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OZONA, CROCKETT COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, MAY 16, 1918

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thing see Bruce Drake.

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M. H. Goode, in from a shear-business houses to close and Government railroad systems. letter from Mr. Blackburn:

had lost 4,5000 head of sheep in loudly applauded. The Doctor, it is not part of a trunk line. governmental policies and prinincorrigible boys who have begoats were killed by the late and we only give it as it came the Red Cross auspices. She and many of the ranchmen. when occasion arises. had seen her father murdered, The discontinuance of the "Just now, the winning of the Yes, friends, you are going to her mother and sisters outraged Orient would be a severe blow war is uppermost in every loyal get another good rain. People and her little brother's hands to the industrial interests of mind; nothing else matters, or who pay the printer without cut off by the brutal invaders. this portion of West Texas, at a will matter, unless and until we

dunning as handsomely as you He referred to the German-time, too, when we can ill afford have conquered in the present do are bound to be remembered Prussian autocrats as the "mad it. dogs of civilization," and said if we fall to do all that we can to save humanity and ourselves Appeal to Ozona's If you want to sell or buy any- we fail to do all that we can to from the beasts that we are not one whit better than the soldier who is too cowardly to face the

foe.
The majority of the audience appeared to heartily agree with the speaker.

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# Want the Orient

Bill Schneemann, Jr., of Dr. J. D. Sandifer, president Federal Railroad Administra- Hon. M. E. Blackburn of Bill Schneemann, Jr., of Dr. J. D. Sandifer, president transfer of it and pay the Crockett county recently sold to of Simmons College, Abilene, tor McAdoo ordered a hearing Junction, our presentable repre- an act of vandalism which The damages they have caused Moore Bros. of Ft. Stockton 600 spoke to a number of our citizens before the Government Rail- sentative in the Texas legisla- Stockman regrets to have to re- thereby possibly avoiding a wearling ewes at \$14.00. Also at the Majestic theatre about road Board on whether or not ture, announces for re-election port. It makes us all ashamed. great deal more serious trouble. shipped to Oklahoma for pastur- our scrap across the pond. No the Kansas City, Mexico & in this issue of The Stockman. Several nights ago one of the The very best they can expect, age 1,800 bred three and four- previous notice had been given, Orient Railroad can be taken We have been interested, as you gardens of the Ozona Girl Scouts however, is social ostracism in and Prof. J. B. Smith got the over and operated as part of the will be, in reading the following was invaded and literally des- this patriotic town for quite a

within an hour quite a fair-sized The board had already held "I have no special platform. ly pulled up many of the vegethat this road cannot be included "I feel sure the people of the tables, trampled the entire plot The Kaiser and his mob re- in Government operation of District understand, at least in and cut the tops off the onions, sible for the statement that ceived a verbal flaying that was other roads on the ground that a general way, my views upon The culprits are known, being about 8,000 head of sheep and

though not exactly an orator, A petition asking Mr. McAdoo ciples. Doubtless many new fore this shown their fitness for cold spell, following the big the recent cold spell. He says knows just what he wants to to continue the operation of the questions will arise, questions reformatories. But in this case, rains in Val Verde county. say, and says it very vigorously. Orient for the benefit of the live- which cannot be anticipated; they have made a big bid for the Among the losses Keys Fawcett, He told of a sweet little lady stock and other important in- but I have always believed that, penitentiary. Destroying a war who ranches over on Dolan, is It is reported that Blake Maul- who was a student of the Uni- terests of this section was circu- given integrity. a reasonable garden is a penitentiary offense. named as having lost 300 goats din lost 700 sheep in the recent versity of Antwerp when the lated by county clerk Tom Nolen amount of backbone and some wet cold spell. The report did Germans invaded Belgium. He in Ozona this week, and signed horse sense, a man can usually not reach The Stockman direct recently heard her lecture under by all the business men in town be trusted to do the right thing

shirk and were slackers.

dom of drafting an army, but Red Cross, the big Red Cross at all, I am willing that my that stands emblazoged against people should have the benefit the sky, the hope of the alliet of even the it involves finanarmies. Did you ever see a cid loss to me. regiment marching through the streets? When they pass a Red to represent the largest and best Cross every hat is raised in reverence. An officer training a troop of raw recruits once marched them past the Red Please note that my news Cross headquarters where a stand in the Stockman building huge Red Cross banner floated has no business connection with across the street. He halted The Stockman Publishing Co. the men and said: "Boys, you If you stand me off for fifteen see that banner. Look well at cents and I have to mail you a that Red Cross and take off your hats to it! That is your one hope when you get aver your one hope when you get aver your one mailed. Otherwise I lose money hope when you get over yonder. on your patronage. Take off your hat to the army of noble women who are working to give you a chance to come back." Yes; but it is a veryirvery small army of noble woment. who trudge up to the court house of in Ozona and day after day carin ry on the big work alone and un to aided by the many. Some women" are too busy dusting the dust. others are not able, and many are the excuses, but if the Kai-d ser with his deadly efficiently army behind him knocks at the digate of Texas some day will you at then feel that your household duties are the most important thing in your life; or will yous wish that you had worked to save the boys over yonder who are giving themselves a segrification as I am not known in Atlanta. Wire cash quick so I can get it to more with the part of the save the boys over yonder who are giving themselves a segrification as I am not known in Atlanta. Wire cash quick so I can get it to more whom the part of the save the boys over yonder who are giving themselves a segrification as I am not known in Atlanta. are giving themselves a sacrifice tters Vielegram to the commanding ofto save you these comfortable Thay if the camp in which the man

The boys in khaki who are giving themselves a sacrifice to We are asking our patrons

nation prays: "God Bless our mediately. But let us add the in- We positively will not take vocation: "God help the women of Ozona to see their duty!"

we positively will not take back damaged goods or mer-

Send The Stockman to a friend Goods returned promptly will or relative in some other less fav- greatly assist us in our bookored country. Better than letters keeping. because it goes every week.

# Views of Our Representative

struggle. Every energy and legitimate power of government should be utilized for this purpose. This issue is supreme and overshadows all others. The Patriotic Women discussions of mere politics seems trifling and inappropriate The United States declared when we consider that our counwar on Germany and many of try is locked in mortal combat er sons volunteered to fight for with the greatest foe of all histhe old Red, White and Blue tory; when our boys are giving Some waited and were taken in their lives for the very existence Let me sell you and be satisfied. them at Chris Meinecke & Son's. on the draft, while some tried to of a free government upon the earth. Such a discussion I shall The Government saw the wis- not attempt.

"If my experience is worth never drafted workers for the anything, if I have any ability

> "I feel that it is no little honor listrict in Texas.'

# News Stand Notice.

Mrs. Easterling.

diers in army camps have been vi timized by swindlers who wired wrote for funds under soldiers' nan In each instance it was requested the money be sent by wire waiving iden the customary explanation being th the soldier had been discharged and

The following is a typical telegram

southern camp:

ons should be verified by a letname is signed to the request is

who take out our goods on ap-The noble boys for whom the proval to please return same im-

chandise kept out through neg-

FLOWERS & ADAMS.

# Outrageous Vandalism in Ozona

troyed. The vandals deliberate- long time.

Only last week a man at Fort Worth was sent up for five years for trampling his father's war garden.

The culprits in this case in Ozona would do well to make a Ozona has been disgraced by clean breast of it and pay the

The Del Rio Herald is respon-

# SOMETHING NEW

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# BRAVERY OF FOREFATHERS LIVES AGAIN IN DEEDS OF AMERICANS

Yankee Troops in France Laugh at Shell Fire, Jest at Shrapnel Spraying and Take Whatever Comes With Bold, Courageous Spirit That Makes Them Invincible—Sergeant Braves Death to Save His Horses.

Just then the great French guns be-

"There are 50 horses in a very dan-

"It is too dangerous to risk a trip-

The sergeant paused a moment. A

"I can get them out," he said, look-

There was no further conversation.

pit of death. He disappeared around

a slight curve. A few minutes later

And over in the batteries, around

which shells had been falling for sev-

ting about like gnomes with their gas

masks in position. Gas shells had been

dropping all about them, but fortunate-

ly the wind was such as to whiff it

With others I moved down the road

a few hundred feet and entered a graz-

ing field, where I stood with about

United States. We could see the Ger-

man shells falling not far away and

could see the flash and hear the boom

Gazing at the people moving across

the fields, a soldier from Chicago-in

every regiment there are men from

"If the people at home could see this

and then realize that their own fa-

same thing if the Germans ain't licked

Shortly there was a lull in the fight-

ng. In the period of quiet which came

"What's the news from back home?"

"Has Grover Alexander gone in the

"Where'd they bury Bob Fitzsim-

"Did Teddy Roosevelt get over that

"Is it true they've cut down the sal-

Just News From Home Wanted.

These four questions came quickly

they were answered the boys seemed Ca

Unimportant subjects were dropped his

instantly when a shell spattered up of

the earth a few hundred feet away,

was fiercer than before. Down in the

from four different soldiers and when

of the allied guns.

Refuses to Desert Horses

-Plunged from their world of sham and flying bits of masonry and steel. battles, training camps and dreams to a maelstrom of fierce realities, the gan to add their boom to the din of determination of the Huns who were American soldiers are proving they are the enemy artillery. One, two, three, bellowing with their guns only two made of the same stuff which carried four, five and on up to twenty came miles away. their forefathers through the tests of the ripping, tearing detonations. First the trying periods of American his- a flash, then a whine, then a spongy tory, writes Don Martin in the New roar from somewhere "over there." In York Herald.

the midst of the fanfare and scurry a I have seen them in action. I have sergeant-and it is permissible to state seen them under shell fire which lit- that he came from Missouri-stepped erally sprayed them with flying earth up to the captain, who was directing and shrapnel, and their relatives and his men to places of safety or to friends back in New York, California, neighboring sections, and said: Maine, Florida, Montana or wherever you please, may take the word of an gerous position. What shall be done eyewitness that they have already with them?" taken their places among the most valerous and sturdy fighters of this gi- leave them.' gantic world war.

Very recently I visited them in a little village as close to the enemy lines look of disappointment came into his as units can be quartered. I had gone eyes. I learned later that he has alto see the artillerymen at their task | ways loved horses. and instead of anticipated tranquillity ran into the flercest kind of excitement | ing the captain straight in the eye. -the first these particular Yankees had known. It all burst suddenly and | The sergeant trotted off up the street unexpectedly, just as most war devel- into what might well have been the opment break.

#### Shells Break 1,200 Yards Away.

From the rear window of headquar- he came into view again behind a galters in charge of an American captain loping string of horses which shot off and a French officer shells could be into a field to join a pack of mules seen breaking on a sloping hillside. Which slowly and with traditional per-The nearest one while I was observing | versity had been moving nearer the fell perhaps 1,200 feet away. They spot where shells were falling with greatest frequency. were aimed at an American battery.

"It's nothing," said the captain, a stalwart, handsome man, who only a few years ago was a renowned football emal hours, the artillerymen had taken to their dugouts, where they were sitplayer in a Michigan university. "They throw over a few shells every day, but they never hit the town."

With the musical hissing of the shells for an accompaniment we conaway from them. versed about news in America and had luncheon-a good luncheon, too. There was no talk of war. Beside the table at which we ate was a sagging cot 30 boys from various parts of the with wrinkled blankets. The captain

"Sometimes at night," he said, "the shelling is pretty heavy and it's hard to sleep, but I'm getting used to it."

### Clerk Indifferent to Shelling.

Just beside the open window in the rear-the window was more like a practically every state and every big barn door than a window and had no city back home-said sententiously: glass-a clerk was pegging away at a typewriter. The dropping of the shells made no impression upon him. At thers, mothers and children'll get the home, I learned, he is a clerk in an same thing if the Germans ain't licked express office—a lithe, well groomed I guess we'd have an army of twenty has dreams of future com- million, huh?" reatness.

ort, don't they?" I observed. these was a release of the tension arms just to get warm

ey won't get any nearer." which had been quite successfully To a war amateur the spectacle of camouflaged. Everyone broke out in shells striking so near yet coming no comment, much as does a person who nearer, when it would have been so has just come through a painful dental easy to blow the town to bits, was a operation matter of wonder.

"Yes, they could hit the town, of one of the privates asked me. course," was the captain's comment, "What do you want to hear about?" "but they never have shelled it. Sort I asked. of an unwritten understanding, I imagine. They have towns similarly situ- army?' ated which we could shell, but they

don't want them shelled." Other understandings were that the Germans spare some towns because their own people have property in them. Whatever may be the reason aries of baseball players?" for sparing certain towns all reasoning was wrong with respect to the particular village where I was having luncheon. We had just finished when a noncommissioned officer entered the upstairs room, considerably out of breath, but in no way excited, and all right. after saluting said:

# Battery Connections Broken.

"Our battery is being shelled with causing everyone to move to a new gas and telephone connections have region. In a minute the bombardment been broken."

Hurried orders were issued. It was narrow valley immediately in the path all done quickly and quietly. The foot- of the shells' flight five Frenchmen ball player, now a captain, acted as if he were coaching an old team at school. Presently men were seen scurrying off through the fields toward the shell-swept zone wherein the batteries lay. They dropped flat two or three times, but all crossed the danger belt safely and disappeared in the more thickly spattered region. This action had just been put into effect when another soldier appeared before the captain and, saluting and standing erect, said:

"I have to report, sir, that the shell fire is becoming more severe. Shells are now falling in the village."

The nearby whizz of the flying things and the boom and crash at the end of the street gave terrifying emphasis to the sharp cut words of the soldier. No one was so vexing as to ask about the "unwritten understanding" not to bomb the town. Where shells had been falling at the rate of two every three minutes, they were new dropping at the rate of four or five a minute. They were striking in

many parts of the village. There being nothing to do in the town word was given to evacuate. In a moment French and Americans were streaming slowly off into the fields and along the roadways and in five minutes only a few American and French officers and ambulances were to be seen in the streets, which were fre- caryers. were planting vegetables. The bom bardment made no alteration in their movements.

At the end of three hours, when dusk was gathering, the firing was being maintained from both sides, but the explosives were no longer dropping in the village, and the soldiers moved back into their billets and their places of occupation.

One who was privil ged to go to the next village and thence to return to a region of complete security could not help realizing how different was his lot from that of the hundreds of young Americans - courageous all, too-who has no alternative but to re-With the American Army in France. | quently filled with clouds of brick dust | turn to the village which, as I have said, could be completely blown off the face of France if such were the

#### MINERS STRIKE BECAUSE OF SLACKER EXEMPTION

Gebo, Wyo .- This little mining town is 100 per cent patriotic. An assistant postmaster was given a deferred draft classification because of his job. All the miners in the village-200 strong-went out on strike as a

The strike lasted 36 hours until the assistant postmaster agreed to enlist. Whereupon the miners called a mass meeting and voted money from the union treasury to care fer the man's . family during his absence. Only four of the 200 strikers were born in America.

#### ........ AVERAGE AN ACRE AN HOUR

New Records Set for British Plowing With Tractors in Spring Tests.

London.-New English records for tractor plowing were set in the annual spring tests at the new government tractor school of instruction at Mossley Hill. Two types of light tractor plow of the model adopted by the government as most suitable for British requirements worked for 12 consecutive hours.

The ground was a light soil and the tractors were required to pull fourfurrow plows, the depth of the furrow being six inches and the land fairly level, but slightly rocky. The work accomplished averaged

11.75 acres each, and the fuel consumption was 2.46 gallons per acre. The engines were run continuously for 12 hours.

### THROUGH STORM WITH BABY

Aged Pennsylvania Woman Walks 12 Miles to Get Relief for Family.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa.-Mrs. Margaret Kemp, a widow of fifty-two years and the mother of six children, walked 12 miles over the snow-crusted mountain with her youngest child in her

When she got here she pleaded for some means of getting warmth for the rest of her family, which she said was freezing in the shack called "home" on Bald mountain. The mother and her baby were sent.

to the United Charities and relief was dispatched to the children. They had neither shoes nor stockings, little underwear and ragged outer garments, and were huddled under a few old horse blankets and quilts. All were brought here.

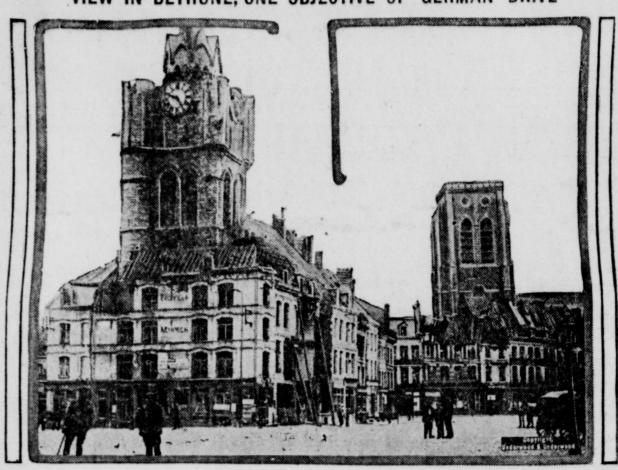
# HAS SMALLEST FEET IN ARMY

Man at Camp Meade Has Plenty of om in Smallest Shoe "Q.



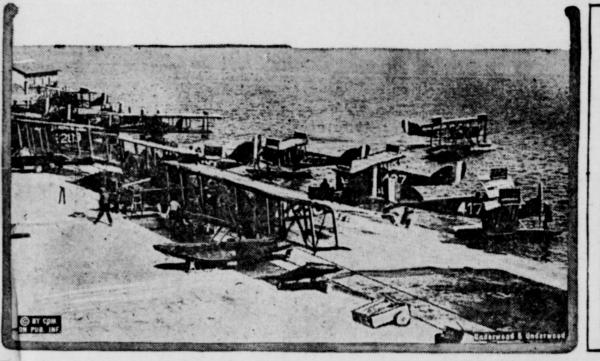
A hospital where disabled soldiers learn various trades has been established in Dublin, Ireland. Here are some of the men who have become skilled

# VIEW IN BETHUNE, ONE OBJECTIVE OF GERMAN DRIVE



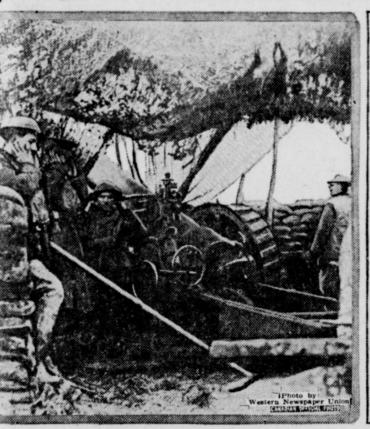
The important city of Bethune has been one of the objectives of the Germans in their drive in Flanders and the British have held stubbornly to the towns that guarded it. This photograph shows the square of Bethune, the build-

# **NUCLEUS OF AMERICA'S GREAT FLEET OF SEAPLANES**



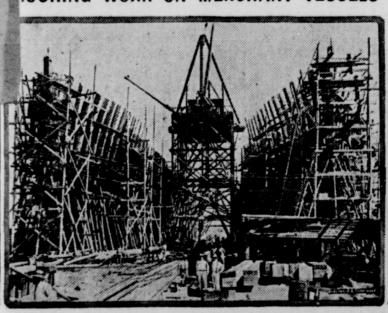
The nucleus of the big fleet of seaplanes that Uncle Sam is going to have is shown here. At this aviation staon 15 planes are shown arriving or on the beach.

# BIG BRITISH HOWITZER IN ACTION



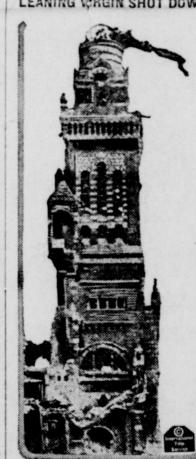
s photograph shows a British howitzer, hidden by camouflage, in action the Huns. The gun crew are covering their ears to avoid the deafening of the explosion.

# RUSHING WORK ON MERCHANT VESSELS



Texas had done some shipbuilding before the war, but in no comparison with what is being-done now. Many of the biggest wooden ships ever built are being launched there. This photograph shows two huge wooden vessels "Meatless day." — Indianap on the ways at a Texas shippard

## LEANING WRGIN SHOT DOWN



The leaning Virgin at the top of the Albert cathedral, now behind the German lines, was shot down by German artillery. The figure had been overhanging the street since 1914, when the city was shelled by the Germans. There was a widespread superstition that when the Virgin fell peace would be declared.

# Making It Easier.

"Do you have meatless days at your house?" "Yes," replied Mr. Meekton. "Everybody except the dog."

"Why the exception?" "Well, Henrietta is right complimentary about it. She says my su perior intelligence enables me to be philosophical about a situation which

He Knew.

### would grieve Fido because he couldn't understand it."

As an introduction to a valenting song that C. E. Park, supervisor of music in the Rushville schools, was going to teach to first-grade pupils, he asked them: "What day is tomor row?" He expected the reply to be "Valentine day," but a small voice

"Meatless day." - Indianapolis News.

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# HEARD and SEEN at the CAPITAL

# "Wanted, Live Press Agent; Apply Mother Nature"

WASHINGTON.—Nature needs a press agent. If you were among the thousands who missed the recent display of the aurora borealis, you will agree with me that a little advance publicity for old Mother Nature would result in larger audiences for some of her most



choice displays. Those who missed the "northern lights" have been kicking themselves because they didn't have the gumption to look out the back window and see something worth looking at.

But how were you to know anything about the aurora borealis being on the way? Nature needed a press agent, that was all. And now an earthquake!

Missing the Aurora borealis was bad enough, but to miss an earthquake that shakes beneath your very feet is too much. When you failed to look out the window that night, it wasn't your fault, of course-how in the thunder were you to know the aurora borealis was out there, anyway?

But that earthquake! If you were so absorbed in a book that you failed to feel the house quiver, it was your fault, and you feel it. You may forgive yourself for not looking out the window, but not for failing to note the earth-

When you went downtown the next morning there was Henry Jones waiting for you

"Did you feel the earthquake?" he asked.

"What earthquake?" you said. He looked at you with pity.

"Where were you, anyway?"

You confessed to home. "And you didn't feel that quake?"

"Why, it shock our house and rattled all the dishes in the pantry-didn't you hear the dishes rattling in your pantry?"

You had to admit that if your dishes rattled you failed to detect it. And Henry Jones went away looking as if he felt sure the fault lay with you and not your dishes.

Yes, decidedly. Nature needs a press agent.

# Washington Youngsters Ablaze With Patriotism

WASHINGTON has its patriotic boys and girls. Because a war requires the activities of grown men and women we are apt to forget all about our boys and girls, and how their young hearts bubble over with a real, although undeveloped, patriotism. DON'T SAY "RED HOT."

Their patriotism may appear superficial sometimes, and perhaps it is only a reflex of what they have heard their elders say, but it is real, tremendously real, nevertheless.

I know a little boy, so small you feel that you could pick him up and put him in your pocket with ease. But, as small as he is, his little brain is concentrated on the war. He is always thinking about it.

He doesn't think of it in terms of

men and guns, or ships and aircraft. He doesn't talk of this and that battle-field. He induiges in no speculation. Here is a sample of what he thinks and

MOTHER, SAY

RED CROSS"

says: His mother was talking to another member of the family concerning an

article of food which she was cooking. And do you know," she said, "it was red hot-

"Mother," chimed in the little boy.

"Yes, dear?" said his mother.

"You mustn't say 'red hot,' mother," he replied. "You must say Red Cross." Even when he goes to bed he carries the war with him, evidently. He

takes with him, too, the phrases he has heard during the day. Strangely, with his baby wits, he turns them into telling phrases, more potent than he realizes. "You must go to bed now," his mother said to him one night. "It is time for you to go to sleep."

He looked solemnly at his mother with sleepless eyes. "I won't go to sleep till it's over over there," he said.

# Illustrating Anew the Magic Power of Memory

SHE had dodged Father Time in the same fashion that a here-and-there clover top escapes the farmer man's scythe. And she was standing before a millinery window with the jolly youngish woman who had her in charge.



"I used to wear a camella like that in my hair to every ball I went toon the left side, below the ear. All thought it most becoming. Your Aunt Eliza wore flowers to match the colors of her ball dress, but I never appeared in anything but flounced white tarlatan, with a camelia in my hair-on the left side, below the ear. Your grandfather thought it most becoming. All said we were an extremely handsome young pair-your Aunt Eliza

considered her figure more elegant than mine, but it was not the popular opinion. The night I accepted your grandfather-my eleventh proposal to your Aunt Eliza's third-I wore a white camella like that in my hair-on the left side, below the ear. All thought us an extremely handsome young pair-"

"I bet you were a peach, Grammuh, and if it wasn't for the looks of the thing I'd shake you right here in the street for not handing down your good looks to the best grandchild you've got to your name-come along now, dear;

there's a whole lot more to see." Isn't memory a jollier? Except when she's a scourge.

# Just One of Those Who Heard the Country's Call

IF YOU shut your eyes and keep on for three squares you will come to a shop.
You can't miss it, because outside the window there is a sign on which some amateur has gone into art paroxysms over shoes that no foot on earth could wear and angels wouldn't want toand above the door is lettered a grand opera name that only genius could the state of the state

3 SOLED spell. Casually glimpsed, the shop stands for a very small pebble with which some venturesome David is fighting a big, strange-tongued Goliath whom he calls the New World-but you can't

always depend on glimpses. If you had seen David, the other day, say, standing in his open door

with one foot resting over the other as if it didn't have to work and wouldn't, with his shirt-sleeved arms folded in the official attitude of one who has downed his foe, and in his midnight eyes a something that would have been a smirk except that it was honest prideyou would have known right there that Goliath was as dead as the stoned cat in the alley-that's the time you should have come across young David!

There was a reason, of course. A photographer on the pavement was taking a postcard snap for the folks back in Italy, where the crossed feet and folded arms with smile attached will mean success, and where, through the alchemy of affection, the youngster's desire to show off will be interpreted into loyalty and memory and love.

P. S.-All that was until a month ago. Now the signs are gone and the door is locked and the dust has made brown ridges on the shutters.

You cannot be contented to sit at a bench and peg and sew and sing "Santa Lucia" when you have a country to fight for.

# OUR MEN TRAINED

SOLDIERS IN TRAINING CAMPS TAUGHT HOW TO USE AND CARE FOR WEAPONS.

### BRITISH COMMUNAL KITCHENS

They Prove Successful in Saving Food and Fuel - State Councils of Defense Will Advise War Risk Claim-

From Committee on Public Information.) Washington.-The National army and many organizations of the National Guard having been equipped with the United States rifle, model of 1917 (modified Enfield), it became necessary to devise some plan whereby troops could be efficiently trained in

the use of this weapon in short time. A statement authorized by the ordnance department tells how experts in shooting, many of them members of United States teams which won international shooting matches, were commissioned and sent to various camps to instruct officers and men in shooting and in the operation and care of the rifle.

In one camp officers under instruction from these men gave a demon stration in dismounting and assembling this rifle while blindfolded, the record time being 7 minutes for dismounting and 22 minutes for assembling. There are 86 parts to the rifle. chanics' classes, the mechanics being hanics' classes, the mechanics being trained to make repairs to rifles in the field. Frequently they will have to do their work at night, when they will not be allowed to use lights, and therefore they must be thoroughly trained in taking down the rifle and putting in new parts by sense of touch.

Communal kitchens are being established throughout Great Britain and are proving successful in saving food and fuel, according to reports to the department of commerce. An article newspaper is quoted:

"The war has brought home to the kitchen is a necessity and can be pounds. made a success. Within a comparatively short period there will probably be installed many hundreds of these establishments throughout the country. The national kitchen was originally intended to supply poor people with nourishing and attractively pre-

outfit of a (London) may be taken as a model. This supplies about 6,000 customers a her family."

The council of national defense has arged the state councils to provide veluntary aid for dependents of men in the service in collecting allotments of pay and family allowances, arrears of pay, travel pay, extra pay, or other money due estates of deceased soldiers and sailors.

Allotments and allowances unde the war-risk insurance law are paid directly by the treasury department to the persons entitled thereto; claims for insurance taken out under the law should be addressed to bureau of warrisk insurance, treasury department. Washington, D. C.; claims for arrears of pay, extra pay and travel pay of deceased soldiers and sailors and all other claims should be addressed to auditor of the war department, Washington, D. C.

Consul General Thackara, at Paris. cables: "A decree of April 5, published April 6, gives notice that all merchandise prohibited from importation by law of May 6, 1916, will be seized and try tonight. Please wire me \$60 at sold for profit of the state unless a Atlanta so I may pay for uniform and regular import authorization be presented within five days after arrival For first 30 days after promulgation of this decree requests for derogations of this decree requests for derogations from its provision can be addressed to the minister of finance, in case or money to be sent under such cular circumstances justify an excellent of the constant of the

Two per cent of the enlisted personnel of the divisions and detached units of the regular army, National Guard, and National army, excepting the coast artillery and various staff corps, will be designated to attend the fourth series of officers' training schools, which will open May 15. Admission has also been granted to some men who have had at least one year's military training under army officers at educational institutions which have earned government recognition.

Night driving of motor-truck supply trains from the West to the seaboard has been started by the quartermaster's department as a step toward final training to fit men for service in

According to the council of national defense, the experience gained in cross-country convoy work has made the truck companies able to travel en tirely independent of the countryside Camps are made at the regular hour, no matter where the company is located, except that open country is given preference over cities.

Optical glass equaling the product European manufacturers, from whom only it formerly could be obtained, is now being produced for milltary use by the bureau of standards of United States department of comerce and several privately owned ctories. One shfpment from the glass ctory in Pittsburgh, for use by the havy department, contained 780 pounds high-grade optical glass-enough

provide lenses for probably 750 binoculars. Development in glass manufacturng in the United States has been similar to that of dye making. Before the war manufacturers or optical goods in this country were content to import all their glass from Europe, themselves doing only the grinding, polishing, and mounting. European glass factories, one of the three largest being located in England, one in France, and one in Germany were closely guarded to protect secrets of the trade sometimes a century old. It was considered impossible to produce efficient glass without formulas and factory processes developed by many years of

experimentation. One of the problems facing the bureau of standards when, with optical companies in America, it started to replace with locally made products the supply of European optical glass which had been cut off by the war, was to provide suitable pots for melting. In one process of its manufacture the glass must be kept at temperatures as high as 2,000 degrees F., when it would rapidly dissolve a container made of iron, steel, or other metal. Pots now being used which satisfactorily withstand the heat and chemical actions of molten glass are made of

clay found in the United States. In addition to the factory operated by the bureau of standards at Pittsburgh, several privately owned companies are now furnishing optical glass for military use in telescopes, binoculars, field glasses, periscopes, and other technical and scientific instruments,

The quartermaster corps, charged with the responsibility of feeding and clothing the soldiers, is rigidly inspecting the food purchased for the troops to see that only pure articles are supplied. As an indication of the amount of food that must be obtained, says a statement authorized by the quartermaster general 1,500,000 men consume daily 1,500,000 pounds of beef, from a recent issue of an English 225,000 pounds of bacon, 210,000 pounds of ham, 135,000 cans of tomatoes, and 225,000 cans of jam-with public that the communal or national other articles aggregating 6,750,000

These quantities of foodstuffs are subjected to thorough inspection, which begin at the source and continue until the food is actually consumed. Each depot of the quartermaster corps is a central subsistence business of its own, supplying the pared food at low prices, but there is camps, cantonments, aviation fields, considerable prospect—certaines, in and other posts in its territory. The fact—that the more prosperous will subsistence officers are held responsiform a fair proportion of the custo- ble for the quality of the goods they

Before the supplies reach the der people's kitchen that at Hammersmith however, they are passed upon by inspectors in the packing houses, canneries, and other sources of origin. week, which probably represents 12. The records at Washington show the 000 to 15,000 consumers, as a custo- capabilities, character, and standard mer commonly purchases for his or of every establishment furnishing food for' the army. The specifications which their products must meet are clear and exact.

The inspection branch maintains a current file of unreliable dealers and unreliable products, insuring the elimination of dealers who, having been lenied the right to supply some of the many depots of the army, make subequent attempts to obtain contracts at other points.

Relatives and friends of several solliers in army camps have been victimized by swindlers who wired or wrote for funds under soldiers' names. In each instance it was requested that money be sent by wire waiving identification, or by mail to general delivery, the customary explanation being that the soldier had been discharged and would have no way of securing identification, nor of getting mail address-

ed to his company. The following is a typical telegram, sent to the father of a soldier in a southern camp:

"Have been discharged. Coming ome. Going to Atlanta through councome home direct. Wave identification as I am not known in Atlanta. Wire cash quick so I can get it to ow morning."

or money to be sent under such sons should be verified by a lettters Itelegram to the commanding ofday if the camp in which the man name is signed to the request is stationed.

The United States government is looking for men who can take charge of branch offices of the bureau of for eign and domestic commerce, department of commerce, and men to act as assistants in these offices. Branches are located in the principal commercial cities. The salaries range from \$1,800 to \$3,000 for managers and from \$1,200 to \$1,800 for assistants.

A noncompetitive examination will be held May 16 in various parts of the country. Applicants will be examined in export-trade technique, promotion of commerce, and economic geography, and credit will be given for knowledge of foreign languages. The examinations will be under the direction of the civil service.

The minister of agriculture of Brazil has been authorized to establish modern experimental farms and agricultural colonies, especially for the education of orphans and abandoned chil-

# **GETS HEART BALM WEDS OLD SUITOR**

Irish Beauty Who Received \$100,000 Is Now Happily Married.

## RICH OLD MAN PAID

Give Secretary Tidy Fortune After Breaking Engagement-She Returns to Ireland and Marries Old Playmate.

New York. - Miss Honora May O'Brien, the "colleen of Skibbereen," who collected \$100,000 heart balm from John B. Manning, an aged and wealthy stockholder of New York city, has been secretly married in Ireland to one of her childhood playmates, according to a letter forwarded by the young Irish beauty to one of her friends in this country. The bridegroom is John Daly, a farmer of Skibbereen, who wanted to marry her three years ago when she came to America

Jilted Girl Received \$100,000. When Miss O'Brien arrived in this country she went to work in Manning's Wall street office. Manning, who was eighty-three years old, surprised his friends by announcing, early in December of 1916, that he was about to marry Miss O'Brien. The day before the wedding was to have taken place, Manning telephoned to Cardinal Farley that there would be no wedding; that the six children of his first wife had strongly opposed the match, and that he was too old to marry a woman of twenty-eight. It had been said that he had arranged to settle \$500,000 upon his bride.

When the wedding was called off Miss O'Brien began an action for \$1,-000,000 against Manning. A jury gave a verdict of \$225,000, which the presiding judge reduced to \$125,000. Manning's lawyers threatened to appeal and Miss O'Brien accepted \$100,000, returning to Ireland almost at once. At the trial Miss O'Brien testified to the ardent wooing of her aged suitor,



while the latter tried to impress the jury with the belief that the Irish beauty had made the advances.

It Was That. In her letter to an American friend, the bride wrote: "I have changed my name to Daly. Wasn't it quick work? You may remember my telling you about the chap who wanted to marry me three years ago-well he has had his wish. We are very happy.

"Of course, we have known each other since childhood and the two families always were very friendly. We didn't intend to be married so soon, but in view of the fact that I had no home and a great many other reasons, we changed our mind."

# LOSES BRIDE OF 10 MINUTES

Fifty Years Later New York Man Is Trying to Locate Her.

Urbana, Ill .- Although 50 years have elapsed since A. H. Keach of Norway, N. Y., was married and "lost" his bride of ten minutes, he has sent a letter to the county attorney here asking him to locate her. He describes his wife as a "banker's daughter," having forgotten her name. She was seventeen years of age at the time, he says. Keach declares he was married to the girl while he taught school at To-

lono, near here, in 1871. They met on a train as Keach was leaving for New York, he writes, and were married by the county judge of

Urbana. Ten minutes later they became separated and he has not seen his wife since.

Felt Sorry for Them. New York .- "I used to feel sorry when I saw a pretty girl living all

alone—and, well, I just had to marry

Such was the defense entered by Sydney Lee Shellgrave, indicted for bigamy in general sessions here. Shellgrave, testified he was married four times that he could remember-and hair restorer and could not withstand the charms of pretty unmarried girls.

## STUCK TO HIS POST OF DUTY

Railroad Telegrapher Stayed "on Job" While His Home Was Burning.

Lock Haven, Pa.-B. R. Staver, railroad telegrapher, on duty near Lock Haven, Pa., stood at his post of duty and watched his home burn, unable to leave his telegraph key. He knew that his wife and their three-day-old baby were in danger and helpless, but the thought of a possible railroad wreck, with its consequent loss of life, kept him at his post.

When Staver saw the smoke rising from the roof of his house he turned in an alarm and then summoned another telegraph operator to relieve him. Until the relief arrived Staver



Stuck by His Key.

stuck by his key, watching his home burning, and not knowing whether or

not his family had been saved. With the arrival of relief the telegrapher dashed from the telegraph office and to his home. The blaze was under control, but not until it had practically ruined the home. However, the wife and her new-born baby were safe, railroad men having placed them on a cot and carried them from the burning home to a place of safety.

# TROUSER MYSTERY SOLVED

Load Removed From Minds of a Conscription Board In Indiana.

Princeton, Ind .- A mystery has been solved and a load removed from the minds of the members of the Gibson county conscription board. Several weeks ago, after 100 young men had taken the physical examination for army service, the board found a pair of trousers remaining in the dressing room. Nobody claimed them, and, though they watched closely, the board members saw no trouserless young man going about the streets.

One day a young man from the vicinity of Lyles station came in and claimed the trousers.

He said he had on three pairs when he came in to be examined and in the hustle and bustle of getting his numerous clothes off and on again he had overlooked one pair.

#### \* COCK FIGHT AUDIENCE HELD UP BY BANDITS

Greenwich, Conn. - While sporting men from points in Connecticut, N. J., and New York were enjoying a series of cock fights in a barn near here six bandits, heavily armed and masked, held up the entire party, obtaining several thousand dollars. The automobiles used by the sporting men had been disabled, preventing pursuit. The bandits emptied their revolvers and then escaped. Eleven sporting men have been arrested for violating the law which prohibits cock fights. ........

# MAN REFUSES TO QUIT JAIL

Astonishes Court by Tearfully Requesting Judge to Extend His

St. Louis, Mo .- Alexander Bastien eventy-seven years old, a gardener of East St. Louis, Ill., refused to be released from the county jail at Belleville recently. He had served a six months' sentence for vagrancy. Tearfully he asked Justice Wange

In to lengthen his sentence. "First time I ever heard of anybody wanting to remain in that fail," fustice Wangelin said. "Fifty-three

days." Bastien was a privileged prisoner and made daily trips from the fall to the county workhouse, eight blocks away.

Needed Special Coffin.

Putnam, Conn .-- A special coma 32 inches in width, 24 inches deep and 6 feet in length had to be built before Ulric Paparie, forty, the largest man maybe more. He declared he sold a in this city, could be buried. Last summer, when taken Ill, he weighed 415 pounds, and since his illness he added 50 pounds.

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trict which he will represent in the next Congress. name for the Prussian autocrats.

witness, in that He did good, and gave us rain States of America as a government of the people, from heaven, and fruitful seasons, filling our by the people, for the people; whose just powers hearts with food and gladness." Acts 14: 17.

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There are one hundred and fifty lawyers in El rable; established upon those principles of free- by a big majority. That's a Paso. One hundred and twenty of them are sup- dom, equality, justice and humanity for which cinch. But we want to make porting Claude Hudspeth for Congress, which American patriots sacrificed their lives and for-that majority just as big as posproves that lawyers are allright, after all.

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The new Red Cross drive starts next Monday all enemies. morning, the 20th, and it is expected to be the The above "American's Creed" was adopted by strong friend for all these many greatest that the country has yet known. The the city of Baltimore which paid one thousand dol-years. Red Cross has accomplished a great deal for lars for it to William Tyler Page, of Friendship humanity, and is doing a mighty work in this time Heights, Maryland. Its selection was the result Barbed wire cuts, ragged of terrible stress. Let's all make up our minds to of a Mational Creed Contest. It appears to fill wounds, collar and harness galls help to the full extent of our ability.

If a friend helps us, we should help someone else. That is the spirit of the Golden Rule. Ruskin said truly: "Such help as we can give each other in this world is a debt to each other." If someone does us a kindness, let's pass it on.

Nearly four years ago the Kaiser started out Hudspeth OFFICIAL ORGAN AND ONLY PAPER IN CROCKETT COUNTY from Berlin for Paris, and he hasn't got there yet. In fact, he is not as close to the historic Subscription, In Advance, Six Months, \$1.00, One Year, \$2.00 French metropolis today as he was three years ago. But the Kaiser has had considerable tire trouble.

> We have before us the Valliant (Okla.) Tribune, published and edited by John C. Oliver. He is an received yesterday by The Stockold Texas boy who has made good in Oklahoma. man: Both he and Mrs. Oliver are accomplished printers and are sure to succeed in their new venture, the Ozona Stockman: taking over of one of McCurtain county's best The Hudspeth rally at San newspapers.

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The word "Huns" will probably stick. But it attend. Pass this telegram is a misnomer. The Huns are the Hungarians, around to them all. not the Germans, and they are only half-heartedly in this fight. In fact late news from Hungary is to the effect that the people, as a whole, are inelined to be very friendly toward the United and adjoining counties on the States, and the shout: "Long Live Wilson!" is Question of the Hour: "How is your War Gar- very often heard in public places. It is stated hoped to make the Hudspeth that while the people are forced by the Prussian rally in San Angelo next Saturmilitary machine to fight, in their hearts they day morning a big success. All Senator Claude Hudspeth was born in the dis- want the allies to win. We ought to get another of you who can do so are urged

Text for Today: "He left not himself without "The American's Creed-I believe in the United are derived from consent of the governed; a de- both men and women, as you mocracy in a republic; a sovereign nation of many can. sovereign states; a perfect union, one and insepa- Claude is going to be elected

"I therefore believe it is my duty to my country sible. He will find his old home to love it; to support its constitution; to obey its county of Crockett right on the laws; to respect its flag, and to defend it against job and working overtime for

# Grand Rally Saturday

The following telegram was

El Paso, May 15, 1918.

Angelo will undoubtedly be held next Saturday. Get as many Hudspeth people as you can to

VOLNEY M. BROWN, Chairman. A letter received from Mr. Brown congratulates Crockett splendid rains, and it is now to go San Angelo tomorrow (Friday) and attend the caucus tomorrow night to attend to the preliminaries of organization. Those of you who have cars, try to take as many Hudspeth people

the man who has been our good

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Mexican Kills Another Near Juno.

In a quarrel Tuesday morning later died from the effect of the wounds and Capt. Barler of the Rangers left for the scene of the difficulty and is expected to return soon with the man who did the cutting. - Del Rio News.

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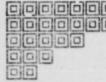
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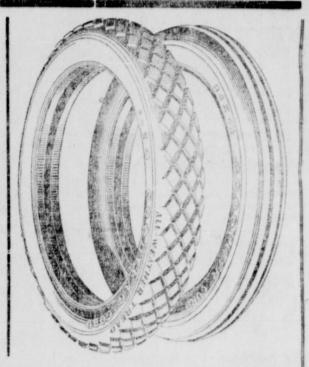
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the minute. Phone us, and let suggest something good to eat.

spent last Sunday at Angelo, the chauffeur. guests of Joe's parents.

Charley Schauer tried to get another well and got another wind spouter.

Mr. Ranchman, try Rawson's For sale at Chris Meinecke & office man for E. M. Powell, the

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Parker ests in Crockett county. have taken the Hugh Childress home on Broadway for the sum-

Have the best and completest Good Things at Cooke's Market. Walter Young came in from

Mrs. J. H. Wilson came in last week from her ranch to visit relatives, accompanied by her

Dr. and Mrs. Chapman are people are expected in Ozona for until delivered, but it is here from Sonora for a few next Monday morning to attend necessary for dealers to know man advertising, you just don't which has developed features of will have to order. absorbing interest.

> Milton J. Heffner and family are here from Dallas to remain several weeks. Mr. Heffner is big land man, and is attending

Dad Hailcomb had his men and lats. Nutt. up, and the trucks are hauling Chris Meinecke & Son's. the trash and refuse away. Cashier Elam Dudley, of the nights now.

Saturday in their car for San er's Association. Antonio to attend the annual The Second Red Cross War on Devils River. Mr. and Mrs. E. J. McKinney, busy. who will go on from there to visit friends at Bonham.

your coal NOW. The coal will best people on earth. be delivered later, but you will

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Gowen summer. left yesterday for Fort Worth to Mr. Gowen has finished his urday. The entire family exwork on the new Dudley garage. cept Miss Mattie, went to the We shall miss those good people, ranch Monday morning. but are glad to know that they will return.

and will remain until June 1st. for a couple of weeks. They tend to your needs. If you are ing. having no immediate trouble Howard B. Cox is chairman

Miss Bennie Murray and little sister Pete were here from Sheffield, the guests of Miss Kathleen Buck. "Pete" recently For your tinware, hardware, burnt her hand severely with tableware, wearware of all kinds around to see her old side part- Cooking utensils, camp outfits. by parcel post.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

will be delivered during June, ous. A big crowd of Sutton county July and August, and not paid

for that work you need on your gent.

ment on editorial page of The at the Brown Hotel.

least once a week during the Misses Ida Connor and Ruth sufferer.

Messrs Jackson and W. L. Watters went to Christoval

with your teeth it would be well for Crockett county for the secto have them thoroughly exam- ond great \$100,000,000 Red Cross ined. "A stitch in time" you Drive. It is the patriotic duty of each and every one of us to humanitarian work.

Boy Accidentally Shoots Self.

The price of Coal will be set Ollie Sapp, a small boy, gave eral authorities require us to Sunday with a target rifle. He the chance of not getting any at struck a limb and the weapon all later on for next winter's re- was discharged sending a 22 caluirements. Therefore, if you iber ball through a part of the

If you don't appreciate Stockthe Meckel disloyalty trial approximately how much they know a good thing when you see it. That's all.

> Angus Stricklen has gone to Travis. Del Rio to report for war duty See Dr. Chapman right away in Val Verde county's concin-

Misses Evelyn Goode and big new rock blacksmith and ME. Roy Parker. to his extensive business inter- Phoebe Westfall spent several machine shops this week-the days on the ranch, the guests of handsomest and completest in

busy cleaning up the town for Everything you need in cook- The young people of Ozona Judge Davidson, was painfully, the past few days. Many house- ing or heating stoves, and every- (at least some of them) believe but not seriously hurt Monday holders have also been cleaning thing to go with the stoves, at in shaking a leg-sometimes all by his horse falling with him their legs. Dances every few while running.

veston this week attending the assistant county clerk this week that Joe had no bones broken Dr. and Mrs. Utterback left convention of the National Bank- during the absence of Bud Rus- and had no internal injuries. He sell, who is with the Boy Scouts is badly shaken and bruised, but

convention of the State Medical Fund campaign begins next Mon- J. A. Leach, the photographer Association. They were accom- day morning, and concludes the whom you all know, is now in panied as far as San Antonio by following Saturday night. Get Ozona again ready to take a picture of the baby or any other

The price of coal will advance Angelo Furniture Co. This com- Leonard Russell and family Cox will attend the State Medievery month from now on. The pany is doing a fine business now and Misses Lela Johnigan, Alice cal Convention in the Alamo Government asks you to buy in Crockett county, among the Stokes and Ernestine Estes City. Mrs. French will go to motored to Sonora last Sunday. her home at Corpus Christi for All the ranch people have Mrs. Russell and son, and Miss the summer, and little Dorothy rent at the time you buy. Please been hiking out to their ranches and Franches and

Jones of Eldorado came over to E. E. Stricklen and son, An- attend the Ozona School comuntil Roger Dudley gets ready to gus, and Mrs. Angus, came up mencement exercises and were begin work on his new home. from their ranch near Juno Sat- guests while here of Misses at Eldorado.

Do you need dental work? Dr. Thursday in the Watters car to na Garage, was circulating a spring's clip will be shipped to Chapman is here from Sonora take the baths for rheumatism paper this week among automo- Boston and classified by govern-Make an early date with him, are camping and enjoying outbecause it may take time to at- door life at the wells—also fish- port soldiers of Uncle Sam in county is expected to amount to unanimously signed.

county over the top in this great sick, you had better reconsider agement, despite the fearful exthe State Medical Association ing the drouth.-Val Verde convention in San Antonio, County Herald. which opened Tuesday morning turpentine, and came over to your garden tools and your gar- and closes this afternoon. The A number of our good friends get treatment. Next time Pete den seeds, the place to get them military of Camp Travis is help- are paying their subscription to comes to town and don't come is at Chris Meinecke & Sons. ing to entertain the sawbones, The Stockman every time they ner, Kuzn Bill, we'll paddle her choice groceries. Let us fill and they are having the biggest think of it. You see, they don't your order. Phone Four-Four, time in their whole put-together. need the money, and we do.

Soldier Boy Notes.

Don Warden writes from Camp Travis that Scott had to go to the hospital as the results of inoculation for typhoid, etc. Don took out an insurance policy in favor of Orville Word's

Jack Smith left Tuesday for expect to use coal next winter, boy's thigh. Dr. Helbing of the army, having voluntarily we urge the wisdom and neces- Barnhart dressed the wound gone with the heroes who are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Oberkampf grandson. Walter Young, as sity of buying now. The coal and pronounced it not danger going to chase the Kaiser to his home in hell. Jack's people took him by auto to San Angelo.

Tom Patrick and Earl Howe have volunteered for Kan-der-Kaiser service and will leave next Monday morning for Camp

Cleaning and pressing in the most sanitary way. If my work Tom Smith is moving into his suits you, tell others, if not, tell

Joe Davidson Hart by Horse. Joe Davidson, oldest son of was summoned from Barnhart Swat the fly, likewise the murs- Ozona National Bank, is in Gai- Miss Clara Friend is second and after an examination decided at last accounts was resting com-

Dr. G. W. Cox and family and Mrs. French left Saturday in Please note the big advertise- member of the family. See him their car for San Antonio, accompanied by Clark Barton and family. The Doctor and Mrs. place your order NOW with the Ozona Lumber Co.

since last Friday, but the most or so visiting her aunt.

Barton will undergo an operation in San Antonio for tonsilitis from which she has been a great from the from which she has been a great from the great

The government has taken over all the wool of the country last named young ladies returned and has set a price equal to that with their visitors to their homes which it is expected will bring from 50c to 60c per pound, ac-Fred Cox, manager of the Ozo- cording to the class, and this

reasonable distance whenever and 500,000 pounds of mohair. called upon, without cost to the If the wool and mohair is good government. The paper was bringing the prices looked for, Val Verde's spring clip will No doctors in town this week, bring a lump sum of close to help Mr. Cox to carry Crockett so if you had any idea of getting \$750,000, which is some encourit. The doctors are attending pense and losses sustained dur-

San Angelo. IEAP CASH STORE

# GOOD SERVICE

BIG LAKE. TEXAS.

In these strenous times, of high prices, high labor, and expenses in general, the Wholesale Houses and Manufactories of all kinds of Goods, and especially of

# Drugs and Druggists Sundries

are forcing the retailer to pay CASH for his GOODS. or pay within 30 days, their Bills, and to be able to give good service, and Goods worth the price, the retailer must have the money to run his business on. He either must run on a strictly

# Cash Basis, or 30 Days

and by 30 days, we mean JUST 30 days, and no more. We have tried to give Good, Courteous Service, Fresh and Quality Merchandise in our Business, and for s uto meet our Bills when due we must respectfully ask that you either pay us cash for your purchase, or meet your BILLS promptly in 30 DAYS TIME.

We Deliver anywhere at any time. Call on'us Residence Phone 147. - - Store 198

"Money makes the mare go." "In that case, mister, I couldn't even drive a pony cart."

# A CROSS, FEVERISH CHILD IS BILIOUS OR CONSTIPATED

LOOK, MOTHER! SEE IF TONGUE IS COATED, BREATH HOT OR STOMACH SOUR.

"CALIFORNIA SYRUP OF FIGS" CAN'T HARM TENDER STOM-ACH, LIVER, BOWELS.



Every mother realizes, after giving her children "California Syrup of Figs," that this is their ideal laxative, because they love its pleasant taste and it thoroughly cleanses the tender little stomach, liver and bowels with-

When cross, irritable, feverish, or Duty of Every Citizen to Report breath is bad, stomach sour, look at the tongue, Mother! If coated, give a teaspoonful of this harmless "fruit laxative," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. When the little system is full of arrhœa, indigestion, colic-remember, a good "inside cleansing" should always be the first treatment given.

Syrup of Figs" handy; they know a supreme hour of all human history. from your son and yourself-the teaspoonful today saves a sick child There is a general determination all "sentimental reasons" that impelled loudly and quickly played, may be to-morrow. Ask your druggist for a over America that such men are go- your boy to rush to the colors at the experienced inwardly, causing an exbottle of "California Syrup of Figs," ing to be forced to work, without defirst call don't seem to have moved citing sensation. Such feeling seems which has directions for babies, chil- lay or ceremony. dren of all ages and grown-ups printed on the bottle. Beware of counterfelts sold here, so don't be fooled. Get the genuine made by "California Fig Syrup Company."-Adv.

# STIRRED HIS FIGHTING BLOOD

Irishman More Than Willing to "Do . His Bit" in Conflict With the Hated Enemy.

An auctioneer had been selling plication of the vagrancy law. horses all day and his voice was getting a little husky so that he was economizing as much as possible in the use of words and even syllables.

Early in the day he had shouted the bids, "One hundred dollars, two hundred dollars, three hundred dollars,'

Then he restricted himself to calling out, "one hundred, two hundred, three hundred," etc.

auctioneer had further abbreviated his loafing habit." speech, and was crying, "One hun, rwo hun, can't I get three hun?" Off went McCarty's coat, and he

sang out, excitedly: "Don't do this all yourself, young fellow. Let me in it. I can take care of a few of 'em."

With a Proviso.

Mistress-Is your husband a good provider, Geneva?

Maid-He jes' ain't nothin' else. He gwine to git some new furniture providin' he gits the money; he gwine to git de money providin' he go to work; he go to work providin' de job suits him. I never see such a providin man all mah days.



To get the best of all Corn Foods, order Sweet, Crisp, Ready-To-Ea

## **!TALIAN WAR HEROES HONORED**



Soldiers of the valiant Italian army that checked the German onrush a the Piave line received decorations at an impressive ceremony held in Milan. The photograph shows a mutilated officer honored with a war medal that had

# IDLERS MUST BE FORCED TO WORK

Vigorous Enforcement of the Vagrancy Law Is a Public Necessity.

# OUT THE SENTIMENT

Neighbor or Acquaintance Who Won't Work and Demand Sheriff Enforce Laws.

(Prepared by the United States Depart-ment of Agriculture.)

Washington.-Most communities all over the United States are enforcing. cold, throat sore, has stomach-ache, di- or preparing to enforce the vagrancy killed-but it was the propdest day or preparing to enforce the vagrancy killed—but it was the proposest day the flor and again in the unsupport-laws very vigorously. There is a na- of your life when you watched him ed lighter parts of the body, such as tion-wide sentiment of utter detesta- march away to fight in France. By the arms and finger tips. The mustion for the man so small of spirit as the way, Bill Smith, the loafer, must cles in the upper part of the lower Millions of mothers keep "California to be willing to do nothing during the have a different brand of sentiment keep also vibrated.

may be a few communities, here and there, where sentiment has not become sufficiently aroused to echo this general demand which resounds over the country. If there is a place where farmers are looking for help, and, at the same time, loafers are hanging pool rooms, those farmers themselves are somewhat to blame-unless they demand of the sheriff and local officers an absolute and unyielding ap-

A field man of the United States department of agriculture recently wrote this from one of the important agricultural states:

well as city, is slacking. The com- record in the opening German offenpulsory work law is not being en- sive in France. At Roye they took forced as well as it should. For over the direction of military traffic. sentimental reasons some persons One girl in uniform standing at the hesitate to report a neighbor or ac- four corners directed columns of guns, quaintance who is idle and won't cavalry, supply wagons and troops, When McCarty, attracted through work. . . My idea is that the thus preventing a traffic jam. curiosity by the crowd, came up, the first thing to do is to clean up the These women were the last to leave

"For Sentimental Reason!"

Bill Smith, whom you know well, and soldiers who had not eaten for many rather like in a casual sort of fash- hours were fed. ion, is a chronic loafer. He is a The girls also established an infor harmless enough wretch, and you just mation bureau at Montdidier until this hate to make a complaint against town was captured by the Germans. Bill-"for sentimental reasons!"

TELLS OF

Third Battle of Ypres.

Man Who Participated Gives Thrilling

Account of Sanguinary

Conflict.

Chicago.-The thrilling eye-witness

story of the third battle of Ypres was

told here by Sergt, Reginald Grant of

"We were in Sanctuary woods about

a mile southeast of town. We were

the sacrifice battery and were to stay

behind if there should be a retreat.

Well, our boys went out of the trench

and were met by the Germans in mass

t. First Canadian field artillery.

#### WAR GARDENS DECORATE RAILWAY RIGHT OF WAYS

Memphis, Tenn.-War gardens are to be seen from the window of almost any passenger train in the South. In some sections long strips of land paralleling the right of way are in cultivation. A field 30 feet wide, or less, and a half-mile long, is not uncommon. There are innumerable little gardens to be found between the end of the crossties and the right-of-way fence.

Bill very much. For some reason- to thrill one and cause a quickening However, in so vast a land there sentimental or otherwise-he is still of the circulation."

sticking to his old job-whittling in front of the post office. If your son dies in France-gives his

life fighting for the freedom of America-fighting for the freedom of that very Bill Smith, the loafer-how much do you think your grief will be assuaged by the reflection that even f your boy did have to die your sentimental reasons" have been sustained and Bill is still loafing to his heart's content. If your soldier son makes the supreme sacrifice how much consolation will you find in the knowledge that if Bill Smith, the loafer, whem you shielded "for sentimental reasons" had been forced to work on some war job more food and supplies might have been sent to France and your boy might have

Maybe your son isn't at the front yet-but he is certain to be there soon, and the longer you delay "for sentimental reasons" in seeing that your friend Bill Smith, the loafer, is not sent to the chain gang or the farm, the longer it will take your boy and his companions to do their job.

Maybe you have no sons. But your neighbors have-and they are over there. But don't allow your "sentimental reasons" to be directed to them! Oh, no! Don't try to help the noble boys from your county who started out for hell with a smile just because they are real Americans! Don't let your sentiment turn to them -but be sure and protect Bill Smith who is not fighting, nor working, not doing anything except encumbering the face of the earth with a useles carcass. Be sure and refrain from complaining to the sheriff about him-"for sentimental reasons!" Between vagabonds and heroes let your "sentimental reasons" flow to the first, of course! When the casualty lists come out you won't be saddened! You can banish all grief by saying: "Oh, well, these fine lads are dead, but worthless Bill Smith is safe! I lived up to my sentimental reasons! I kept him from having to work, even if real men had to die while he loafed."

Sentimental reasons! See that every idler in your county goes to the rock pile or goes to work-"for sentimental reasons!"

# 'HEARS' MUSIC THROUGH FEET

Deaf Man Tells of Sensations He Experienced at a Piano Recital.

New York .- That a highly sensitive deaf person is able to "hear" music through his feet was demonstrated at the last piano recital given recently by Josef Hofmann here. Jean Paul Gruet, a young deaf

nan, gave this impression of the recital: "The main emotion I felt from

"The lower tones of the plane, when

# HEROINES IN BATTLE

around the depot, the stores and the Young Women of Red Cross going. Make Fine Record.

Render Invaluable Service In Opening of German Offensive in

France.

Washington .- Young women of a "Entirely too much labor, rural as Red Cross front line unit made a fine

several towns before the Germans entered. They aided hundreds of refu gees and established temporary kitch-Maybe you feel that way. Perhaps ens, where, among others, 250 British

They picked up wounded when they No doubt, "for sentimental reasons," were unable to make their way t you hate to think of your son being dressing stations, and brought food to

BIG FIGHT

them. They came on running and yell-

grabbed parts of the guns and our

rifles, and retreated with the rest, stop-

ping now and then to drop one or two

"The battery to our right didn't have

a chance to use all their shells. The

Boche was upon them too quickly with

smoke shells that started great fires.

"Yes, they are fighting, the Ger-

"Knows Kaiser Personally."

he is personally acquainted with the

The boys there were burned alive.

mans. But so are the British."

"Our ammunition was gone. We

ing like flends of hell.

of the enemy.

Canadian Sergeant Describes that formation. But we didn't stop

on yelling with all their lungs and as had served in the German army.

canteens and kitchens to keep them

At times the girls were only one day shead of the advancing Germans and once crossed a bridge only a few moents before it was blown up. For eight days they worked without removing their clothes, sleeping on straw in barns when they could sleep, and eating irregularly.

All in all, the conduct of American girls and women back of the lines is calculated to inspire our soldiers to the highest courage and exertions.

#### WOUNDED 13 TIMES, BUI DON'T WORRY," HE SAYS

Freeport, L. I .- "I have been hit by shrapnel and got thirteen wounds-the head, both arms, body and right leg. Outside of that I am O. K., so don't worry." Such is the word received here from Corp. Arthur C. Trayer of Company D, One Hundred and Sixty-fifth infantry, Rainbow di-

<del>2</del>44444444444444444444 "13" IN ACTS OF PRESIDENT

vision, by his father.

Part in Transactions of Chief Executive. Washington.-Another reason has

been discovered for the eerle air of mystery that always cloaks the num-

Unlucky Number Plays an Important

In the latest report of the attorney general concerning pardons granted federal prisoners by the president the fateful figures predominate. For instance, 94 persons were granted permission, upon serving their sentences, to enjoy civil rights again. The combination of 9 and 4 makes 13. The president also restored the rights of citizenship to 13 deserters from the army and navy. The total number of pardon applications granted by him was 328, and these numbers if taken separately and added combine into Carlisle, Pa.-Emil Young, who says the old and gloomy 13.

Now then, if one still has doubts "They were smothered—but not be kaiser, was detained by the federal concerning the fatalistic features of fore they had wreaked frightful havoc. authorities because he could show no the number, it might be added that They died to a man. The Huns came naturalization papers. He asserted he the president denied 31 applications. Reverse that-and what have you?

# A Business Should be as Big as Its Job

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The size of a business depends upon the needs which that business is called upon to serve. A business should be as big as its job You do not drive tacks with a pile. driver-or piles with a tack-hammer.

Swift & Company's growth has been the natural and inevitable result of national and international needs.

Large-scale production and distribution are necessary to convert the live stock of the West into meat and by-products, and to distribute them over long distances to the consuming centers of the East and

Only an organization like that of Swift & Company, with its many packing plants, hundreds of distributing houses, and thousands of reirigerator cars, would have been able to handle the varying seasonal supplies of live stock and meet the present war emergency by supplying, without interruption:

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Third—The retailers upon whem the American public depends for its daily supply of meat.

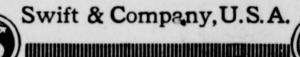
But many people ask-Do producers and consumers pay too much for the complex service rendered?

Everyone, we believe, concedes the efficiency of the Swift & Company organization -in performing a big job in a big way at a

minimum of expense. Swift & Company's total profit in 1917 was less than 4 cents on each dollar of sales of meat and by-products. Elimination of this profit would have had practically no effect on

Do you believe that this service can be rendered for less by any other conceivable method of organization or operation?

These questions and others are answered fully and frankly in the Swife & Company 1912 Year Book sent free on request. Address Swift & Company, U. S. Yards, Chicago



live stock and meat prices.

"English as She Is Spoke." "Tois ain't where we want off at." It was a well-dressed, attractivelooking young woman, and they were in a street car which was about to early and nonmilitary education. A

come to a stop. "This ain't where we want off at."-

Dayton (Ohlo) News. SHE USED TO

Society Ladies Everywhere Use "La Creole" Hair Dressing.

The well-known society leader's hair was prematurely gray, perhaps just like yours, but Mrs. J—— heard of "La Creole" Hair Dressing-how thousands of people everywhere had used it with perfect satisfaction. It is not a dye, but a preparation designed especially for the purpose of gradually restoring color to gray or faded hair, and which is easily applied by simply combing or brushing through the hair. "La Creole" Hair Dressing positively eradicates dandruff, keeps the scalp in a healthy condition and promotes the growth of new hair; brings back a natural, soft, even, dark shade to gray or faded hair, and makes it lustrous, full of life and beautiful, "La Creole" Hair Dressing is sold and guaranteed by all good drug stores everywhere, or sent direct for \$1.20 by Van Vleet-Mansfield Drug Co., Memphis, Tenn .-(Advt.)

Only for Fun. Mrs. Smith-Of course, you play bridge whist only for fun? Mrs. Swift-Of course. But it isn't

Sore Eyes, Bloed-Shot Eyes, Watery Eyes, icky Eyes, all healed promptly with night-applications of Roman Eye Balsam. Adv.

"The pretty little bride over the way is like Juno; she's ox-eyed."

"Then she's got her match in her husband, for he's bull-headed." Red Cross Ball Blue, made in America, therefore the best, delights the housewife. All good grocers. Adv.

The pugilist is frequently beaten at his own game.

When a woman cuts a man's ac-Thintance she looks daggers at him.

Weak on Military Parlance. If at any time we have spoken of offcers being "on furlough" they will please attribute it to the defects of saplent contemporary states that only privates and noncoms have furloughs.



To drive a tank, handle the guns, and sweep over the enemy trenches, takes strong nerves, good rich blood, a good stomach, liver and kidneys. When the time comes, the man with red blood in his veins "is up and at it." He has iron nerves for hardships—an interest in his work grips him. That's the way you feel when you have taken a blood and nerve tonic, made up of Blood root, Golden Seal root, Stone root, Cherry bark, and rolled into a sugar-coated tablet and sold in sixty-cent vials by almost all druggists for past fifty years as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. This tonic, in liquid or tablet form, is just what you need this spring to give you vim, vigor and vitality. At the fag end of a hard winter, no wonder . you feel "run-down," blue, out of sorts. Try this "Medical Discovery" of Dr. Pierce's. Don't wait! To-day is the day to begin! A little "pep," and you

laugh and live. The best means to oil the machinery of the body, put tone into the liver, kidneys and circulatory system, is to first practice a good house-cleaning. I know of nothing better as a laxative than a vegetable pill made up of Mayapple, leaves of aloe and jalap. This any fun unless you are playing for is commonly sold by all druggists as Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets, and should be taken at least once a week to clear the twenty-five feet of intestines. You will thus clean the system-expet the poisons and keep well. Now is



the time to clean house. Give yourself a spring house cleaning.-Adv.

Matter-of-Fact Youth.

Tommy-Umbrellas, miss.

eem to be very easily crossed."

Don't Worry About Pimples.

Soap 25, Ointment 25 and 50 .- Adv.

Takem & Breakem's today.

HEADACHES

instead of money."

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One Instance.

"It was then, I suppose, that Ameri-

CORNS STOP HURTING THEN

LIFT OFF WITH FINGERS.

Drop of magic! Doesn't hurt one

hurting, then you lift it off with the

Insects Follow Balloons. Lieut. Depret-Bixio of the French

insects follow captive balloons in

basket of the balloon until the air be-

comes too rarefied for them, when they

Mean Insinuation.

"What taking ways the pretty widow

sugers. No pain at all! Try it!

what Tommy?

# Just Once! Try Dodson's Liver Tone! Take No Calomel! Listen To Me!

If bilious, constipated, headachy or sick, I guarantee relief without taking dangerous calomel which sickens and salivates.

pated, listen to me!

with sour bile, crashes into it, break- or make you sick.

spoonful tonight, and if it doesn't |-Adv.

Stop using calomel! It makes you straighten you right up and make you

awful nausea and cramping. If you Dodson's Liver Tone will put your are "all knocked out," if your liver is sluggish liver to work and clean your terpid and bowels constipated or you bowels of that sour bile and constihave headache, dizziness, coated ton- pated waste which is clogging your gue, if breath is bad or stomach sour, system and making you feel miserable. just try a spoonful of harmless Dod- I guarantee that a bottle of Dodson's son's Liver Tone. Liver Tone will keep the entire family Here's my guarantee-Go to any feeling fine for months. Give it to drug store and get a bottle of Dodson's your children. It is harmless; doesn't Liver Tone for a few cents. Take a gripe and they like its pleasant taste.

"The man that marries my daughter

wins a prize for himself." "Make the

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"Is she like Caesar's wife-above

is as seldom at home as Caesar was."

With a Loud Voice.

\$100 Reward, \$100

Doubtless.

Victim-I would, old fellow, but

Guess Again.

Not to Be Outdone.

The Lark-I sing above the guns.

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Tomorrow Feel Right

Get a 25° Box

The Hen-Well, I cackle over

"Oh, yes; I'm even married?"

Thief-Gimme that watch!

really can't spare the time!

gaged this evening?"

Their Medicine Chest For 20 Years

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tle cry of freedom."

prize \$50,000 and I'll go you."



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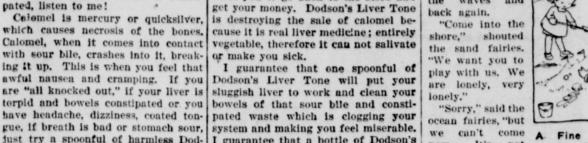
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T is characteristic of folks after they pass the allotted "three score years and ten," to look back over the days that are gone, and thoughtfully live them over.

sick. Don't lose a day's work. If you feel fine and vigorous by morning, I feel lazy, sluggish, bilious or consti- want you to go back to the store and get your money. Dodson's Liver Tone Colomel is mercury or quicksilver, is destroying the sale of calomel bewhich causes necrosis of the bones. cause it is real liver medicine; entirely Calomel, when it comes into contact vegetable, therefore it can not salivate



"Come soon," said the sand fairies, "and we'll make castles while we wait."

of foam.

But quickly they climbed back again so as not to miss any of the breakers. Children came down to the beach and played in the sand. They did not know that the sand fairles were all around

The sand fairies, you see, are just can opulence invented the phrase the color of the sand so no one can really see them-just as the daytime fairies are bright and dazzling like the

The antiseptic powder to be shaken into the shoes and sprinkled in the foot-bath. It relieves painful, swellen, smarting feet and takes the sting out of corns and bunlons. The American, British, and French troops use Allen's Foot-Ease. The greatest comforter known for all footaches. Sold everywhere, 25c.—Adv. "It's low tide," said the children, "we've some time to play." And then the sand fairies were glad

But the tide was talking to old Mother Ocean. "What did you think of it?" asked the tide. "I don't know what you are talking

Constipation generally indicates disordered stomach, liver and bowels. Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills restore regularity without griping. Adv. about," said old Mother Ocean. "Won't you tell me?" "The sand fairies asked the ocean

fairies to play with them!" "And why shouldn't they, pray tell?" asked old Mother Ocean.

the tide. "I wouldn't disappoint or disobey my two good friends for mything in the world. I simply couldn't. That's all there is to it."

Catarrh is a local disease greatly influenced by constitutional conditions. It therefore requires constitutional creatment. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE destroys the foundation of the disease, gives the patient strength by improving the general health and assists nature in doing its work. \$100.00 for any case of Catarrh that HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE falls to MEDICINE falls to Druggists ibc. Testimonials free.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, "Dear me, but you are very deer-mined, Mr. Tide. Won't you please tell me what you mean? I don't like to appear stupid. But really I have the faintest idea what you are driving

the tide proudly. "I'm not a horse cents, sufficient to rid your feet of and I'm not a motor car and it's abso- every hard corn, soft corn, or corn lutely impossible for me to drive at between the toes, and callouses, withanything or for anything. I wouldn't |out soreness or irritation. Freezone be a horse or a motor car if I could is the much talked of ether discovery Dr. Pierce's Pellets are best for liver, be one. It's far finer to be the tide. of the Cincinnati genius.-Adv. bowels and stomach. One little Pellet It's not so common and usual."

for a laxative, three for a cathartic. Ad. "I beg your pardon. Are you en-Wash day is smile day if you use Red Cross Ball Blue, American made, therefore the best made. Adv.

"Forgive me for being impatient," let go and fall. He says the swallows said the tide humbly. "I meant, you have a glorious time catching these see, that the ocean fairles couldn't insects. possibly play with the sand fairies before I let them. And I wouldn't let them ahead of time because I am the tide, and I have certain hours for going has." "Yes, I heard she was some-

"Come Into the

disobey them," continued the tide, "I would so upset my great-grandmother Nature that she would never get over it." And Mother Ocean understood. For

Mr. Sun and Mr. Moon! "Yes," she said, "I cannot imagine what would happen to your greatgrandmother Nature if you should disobey the Sun and Moon. I really

"Don't worry, dear old Mother Ocean," said the tide. "I'll never dishas made me such a wonderful, wonderful thing-the tide!"

The first Easter was a day of mingled tears and joy, and so is the last Easter. Like the women who wept at the tomb of Christ, so the women of the world are weeping for fallen sons and brothers. But the joy that dried the tears of the women of long ago comforts the hearts of the mourners today, as the angels whisper, "He is not here. He is risen."-Girl's



neral Strengthening Tonic. You can oct on the Blood after the first few de THE TIDE. A Puzzie. The ocean fairies were riding in "Don't electric wires have to be made of well-tempered metal?"

their boats of foam on top of the breakers. They were having such fun and laughing as they rode over waves and

Fine Chance to Play.

The ocean fairies called back again, but their voices could not be heard for the ocean was very rough that day. The waves were high and sometimes the ocean fairies fell out of their boats

that the ocean fairles were not coming

in for awhile. It gave the children such a fine chance to play in the sand. It was the first warm day too, that is warm enough to play in the sand, and suspicion?" "I judge so; her husband Mr. Sun was helping to keep it good and warm.

"And just now it is shouting the bat-

"Because I wouldn't let them!" said

"I'm not driving at anything," said tiny bottle of Freezone for a few

"Where I am," said old Mother Ocean, "you come too. But I beg your pardon if I hurt your feelings or in- aviation service writes that many sulted you. I'm sure I didn't mean to. I simply wanted you to explain your- their ascent. He has seen flies go self, and I used an expression, or say. as high as 2,970 feet, after which ing, which I have heard grown-ups and they die. Grasshoppers cling to the children use when they were bathing in my great and mighty bath-tub."

in and certain thing of a kleptomaniac." hours for going "No one can change me, for my rulers are Mr. Sun and Mr.

Moon, and not for anything would I disobey them." "No," agreed old Mother Ocean, "it would not be wise to disobey

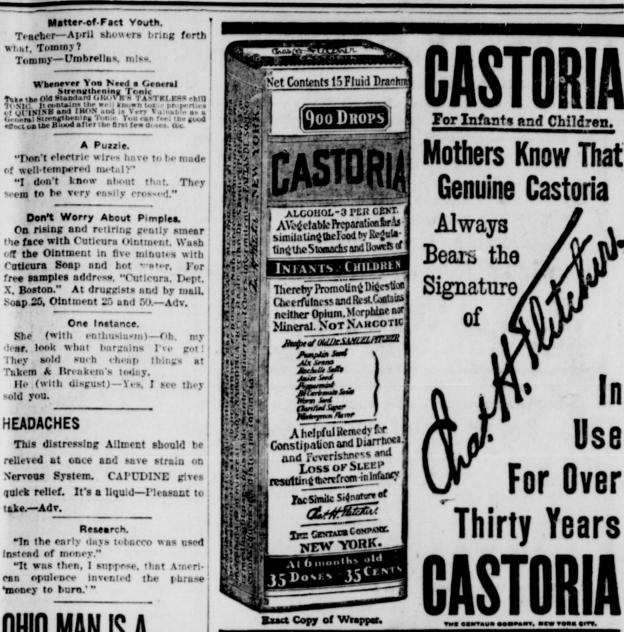
two such high and noble rulers." "And if I did

she knew the tide's time-pieces were

would hate to think what would hap-pen. It would be quite too dreadful."

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Mingled Tears and Joy.









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# Ozona Girl Scouts Keep Very Busy

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The Girl Scouts are working of the town whom we thank for er Lake. their patronage. We also extend A number of our citizens ac- some

mined to show them that it takes formed. more than two or three petty thieves to stop or even hinder our work.

Scout Scribe.

Sallow complexion is due to a torpid liver. Herbine purifies and strengthens the liver and bowels and restores the rosy I hereby announce as a candidate for

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### Fire Delays Improvement.

The fire in Dallas that des- Democratic primarie troyed the Red Cross workrooms also destroyed the printer's supnounced-printing the subscriber's name on each paper and the date to which he paid, is delayed for material. Hope to have the system in operation soon. Please pay up now, so we can put the date as far ahead as possible. The Stockman.

# Big Purchase of War Stamps.

of postmaster J. D. Nairn and The Stockman is authorized to anthe Thrift Committee, B. Pool nounce Pearl Weaver Bosworth as a canpurchased \$664.00 worth of didate for assessor of taxes of Crockett Thrift Stamps. This is the county subject to decision of the voters Methodist Sunday School largest single purchose that we have heard of. - Big Lake News.

When the baby takes too much food the stomach turns; the action of the July primaries. the result is indigestion, sourness and vomiting. Frequently the bowels are involved and there is colic pains and diarrhoea. McGee's Baby Elixir is a grand the action of the primaries in July. corrective remedy for the stomach and bowel disorders of stomach and bowel disorders of babies. It is pure, wholesome and pleasant to take. Price 25c and 50c per bottle. Sold by W.

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# Ozona Boy Scouts Off on Their Hike

Bright and early Monday in their gardens with a zeal morning Chief Bugler Allie Bosworthy of the cause. We have worth sounded the reveille and progressed so that we now have the Boy Scouts began to gather Crockett County Friends: mustard and lettuce to sell and for great hike on Rio Diablo; expect to have many more vege- but the day was far advanced into soldiers. Have all had our seditious utterances and protables soon. A ready market before they got strung out on uniforms issued to us. Some German proclivities-in brief-dishas been found among the ladies the long read to Juno and Beav- were lucky enough to get a new loyalty.

and Mrs. W. E. West for dona- biles and remain with them to fied with uniforms as issued. ers may trust that they receive or rather, to be where the boys the typhoid inoculation. We are Pecos counties this Spring. can take care of them.

Every one has given us en- The boys will have their drills this afternoon. couragement but all of it has and the bugle will sound on Dev- Of course all the work is new not been intentional. Friday ils River in true army style. and very strange to us, but lence are symptoms of a torpid night some scamps entered Pa- The deserve this nice outing everyone is jumping right into liver. No one can feel well trol 1's garden and tore up mus- after the hard work of the it. tard, lettuce and onions. It school year and the Scout duties made us so angry we are deter- they have so faithfully per-

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Stockman is authorized to announce M. M. McFarland, of Alpine, as a candi date for the office of State Senator for the 25th Senatorial District of Texas, subject

#### For the Legislature.

M. E. Blackburn of Junction announces ply house we patronize. There- himself a candidate for re-election as fore the improvement we an- representative for this district in the C. C. Luther nounced—printing the subscrib- State Legislature, subject to the win or H. N. Garrett voters at the Democratic primaries Miss Iva Kirksey

# For Assessor of Taxes.

The Stockman is authorized to an-ounce Bruce Drake as a candidate for William Mon ssessor of taxes of Crockett county William Moon he summer democratic primaries.

The Stockman is authorized to an- W. E. Smith for re-election to the office of assessor of J. H. Watson Through the special interest action of the July Democratic primaries.

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# For County Judge.

The Stockman is authorized to an-ounce Chas. E. Davidson as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Judge of Crockett county, subject to

# For District and County Clerk.

The Stockman is authorized to announce Tom Nolen as a candidate for reelection to the office of District and County Clerk of Crockett county, subject to the

# For Sheriff and Tax Collector.

ries in July.

# For Treasurer.

The Stockman is authorized to announce Tom Casbeer as a candidate for

# re-election to the office of Treasurer of Crockett county, subject to the will of the voters at the July Primaries.

The Stockman is authorized to announce Mrs E. D. Grimmer as a candidate for the office of Treasurer of Crock-

ett county, subject to the will of the voters at the July Primaries.

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# News of Our Soldier Boys

Camp Travis, May 16.

outfit while others received After holding court here thanks to Mrs. P. L. Childress companied the boys in automo- However, all appear to be satis. Stockton to try a number of non-

due to receive the second "shot"

we will have to learn to like it. SCOTT PETERS.

# Barnhart and the Liberty Loan

Barnhart's quota in the third Liberty Loan campaign was against hunting, wood hauling \$4,000. That hustling bustling or fishing in pastures owned by little town went over the top to C. B. Hudspeth, in Crockett and the tune of \$7,000.

hart Drug Co., the chairman, re- the full extent of my legal rights. ports the following among the subscribers to this loan:

Sawyer Cattle Company \$2,500 Jim Lackey Mrs. P. H. Garner Claude Becton J. H. Hamilton 100 100 100

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Beautiful Birth Announcements at The Stockman office.

# Disloyalty Trial in Ozona May 20th

Judge Cornell is expected in Ozona next Monday morning to hold a special session of court for the trial of Ben F. Meckel of We are gradually being worked Sutton county, charged with

second-hand articles. Judge Cornell will go on to Fort jury cases in Pecos county. No tions. One of the denations enjoy the outing and help the We have all been vaccinated regular term of district court was a pair of scales so our buy- boys take care of themselves, and have received one "shot" of was held either in Crockett or

> Dizziness, vertigo, (blind staggers) sallow complexion, flatuwhile the liver is inactive. Her-There are lots of things here bine is a powerful liver stimuwe do not like at first but that is lant. A dose or two will cause a part of the work. Suppose all bilious symptoms to dissappear. Try it. Price 50c. Sold by W. E. Smith Co.

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### Warning to Trespassers.

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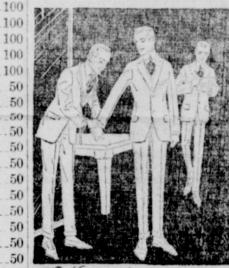
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