front Southeast of Ypres.

THE ALLIES WAIT CONFIDENTLY

Germans Are on Much Lower Ground Than French And British.-American Losses "Rather Severe."

(By The Associated Press) Apparently the Germans are prepared to break the second lull in had made no decision. he Flanders battle until still more troops and greater concentration of cannon are massed along the few important miles of the front southwest of Ypres. Signs are not wanting that Gen, von Araim is bringing up reinforcements and supplies, but the Anglo-French troops stirred by the bril-liant repulse of the enemy which caused him to cease his attacks for the

econd time to wait confidently. As the first break in the hard fighting was followed by stronger at tacks, it is probable that only the dif-ficult of transportation and supply compelled the enemy to withhold fur ther assaults against the allied posi tions from the Mount Kemmel region westward. Except for Mount Kemmel and a small strip to the east, including Messines Ridge, the Germans are on much lower ground that the French and British, and must either fight on or be compelled eventually to withdraw befor the smothering fire of the allied artillery.

Heavy artillery firing and usual outost actions continue along the front. Around the important sector of Locre the French have been shelled by the enemy. On the southern leg of the salient the German guns have been active in the region of Bethune. Southward in Picardy only the artillery has

een active.
The American troops in Picardy east of Amiens have engaged the German infantry for the first time on the great battlefield and have emerged victori-ous. After shelling heavily the Ameri-can position pear Villers Bretonneux south of the Summe and on a direct route to Amieus three enemy batallions attacked Tuesday night. There was sharp fighting all along the line and the Germans were replised having sustained severe losses and leaving dead and wounded on the field. The Ameri-

Fighting for democracy and for free m of their home land. Bohemian and Slav detachments are now facing the Austro-Hungarian troops along the ector in northern Italy. Apparently these units have been recruited from former residents of the dual monar chy and from deserters from the en-

A Later Dispatch.—Germans Display ing Increased Activity.

The Germans are displaying increas ed activity on the Somme front and around the Montdidier salient to Noy on, probably in preparation for renewal of their offensive in this area.

Checked last week by the stiff Britsh and French-American resistance in their attempt to push further toward Amiens, the enemy forces now are engaged in trying out various portions of the southern fornt in an endeavor

Last night was a thrust at the French in the Thennes region, southvest of Hangard. The artillery prompt y broke up this drive.
This morning the German guns op-

ened up rather heavily in Villers Bre-tonneux region just north and directly east of Amiens, but no infantry attacks had developed up to the time the British official statement was issued a

Meanwhile the lull that followed the severe German defeat of Monday has continued on the Flanders front. Only artillery has been displaying activity

The German guns were reported opening up a somewhat spirited fire this morning in the region of Merris, indi-cating the possibility that the renewal of the German effort on the north ern front when it comes, may be de veloped along the Batileul-Hazebrouch road on which Merris marks the farth-The British have been holding this line strongly as if guards the direct route to the vitally important Haze brouck railway junction.

The Methodist General Conference Atlanta, Ga., May 2.-With more

than 4,000 delegates in attendance, in duding members of the College of Bi-hops, and other prominent church eaders, the 18th quadriennial conferhouse of the Methodist Episcopal church foulth began here roday. The confer-nce will be in session about three g Liberty from Bands new!

"THE IRON HEART" Featuring EDWIN ARDEN AT THE NEW PASTIME TODAY A Gold Rooster Play in

*5 parts

BAKER ASKS FOR ARMY OF UNLIMITED SIZE Secretary Baker Asks Congress for

Power to Create Big Army.

(By The Associated Press.) Washington, May 2.-Secretary Bater today at a hearing before the House Military Affairs Committee in confidential session asked congress to grant an unlimited power for the creation of an army of whatever size necessary for the prosecution of the war. He told the committee it would be ill advised to restrict the number of men to be utilized and that the size of the army should increase in discretion of the government, as transportation and quipment facilities are warranted.

Secretary Baker indicated that be would submit a proposed measure. probably as an amendment to the draft aw, to grant the unlimited authority

Secretary Baker was questioned by the committee regarding his views as to the increasing the draft age. He said, he was studying the subject and

ames Hopkins Awarded \$575.00 Dam ages Against Concord Telephone Co. -Other Cases. In the civil term of Cabarrus county

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

uperior court the cases are being dis osed of rather slowly for the past everal days, only a few cases having een tried. The case of James Hopkins against concord Telephone Company was de-cided by the jury in favor of the plain-

iff, and he was awarded the sum of \$575.00. The suit grew out of the injuries to the boy when he came in contact with a live wire, and suffered the oss of one hand. Fannie McDaniel was granted an ab solute divorce from her husband, Plens McDaniel. Ethel Ray was granted a divorce from E. C. Ray, and Mamie

Spry was also granted a divorce from Mack H. Spry.

The jury in the case of Bell & Har ris Furniture Company against Will A. Freeman returned a verdict in favor of the plaintiff, awarding them the sum of \$187.50.

The Case of J. H. Wallace against Tallassee Power Company, wherein the plaintiff is suing for personal injuries he sustained, was taken up yesterday, and the court was still hearing this case this morning.

SECRETAY DANIELS SPEARS IN PHILADELPHIA

Many Millions as May Be Neede Will Be Sent to the Front. (By The Associated Press)

Philadelphia, May 2.-As many millions as may be needed to win the war will be sent to the front, Secretary BOHEMIANS JOIN Daniels declared in an address to the Philadelphia Chamber of Commerce today in behalf of the third Liberty Loan "Let us not think in terms of fixed numbers," said the Secretary. "Congress has provided the selective draft. and when there are enough ships al these men will be on the field in France. If there are not enough men between

21 and 31 to win the war, the age lim

PRIVATE RALPH MITCHELL

THROWN FROM A TRAIN As it Was Passing Station Here Las Evening—Was Not Seriously Hurt First Class Private Ralph G. Mit hell, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Mit chell, of this city, was badly bruised and shaken up near the Southern Depot here last night, when he fell from fast moving train, and was thrown or a distance of about fifty feet. Young Mr. Mitchell was with other roops on a special train that passed here last evening late, and did not stop. His mother and other friends were at the station to see the train pass, and in waving to them he fell from the rain from some cause or other. was brought to the Concord Hospital. where it was found his injuries, though

later train to join his company. AIMED AT I. W. W.

Legislation Approved by the Judiciary Committee. (By The Associated Press)

paiful, were not serious. He left on

Washington, May 2. - Legislation imed at the Industrial Workers of he World and similar organizations advocating force and violence to bring about government and secial and indus-trial changes, were approved today by the Senate Judiciary Committee. The measure, comprising the features of anti-industrial workers of world bill. intorduced by Senator King, of Utah, and Walsh, of Montana, was ordered favorably reported.

With Our Advertisers.

The Browns-Cannon Co., has a message for you in a new ad today. This is the home of Hart Schaffner and Marx clothes.

See the new ad of the Concord char-ter Loyal Order of Moose, Texas Rit-

chie, district deputy, on the last page the Bell and Harris Furniture Co.

Classis of Reformed Church to Meet

Lexington: May 1.- The North Caro lina classis of the Reformed church will meet in 88th annual sessions in St. Paul's church, Startown, Catawba coun

Frost Tonight. (By The Associated Press)
Washington, May 2.—Pair touight
frost in interior, Friday (fits.)

One of the things no fellow has explained is why Japan is able to send 200,000 Samural to China, but nary some to the European battlefront,

BE PRESENTED To the Baraca Class of the Methodist Protestant Church Next Sunday Morning.

On next Sunday morning at 10:20 o'clock a very interesting program has been arranged by the Baraca class of the Methodist Protestant church the occasion being the presentation of a service flag containing a star for every member of the class who is in the service of the country. Twenty members of this class have enlisted in the service; seven of them however have been honorably discharged for physical disabilities. The flug togeth er with an American flag is the gift of the feacher to the class and will be presented by Hon. L. T. Hartsell, of Concord bar, and accepted on behalf of the class by Mr. P. H. Scarboro, A splendid musical program has been ar ranged for the occasion by the Sunday School choir assisted by a male quar tette composed by Messrs. Kay Patter son, J. B. Sherrill, Ed. Sherrill and R P. Benson. The service will not last more than thirty minutes which will give those desiring to attend this exer cise ample time to attend the regula church services elsewhere. The publi is cordially invited to be present.

THE COTTON MARKET

Prospects of Warmer Weather in the South Causes Lower Prices. (By The Associated Press)

New York, May 2:- Prospects armer weather in the South served to resertict buying and promote realizing in the cotton market early today It looked as though the advance of vesterday had left rather an easier technical position and after an irregular opening prices broke rather sharp-

Cables were better than due and July opened at an advance of 13 points selling at 27.05, or into new ground for the movement, but later deliveries were unchanged to 14 points lower. July soon eased off to 26.44, or 43 points net lower, while October broke to 25.65, with active months gen erally showing net losses of 35 to 43 points during the early trading. Cotton futures opened fairly steady May, 27.18; July, 27.00; October, 26.20

December, 25.90; January, 25.80. THE STOCK MARKET.

Industrials Again the Foremost Issue at Opening Today.
(By The Associated Press)

New York, May 2.- Industrials were igain the foremost issues in the opening of todays stock market, U. S. Steel advanced a large fraction to 97 3-8 its maximum for the current movement, while the Republic Iron and Superior Steel rose 1.1-2 and 2 points respectively. Royal Dutch Oil rallied from the recent depression gaining 1 1-2 Rails aside from the Canadian Pacific failed to sustain their strength of the previous session. Liberty Bonds eased slightly.

Now Fighting Against Austria in Ital-ian Uniform.

The Bohemian troops are joining he Italians against Austria, according to The London Mail's correspondent at Italian headquarters. Even now some of the Bohemians are on the Italian line, clad in Italian uniforms. it will be changed, and men of 40 and 50 if need be, will respond to the colthe hands of both Italian and British

This information has passed through censors and would therefore appear to be authentic. The defection of Bohemians would in a measure explain the delay in the proposed great offensive, lond heralded, of the Austrians igainst the Italians.

NOW \$2,641,631,850.

Telegrams Pouring in Tell of the Suc-cess of the Liberty Loan.

(By The Associated Press) Washington, May 2. Tele pouring in to the National Liberty Loan headquarters today told of the 'match the president" contests every where yesterday, and added \$62,000,000 subscriptions, making a national total of \$2.641.631,850.

GERMANS ESTABLISH MILITARY RULE IN KIEV

On the Pretext That the Govern is Too Weak to Maintain Order. (By The Associated Press)

London, May 2.—The Germans hav stablished a military rule in Kiev, the Ukrapian capital, and have arrested : number of the members of the government on the ground that "the governmen had proved too weak to maintain law and order." according to a Berlin official statement.

The Ukranian government officials errested included the minister of war.

immediately.

What are a few hundred thousand German lives to the junkers?

City of Athens Sunk in Collision With a French Cruiser Off the Delaware Coast Yesterday Morning.

SANK IN 5 MINUTES AFTER COLLISION

All Praised the Efforts of the Fresh Sailors, Who Picked Up Many Survivors From the Wreckage.

(By The Associated Press) An Atlantic Port, May 2.—Survivors of the coastwise steamer, City of Athens, sunk in a collision with a French cruiser in a fog off the Deleware coast yesterday morning with a loss of 00 persons related here today many tales of heroism on the part of the crews of the two vessels. All praised the efforts

of the French sailors especially, who launched small boats within a few minutes after the accident, and aided

by the cruiser's searchlights, picked up many of the survivors from pieces Survivors agreed that the sinking of the steamer-within five warship—was responsible for the heavy toll of life, although some claimed that the City of Athens life saving apparatus failed to work properly. There were 135 persons, including United States marines, on board the steamer. which was bound from New York for Savannah with a two million dollar cargo of food stuffs, supplies and a

general cargo on board. CASUALTY LIST TODAY.

Contains 96 Names.—11 Killed in Action and 2 Died of Wounds. (By The Associated Press)

Washington, May 2.—The casualty list today contains 96 names, divided s follows Killed in action eleven; died of wounds two; died of accident three; died of disease seven; died of other causes three; wounded severely sevn; woundd slightly sixty; missing in action three.

Seven officers were named. Lieut. layton C. Ingersoll died as a result on an accident : Lieut. Agust Leo Sund-vail died of wounds ; Lieuts, John B. Feegel and Frederick B. Stokes were wounded severely; and Capt. Frank J. Abbott and Lieuts. Will F. Lovett Swinson

slightly. Francis J. Cahill and Lieut. Samuel Miller and Robert H. Jeffrey, previous ly reported missing, are now

to be prisoners. To Again Give Address o Again Give Addresses in Casualty Lists. Washington, May 2.—The war department will resume almost ately the practice of giving addr of American soldiers named in the

casualty lists sent from France. A decision was made by President Wilson to whom the public appealed when the addresses were ordered dis-continued. The President took up the subject with Secretary Baker im ately after the secretary's return

TWO MORE AMERICANS
FALL TO THEIR DEATH Fell 150 Feet in a Straight Nose Drive This Morning.

(By The Associated Frees) Fort Worth, May 2)—Falling 150 feet in a straight nose drive this morning. Lieut, James S. Ennis, Jr., of New York City and cadet Paul B riot, of Oakland, California, were kill-ed. The accident happened at Hicka-just an hour before Gen. Groble and

staff of Camp Bowle arrived to will ness some "stunt" flying. Major and Colonel Fall to Their De Dayton. Ohio, May 2.—Major Osca. Brindley and Colonel Damme, we expert aviation men from the Me deral flying field here, met death a the Moraine City aviation field to today. The machine dropped 400 fee while making a turn in the air.

Services at Mt. Hermon La Church.

There will be service at Mt. H Lutheran Church Sunday night, sermon will be delivered by the tor, Rev. L. D. Miller.

Citizen's Building and Loan Association will open its 25th Series

SATURDAY, MAY 4, 1918. We have funds on hand with which to make lo

W. C. HOUSTON, President.

JOHN FOX, Secretary and Treasurer.

Office in Citizen's Bank and Trust Company