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LYNN COUNTY SCHOOLS GO OVER THE TOP

The New Home School is the first in the county to reach the One Hundred Per Cent Mark. High Schools at Both O'Donnell and at Tahoka are Nearing a Complete Enrollment. Christmas Drive was Successful.

The New Home School in this county was the first school in the county to enroll its full number in the Junior Membership of the Red Cross. They did this all in about thirty minutes. The High School at Tahoka has about completed its enrollment, and the school at O'Donnell has about completed its enrollment. I want to see every school in the county reach 100 per cent enrollment in the Juniors, and urge the teachers and patrons of each school to see to it that their school reaches 100 per cent enrollment. It only takes 25 cents for each pupil enrolled in that school to do that and in doing that you will show to the boys that are giving their lives for their country that even the school children are willing and anxious to do their part to help the boys that go to the front. Patrons of each school see your teachers at once and help them bring up the enrollment of your school 100 per cent. In the Christmas drive of the Red Cross, Lynn County went over 100 per cent and I want to see

the school children of the county do likewise. The boys in the county that have not yet been called but soon will be, have their eyes on you and they have a right to expect that everyone that remains behind with their loved ones to do their part to make the lot of the soldier who goes to the front as comfortable as possible when he lies wounded on the battlefield or in the great base hospitals back behind the lines. If the young manhood of our fair land can give their all for their country's sake we must do our part to the limit to help them. Let every one do his dead level best and show the boys that have to go to the front that we are with them to the limit. See that your school is enrolled 100 per cent strong and a certificate will be delivered to your school showing that it has enrolled its full number in the Juniors. Each child that joins will be entitled to his Red Cross button when the school is enrolled.

B. P. MADDOX,
Chairman Lynn County Chapter of the American Red Cross.

Dock Windham buys A Fine Hereford Bull

Dock Windham has received the fine hereford bull that he bought at the auction at the 'Buyers' and sellers' Convention' at Amarillo recently. The animal is a very fine specimen and Mr. Windham is to be congratulated upon having made this addition to his herd.

Need for Attorneys to Collect Soldier Insurance

The Secretary of the Treasury has announced that neither the soldiers, sailors nor their dependents or any beneficiaries under the soldier and sailor insurance law need employ attorneys or claim agents to collect the insurance; that the employment of such intermediaries is unnecessary and inadvisable and needless expense.

The procedure for the presentation and collection of insurance claims is very simple and the proper blanks can be secured from the bureau of War Risk Insurance in Washington. The name of the person in the service who was killed or injured and the relationship which he bore to the person making the claim should be given. If further information or assistance is needed by the claimant the Bureau of War Risk Insurance will gladly furnish it.

Circulars have been sent out by claim agents and attorneys offering to assist persons entitled to the benefits of this insurance in collecting their claims. The "pension sharks" who once thrived and fattened under our pension laws, are still a rank memory in this country. It was hoped that when they were legislated out of existence we would never see their like again. But their successors seem to survive, and the action of Secretary McAdoo in giving prompt warning against these would-be profiteers under the insurance law will be commended by all.

Diphtheria Stamped Out Quickly

What threatened to be a very bad epidemic of diphtheria here was stamped out without the development of any additional cases. The prompt action of the School Board prevented any chance of a further spreading. All the Churches and the picture show closed at the request of the School Board and thus co-operated in an effectual quarantine.

Rev. L. L. F. Parker and family returned home the first of the week from a visit to Mrs. Parker's parents in the New Home District. Rev. Parker preached to a large and very appreciative audience at New Home Sunday.

Miss Christine Swan left this morning for Fort Worth and Waco. She will visit a few days in Waco and then go to Fort Worth to attend school.

Judge Lockhart and children and Mr. Larkin and family went to Lubbock Saturday to attend "The Birth of a Nation" at one of the picture shows there.

Jenkins Brothers, of Lubbock, came to Tahoka this week to take charge of one of N. M. Bray's farms.

G. R. Pearce of O'Donnell was a business visitor in Tahoka the first of the week.

J. T. Woolridge of Lubbock was here Tuesday representing the Pierce-Fordyce oil interests.

F. A. Warren was up from O'Donnell Tuesday looking after business matters.

W. H. Izard of the New Home settlement was in Tahoka Tuesday seeing about a cream separator.

Ed Brewer transacted business with Tahoka merchants the first of the week. He lives in the Draw settlement.

James Crie to Work on Floydada Hesperian

James Crie, for many years editor and manager of the Lynn County News, leaves with his family this week for Floydada, where he has accepted a position with the Hesperian.

Jim is a first-class newspaper man and will make a substantial addition to the force of the Hesperian.

We are glad to report that Uncle Jimmy Fleming is recovering from a severe attack of grip, and is able to be around a little.

J. N. Adams is engaged this week breaking a bunch of young mules at the old livery barn.

E. E. McManis was in from his farm ten miles northwest of town yesterday.

A. J. Warren came in from the Draw district Tuesday and transacted business with Tahoka people.

J. S. Beard, the New Home merchant, transacted business here Tuesday.

E. L. Howard spent last week visiting his parents in Hale County.

Trade at Tahoka.

Trade with Tahoka merchants.

Civil Docket for March Term of District Court

Below we give the Civil Docket of the March term of the District Court which convenes here next Monday. There isn't a case on the Criminal Docket.

I. W. Meyers vs F. P. Watkins, damages and possession.

H. L. Ware vs Santa Fe Railroad Co., damages.

J. E. Ketter vs J. N. Milum et al, trespass to try title.

J. E. Ketter vs H. S. Hatchett, trespass to try title.

J. E. Ketter vs W. H. May, trespass to try title.

Bryan Williams vs A. R. McGonigal, damages.

T. G. Tidwell vs Bertha R. Lackey, et al, to remove cloud from title.

A. L. Lockwood vs T. M. Bartley, suit on note.

T. M. Bartley vs G. W. Small et al, injunction.

Lubbock State Bank vs A. T. Rushing, et al, trespass to try title.

West Texas Loan Co., vs W. A. Priest, foreclosure.

C. H. Cain vs J. F. King, trespass to try title.

Ella McLaurine et al vs G. R. Pearce et al, partition.

H. E. Baldrige vs C. W. Merrill et al, trespass to try title.

J. S. Brown et al vs J. H. Francis et al, title and possession.

Mrs. E. J. C. Robinson vs Monig Dry Goods Co., trespass to try title.

E. T. Wells, next friend to Florence Beverly Wells vs G. E. Lockhart, trespass to try title.

First National Bank of Ft. Worth vs B. F. Hammett, suit on note and foreclosure.

J. H. Edwards vs W. C. Selman, trespass to try title.

J. H. Edwards vs R. L. Parker, trespass to try title.

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D. M. Beauchamp vs Lela O. Beauchamp, divorce.

A. V. Kornegay vs Willie Kornegay, divorce.

E. E. Callaway vs W. T. Spodis et al, trespass to try title.

R. M. Foster et al vs M. C. Williams, foreclosure and to try title.

Mrs. M. A. Green et al vs W. H. Williams, foreclosure and to try title.

May Emiline Pearce vs T. L. Vaughn et al, trespass to try title.

J. W. Elliott vs E. D. Dudley et al, trespass to try title.

F. G. Dargitz vs L. S. Metcalf, trespass to try title.

W. R. Standifer vs W. F. Vaughn et al, trespass to try title.

Miss Brown's Class to Give Concert

The music class of Miss Grace Brown will give a benefit concert next Monday night at the Star Theater. A small admission fee will be charged and the entire proceeds will go to the funds of the local Red Cross Society.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Keever, went to San Antonio Thursday to visit their son, J. B. Keever, Jr., who is with the U. S. troops at that place.

J. N. Brashear, of the firm of Knight & Brashear, is spending a few days in Eastland County looking after business matters.

Mrs. Fred McDaniel of Sudan is visiting the family of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Crouch and other relatives this week.

Mrs. H. C. Crie is spending several days with her sister at Floydada.

There is a double inducement for the Texas farmer, the coming season, to pile up heavily increased output of things to live upon. On the one hand it is a patriotic duty, and on the other hand nothing he can do will bring him greater profit. In short, he owes it to his country and to himself to study and plan and work to make two pounds of "cats" to grow where one pound grew in previous years.

AMERICAN SECTOR IS CENTER OF ACTIVITY

Germans are Massing Their Troops and Artillery Opposite the American Sector of the Battle Lines in France. Thought to be an Attempt to Crush Americans Before Large Force can Arrive. U. S. Well Trained.

All press reports seem to agree on the matter of the Germans massing their forces opposite the American sector of the battle lines in France. It seems that they are determined to make a desperate attempt to crush out the Americans before they can put a sufficient force in the fields to hold their part of the line. However, it also seems that the American boys are demonstrating their ability to shoot quick and straight. The ability with which our boys are meeting all of the various kinds of attacks shows the thoroughness of the training given them, and also makes us realize the great necessity for the most careful preparation.

It is also a surprise to most Americans to learn that we have a considerable amount of heavy artillery, not only on the French front, but also in Italy. It is a sufficient refutation of the charges of American inadequacy,

to learn that they now possess and are in a position to put into use the most powerful artillery that is in use on the battle front. Hitherto we have been accustomed to think of powerful artillery as being of either German or English origin.

The immediate enlargement of the Aviation Section of the American forces and the beginning of the shipment of the American models of machine guns are but indications of the fact that our factories are just now getting to be fully equipped for the speedy manufacture of these articles. They are both fully standardized in such a way that they will be turned out with a speed before unknown in the manufacture of war equipment.

Private advices are to the effect that American boys are able to meet successfully the soldiers of any nation, when properly equipped and trained, and that they are not only willing, but are anxious to put themselves against the trained soldiery of the Huns.

RED CROSS

The Lynn County Red Cross Chapter will hold a general meeting at the Court House Saturday March 2nd at 3:00 p.m. Every member is urged to attend this meeting together with everybody interested in Red Cross work. The chairman of each standing committee is requested to be present and make a report of work being done her respective committee. Let's not minimize the importance of the Red Cross work in this war, but give it its proper place alongside the other potent forces which will ultimately bring us the victory. Let everybody come out and have a good warm meeting. Learn what's being done by your own Chapter. Don't let a small thing like a sandstorm keep you away. We all need a little more "grit" to make us do our part in this world war anyway. So let's all come to the meeting Saturday. MRS. J. B. WALKER, V. C. Lynn County Red Cross Chapter.

RED CROSS SOCIETY WILL SOON RECEIVE YARN

Word has been received by the local chapter of the Red Cross Society from St. Louis that their order for yarn has been received and that it will be forwarded to them immediately.

G. R. McKinley, of Gainsville, Texas, spent several days in the city this week prospecting. He is an old time friend of Rev. Harris.

N. Leavitt was a business visitor from the New Home district the first of the week.

Frank Vaughn, a citizen of the Lynn community was in town Tuesday.

Sam Sanford is having a turn with 'liberty measles' this week.

Cemetery Association Meets Next Wednesday

The Tahoka Cemetery Association will hold its regular meeting at the Court House next Wednesday, March 6th.

G. R. Jones, of Grassland, accompanied by Prof. Hood and wife, visited with the family of N. M. Bray, Sunday.

Things We Heard

A few of the terse answers met with by the members of the Food Conservation committees:

"I can't sign the pledge, my husband can't choke down corn-bread."

"It is impossible for me to refuse to serve meat for breakfast."

"My little boy has stomach trouble and has to have hot biscuits."

"My husband's digestion is poor and he must eat meat for breakfast."

"My husband can't eat corn bread for breakfast."

"I won't sign no pledge. I am saving all I can any way."

"Corn bread scratches my throat."

"I have to eat toast, I can't chew corn bread, my teeth are bad."

And etc. etc., while on the other hand we heard:

"I am delighted to do this."

"It seems like we couldn't do less."

"It is certainly our duty."

"It is as little as any patriotic citizen could be expected to do."

"If my services are needed, I will be glad to help in this work."

"I have been observing these days for several weeks and am ready to sign the pledge."

Which list does your answer appear in? Is the army slacker more in the wrong than the food slacker? We are sometimes forced to do what we are not willing to do.



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Election Precinct Notice

Notice is hereby given of the creation of Election Precinct No. 9, and the changing of Precincts Nos. 2 and 6 to conform thereto, so that said Election Precincts shall hereafter be bounded and described respectively as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the northeast corner of Lynn county and running thence west with the north boundary line of Lynn county to the west boundary line of survey number 6, in block O, certificate number 43-G; thence south about 45 miles, with the west boundary lines of surveys number 6, certificate number 43-G; 5, certificate number 115; 6, certificate number 115, 17, certificate number 212; 2, certificate number 75; 3, certificate number 16-202; 261, certificate number 1723; 15, certificate number 1726; 6, certificate number 472; 3, certificate number 468; 2, certificate number 468; 502, certificate number 4-743; 503, certificate number 2-225; 521, certificate number 2-222; and 522, certificate number 2-222, to the southwest corner of said survey number 522, certificate number 2-222, in block 1, for a corner of this precinct; thence east about 5 miles along the south boundary lines of survey number 522, survey number 1370, certificate number 1-103, survey number 1368, certificate number 1-103 survey number 1322, certificate number 8, and survey number 1321, certificate number 8, to the east boundary line of Lynn county; thence north about 15 miles, along the east boundary line of Lynn county to the place of beginning; and it appearing to the court that such election precinct should be created and established, it is, therefore, ordered by this court that such election precinct be and the same is hereby created and established as hereinabove described.

And it is further ordered that said election precinct shall be known as election precinct No. 9, and that elections therein shall be held at the Gordon school house in said election precinct.

And it is further ordered that J. W. Jackson be and he is hereby appointed presiding judge of elections in said election precinct No. 9, and that T. A. Hendrix be and is hereby appointed Judge of elections in said election precinct No. 9, each of said judges of election to hold their respective offices for one year and until their successors are appointed.

And it is still further ordered that election precinct No. 2 be and the same is hereby changed to conform to the boundary lines of said election precinct No. 2 shall hereafter be described and bounded as follows:

Beginning at the northwest corner of survey number 387, certificate number 447, and running thence east about seven miles along the north boundary lines of survey number 387, certificate number 347; survey number 388, certificate number 447; survey number 12 certificate number 623; survey number 11 certificate number 622; survey number 10, certificate number 622; survey number 9, certificate number 622; and survey number 8, certificate number 621, to the northeast corner of said survey number 8 for an ell corner of this precinct; thence south about one mile along the east boundary line of said survey number 8 to the southeast corner thereof for a corner of this precinct; thence east about two miles along the south boundary lines of survey number 7, certificate number 621 and survey number 4, certificate number 469 to the southwest corner of survey number 3, certificate number 469, for a corner of this precinct; thence north about eleven miles along the west boundary lines of survey number 3, certificate number 469; survey number 4, certificate number 472; survey number 15, certificate number 1726; survey number 261, certificate number 1723; survey number 3, certificate number 16-202; survey number 2, certificate number 75; survey number 17, certificate number 212; survey number 6, certificate number 115; survey number 5, certificate number 115; survey number 5, certificate number 43-G; survey number 6, certificate number 43-G; to the north boundary of Lynn County; thence west about nine miles along the north boundary line of Lynn County to the east line of survey number 13, certificate number 685 for a corner of this precinct; thence south about ten miles along the east boundary lines of survey number 13, certificate No. 685; survey No. 422, certificate number 702; survey number 419, certificate number 5; survey number 410, certificate number 6; survey number 407, certificate number 7; survey number 406, certificate number 8; survey number 403, certificate

number 9; survey number 402, certificate number 707; survey number 396, certificate number 508; and survey number 391, certificate 506; to the southeast corner of said survey number 391, which is also the northwest corner of survey number 387, certificate number 447, the place of beginning; and that elections shall be held in said election precinct at the School House in Wilson, Texas.

And it is further ordered that election precinct number 9 be and the same is hereby changed to conform to the boundary lines of said election precinct number 6, so that said election precinct number 6 shall hereafter be described and bounded as follows:

Beginning at the northwest corner of survey number 487, certificate number 468; and running thence north along the east boundary lines of survey number 492, certificate 469; survey number 501 certificate number 474; survey number 502, certificate number 474; survey number 410, certificate number 478; survey number 511, certificate number 479; and survey number 387, certificate 447, about six miles to the northeast corner of said survey number 387, for a corner of this precinct; thence east about seven miles along the north boundary lines of survey number 387, certificate number 447; survey number 388, certificate number 447; survey number 12, certificate number 623; survey number 11, certificate number 623; survey number 10, certificate number 622; survey number 9, certificate number 622; and survey number 8, certificate number 621; to the northeast corner of said survey number 8, for a corner of this precinct; thence south about one mile, along the east boundary line of said survey number 8, to the southeast corner thereof, for an ell corner of this precinct; thence east about two miles along the south boundary lines of survey number 7, certificate number 621; and survey number 4, certificate number 469, to the southwest corner of survey number 3, certificate number 469, for a corner of this precinct; thence south about five miles, along the west boundary lines of survey number 2, certificate number 468; survey number 502, certificate number 4-743; survey number 503, certificate number 2-225; survey number 521, certificate number 2-222; and survey number 522, certificate number 2-222, to the southwest corner thereof for the corner of this precinct; thence west about nine miles along the south boundary lines of survey number 529, certificate number 2-218; survey number 530, certificate 2-218; survey number 8, certificate number 621; survey number 496, certificate number 471; survey number 497, certificate number 471; survey number 498, certificate number 470; survey number 499, certificate number 470; and survey number 492, certificate number 469, to the southwestern corner of said survey number 492, which is also the northwest corner of survey number 487, certificate number 468 the place of beginning; and that elections in said precinct shall be held at the J. H. Edwards Garage in said election precinct No. 6.

And it is further ordered that commissions to be issued to the election officers hereinabove appointed, and that notice of the creation of said election precinct No. 9 and the changes in election precincts No. 2 and 6 be given by the Clerk of this Court as provided by law.
C. H. Cain, County Judge.
Attest: P. H. Northrees, Clerk County Court, Lynn County, Texas.
[SEAL]

Texas Lost More on Tuscania Than Other States

Texas paid the biggest toll of lives in the sinking of the Tuscania, the nation learned today with the republication of the list of 131 known dead. Twenty-four boys from the Lone Star State are buried in Scottish soil and the list will be added slightly. Texas lost twice as many men as any other state. Wisconsin, Oregon, California and Oklahoma each lost twelve. Twenty-eight states and Hawaii had sons who were lost, the list shows.

An Announcement

We wish to announce that we have opened up our stock of furniture in the lower story of the Woodmen Hall. While our stock is not complete and we will not be able to secure a full stock for some time on account of market conditions, yet we are in a position to make some very attractive prices on what we now have. Call on us.

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STOMACH TROUBLE

Mr. Marion Holcomb, of Nancy, Ky., says: "For quite a long while I suffered with stomach trouble. I would have pains and a heavy feeling after my meals, a most disagreeable taste in my mouth. If I ate anything with butter, oil or grease, I would spit it up. I began to have regular sick headache. I had used pills and tablets, but after a course of these, I would be constipated. It just seemed to tear my stomach all up. I found they were no good at all for my trouble. I heard

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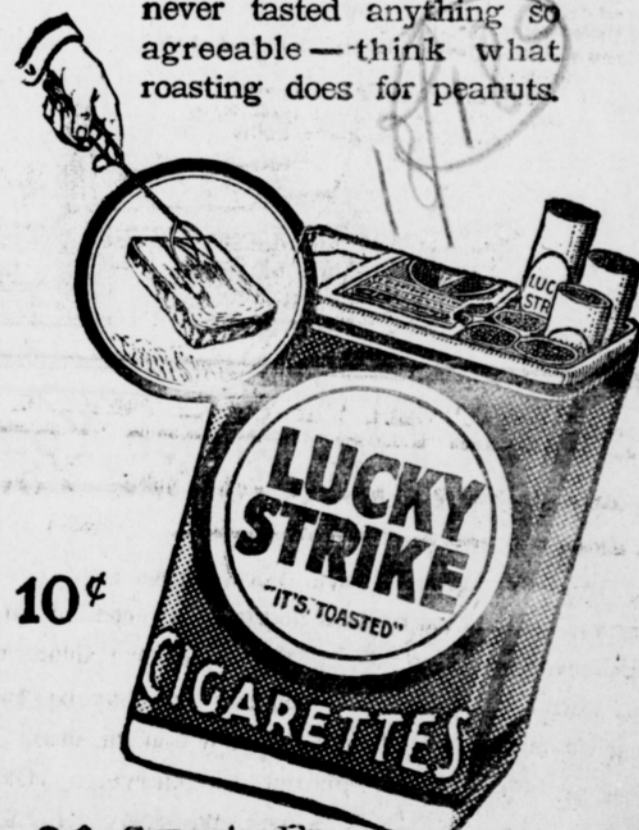
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"Our business these days is to think only in terms of America: to forget self; to forget ambition; to forget partisanship; to forget everything except right and justice and triumph for America's cause and the suppression forever of those infamous things which have cast civilization itself into the darkness during these last three horrible years.

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The Government wants thrift and war savings stamps sold in every store, in every bank and in all places frequented by the public. To become an agent it is only necessary to obtain an application blank from the County Chairman or State Director of the National War Savings Committee, sign it and mail to the State Director at Dallas, Tex. Stamps may be obtained from the Federal Reserve Bank or through the local bank or postoffice. In becoming an agent there is no less liability as the thrift stamps are always convertible into War Savings Stamps which are worth more every month and can be cashed at the postoffice at any time at what they cost plus interest.

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"Ginger cars," decorated with war savings signs, carrying literature and a flying squadron speaker, are now being sent to every town, community and schoolhouse in their counties by the chairmen of several South Texas subdivisions. At each place visited literature is distributed, agencies are designated, posters are hung up in the stores and public places and the speaker addresses the people and the school children.

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To Lynn County Voters:

In announcing my candidacy for the office of County Judge of Lynn County for the second term I base my claims for support upon the record made in that office during the last fifteen and one-half months, during which time the County has been confronted with many unusual conditions which made the duties of the office of more serious import than in ordinary times. Upon coming into office I found the County with a new courthouse nearing completion under contracts amounting to more than \$90,000.00 with only about \$60,000.00 with which to make payment. This condition had to be met to the best interests of the County, and I believe that has been done. Soon thereafter came the entry of the United States into the great world war and this imposed many additional duties upon the office of County Judge, and these must in nowise be neglected, and when came the most severe drouth in the history of the country, and all these adverse conditions in a more or less degree, affect the affairs of the county and its interests just as it does the individual.

When I came into office, I was pledged to stand for certain principles of county government, among them, economy in all the departments of the county government, the greatest efficiency in the public free schools, that the funds from the road tax should not be diverted, that debts should not be contracted against the county without the vote of the people, and that no favoritism should be shown. I believe that I have stood firmly and honestly for these principles and I am still pledged to them. I believe that I will be pardoned in saying that I have made a good fight, and I know that I have kept the faith.

If no criticism were made of my administration, I would know that it has been a failure from the standpoint of efficiency.

Some of you have heard a criticism of the fact that the Commissioners Court reduced the commissions of the County Treasurer's office at the February term, 1917, while the office was held by a lady. The records of this county show that this office paid from November, 1914, to January 31st, 1918, a little more than three years, the sum of \$4,601.95, or more \$1,450.00 per year for the entire time, and that from about January 1st, 1917 to January 31st, 1918, covering the time the commissions of the office have been reduced, this office paid \$2,389.44. This shows that this office has paid much more than the County Judge's office during the same period of time, and that it was the most lucrative office of the county during the time up to the time the lady resigned the office, and when she resigned just after January 31st, 1918, there were six good men who were applicants for the appointment. I believe that these facts constitute a sufficient answer to this criticism.

Many criticisms are made by statements that are intentionally or unintentionally, false to the facts, especially is this true in reference to a certain road bond issue that was recently voted upon in this county, but all I ask of any citizen is that he make a thorough investigation of the facts as they actually exist and make up his mind upon that basis, and not upon what some person may say who either is not correctly informed or has some political purpose to serve. I would be glad of the opportunity of discussing with any sincerely interested person the manner in any of my duties have been performed, for you all have a right to know about these things and I am resting my case with you upon what the real facts and issues are.

It has long been a democratic custom when a public official has been true to his trusts and has

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- Piano Duet—"Danse Rustique"..... Op. 16. W. Mame
LOTA KNIGHT and MARY ADAMS
- Vocal Solo—"What Would You Take For Me?"..... T. Westend
WILLYE LOIS NEVELS
- Piano Solo—"Sunrise Mazurka"..... J. N. Pattern
ERA SMALL
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Director..... MISS BROWN
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Violin..... MR. SHAW
Guitar..... MRS. FOSTER
Clarinet..... SAM DUNN
Marxaphone..... HALLIE ADAMS
Drum..... AGNES SMITH
Tambourine..... MISS CUNNINGHAM
Castanet..... JOYCE KETNER
Triangle..... MARY ADAMS
Cymbals..... INEZ EDWARDS
Cuckoo..... ETTA KETNER
Quail..... LOTA KNIGHT
Nightingale..... MABLE REESE
Bells..... RUTH NEVELS
- Chorus..... "Can the Kai
MISSES KETNER, SMALL, KNIGHT, HILL, ADAMS, and SMITH

made an efficient officer, to reward him with a second term, and this custom has become so general that, to reject one for the second term, means a rebuke. I believe that I have been faithful to the trust you have reposed in me, and if any errors have been made, they have been the human errors to which we are, each of us, an heir. I appreciate the support I received at my first election, and promise, if elected, to be as faithful during the second term as in the past. I will appreciate any support you may give me.

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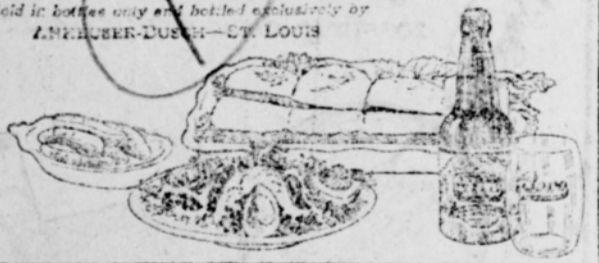
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IS UNION LABOR LOYAL?

Recently some of the members of one of the labor unions decided to "walk out," then—they turned around and walked right in again.

Every fair-minded person in the ranks of capital realizes the fact that labor, both organized

and unorganized, have grievances worthy of consideration. National government officials also accept this status without question, and have more than once assured labor representatives that their demands would be considered and acted upon just as soon as conditions will permit.

Loyal Americans agree that this is no time for internal strife and it is safe to prophesy that any man or set of men who desert their posts during this crisis will permanently injure the cause they are supposed to represent.

In the February number of The World's Work, under the caption, "The Leadership of Samuel Gompers," Burton J. Hendrick presents in a most able manner to the readers of that magazine some very interesting facts relative to existing relations between capital and labor during the period of the war.

According to Mr. Hendrick unionized labor embraces some two and one-half millions of the 30 millions of laborers in America—approximately 8 per cent. These two and a half million members represent all kinds and nationalities of men, and consequently all grades of allegiance to this country. Many of them are of pro-German sympathies, a considerable wing being openly treasonable.

Popular impression to the contrary, capital and labor have

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made no truce, nor have the labor unions waived the right to strike or declare boycotts during the war. Organized labor will continue to fight for the unionization of American industry, each trade union being the judge of the principles which should prevail in its action.

Mr. Hendrick's statement, "The logical thing to do is to declare a truce for the period of the war; for both sides to sing their differences, stop quarreling, and get to work," will unquestionably appeal to loyal Americans in the main.

The good ship "The United States of America" belongs to all of us. She is being put to the severest test in her history, and it is plainly the duty of all of us to put aside our differences and man our posts until we have ridden out the storm.

If William Hohenzollern is ever able to take charge of our ship he'll probably settle our disputes in a manner that will make us wish to High Heaven we had concentrated our entire energies on his Made-in-Germany storm which threatens to destroy us.—Farm and Ranch.

SMILE

There are millions of American citizens today, chiefly mothers, sisters, wives and sweethearts, who are helping to Germanize this country as effectively as though they harbored German spies and set off German bombs. How? By weeping, rebelling, pining, wailing or complaining when their boy sets out as a knight of old, to slay the Prussian dragon.

Millions of Americans who imagine themselves loyal are guilty of mental desertion and emotional treason. They have sent their boy to the front with a heavy heart, a sad memory, a mind full of worry and the poison of dejection thinning and cooling his blood. Then they write him weak, whimpering letters, perhaps not knowing that when a soldier gets a down-hearted letter from home his fighting power drops from 30 to 60 per cent, according to the temperature of the soldier and the contents of the letter. What difference does it make whether an American soldier is wounded by a German missile or by an American missile? He is wounded just the same isn't he?

That boy of ours at the front goes forth to take a man's part in the crowning spiritual adventure of the ages. Are we selfish enough to want to rob him of his chance to be a hero in the sight of God and eternity? Are we blind enough and mean enough to cripple him as he goes, with the moral paralysis of our sodden with personal grief?

Smile when your boy goes, and smile in your letters to him. Don't let him hear one sob, feel one misgiving, see one tear. Hide your heartache if you can't overcome it. Don't whine how you miss him—tell him how glad and proud you are to have him go. Make him feel you expect him to be a great soldier, make his courage double strength by adding yours. And look forward hopefully to see him return a healthier, stronger man, bigger and finer in every way.

Write a home letter to the boy

of your affection, or be sure that someone else does, every week or oftener. When a soldier has a fit of blues and works and fights poorly on account of it, the reason generally is that no word from home has reached him for several days. There is but one cure for homesickness that is a home letter. Make your letter cheerful, newsy, chatty, brightened with glimpses of home strength and courage, lightened with humorous happenings that may have occurred.

Look for the best and be ready for the worst. God has a way of turning the worst things into the best, so to call anything worst may be impious as it surely is premature. The American soldier has ninety-four chances in a hundred to come back alive.—E. E. Purinton in the Independent (N. Y.)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Subject to the action of the July 1918 Democratic Primary

For District Attorney: (72nd Judicial District)

Gordon B. McGuire, of Dawson County.

For County Judge:

C. H. Cain (re-election)

B. P. Maddox

For County and District Clerk:

R. S. (Bob) Davidson.

Marshal Swan

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:

F. E. Redwine (Re-election)

S. W. Sanford

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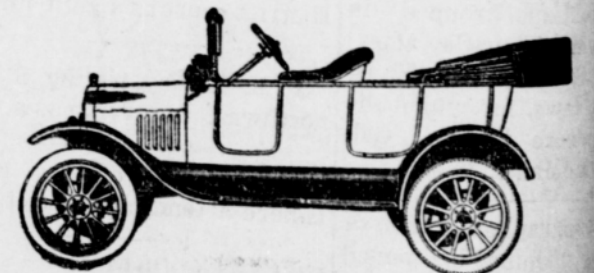
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