

### WOOD HOLDS LEAD

Despite Loyden's Illinois Victory General's Score Best.

Has 61 Pledged Delegates to 47 for the Governor

### PLAN HUGE HOOVER PETITION

Nonpartisan Union Shows Renewed Vigor in Drive.

Will Try to Force Food Dictator's Nomination Across.

New York, April 17.—Despite Gov. Frank O. Lowden's victory in the Illinois primary, Maj. Gen. Leonard Wood apparently continues to lead in the race for the Republican presidential nomination.

Assuming that thirty-five of Illinois delegates will vote for Lowden, fourteen for Wood and one for Senator Hiram Johnson, the standing on instructed delegates today would be Wood, 61; Lowden, 47; Johnson, 41. Eight additional delegates will be chosen in Illinois at the state convention later.

### Figure Kansans for Wood.

On the basis of claims of support of unpledged delegates—figuring that Kansas's twenty would go to Wood and Wisconsin's twenty-six to Johnson, after the early balloting for Gov. Henry Allen and Senator Robert La Follette, respectively, the standing

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would be: Wood, 127; Lowden, 105; Nicholas Murray Butler of New York, 83; Johnson, 67; Judge J. C. Pritchard of North Carolina, 22. To political observers, the real surprise was the large number of "written-in" ballots for Johnson. The only names printed on the ballots were those of Lowden and Wood, but returns showed that Johnson, who had made no campaign in Illinois, had polled about 40,000 votes. The name of Herbert Hoover also was written-in on some Republican ballots. None of the Democratic candidates were entered in the Illinois primary and that state's fifty-eight delegates joined the already large number of un-instructed delegations.

Nebraska and Georgia Next. The next primaries are those of Nebraska and Georgia, which will be held April 29. Both Republicans and Democrats vote in the former state, in which sixteen delegates each are involved. Supporters of Gen. John J. Pershing claim he will win the Republican endorsement. Johnson is now campaigning there. The Democrats alone will contest for Georgia's twenty-eight delegates. The Republicans held a state convention there last week at which rival delegations were elected.

The national convention must decide whether the "written-in" or "written-on" delegates will be seated. The Hoover for President union, recently formed here as a "nonpartisan organization," has announced plans for circulating petitions to obtain one million signatures of men and women pledging their votes to Hoover.

### Get Big Booze Haul in Raid.

Chicago, April 17.—Edward Stevens, Charles McDermott, and M. J. O'Rourke were under arrest here today and whisky valued at \$11,999 was confiscated by federal authorities as a result of a raid made on their saloon yesterday. The whisky was sold by O'Rourke for 75 cents a drink, officers said.

### SEVEN SENTENCE SERMONS.

A man's life can be no larger than the objects to which it is given.—Henry Churchill King.

The Holy Spirit is the power for the doing of small things on high levels, which constitutes practical holiness.—Rev. J. Stuart Holden.

He that respects himself is safe from others; he wears a coat of mail that none can pierce.—Longfellow.

A man's reputation is what his fellow men think of him; his character is what God knows of him.—Aron.

He that loveth silver shall not be satisfied with silver; nor he that loveth abundance with increase; this also is vanity.—Ecc. 5:10.

I find earth not gray but rosy; Heaven not grim but fair of hue. Do I stand and stare? All's a bliss.—Robert Browning.

In a few short years all our restless and angry hearts will be quiet in death, but those who come after us will live in the world which our sins have blighted or whose love of right has redeemed.—Rauschenbush.



### The Spring Rains Bring Grippe

This sort of weather brings colds and grippe. If it's just a common cold people say, "there's no danger in that!" But many a fatal sickness begins with a cold—with vitality weakened—the system is ready for the influenza germs. Begin early to ward off the attack. Purge the system of the toxins (poisons) by taking castor oil, or a vegetable laxative made of Mayapple, leaves of aloe, and jalap, rolled into sugar-coated pills and to be had at all drug stores as Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. If the cold starts with a cough, and it persists then some local treatment for this condition should be taken. A well known alternative extract which has been on the market for a great many years, and which has been highly recommended by thousands of users, is Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. This tonic compound is composed of an extract of roots and herbs without alcohol, and has a soothing effect upon the mucous membrane, allays the irritation and at the same time works in the proper and reasonable way, at the seat of the trouble—the stagnated or poisoned blood.

### WILL FIX WAGES

Wheat Growers of Kansas Called Into Conference.

As High as \$7.50 Per Day Paid Last Year—Expect Hike.

Manhattan, Kan., April 17.—A wheat harvest labor conference has been called to meet at Hutchinson Monday, May 3, for the purpose of discussing the advisability of setting a standard wage. Other matters relating to the harvest labor problem will be brought up at the conference. The meeting was called by Senator A. L. Lupper thru the medium of the executive division of the Kansas State Agricultural college.

Every agricultural organization in each county of the state is invited to send at least one representative, but the voting will be by county units, the voting strength being determined by the acreage of wheat in each county.

The standard wage set last year was 50 cents an hour for a 10-hour day, with extra time for overtime. Records in the county agent leader's office here indicate, however, that as high as \$7.50 was the average daily wage for a few counties in the central western part of the state, while as low as \$5.50 a day was paid in a few eastern and western counties. The other counties fluctuated between these two extremes. In one community the high mark of \$15 a day was reached.

An effort will be made to iron out these difficulties at the coming conference. Kansas City employment bureau quote common labor 5 to 7 1/2 cents higher this year than last, indicating that a higher standard harvest labor wage may have to be agreed upon by wheat growers.

### SCRIPTURE

Genesis 1:11-13.

And God said, Let the earth bring forth grass, the herb yielding seed, and the fruit tree yielding fruit after his kind, whose seed is in itself, upon the earth: and it was so.

And the earth brought forth grass, and the herb yielding seed after his kind, and trees yielding fruit, whose seed was in itself, and God saw that it was good.

And the evening and the morning were the third day.

And God said, Let there be lights in the firmament of the heaven to divide the day from the night; and let them be for signs, and for seasons, and for days, and years: and let them be for lights in the firmament of the heaven to give light upon the earth: and it was so.

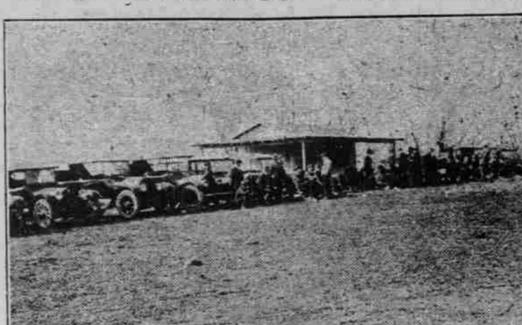
And God made two great lights; the greater light to rule the day, and the lesser light to rule the night; he made the stars also.

And God set them in the firmament of the heaven to give light upon the earth.

And to rule over the day and over the night, and to divide the light from the darkness: and God saw that it was good.

And the evening and the morning were the fourth day.

### Weekly Gun Shoots a Benefit to Health of Business Men Here



Gun Club Lodge in Highland Park.

Since the war ended, business men released from the high pressure of wartime activities have had a moment now and then to think of recreation and amusement. Golf, gun clubs, baseball, gymnasium work, tennis, and other forms of outdoor sport are taking up a bit of their time and adding to their health and happiness.

The Topeka Gun club was started about five years ago. During the war it almost died out. Since the signing of the armistice, the club has shown considerable life. At present the club is holding a weekly shoot each Tuesday afternoon on their range located on the property of the late A. C. Foster, about two blocks from the end of the California avenue car line, out in Highland Park.

The club now has thirty-seven members. According to A. R. Springer, secretary, a number of Topeka men have signified their intention of joining the club and with other experienced shotgun manipulators.

They have a little club house just back of where the shooters stand. It is inexpensive, but an about \$400, but it is entirely adequate to the needs of the club. A large shelter porch runs partly around the building. Inside the building it is one large room. A fireplace is constructed on one side. The room is used partly for storing supplies and as a shelter.

Shooting in cold weather contestants go in by the fire to warm up. A large window on the side toward the traps permits them to watch the other shooters.

Use Good Guns. Clay bird breakers stand sixteen yards back of the traps from which the discs are hurled into the air. They have a perfect light back of them in the afternoon as shooting is done toward the east. Experienced men Springer says, usually crack down on their birds at a distance of about forty yards from the point at which they are standing. Twelve gauge shot guns are used. Many of the members are using specially constructed shot guns, single barrel, hammerless, with a ventilated ribbing on top the barrel to assist in keeping the gun cool, similar to the ribbing on machine guns. A gun of this sort may be purchased at any figure between \$100 and \$1,000. The higher cost is not in increased efficiency of the piece so much as in its ornateness and expensive mounting. Accurate, serviceable guns may be purchased cheaper.

There was a day when any old musket was considered all right. More science is used now in fitting the right gun to the right man. The length of the barrel is considered. The modern tendency, Springer points out, is toward guns with very little "drop," that is, the barrel comes nearer forming a straight line with the stock.

The clay birds cost about \$3 per dozen. The cost on the grounds is about a cent and three-quarters each. Supplies of shells may be obtained at the club house. A state shoot is to be held at Winfield May 4. A number of Topeka gun artists are planning to attend the event.

### 'DOPE' SOLD IN TOPEKA

Negroes Implicate Gays in Purchase of Narcotics.

The "bottoms" figured in another scandal in Topeka Friday afternoon when Law Kirkpatrick and Elizabeth King, negroes, faced Acting Police Judge J. D. M. Hamilton, confessed they were dope fiends and told the judge the drugs were purchased at Oscar Gay's place, 168 Jefferson street. The King woman told the judge that she purchased morphine and cocaine from "Sue Carter and Frank Carter and from Gay himself."

Continuing the woman stated that Thelma Williams was in Kansas City at this time getting a supply of drugs for the drug addicts of the "bottoms." She named "Dutch" Goggins as another dealer in drugs.

Judge Hamilton immediately notified the police and went with officers on a raid on the Gay place. Carter and his wife, Oscar Gay and Cassius Skaggs were captured. The officers making the raid were Police Lieut. Frank Summers, Chief of Detectives Clyde Tresner, Patrolman Abner Taylor and Lee Coberly, driver of the police car.

A report of the woman's testimony was given to the United States marshal's office and an inspection of the alleged drug fence may follow.

Kirkpatrick and the King woman were arrested Wednesday as suspects in the recent hold-ups in Topeka. They were found by the police at the Oscar Gay place and Gay, at first, told officers they were not in the house. Gay has been in jail numerous times on different charges, the police say.

### AVOID MILITARY WRANGLE

Clay County Democrats Fail to Mention Training in Resolutions.

Clay Center, Kan., April 17.—At a mass meeting Thursday, the Democrats of Clay county elected the fourteen delegates who will represent the county at the state convention at Wichita April 22. The delegates selected were: Stanley Maxwell, Geo. Blentz, Leon Malcolm, Dr. F. A. George, Wylie, John Erdman, Allene

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### JAPS CONTINUE CAMPAIGN

Russians in Siberia Flee to Hills Before Advance of Invaders.

Vladivostok, April 17.—Heavy fighting between Russian and Japanese forces continues at Khabarovsk, on the Amur river, and casualties suffered by each side are heavy, according to reports received here. Towns along the Ussuri river branch of the Transiberian railroad north of here are all in the hands of the Japanese, but hundreds of Russians are fleeing to the hills and have again started guerilla warfare.

Arrests of Russians by Japanese in this city continue, but government buildings are being returned to Russians and the red flag is reappearing. General Krakovetsky, commander of the provisional government's troops here, has resigned, and has been succeeded by General Soldereff, former commander-in-chief under the all-Russian government of Omak, who resigned his post when Admiral Kolchak assumed power here. General Antonovitch who acted as chief of staff with General Rozanoff, will act in the same capacity with General Soldereff.

COSTS \$37.50 PER MONTH EACH. Dickinson County School Has Two Pupils and \$75 Teacher.

Abilene, Kan., April 17.—A recent news story from Grinnell, Gove county, claimed for that county the smallest school in the state, in point of enumeration, in the state—two pupils, Dickinson county also has a school with only two pupils—District 114.

The teacher of No. 114 receives \$75 a month, the same salary paid by the Gove county school. In District 4 in this county, the school enumeration is five, but the attendance is only two. The teacher in this district receives \$70 a month.

Chicago Deals With Strikers. Chicago, April 17.—School children bewailed the softness of their elders today. Representatives of striking school engineers and the school board were to meet in special session to settle the engineers' demands for higher pay. The predicted quick settlement and a resumption of classes, dismissed.

Have you contributed to the Jewish Synagogue yet? Campaign now on. H. A. AUERBACH, Financial Chairman.

IT IS EASY TO REGISTER. Topekans Don't Seem to Realize That One Minute Will Turn Trick.

That registration is a terrible process, not to be undertaken unless necessary, seems to be the opinion of many Topekans, to judge by the rate at which they are now registering.

As a matter of fact, the process of becoming a qualified voter takes less than one minute. One gives his name, age, place of birth, whether married or single and is then given a registration certificate entitling him to vote at the primaries next summer.

The city clerk's office is now open every day during the noon hour. The elevator is also running. Unless more persons register daily from now until the time the books close July 23, hundreds will not get to register.

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