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Will You Prove Your Patriotism and Loyalty to America? To Do So, You Must Either Fight or Buy Bonds--3rd Liberty Loan.

Lynn County's Quota Is \$31,000.00. What Are You Doing to Help?

Rev. J. E. Eubanks Died Last Monday Afternoon

Rev. J. E. Eubanks died at his home in Tahoka last Monday afternoon. We are informed that several days ago he did some work in one of the local blacksmith shops and as the wind was blowing hard, they shut the shop up close and that he breathed the fumes from the shop fire for several hours and this caused an irritation of his lungs that later developed into pneumonia which terminated fatally.

Rev. Eubanks has lived in this section of the country for several years. He farmed several years and then went into business at O'Donnell when the town was first started. Later he moved to Tahoka. He was past sixty-five years old and was a member of the Christian Church, having preached for that denomination.

Those surviving him are his wife and six children: Frank Eubanks, of O'Donnell; and Mrs. Frank Jones, Mrs. Minnie Parker, Mrs. Ellen Miller, Mrs. Hallie Ivy and Miss Ora Eubanks, of Tahoka.

A large circle of friends over this county join the bereaved family in sincere grief over their loss.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Burkhardt Leave for Virginia

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Burkhardt left Tuesday morning for Norfolk Va., for the bedside of their son, Montgomery P. Burkhardt, who is critically ill in the Naval hospital at that place. Young Burkhardt enlisted in the Navy about a year ago as a fireman. Recently he became ill and was sent to the hospital at Norfolk. Then word came that he had tuberculosis and then that he was in a serious condition and a message was received that his condition was very grave and for his parents to come at once. They cannot hope for his recovery, but stated that if his condition would permit, that they would bring him home with them so that he could get the benefit of this climate.

Miss Mollie Callaway, who is here attending school, went out to Draw Sunday on a visit to the home folks.

D. H. Bishop came up from O'Donnell Monday on a business trip.

T. E. Parks came in from his farm out at Lynn the first of the week.

H. E. Baldrige, of O'Donnell was a business visitor in the city Monday.

H. B. Howell becomes a regular reader of the News with the issue of this week.

A. Z. Sewell was a business visitor in the city from Draw the first of the week.

J. B. Miles was up from O'Donnell the first of the week.

Trade in Tahoka.

Commencement Sermon at Methodist Church

The first of the Commencement of the Tahoka School will be the Commencement sermon at the Methodist church, Sunday morning at 11:30 by Rev. J. B. Cole, of Lubbock.

Special music by the school children will be rendered.

Tahoka should be proud of the effort that is being put forth in the matter of the Commencement and it will be a treat to hear Rev. Cole.

The following program will be carried out:

Opening song—Star Spangled Banner.
Prayer.
Song—Come Thou Almighty King.
Scripture Reading.
Song—Jesus Savior Pilot Me.
Sermon.
Closing Prayer.
Doxology.

Charley Brown returned from Fort Worth the first of the week, where he had been to see the great review. He reports the review as being a larger thing than one can conceive of unless he has witnessed something of the kind and that Ft. Worth was jammed full.

Mrs. R. P. Wallace left last Saturday to join her husband, who is now located at Eastland, Texas. Mr. Wallace reports things there looking fine and that he has a good job.

Mrs. B. C. Reeves returned to Slaton Thursday after a two weeks visit with her niece, Mrs. G. E. Lockhart.

Small & Howell, proprietors of the Small & Howell Garage, have an ad in this week's issue of the News. Look it up and read it.

Florence La Badie Well Cast in "Man Without a Country"

Beautiful Florence La Badie in the feature, "A Man Without a Country," which Jewel Productions, Inc., will bring to the Star Theater, on Saturday April 20th., is given a role which perfectly suits her ability as an actress. She is a patriotic American girl, who gives back to her lover his ring when she learns that he is a slacker, and sails for France as a Red Cross nurse. She changes him into patriot by unfolding to him the pathetic case of the ill-fated Philip Nolan.

H. E. Herbert, well known Broadway leading man, has the part of John Alton in "The Man Without a Country."

Miss La Badie and Mr. Herbert are supported by an excellent cast.

Hall Robinson is on the sick list this week. He seems to have been running too fast lately and nearly has pneumonia.

Frank Weaver made business up on the north Plains this week.

Geo. Short was in from the T— settlement Monday.

There have been many crises in the history of the United States but at no time has it been more genuine or more critical than it is right at the present hour. All the word that we are able to receive from the front is of continued successes by the German Army. We are assured that these gains by the Germans have been very dearly paid for in the terrific sacrifice of human life, but this only confirms the actual reality of the need of the people of America doing their utmost. It is a game of absorbing the strength of the German armies by casualties to the extent that the people of Germany will force their leaders to put an end to their frightful conflict.

The end of the war is far out of sight of the most far sighted individual. We must not get ourselves into believing that it is a small matter or merely child's play that we are into. There will be many thousands of the best men of America buried in French soil before we may begin to hope that it is over. We are in the war and now it is either whip or get whipped.

As has been said, Germany has been planning for this very conflict for years and has laid up all the gold, all the munitions, all the training, all the equipment possible. The more civilized nations have made for the progress of peaceful pursuits. Germany has had one aim and that is to crush other nations and rule the world. Now that this crisis has come and we are face to face with the most horrible reality in the history of mankind, it behooves us to do our utmost to sustain our own national life. It is no pipe dream or the fancy of some extremist; the German government has already parcelled out their indemnity charges and America's part is that she will be "Bled white."

The Government is offering to her people a series of bonds to pay the expense of protecting them--their families and their business--and is paying a rate of interest that makes them equal any other investment and makes the appeal to us to help. In the face of the present condition of our national life, it is a sad comment upon any man or woman to say that they can help the government and that through selfishness or otherwise refuse. Of course there are many who have no means with which to buy these securities, but there are very few who cannot arrange with their banker to buy at least one bond. Our banks are making a most noble effort to secure the sale of these bonds. They are urging their depositors and all their customers so make any sacrifice to secure at least one. And they know who the slackers are.

Below we give a list of the committees appointed by Judge Cain to secure the sale of the bonds in the various settlements of the County, also, we give a list of those who have bought bonds. This list will run each week until the campaign for the Third Liberty Loan is over.

The soliciting committees for the sale of the Third Liberty Loan Bonds for Lynn County, are as follows:

Tahoka:—W. B. Slaton, Frank Weaver, D. T. Rogers, A. D. Shook, W. D. Nevels, A. L. Lockwood, J. A. Brashear and Geo. W. Small, Jr.

O'Donnell:—C. H. Doak, J. F. Shook and Hal Singleton.

Wilson:—L. Lumsden, Henry Dreyer and J. M. Hobbs.

Draw:—W. A. Waller.

Morgan:—E. L. Deaver.

Gordan:—T. A. Hendrix.

Grassland:—Jno. W. Hood.

Fride:—N. B. Cathey.

Three Lakes:—G. W. Hicker-

son.

West Point:—J. M. Noble.

New Home:—J. S. Beard.

Joe Stokes:—W. W. Stone.

C. H. CAIN,
Chairman 3rd Liberty Loan,
Lynn County.

Below we give a list of those who have subscribed for bonds of the Third Liberty loan. What have you done to help the Lynn County boys who are over there?

List sold by the First National Bank up to April 16th:

E. E. Callaway
Lawrence W. Sandford
J. L. Heare
J. N. Jones
J. A. Martin
M. H. Edwards
B. P. Maddox
J. L. Stokes
E. G. George
W. M. Harris
H. T. Gooch
J. H. Edwards
G. W. Small, Jr.
S. W. Sanford
A. L. Lockwood
G. E. Lockhart
Mrs. E. E. Callaway

County Court Meets Next Monday

County Court will convene next Monday morning. Judge Cain says that the Docket is very light and as there are no jury cases on the docket, no jury was called. Unless some old cases come up, the term will be short.

Mrs. G. E. Lockhart returned Wednesday from points in Oklahoma and Texas. She expected to visit her brother who is in the training camp at Ft. Sill, Oklahoma, but upon arrival, she learned that he had secured a furlough and was absent so she was unable to see him. She visited with her father at Crowell, Texas on her return home.

G. G. Vaughn is one of the regular subscribers who handed us the wherewith this week to keep his paper coming another year.

C. S. McNeeley, of the Edith settlement, loaded out with a double row lister outfit Tuesday to use in his extensive farming operations.

Tom Higgins and Pete Brown took in the review at Ft. Worth last week. They returned by way of Brownwood.

L. G. Massey, of the Bradley-Massey Auto Co., made a business trip to Sweetwater this week.

Judge Lockhart went over to Seminole Tuesday to look after some legal matters.

W. S. Swan left Wednesday morning for points north and east.

Mrs. T. G. Marks and son left Wednesday morning for Happy, to visit relatives.

A Program of the Commencement Exercises

Below we give a program of the Commencement exercises of the Tahoka High School. These exercises begin with a special sermon at the Methodist Church Sunday morning and follow as laid out in the program.

Commencement sermon, April 21st, 11:30 a.m., by Rev. J. B. Cole, of Lubbock.

Graduating exercises, April 26th:

Address—Dr. W. M. Pearce, of Crosbyton, 8:00 p. m.

Song—Audience.

Invocation.

Salutatorian—Georgia Mae Hill.

Piano Solo.

Class Prophet—Willie Davidson.

Piano Duet.

Address to graduates.

Valedictorian—Georgia Mae Slover.

Presentation of Diplomas.

Piano Trio.

GRADUATES OF 1917-18

Georgia Slover—Valedictorian

Georgia Mae Hill—Salutatorian

Willie Donaldson—Class Prophet

Wallace Donaldson.

Norman Wells.

Mrs. John Preston Died Last Monday Afternoon

Another Tahoka resident has answered the call into the great beyond. This time in the person of Mrs. John Preston, who lived in the south part of the city. Mrs. Preston had been a sufferer from tuberculosis for several years and this finally caused her death. At the time this is being written, her husband is also in a critical condition and is hardly expected to last long. Mrs. Preston was buried at the local cemetery Tuesday afternoon.

County Judge Cain and Commissioner Doak went down to Snyder last week to look over a pneumatic water system for the Court House.

We are informed by Mr. Swan that six more Lynn County boys will be sent to the training camps the 26th of this month.

H. J. Coughran left Wednesday morning for Estland County where he goes to work at his trade as a carpenter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Petty came back from Corpus Christi, where they have spent the winter, Monday.

Fort Worth is Now a Prohibition Town

For the first time since the Civil war, Tarrant county is to be saloonless.

Under the ten-mile zone law passed at the recent session of the legislature the 184 saloons and seventeen wholesale liquor dealers in this county must discontinue their business on Monday, April 15th.

According to Secretary Stanfield of the Retail Liquor Dealers' Association; there probably will be no action taken in the courts to oppose the new law. If such action is taken it probably will come from some individual and not from saloon men as a body.

Should steps be taken by the liquor men to have the law zone declared unconstitutional, the prohibition committee will immediately employ attorneys to represent the prohibition forces.

The penalty for the violation of the zone law upon conviction is from two to five years in the state penitentiary and without suspended sentence. The law is in effect in time of war between the United States and any foreign country, having been framed and offered as one of Governor Hobby's war measures.

It is provided by the law that courts must give preference to setting the cases in which violation of the law is charged in order to bring about a speedy disposal of the cases.

MEDICINES PROHIBITED

The sale or exchange of spirituous, vinuous or malt liquors or medicines that are capable of producing intoxication, within ten miles of military camp, fort, arsenal, where soldiers, sailors or aviators are quartered, is prohibited. Shipbuilding yards are also included in the law.

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Tahoka, Texas

ANITARIUM
BUILDING
DR. J. T. HUTCHINSON,
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
MARY F. FARWELL,
Superintendent

CHURCH DIRECTORY

Baptist
Sunday School every Sunday
10:30 o'clock. Preaching every
at 11:00 a. m. and 8:30 p. m.
Aid Society meets every Tues-
day noon at 4:00 o'clock. Prayers
every Wednesday evening.
Church conference on the
evening before the
Sunday in each month. Every
cordially invited to attend the
services. Strangers visiting our
given a most hearty welcome
services.

Methodist
Sunday School every Sunday
a. m. Preaching every Sun-
day 11:30 a. m. and 9:00 p. m.
ing every Wednesday night
usual hour for service. Women's
Society meets every
and fourth Monday's at 3:30 p. m.
cordial welcome to members and
to all these services.
R. F. DUNN,

Church of Christ
10:00 a. m., Regular Bible
at the Church of Christ. 11:30
preaching and Communion
There will be preaching every
Day except the second
each month. All Christians
gently requested to be present
of the services in the interest
Church in Tahoka.

Ed Brewer spent a few
in the City trading last
day.
Geo. Brewer, a Draw
nity farmer, was here

U. S. Must Cut Use Of Wheat by One-Half

America Consumed 42,000,000 Bushels Monthly. From Now Until Harvest Must Use Only 21,000,000.

RATION PER PERSON IS 1 1/2 POUNDS OF WHEAT PRODUCTS WEEKLY

Military Necessity Calls for Greater Sacrifice Here—Allied War Bread Must Be Maintained—Our Soldiers and Sailors to Have Full Allowance.

If we are to furnish the Allies with the necessary proportion of wheat to maintain their war bread from now until the next harvest, and this is a military necessity, we must reduce our monthly consumption to 21,000,000 bushels a month, as against our normal consumption of about 42,000,000 bushels, or 50 per cent. of our normal consumption. This is the situation as set forth by the U. S. Food Administration at Washington. Reserving a margin for distribution to the army and for special cases, leaves for general consumption approximately 1 1/2 pounds of wheat products weekly per person. The Food Administration's statement continues: Many of our consumers are dependent upon bakers' bread. Such bread must be durable and therefore, requires a larger proportion of wheat products than cereal breads baked in the household. Our army and navy require a full allowance. The well-to-do in our population can make greater sacrifices in the consumption of wheat products than can the poor. In addition, our population in the agricultural districts, where the other cereals are abundant, are more skilled in the preparation of breads from these other cereals than the crowded city and industrial populations.

With improved transportation conditions we now have available a surplus of potatoes. We also have in the spring months a surplus of milk, and we have ample corn and oats for human consumption. The drain on rye and barley, as substitutes, has already greatly exhausted the supply of these grains.

To effect the needed saving of wheat we are wholly dependent upon the voluntary assistance of the American people and we ask that the following rules shall be observed:

1. Householders to use not to exceed a total of 1 1/2 pounds per week of wheat products per person. This means not more than 1 3/4 pounds of Victory bread containing the required percentage of substitutes and one-half pound of cooking flour, macaroni, crackers, pastry, pies, cakes, wheat breakfast cereals, all combined.

2. Public eating places and clubs to observe two wheatless days per week, Monday and Wednesday, as at present. In addition thereto, not to serve to any one guest at any one meal an aggregate of breadstuffs, macaroni, crackers, pastry, pies, cakes, wheat breakfast cereals, containing a total of more than two ounces of wheat flour. No wheat products to be served unless specially ordered. Public eating establishments not to buy more than six pounds of wheat products for each ninety meals served, thus conforming with the limitations requested of the householders.

3. Retailers to sell not more than one-eighth of a barrel of flour to any town customer at any one time and not more than one-quarter of a barrel to any country customer at any one time, and in no case to sell wheat products without the sale of an equal weight of other cereals.

4. We ask the bakers and grocers to reduce the volume of Victory bread sold, by delivery of the three-quarter pound loaf where one pound was sold before, and corresponding proportions in other weights. We also ask bakers not to increase the amount of their wheat flour purchases beyond 70 per

cent. of the average monthly amount purchased in the four months prior to March 1.

5. Manufacturers using wheat products for non-food purposes should cease such use entirely.

6. There is no limit upon the use of other cereals, flours, and meals, corn, barley, buckwheat, potato flour, et cetera.

Many thousand families throughout the land are now using no wheat products whatever, except a very small amount for cooking purposes, and are doing so in perfect health and satisfaction. There is no reason why all of the American people who are able to cook in their own households cannot subsist perfectly well with the use of less wheat products than one and one-half pounds a week, and we specially ask the well-to-do households in the country to follow this additional programme in order that we may provide the necessary marginal supplies for those parts of the community less able to adapt themselves to so large a proportion of substitutes.

In order that we shall be able to make the wheat exports that are absolutely demanded of us to maintain the civil population and soldiers of the allies and our own army, we propose to supplement the voluntary co-operation of the public by a further limitation of distribution, and we shall place at once restrictions on distribution which will be adjusted from time to time to secure as nearly equitable distribution as possible. With the arrival of harvest we should be able to relax such restrictions. Until then we ask for the necessary patience, sacrifice and co-operation of the distributing trades.

ALLIES DEMAND MORE CEREALS

American Meat Restrictions Relaxed to Effect Greater Wheat Savings.

ARGENTINE ARRIVALS SHORT.

Meat Supply Here Considerably Enlarged — Food Administration, However, Warns Against Waste.

The allies have made further and increased demands for breadstuffs, these enlarged demands being caused to some degree by shortage in arrivals from the Argentine. It is, therefore, necessary for the U. S. Food Administration to urge a still further reduction in the consumption of bread and breadstuffs generally if we are to meet our export necessities. The Food Administration has issued a statement explaining the situation in detail, particularly the reasons which lead it, for the purpose of centering effort for the time being upon the cereal situation to relax temporarily the restrictions on meat consumption.

Experience shows, this statement says, that the consumption of breadstuffs is intimately associated with the consumption of meat. For various reasons our supplies of meat for the next two or three months are considerably enlarged, and we can supply the allies with all of the meat products which transportation facilities render possible and at the same time somewhat increase our own consumption. In these circumstances the Food Administration considers it wise to relax the voluntary restrictions on meat consumption to some extent with a view to further decreasing bread consumption.

Conservation of food must be adjusted to meet necessities from time to time, for neither production, nor allied demands are constant factors, nor can any of these factors be anticipated for long periods in advance in the disturbed conditions in which we at present live. While the world situation is not one that warrants any relaxation in the efforts to eliminate waste or to relax economy in food, the Administration desires to secure better adjustment in food balances.

So long as the present conditions continue the only special restrictions we ask are the beefless and porkless Tuesday.

The meatless meal and the porkless Saturday are no longer asked.

The farmers of the United States are responding to the national call to increase hog production. Their increase, to all appearances, is being attained more rapidly. Of more immediate importance, however, are several complex factors which have effected an immediate increase in meat supplies.

The transportation shortage before the government took over the railroads, the bad weather in January and early in February, the large percent age of immature corn in the last harvest and the necessity of feeding this corn as rapidly as possible to save it from decay, have not only resulted in backing up the animals—particularly hogs—on the farms for a longer period of feeding, but have resulted in a great increase in their average weight and will result, with improved transportation conditions, which already appear, in larger than normal arrivals at market for the next two or three months. The weight of hogs coming to the market for the past two weeks indicates an increase in weight of from an average of 203 pounds last year to the almost unprecedented average of 232 pounds, or a net increase in their meat value of over 15 per cent. This is a distinct addition to the nation's meat supply. It therefore now seems certain that we have such enlarged supplies for at least some months to come, that we can not only increase our exports to the allies to the full extent of their transportation facilities, but at the same time can properly increase our domestic consumption.

The response of the public to our requests for reduced consumption of meat during the past few months has been most gratifying, and this service alone has enabled the government during this period to provide such supplies as transportation to the allies permitted.

The Administration also suggests that in those parts of the country where the old fashioned home preservation of pork is still the custom, this practice should be extended at the present time, as it will relieve the burden upon transportation to and from the packing houses and is economically sound as saving the cost of packing operations and at the same time will provide home supplies of pork to last over the months of decreased supplies.

The Food Administration desires to repeat that it does not want to give the impression that these are times when simplicity and moderation of living are not critically necessary, but that its sole desire is to secure an adjustment between our different food supplies and meet changing conditions from time to time and to keep the public fully and frankly advised of its position with the full confidence and reliance that whenever it becomes necessary renewed appeals for saving will meet the same loyal response as in the past.

Farm Record's Valuable

Keep Farm Accounts

There is no doubt that the keeping of farm accounts will prove of great value in determining the branch or branches of farming that are most profitable. If they are kept accurately for a long period they may be of great assistance in replanning the farm on a more profitable basis. March 1 is usually regarded as the beginning of the crop season, and therefore it is a good time to start in with the accounts. The kind of books and figures used does not matter in the least, provided the records are complete and accurately kept. It is desirable, however, to keep a system that can readily be summarized at the end of the month and year.

Value of Cash Record.

A record of the cash received and paid out is made by many farmers, but all the value to be derived from such records are seldom realized. The most important use made of them in most cases is as a means of checking up bills. The realization of even this small part of their full value sometimes makes such records well worth while. There is no reason why every farmer should not have such a check on his business dealings, and losses can often be avoided, by proving credits that have been overlooked by some dealer.

Perhaps the simplest and most interesting way of keeping the cash account is in the form of a diary. Part of the page may be used to record the daily happenings and the other part for the cash record, thus giving a complete record of the day. Many people find it interesting to note down personal affairs, ideas, and events, thus adding to such records a personal touch, making them of more than business significance and giving them color that will make them interesting in the years to come. Any information wanted at the end of the year may be assembled from such a daily account book in a short time.

Frequently an Eye Opener

When the record is kept of all the money taken in and spent on the farm the cash accounts can be assembled under various headings at the close of the business year and will show exactly what branch of farm activities have proved most profitable. Some farmers are likely to judge the importance of various farm projects by the time it takes to put them through. To such a cash record for a year, properly assembled, will be an eye opener. Often seemingly unimportant things on the farm, such as

the flock of poultry, produce nearly as much net cash as the obviously important. The year's cash summary helps the farmer to get a better perspective of these things.

Study the Records

In using such records hasty conclusions should not be drawn nor snap judgments be taken. The fact that hogs or the corn crop brought in the most net money last year is no reason for assuming that all activities next year should be devoted to the sole purpose of hog and corn raising. It may be that the keeping of cows was partly responsible for making the hogs so productive of net cash, or that the growing of wheat, clover, or other crops in rotation with corn made the latter crop much more profitable than it would have been if grown alone. Cows, for instance, may not be showing much profit when feed, labor, equipment, and all expenses and costs are considered, but if all the cows are sold there may be no other profitable way to use up roughage which would thereby be wasted, resulting in a loss on the crop producing it. Labor devoted night and morning to milking and feeding cows and charged to them would be entirely wasted if the cows were sold and nothing else supplied to utilize it. Thus, an added labor burden would have to be borne by the other enterprises. Any changes in the management of the farm, based on the farm account records should, therefore, be brought about gradually and the effects noted in their relation to all other farm activities.

Make Yearly Inventory

At the beginning and end of the business year the farm inventory should be taken. This inventory is simply a statement showing what the land, buildings, equipment, live stock, supplies, and produce on hand are worth at the time the inventory is made, together with the amount of cash on hand the money owing to and owed by the farmer. It is a list of farm property and farm debts and corresponds to the "stock taking" which every merchant does periodically. Taken alone the inventory will show the farmer actually what he is worth. Inventories of two dates a year apart show what progress has occurred during the year. The comparison of these yearly records is one of the most valuable features of keeping farm accounts, since by such comparison a true perspective and insight into the makeup of the business is gained.

New Home Baptist Church is Making Improvements

J. H. Smith and W. H. Izard, of New Home, were in the city Tuesday purchasing and loading out materials with which to ceil the Baptist Church at New Home. This enterprising community has justly earned its reputation as being one of the most up-to-date in the county.

Notice to Public

This is to certify that Policies Nos. 109027 to 109075, St. Paul Fire & Marine Insurance Co., of St. Paul, Minn., delivered to Jno. C. Woodall at Tahoka, have been lost or destroyed. The St. Paul Insurance Co. has not received any premium or other consideration for these policies and they are not contracts of Insurance. All parties are notified they are void.

Craven & Cage, Mgrs.
Houston, Texas.

ICE FOR SALE—at the Sanitary Market.

A. J. Warren, of O'Donnell, came in after supplies.

Ben King returned from Mineral Wells, Texas, Monday afternoon. He states that Mrs. King is doing better since she has begun the use of the water and that he hopes for a recovery in a short time.

WANTED!

The man who wants an ACETYLENE LIGHT PLANT to call on me.
Geo. J. B. Wright,
Tahoka, Texas

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Physicians and Surgeons
Office in Shook Building,
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Tahoka, Texas

C. H. Cain
Lawyer
Office in Northeast Corner
Court House
Tahoka, Texas

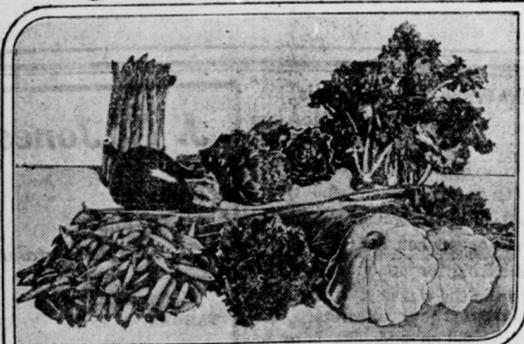
M. M. HERRING
Abstracting and Farm Loans
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Dr. J. R. Singleton
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Permanently Located
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B. P. Maddox
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J. A. Moore
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COLLECTIONS A SPECIALTY
Tahoka, Texas.

Plan Your War Garden Now, Save Time and Money.



HELP INCREASE OUR EXPORT FOOD STOCKS

N CITY and country more war gardens are needed this year than ever before. Patriotism prompted 2,000,000 Americans to plant gardens last year, according to estimates of the United States Department of Agriculture. Transportation facilities of the nation will be strained this year hauling quantities of war and foods for the Allies. The surplus food created by home gardens will help in the railroad problem. And the nation will eat less of the goods we must export—wheat, meat, fats and sugar. Every boy and girl that helps with the garden is helping win the war. Leaflets of instruction in garden making may be secured from the Department of Agriculture at Washington, upon request, without charge.

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We Have a Complete Stock

of Lumber, Wire, Paints, Oils, Wall Paper, Builders' Materials, Windmills and Well Supplies.

Higginbotham-Harris & Co.

Tahoka, Texas



—the home drink

Besides its popularity at drug stores, fountains and restaurants, Bevo has found a welcome place in the home. A family beverage—a guest offering—a table drink that goes perfectly with all food.

As a suggestion for Sunday supper—Sweet red or green peppers stuffed with cream cheese and chopped nuts or olives, served on lettuce leaves. French dressing. Cold meat. Toasted crackers. Bevo for everyone. A beverage that tastes like no other soft drink. Pure, wholesome and nutritious.

Bevo—the all-year-round soft drink.

Sold in bottles only and bottled exclusively by ANHEUSER-BUSCH—ST. LOUIS



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ar, Nose and Throat

F. FARWELL, R. N.
Superintendent

Miss Mary F.
ing women

Service

ion

ry Service Station
Howell Garage.
recharge storage
complete stock of

TIRES—Guaran-
for 5,000 Miles.

Howell
ge,
Texas

Santa Fe

All Year Tourists
Corpus Christi, Texas, and
return on sale daily. Return
9 days \$26.70.

All Year Tourists
Mineral Wells, Texas, and
return on sale daily. Return
9 days \$13.10.

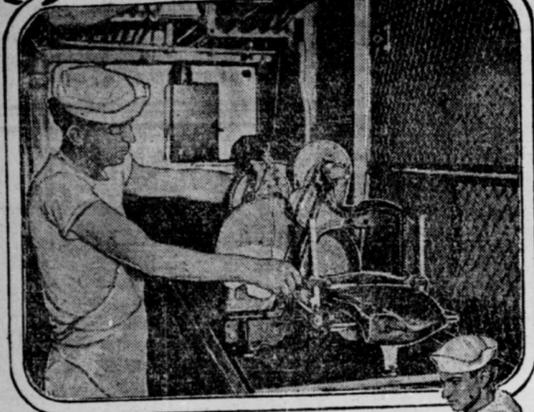
All Year Tourists
Marlin, Texas, and return
on sale daily. Return Limit 90
days \$5.80.

L. Heare, Agt., Tahoka

GEORGE ALLI
The House
Oldest and Largest
and MUSIC
Music, Music
Supplies, etc., etc.
and BOOK OF SONGS
SONGS FREE
Established 1888

Trade with Tahoka merchants.

AMERICAN NAVY ELIMINATES WASTE



SLICING BACON ON BATTLESHIP

BACKKIES in the American navy are classed as the best fed body of men in the world. In the ship's galleys every effort is made to eliminate waste.

In the upper photo one of the cooks on the North Dakota is operating a meat slicer that cuts bacon with the least possible wastage. Fat is fuel for fighters. Bacon is badly needed in the allied armies and navies. The allied needs in pork products are 150,000,000 pounds monthly, three times as much as before the war. Another waste eliminator on the North Dakota is the potato peeler, shown in the lower photo. Nothing is lost except the actual potato skin. There is a sufficient quantity of po-



HOW THEY PEEL POTATOES ABOARD SHIP

tatoes in America for greater use in every home and for all needs of army and navy. Eat more potatoes, eat less wheat.

LIKE BACON

YOU know how cooking brings out all the rich pungent flavor of bacon—there's nothing that tastes better. But you wouldn't like it raw.

IT'S TOASTED

So we toast the Burley tobacco used in **LUCKY STRIKE** Cigarettes for exactly the same reason—to bring out the rich, solid flavor.



Guaranteed by
The American Tobacco Co.
INCORPORATED

Did You?

Did you give him a lift? He's a brother of man
And bearing about all the burden he ca^u.
Did you give him a smile? He was downcast and
blue,
And a smile would helped him to battle it through
Did you gi^{ae} him your hand? He was slipping
down hill
And the world, so I fancied, was using him ill.
Did you give him a word? Did you show him
the road?
Or did you just let him go on with his load?
Did you help him along? He's a sinner like you,
But the grasp of your hand might have carried
him through.
Did you bid him good cheer? Just a word and a
smile
Were what he most needed that last weary mile.
Do you know what he bore in that burden of cares
That is every man's load, and that sympathy
shares?
Did you try to find out what he needed from you,
Or did you just leave him to battle it through?
Do you know what it means to be losing the fight,
When a lift just in time might set everything
right?
Do you know what it mean—just the clas of a
hann
When a man's borne about all a man ought to
stand?
Did you ask what it was, why the quivering lip
And the glistening tears that down the cheek slip?
Were you brother of his when the time came to be?
Did you offer to help him, or didn't you see?
Don't you know it's the part of a brother of man
To find what the grief is and help when you can?
Did you stop when he asked you to give him a lift.
Or were you so busy you left him to shift?
Oh, I know what you meant—what say may be
true—
But the test of your manhood ss, What Did You
Do?
Did you reach out a hand? Did you find him the
road,
Or did you just let him go by with his load?

HEALTH HINTS
* By Miss Bula Baugh, Public *
* Health Nurse *

Diet
If we are to keep our bodies in perfect condition we should learn something about diet. You know it is the food we ea. that keeps all the different parts of our bodies built up. And if we fail to eat the right food, disease gets a hold on us more easily.

There are certain diseases which the Doctors think is caused from imperfect diet. A very dreadful disease, pelagra, is one of these. Now, when meat, milk, eggs, and such foods are so high, many people can not afford to have them, and so they live almost exclusively on the kind of food known as starchy food, or carbohydrates. For this reason the system gets too much of this type of food and is starved for the other types which it demands. You can readily see that this unbalances conditions and disease follows.

Water is not really a food, in the sense we usually think of food; but there is no other one thing so essential for good health. When we stop to think that we need water to help digest the food by dissolving it, that we need it in the elimination of waste from our bodies, that the blood is largely made up of it, that all the tissues are kept bathed and moistened by it: In fact, when we realize that nearly three-fourths of the body weight consists of water, we can readily understand that it takes a liberal supply to keep our bodies working properly. We should drink at least two quarts of water every day.

We should have our meals with regularity, and should take time to eat them slowly. For instance, we

should not rush off to school with no breakfast at all, or with only a few bites of most any article of food we can get hastily and eat hastily. A school child does not need a heavy morning meal, but he does need some sort of fruit, a cereal with milk, and, either an egg, or a glass of milk and piece of toast, or some such type of food. No young person needs a stimulant, such as coffee and tea, and I hope that not a girl or boy is getting the habit of drinking such beverages. Milk or a weak chocolate is a much better drink for school children.

To keep our bodies in the best working order, we need the right proportion of all the different kinds of food. Under one group we have meat, milk, eggs, and such foods. Under another we have bread, potatoes, cereals, such as rice, breakfast foods, etc. Under another we have fruits and green vegetables, such as spinach, celery, lettuce, etc. We need this last type of food for the "roughness" it gives us, besides for the other food properties it contains. For instance, it is good for us to eat the peel of the apple, provided it has been thoroughly washed. We need a certain amount of this kind of food.

Now that we have talked about the foods we do need, I want to say something about the food we do not need. By this I mean greasy fried food, pickles, rich pastries, and other indigestible types. A baked or creamed potato is much better for us than fried one. A piece of broiled steak or roast meat is more digestible than a piece of fried meat. Apple sauce or a baked apple is better than apple pie with its rich pastry.

We should all learn to eat the right kinds of food in the right way, and this would be a great step toward keeping our bodies in the very best condition.

ADVERTISING



is not merely telling the people a list of things that you have for sale and naming the prices that you are willing to take for them, valuable as this may be. It is far more than this. It is the placing of your name and place of business before the people in such a way that it is so indelibly fixed in their minds that whenever they think of a line that you carry, that unconsciously they connect you and your place of business with that line.

This cannot be done in one week or in a single month. It is the product of a long-continued series of advertising. If you haven't already begun, it is time to begin now. Let us help you.



THE NEWS PRINTING CO.

To Wear Old Clothes is Patriotic, Says McAdoo

Raleigh, N. C., April 13.—The man or the woman who wears old clothes instead of purchasing new ones when the Government is asking for money with which to win the war is performing a patriotic duty, Secretary McAdoo told an audience here today in a liberty loan speech.

"Half-soled breeches and half-soled shoes are badges of honor," he said. "I wear them myself and I am glad to recommend them. I like to think that I am releasing leather for a soldier's feet and clothing for a soldier's body."

A. B. Hensley made a trip to town Tuesday to secure some extras for his farming...

J. N. Jones

Furniture and Undertaking
West Side Square
TAHOKA,

To the Ladies

The present called by the Legislature gave the right to vote. We call your attention to dacy and earnestly support in the race for the office of...



CROWDS ARE WHY? THEY KNOW OUR PSICES LOW. JOIN THE CROWD GOME WHILE THE

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For Weak Women

An use for over 40 years! Thousands of voluntary letters from women, telling of the good Cardui has done them. This is the best proof of the value of Cardui. It proves that Cardui is a good medicine for women. There are no harmful or habit-forming drugs in Cardui. It is composed only of mild, medicinal ingredients, with no bad after-effects.

TAKE

CARDUI
The Woman's Tonic

You can rely on Cardui. Surely it will do for you what it has done for so many thousands of other women! It should help. "I was taken sick, seemed to be..." writes Mrs. Mary E. Veste, of Madison Heights, Va. "I got down so weak, could hardly walk... just staggered around. ... I read of Cardui, and after taking one bottle, or before taking quite all, I felt much better. I took 3 or 4 bottles at that time, and was able to do my work. I take it in the spring when run-down. I had no appetite, and I commenced eating. It is the best tonic I ever saw." Try Cardui.

All Druggists

Seed for Sale.

I have a limited supply dwarf red maize, dwarf kaffir, big g man millet, white top cane, (better than red): These seed a select, plains grown, sacked, delivered at ten cents per pound check with order. L. A. Marshall, Floydada, Texas.

The News \$1.50 the year.

BE PREPARED FOR THE BEST

The man who sits around waiting to see if a crop will be made before he prepares his land won't reap much. It is the man who is prepared to make the harvest that reaps one. Let us help you. We have the most complete line of implements in the city. Listers, Planters, Rod Plows, Disc Harrows, Cultivators, Etc. Also a full line of Burster Points. Talk your Implement and Hardware needs over with me

Tahoka Hardware Co.

Southwest Corner Square, B. H. ROBINSON, Manager, TAHOKA, TEXAS

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To the Ladies:
 The present called...
 the Legislature gave the...
 the right to vote. We...
 call your attention to our...
 dacy and earnestly solicit...
 support in the race we...
 ing for the office of Tax...
 or for Lynn County.
 30tf B. F. Montgomery



JOIN THE BUSY THROG COMING TO OUR STORE FOR BIG VALUES NOW.

CROWDS ARE COMING TO OUR STORE NOW. WHY? THEY KNOW OUR QUALITY IS ALWAYS HIGH. THEY KNOW WE ARE NOW MAKING OUR PRICES LOW.

JOIN THE CROWD AND SAVE MONEY. COME WHILE THE PICKING IS GOOD.

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The Pinto Bean Recognized

The Pinto Bean has been placed on the nation's bill of fare by the Federal Food Administration. New Mexico and Colorado produced this bean in large quantities in 1917, but failed to find a ready market for various reasons. The food Administration came to the relief of the bean growers by agreeing to buy their beans at eight cents a pound, provided that 75 per cent of the crop was subscribed.

This work of contracting the beans was done by H. M. Bainer, of the Santa Fe, and C. H. Liebbers of the Burlington, who were especially commissioned by the Food Administration. They have succeeded in a very short time to contract the seventy-five per cent of the bean crop in the two states. The total will exceed 50,000,000 pounds. The beans are already being moved east and the eastern consumer will soon learn that the Pinto bean is equal to the Navy bean in food value, and being more tender in flesh, that the Pinto cooks more readily.

The Food Administration is also advertising the Pinto bean, to create a wider use. The success of the growers in getting a good price for the 1917 crop through the aid of the Food Administration, will stimulate the farmers to plant Pinto beans more extensively in 1918, and provisions has already been made to supply seed at a reasonable cost.

The Industrial Department of the Santa Fe plans to make a strong bean campaign in the southwest under the direction of H. M. Bainer and L. L. Johnson, industrial and agricultural agents. It is a good crop to grow on land where the wheat has been killed. The Pinto bean produces well with the minimum of moisture and in this section may be planted late in the season.

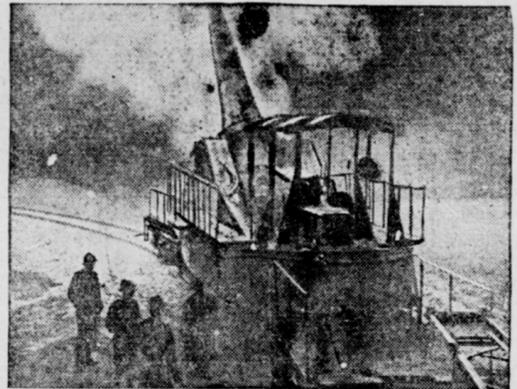
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Uncle Eben's Philosophy

"Speaking of preparedness," said Uncle Eben, "dar ain't no amount of preliminary razor grindin' dat'll make up for de lack of fast work in de actual encounter."—Washington Star.

Judge E. R. Haynes and wife, of Lubbock, visited with their son, R. B. Haynes and family Saturday and Sunday.

Gigantic French War Exhibit to Tour State



There is now being assembled at Waco, Texas, several car loads of every conceivable kind of fighting apparatus that is used on the battle fields of Europe, in the submarine warfare, and in the sky. The exhibit is the property of the French Government and is in charge of Mr. H. B. Coles, representative of the French High Commission. Mr. Coles is being aided in the arranging of the trophies by Mr. M. L. Fuller, special representative of the Missouri Pacific R. R.

This priceless collection will, when ready, be transferred to the American Government, and in turn into the care of the officials of the Eleventh Federal Reserve District.

Arrangements have been completed to divide the exhibit into two trains of five cars each, each train being composed of two flat cars, two baggage cars, and sleeper. The routing and transportation of the trains over the territory comprising this Federal Reserve District, is in the hands of Mr. O. W. Campbell, assistant chief operating officer of the M. K. & T. Ry. The itinerary will allow for the inspection of the exhibit by the largest number of people possible in the various sections of the District. Two to three hour stops will be made at cities and towns en route. Each train will have a lecturer to explain in detail the history of the relics, and American soldiers will act as a Guard of Honor. The trains will start on this pilgrimage on the morning of April 6th, the opening day for the Third Liberty Loan drive. To attempt to describe in detail the history of this collection would be to tell the full story of the war. Nothing like it has ever been seen in America.

There is shown the type of torpedo that sank the Lusitania, airplanes, parts of Zeppelins, and every description of rifle and cannon that is being utilized.

They look—the airplanes and the 75's, the millitralleuses and the trench mortars, and the caissons and the big gun carriages with the barrels shot away—as if they had been through every known kind of warfare.

The big French 75 millimeter cannon, a part of this exhibit, was damaged at the battle of the Yser. It shoots 23 times per minute, and without rest, an automatic cooling process making this possible. This immense gun is so perfectly balanced that one man can move it around. The range is four miles. The barrel is perforated with machine gun holes, made in close quarter fighting.

These are the guns that helped save Paris at the Marne, when the Germans were within fifteen miles of the capital.

A captured German airplane of the "Albatross" type, with a speed of 125 miles per hour is shown. When brought down, the two occupants, both officers, were dead; one of them wore the "Iron Cross" of bravery, and the machine itself, evidently for previous meritorious service, was designated with the same insignia.

There is a large German mortar of the "Minniewerfer" type, which was captured at the Marne by General Joffre's men. This piece is used to break down heavy defenses, and wherever it hits, everything is annihilated within a radius of several hundred yards.

You will see one of the French 400 millimeter guns that shoots a 16 inch shell and carries 24 miles, and is effective at 20 miles.

There is a collection of German 12 inch shells, captured at the Battle of Aires.

A notable relic is a Zeppelin bomb weighing 175 lbs. Each Zeppelin crew consists of 14 men, 2 machine guns, and 14 tons of projectiles.

There are liquid bombs for incendiary purposes. A defective German shell that burst out at the side, probably killing the nearest Boche—a French machine gun that shoots 550 shots per minute, the cartridges being fed on steel clips containing 26 cartridges each—a German trench mortar captured at Soissons—French catapults, a medieval style brought up to date, which throw grenades with immense force.

A peculiarly interesting piece is the gun carriage of one of the giant 120 millimeter French siege guns. This particular gun carriage was recently recognized by a French Officer visiting Waco, who declared his promotion was gained in an action around this gun. He shed tears of emotion when he satisfied himself of the gun's identity.

For trench war-fare, gun rests with periscopes are shown, so that the gunner can fire his weapon without putting his head in jeopardy. Supporting these mute but eloquent relics are upwards of four hundred actual battle front photographs, some of very large size.

The desperate character of the fighting above the earth is depicted in a vivid way by a close examination of the captured Albatross biplane, whose canvas wings are perforated in hundreds of places, and whose control wires are all wrenched and twisted into tangled masses.

The big Zeppelin bombs, the aerial bombs with fluted rudders, tell their grim story of death to women and children. The whole atmosphere of this hallowed collection of battle scared relics is redolent of deeds of valor, of sacrifice, and the determination to put out of the way for all time, this damnable Prussian octopus whose poisonous tentacles must be loosed once and for all

Early Spring creates much demand for alterative medicines. Get your Spring Tonic today.

NYAL Hot Springs Brand MEDICINE

will give you satisfaction. Price \$1.00.

Thomas Bros. Drug Co.
 TAHOKA, TEXAS



Those boys who left home just a short time ago are carrying the flag—the Stars and Stripes with its message of liberty—toward Berlin. It's not an easy journey for them. Some of them will never reach Berlin and some will never come back home again. Hunnish bullets may cut them down or maim them; poison gas may suffocate them and barb-wire entanglements mangle them. They must fight for days at a time hip-deep in mud and slime. But they are carrying forward the flag—ready to give up their lives that German autocracy may be crushed. They are glad to do it; they only ask to serve that they may save their folks back home in old Texas from the fate of Belgians.

FOR SALE—One good span gentle work mules. W. H. Izard, New Home. 30tp

FOR SALE; Holstein cow Fresh. B. F. Montgomery. 29tf

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a number of years doctors pronounced it a blood disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Halls' Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only Constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists, 75c. **Take Halls' Family Pills for constipation.**

PRICE LIST of Plains Grown Garden Seed

F. O. B. Plainview:
 Cabbage and Tomato, per hundred, 40c
 Per thousand, \$3.50
 Potato slips per hundred, 45c
 Per thousand, \$4.00
 Pepper, Celery Cauliflower and Egg plants, per dozen, 10c
 Per hundred, 75c
 Cabbage plants ready now. Other plants in season. Leading varieties.

OUR SPECIAL WAR PKG.

100 Cabbage	\$.40
100 Tomato	.40
50 Sweet Potato	.20
12 Sweet Pepper	.10
12 Hot Pepper	.10
12 Celery	.10
Total	\$1.30

ALL FOR \$1.00 - PREPAID CASH WITH ORDER

Our Plants are grown by a Market Gardener, and are grown from the best Seeds the market affords.

AYLESWORTH NURSERY,
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Trade in Tahoka.

We Still Buy and Sell
Second Hand Automobiles
S. E. REED,
 At Bradley-Massey Garage
 Tahoka, Texas

WINDMILLING AND PIPE WORK

Figure With Me on All Your Windmill and Pipe work. ALL WORK FIRST-CLASS.

M. E. HERMAN,
 At McAdams Lumber Yard
 Tahoka, Texas

Misses Lena and Grace Cole, of Lubbock, spent Saturday and Sunday in Tahoka, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Haynes.

Four Planters, six cultivators at last years prices. 27tf H. M. LARKIN.

FOR SALE—Second hand buggy and harness. 27tf H. M. LARKIN.

**UNDER THE TENTS
AT CAMP TRAVIS**

"There has been no ground glass found in the food served to Camp Travis soldiers. No Mennonite preachers are under arrest at Camp Travis on charge of disloyalty." This is the statement of Major General Henry T. Allen, Commanding the Ninetieth Division at Camp Travis.

Every instance reported to the Ninetieth Division Headquarters has been thoroughly investigated. Every report was carefully traced down, but absolutely no grounds were found to warrant belief that ground glass had been placed in foods, nor has there been any case of illness that could be attributed to such a cause.

The officer responsible for the rumors is now in the hospital. He is suffering with nervous breakdown.

The fact that the high cost of living in San Antonio is unusually high, coupled with the extremely crowded condition of the city with reference to the housing of visiting families, as compared to the other smaller cities of Texas and Oklahoma has led the Commanding General of the Ninetieth Division at Camp Travis to take steps to discourage families of men in his command coming to San Antonio. Directly, the effort is being made to discourage families of enlisted men reliant upon the soldiers small pay and the government allowance in coming to San Antonio.

There is no determined period as to the number of weeks any soldier in Camp Travis may remain in the city. For that reason it has often happened and is liable to happen that families and wives of soldiers are left stranded in the city when their husbands and fathers have been ordered to move on short notice.

Efforts are being made to have families of enlisted men reliant on the government allowance and soldiers' pay to return to their homes where war time prices are not so high as in San Antonio, where work is possible, where health and moral conditions will be endangered. A census is being made to determine the number of cases in Camp Travis.

Obituary of Mrs. Sallie B. Preston

Sallie B. Preston, wife of Jno. Preston, was born in Morgan county, Ala., March 25, 1878, and died about 1:00 o'clock, Monday, April 15, 1918. She professed religion when a young girl, and united with the Methodist church in which she lived a consistent and dearly beloved member. Since coming to Tahoka, she was never able to attend church, but the church at Valley Mills, Texas, where her membership was, has borne testimony of their high appreciation of her beautiful life and character.

She was buried from the Methodist Church, about 4:30 April 16th., the services being conducted by the Pastors of the Methodist and Baptist Churches. Sister Preston has left a devoted husband and two precious children to mourn her absence and bear the affliction of this present world, but sorrow not as those who have no hope, and will wait the day of happy reunion where there shall be no more death, neither sorrow nor crying, and God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes.

R. F. DUNN.

Cass Edwards, owner of the T-ranch is here this week from Ft. Worth, looking after his ranch interests.

Baylor Crawford, Deputy U. S. Marshal, passed through here Tuesday on official business.

E. G. George was in from his farm Tuesday. He loaded out with the necessaries of life.

A. D. Shook was out of the city several days this week on a business trip north and east.

Bill Spikes, of Lubbock, spent a day or so in Tahoka this week on "business"?

Guy Lemond was up from the farm at Draw Monday on business.

Hon' G E. Lockhart attended the great review at Ft. Worth the past week.

Mrs. M. M. Herring returned from a visit to her father's at Plainview Wednesday.

M. M. Herring returned from a business trip to Ft. Worth Wednesday.

Church Notes

BAPTIST LADIES' AID PROGRAM
The Baptist Ladies Aid Society will meet at the residence of Mrs. F. L. Kelley, Tuesday, April 23rd. All the ladies of the town are cordially invited to attend.

The following program will be rendered:
Subject—China.
Song.
Prayer.
Scripture reading—John 4:34.
Reading—Auda V McCormack.
Work for Women in China—Mrs. Joe Stokes.
Song—Mrs. Weaver.
Educational Opportunities in China—Mrs. Herring.
Reading—Mary Walker.
Medical Missions in China—Mrs. Haynes.
Special music.
Free will offering.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Services will begin at the Church of Christ promptly at 10:00 a.m., (New time) next Sunday, in order to dismiss in time for the Commencement sermon at the M. E. Church at 11:30 o'clock.

DISTRICT CONFERENCE METHODIST CHURCH

District Conference for the Lubbock District, M. E. Church, South, will convene in Brownfield, April 25th at 8:30 p.m., and will include the 28th. This District includes all or parts of Lubbock, Crosby, Garza, Lynn, Borden, Dawson, Andrews, Gaines, Terry, Yoakum, Hockley and Lamb counties.

R. F. DUNN.

COMMENCEMENT SERMON AT M. E. CHURCH

The Commencement sermon for the Public School in Tahoka, will be preached at the Methodist Church, next Sunday, at 11:30 a. m., (New time,) by Rev. J. B. Cole, of Lubbock, Texas.

Regular services at the Methodist Church at 9:00 p.m., (New time.)

Attorney J. A. Moore left Wednesday for points east on business.

In Memoriam

Mrs. Robert Reddoch, the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Crouch, died Friday morning, April 5th., at her home in Tahoka. The remains reached this place at 2:10 p.m. Sunday and the funeral was conducted at the Baptist Church by Rev. F. A. Tippen and interment followed in the Richland Springs Cemetery.

Deceased was born August 7, 1880, and was married December 10, 1911, to Robert Reddoch and to this union was born a little girl. Mrs. Reddoch professed a hope in Christ and united with the Baptist Church when seven years of age.

Seldom has it been our duty to record so sad a death. A dark gloom spread over the community when it was known that she had passed away. She was of an affectionate disposition, so that friendship's circle was to her a large one. Indeed, it may be said of her "none knew her but to love her."

It was known for some time that she could not live, but this brought no less grief to those who loved her when the end did come.

She was reared in this county, played here as a child, developed into beautiful womanhood; here she married and helped to establish a home of her own; here her busy life was spent, her faithful service was rendered to the world in this, the dearest of all places to her, she now sleeps. Beautifully appropriate is such a resting place, where her kindred sleep and where her lifelong friends remain to gather about the dear form with honest tears of bereavement to lay flowers tenderly upon her grave—Richland Springs, Eye Witness.

Card of Thanks

Mr. John Preston and relatives desire to express their heartfelt gratitude to the people of Tahoka who have so kindly and cheerfully helped them in their deep affliction; and pray that the richest blessings of our Divine Father may rest upon each and all of them.

R. F. DUNN.

J. L. Lemond, of the Draw community, was here Monday.

DON'T FAIL TO SEE:

The Man Without a Country

is the most patriotic sensation of the hour. John Allen, who is a conscientious pacifist, becomes angered by the scorn of his patriotic friends and by the loss of his sweetheart who considers him a slacker. He read Edward Everett Hale's story, "The Man Without a Country" and recognized his own plight. His sweetheart became a Red Cross nurse in France.

AT THE

Star Theater, Saturday, Night, April 20th

The

THEATRE

Admission 10c-20c



Obituary of Jas. E. Eubanks

At 7:00 o'clock, p.m., April 16th., Bro. James E. Eubanks crossed over the Jordan of death.

He was born Feb. 14, 1853, and was first married to Miss Martha Gramling, August 28, 1870. Two children were born to this union, Mrs. Miller, of Draw, being the only one living. His first wife having passed into the great beyond. On Jan. 24, 1878, he married Miss Henrietta Edwards. Of this union eight children were born, five of whom are living.

Bro. Eubanks confessed the Saviour and was baptized into the Church of Christ at an early age, and was ordained to preach in 1879.

Not having all the history of his life and labors, what is said will be from observation.

Bro. Eubanks was 65 years, two months and two days old. Forty years of this time was spent as a preacher of the gospel. He lived in the early days of Texas and in the days of re-construction when preachers got very little for their services, going many times for miles to preach in destitute places and never murmuring or complaining.

I had the pleasure of hearing him reach his last sermon from the text, "By Grace are ye Saved," which he said was his first text. He never kept any record of the ones he baptized, but no doubt the Lord, who said, "He that believeth and is Baptized, shall be Saved," knew perfectly the number. He could have said as Paul, "I have fought a good fight; I have finished my course; I have kept the faith."

When he was able he always met with the church and the last Lord's day that he spent in this world, the Church met at his house and after prayer and scripture reading, he partook of the emblems for the last time on earth.

He died in the triumphs of faith in Christ, and we hear John saying in Rev. 14:13, "Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord, from henceforth they rest from their labors, and their works do follow them."

Another good man has gone. May the Lord be very near the bereaved ones and ever lead and keep them in His care. May they follow in the way he trod until at last they meet to part no more.

R. T. HARRIS.

ICE FOR SALE—at the Sanitary Market. 32t

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Mrs. W. M. Shaw received a nice birthday box from her sister's family in Colorado last week. We positively refuse Hooverize for a few days.

ALLIED FOOD SHIPMENTS REACH LARGE TOTAL

A general idea of the quantity of food sent to European allies by the United States from July 1, 1917, to January 1, 1918, is given by the U. S. Food Administration. In that period the United States has furnished completely rationed for 57,100,000 people. In addition there was enough extra to supply this portion of the world for 22,194,570 additional men. The total export of wheat and flour to the three principal allies equivalent to about 884,000,000 pounds. Pork exports for the 3 1/2 years ended to almost 2,000,000,000 pounds. Ports of fresh beef totaled 440,000,000 pounds. The amount of food sent to Russia is negligible compared to that sent to the western allies.

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**John Preston Died
Wednesday Evening**

John Preston, who has lived for the last few months in the south part of town died last Wednesday evening. He had been a sufferer from tuberculosis in an acute form for the last few weeks. His wife having died from the same trouble only a week or so ago.

He was born at Valley Mills, Bosque county, Texas, 43 years ago. He professed faith in Christ and united with the Baptist church when 16 years of age. Two brothers were present at his death, Boardman Preston of Valley Mills, and Judson Preston, who lives at Hillsboro.

Geo. Small, Manager for the Higginsbotham-Harris Co. took Ollie Wright to Big Springs Monday, where he underwent a surgical operation. Mr. Small reports that he is doing nicely.

Miss Moore and neices, Lois and Willie Louise Nevels, left this morning for Lampassas, Texas. Miss Moore goes home and the children to visit grandpa and grandma.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Haynes, were down from Lubbock Sunday, visiting their son, Bernard, and attending the Commencement services at the Methodist Church.

J. V. Dyer, of the Edith community, spent a while in Tahoka Saturday meeting friends and attending to matters of business.

A. R. McGonigal came in from the ranch near Edith, Saturday and took out a bunch of supplies. Trade at Tahoka.

Mrs. G. E. Lockhart sends the News to her sister, Miss Vera Carver, at Crowell, Texas, beginning with this week's issue.

H. L. Tunnell, of New Home is a new subscriber to the News. He lives up near Meadow.

Sam Smith, one of New Home's farmers, made a trip to the County Capital last Saturday.

Will Estes came in from the farm near New Home last Saturday after supplies. Trade at Tahoka.

D. Leavitt was in from the New Home settlement last Saturday.

Red Cross Society Receives Receipt for Box No. 1.

We are informed that the Red Cross Chapter for Lynn County, has received a receipt for its first shipment of supplies. Also, they were informed that the work submitted was of such class that it was sent abroad at once. This is a mark of special excellence and is a great credit to the women of the county. If the supplies are not strictly A1, they are used in America, only those passing the most rigid inspection is allowed to be shipped to France.

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SACRIFICE THE MEASURE OF SERVICE.

Some people seem to think that a small service to a great nation like ours is not worth while, and feeling themselves incapable of a great service, they fail to do anything.

At a time like this when fundamental right is in death grapple with fundamental wrong, the true measure of service is not the amount given but it is the depth of consecration behind the gift. At this time every American Citizen can do his duty only by doing his BEST.

Complete co-operation with every war movement is of vital importance. When the Government asks all people to save food, duty demands a full compliance with Governmental regulations. When we are asked to organize thrift societies and to pledge ourselves to rigid economy to

the end that savings may be invested in War Savings Stamps, we cannot justify anything short of complete support of the program laid out.

When our Government wants to borrow our money at a fair rate of interest, what sacrifice is there in making the loan? In this great time, no man has done his duty until he gives of his time, or money until it hurts. The more we sacrifice here, the less will our boys and the French and English soldiers have to sacrifice in France and Belgium. Money and food will save lives. And what is the utmost we can do compared with what our boys are doing in France? We live in safety and go about our business with little interruption. They have left the blessings we still enjoy—homes, fathers, mothers, everything! They have torn themselves away from all business and profit and pleasure to stand in shell-torn, blood-soaked trenches under a rain of bullets sent by autocracy as messengers of death to democratic freedom. That is the sacrifice the Allied armies are making to save freedom to the world. What are WE doing to lessen the burdens of these armies?

The American citizen who does not put himself and his resources into this struggle to the point of real sacrifice will be classed in history as a slacker. The person who in any way obstructs the war program is a traitor who has proven false to his country in the hour of her greatest trial.

With everything else you can do,—Buy War Savings Stamps. Buy and buy and buy.

GEO. T. WILSON,

District Advisor, War-Savings Committee.

GOOD OLD CORN BREAD

Beginning last Monday, Texas was placed on a wheatless diet for forty-five days in order to have more wheat to send to our soldiers and our allies who are fighting for us across the water. The people of Texas are glad to be able to help the cause in this way and do not consider it a sacrifice, but a privilege to abstain from the consumption of wheat when our soldier boys need it. Eat corn bread.—Crawford Advance.

We know of a family that is eating corn bread three times a day. If it will help, do it good and proper.

The Williams brothers are preparing to move back to Lynn county and make a crop. Owing to the crop in Lynn last year they have been in this community the past six months and have had steady employment. This community would like to keep them as they have proven to be just the kind that a settlement should be proud of.—Aberrnathy Breeze.

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Lloyd A. Wicks, of Crosby County

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B. P. Maddox

For County and District Clerk:

R. S. (Bob) Davidson.

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:

F. E. Redwine (Re-election)
S. W. Sanford

For Tax Assessor:

B. F. Montgomery
Jas. F. Millman
R. C. Wood
J. N. Thomas (re-election)

For County Treasurer:

Don Bradley
J. D. Lovelady

MICKIE SAYS



Fred McDaniel, of Sudan, was in the city Tuesday. Fred has just returned from Dallas where he has been attending the Lumberman's Convention. Fred says he likes Dallas a little better than Sudan. We think he is joking.—Lamb Co. News.

Milton Murrah, of New Home, was a business visitor here the last of the week.

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The News \$1.50 the year.

STOMACH TROUBLE

Mr. Marion Holcomb, of Nancy, Ky., says: "For a long while I suffered with stomach trouble. I have pains and a heavy feeling after my meals, a disagreeable taste in my mouth. If I ate anything but butter, oil or grease, I would spit it up. I began to get a regular sick headache. I had used pills and tablets after a course of these, I would be constipated. It seemed to tear my stomach all up. I found that no good at all for my trouble. I heard of THE FORD'S BLACK-DRAUGHT and I bought a package. I began to use it. I kept it in the house all the time. It is the best liver medicine made. I do not have sick headache or stomach trouble any more." Black-Draught is a purgative that throws out waste materials and poisons from the system. This medicine should be in every household in time of need. Get a package today. If you are sluggish, take a dose tonight. You will feel better tomorrow. Price 25c a package. All druggists.

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