

# Colorado Record

THIRTEENTH YEAR—No. 27.

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Whipkey Printing Company.

## Program OPERA HOUSE

Chas. Taylor, Manager

FRIDAY

APRIL 5

GOLDEN RULE KATE, Featuring  
LOIS GLAUM  
Comedy—HOTEL DISGRACE.

SATURDAY

APRIL 6

Matinee and Night.  
HER SECOND HUSBAND,  
Featuring EDNA GOODRICH  
JERRY'S BEST FRIEND—Jerry.

FRIDAY

APRIL 13

THEY'RE OFF—A splendid picture  
with a horse race in the plot, Featur-  
ing ENID BENNETT.

Also a Good Comedy—Title not given

SATURDAY

APRIL 13

MATINEE AND NIGHT  
THE USUAL GOOD 5-REEL MU-  
TUAL PICTURE.  
AND JERRY WILL BE THERE.

Cut this Advertisement out and  
keep it for reference to the coming  
SPECIAL ATTRACTIONS.

COMING!

Monday April 15th—MADAM PE-  
TROVA in THE LIFE MASK—Six  
Reel Special.

Tuesday and Wednesday, April 23  
and 24th—THE ZEPPELINS LAST  
RAID—A Thos. H. Ince Super Pro-  
duction.

Monday, April 29th—ALICE  
JOYCE in the 9-Reel Master Pro-  
duction "WOMANHOOD"

### CITY ELECTION.

Tuesday was city election day. No  
excitement during the contest and  
the candidates defeated all take the  
choice of the people good naturedly.  
Only two aldermen were to be elected  
and the results were:

R. L. Spalding, 152  
Joe H. Smoot, 153.

165 votes were cast and the race  
centered in the city marshal's office.  
Four candidates were in the field and  
came out at the finish like this:

T. A. Hickman, 77.  
Green DeLaney, 38.  
W. C. Morrow, 36.  
J. W. Hagler, 14.

### SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELECTION.

Next Saturday (tomorrow) is the  
school trustee election for Colorado  
Independent School District. There  
are four trustees to be elected. The  
voting box is at the court house. It  
is the duty of every citizen of the dis-  
trict to vote in this election. We have  
not seen the ticket, and do not know  
what names will be presented, but  
you can vote for any person you want  
to by writing the name on the ballot.  
Be sure to vote.

### TREE PESTS.

Everybody should examine their  
trees, especially the hardwood trees,  
as many are complaining of them dy-  
ing as a result of worms boring in  
them. Wherever a little round hole  
is found a worm will be there boring  
the life out of the tree and this does  
not take long, particularly with the  
young trees. A good remedy, recom-  
mended by those who have tried it,  
is to apply linseed oil thoroughly.  
This can be done by applying with a  
paint brush. Look after your trees  
and do not let them die.

### ROAD WORK BEGUN.

Mitchell County Highway to Built  
First—Work Now Going On.

Mr. O. Leonard, a state highway  
commissioner to build the Mitchell  
county roads. Mr. Leonard is an ex-  
pert in his line, and comes with the  
engineer has been employed by the  
highest recommendations from the  
Highway Commission. He is the man  
who built the post road from Austin  
to San Antonio, which is considered  
one of the best roads in the state.  
Mr. Leonard arrived in Colorado on  
Tuesday of this week and is now out  
with the commissioners, going over  
the roads, getting his surveys and  
grades, making blue prints, etc.

County Judge Bullock received  
word this week that the attorneys  
for the bond buyers had approved the  
bonds and was ready to come and  
check them up and pay the money  
just as soon as the bonds were re-  
ceived from the printer at Austin,  
which will be in a few days.

The county already has in the  
treasury a considerable amount of  
automobile tax money, and work of  
hauling gravel was started out of this  
fund, on Thursday. It is the purpose  
of the engineer to put quite a num-  
ber of teams at work at once hauling  
gravel. This comes at an opportune  
time as nearly all the teams in the  
county are now idle.

The court, and Judge Bullock es-  
pecially, are to be commended for  
their efforts in pushing this matter  
through. The bond election was held  
Feb. 23rd and work started April 4,  
just a little over five weeks.

### CAPT. RANSOM SHOT TO DEATH AT SWEETWATER.

Sweetwater, April 2.—Captain H.  
L. Ransom of the State Rangers, lo-  
cated here, was shot and instantly  
killed at the Wright Hotel last night.

W. C. Miller of near Snyder and  
Marion Long of Borden county en-  
gaged in a shooting in the hallway  
of the hotel and Captain Ransom, who  
was in the room across the hall, ran  
out in his night clothes and received  
two shots accidentally from the gun  
of one of the parties.

Ranger Koons, who was also in a  
room nearby, ran out and shot the  
pistol from the hand of Marion Long,  
and Miller ran out of the hotel and  
escaped but later in the night was  
located and arrested near Hermleigh.  
It was found that he had received a  
shot in the left leg just below the  
knee. Long only received a wound  
in the hand.

Ransom was 45 years old and was  
reared in Washington county. He  
served in the First Texas Cavalry in  
the Spanish American War and also  
saw service in the Philippines. On  
one occasion he saved the life of Gen-  
eral John H. Hulen, when Ransom  
killed a Philippino soldier who attack-  
ed with a bowie knife.

Marion Long of Borden county  
and W. C. Miller of Scurry county  
met and quarreled in the hallway on  
the second floor of a hotel, and shots  
were fired. Captain Ransom and  
Ranger Koon stepped into the hall-  
way in their night clothes. Captain  
Ransom was shot instantly. Koon  
fired once, but the effect of his bul-  
let was not known. Long was shot  
in the right hand and Miller received  
a bullet in the left leg below the knee.

Miller fled in a motor car but was  
arrested after driving 25 miles, and  
brought back. Long and Miller were  
both taken into custody. No arms  
were found on Miller and no com-  
plaints have yet been filed. Long is  
the son of the late Frank Long of  
Fort Worth.

Captain Ransom is well known in  
Colorado, having served as City  
Marshal here for some time, and was  
quartered here at different times  
while in the ranger service. He leaves  
a wife and two children, who reside  
at Hempstead.

### NOTICE TO SCHOOL PATRONS.

If the census trustee has failed to  
enroll any children, it is the duty of  
the parents or guardian of such child-  
ren to make the fact known to the  
census trustee, Mr. Mitchell, or to  
Mr. J. M. Thomas or E. F. King.  
Every child missed means a loss of  
seven or eight dollars to this school  
district. Please report any children  
that you may know that have not  
been enrolled. Failure to enroll a  
child makes parent or guardian liable  
to prosecution and fine.

Stewart Cooper has Shaw Bros.  
ice cream—it is the best.

# THIRD LIBERTY LOAN

The Third Liberty Loan must go "over the top." It must do this in the smaller cities and towns as well as in the metropolitan cities. It must do this without the banks of the nation having to finance the greater part of the loan. The money must come from the general public.

The people of each community must feel this necessity far more than they felt it in either of the previous Liberty Loan campaigns, and the press can create the sentiment that will put this loan through.

Governmental departments, including the Treasury department, realize that the newspapers in giving freely of their news and editorial space are doing their full share. The business men of Colorado have demonstrated their willingness to co-operate with the Record by purchasing advertising space to promote the sale of Liberty Loan Bonds.

The governor has issued a proclamation designating April 6 "Liberty Day," upon which all loyal and patriotic citizens should make due celebration of glorious participation in the war for freedom and which they should unite their every effort to assure the fullest measure of success for the forthcoming Liberty Loan.

## Buy Liberty Bonds

### TO OUR SUBSCRIBERS:

The Liberty Loan Bond issue is now on. The Record has pledged itself to buy at least one bond. The only way we can do this is to depend on our subscribers.

We pledged ourselves now to spend every dollar paid on subscription to the Record in the month of April in Liberty Bonds on War Savings Stamps.

## Make Your Dollar do Double Duty

Pay \$1.00 on your paper in this month and we will put it in a bond. 500 men owe us \$1.00 each and nearly all can pay the dollar now. Help push the sale of these bonds by paying for your local paper.

It don't make any difference if you are ahead or behind on your subscription. Pay another dollar, get a year's credit and we will turn the dollar over to Uncle Sam. You get full value for your money and so do we and we both help just that much toward winning the war.



# "DOVE" Under-Muslins Original and Chic

Individuality in clothes is the right of every woman. Whatever your income "Dove" Under-muslins offer you a fascinatingly large choice of style and material. Miss Simplicity will revel in our strictly tailored styles, while Miss Luxurious will find our elaborate lace-trimmed creations perfectly irresistible. Whichever you choose, the "Dove" label assures you of expert fit and finish and the satisfactory service of good materials well made. Every open arm-hole is re-inforced for double wear.

DOVE Night Gowns Envelope Chemise  
Combinations Drawers Chemises  
Under-skirts Corset Covers  
Novelties

Under-muslins

# F. M. BURNS

### AN OZARK TRAIL

Worth More to Country Traversed Than Two Railroads.

Only a comparatively few people have considered the value to a community of an Ozark Trail, built according to specifications, marked and adopted by us, mapped and appearing in our Route Book, and advertised thru the many channels we control, says Col W. H. Harvey.

There was a time when a proposed railroad could secure a large bonus in each county, sometimes as much as one hundred thousand dollars or more. It has been remarked by those who have studied the relative benefits of the two, that they would rather have an Ozark Trail, built to specifications, marked, etc., than to have one, two or three railroads; and some have placed it as high as five railroads. Are the people who say this right? Here is the way they reason it out, and it is up to the reader to see what he thinks of it.

The thru passengers on a railroad eat their meals in the dining car, or at eating houses owned by eastern companies and sleep in Pullmans, their money going east to the heads of these companies. They see the country imperfectly out of the coach windows and at night see nothing. They go thru, as a rule, the most un-pleasant parts of the towns. Whereas, the people traveling by machine, the modern method of travel, travel by day time, see the country well, pass thru the most sightly parts of towns and cities, pay for their meals and lodging on the route, buy their gasoline and car repairs; owning their own cars can stop a day or two in any place looking the country over, pay their board, go in the stores buying what they need.

It brings the tourist, the home-seeker and the investor. The home-seeker, owning his car, is quickly impressed by that country that has good roads—he does not want to live in any other kind of a country—and it is the well built, marked road that brings him to you. The tourist may leave home not expecting to spend any money but his expenses, but seeing the country well from his car, may and sometimes does, become a home owner or investor as a result of his trip.

Motor trucks are coming rapidly into use where the best roads are and

are taking the place of the railroads for short hauls, up to 100 and 200 miles. Farmers living 40 and 50 miles from market on such a road, can load a motor truck at night with vegetables or products of the farm and starting early next morning, go 40, 50 or 60 miles to market, sell the load and return home the same day independent of railroads and express companies. Thus farmers at a distance make their farms as profitable to them as suburban farms are to their owners.

A count kept on the Santa Fe Trail in Kansas showed, during the six months of spring to fall, a daily average of 300 trans-continental cars passing a given point, counting only cars from east of the Mississippi river told by license labels on the cars. A count on the Omaha, Lincoln and Denver Highway, of all cars, showed a daily average of 1500 cars. Trans-continental, semi-trans-continental cars or cars starting a hundred miles away are all of equal value in the way of spending money for meals, lodging and general expense of traveling. At several places a count has been kept estimating the average money spent, per car, in towns, and the lowest estimate we have is an average of \$3.00 per car. Some estimates run higher. Taking three dollars as the average spent by the passengers in each car, in each town, an average of three passengers to a car, 500 cars daily means \$1500 or \$45,000 monthly spent in each community and 45,000 people passing, monthly, through the country.

This is the story in dollars and cents of a modern, up-to-date, 365 day road, marked and advertised and known to the general traveling public. It means a stream of money daily. It means more money to a community—\$45,000 monthly, more, probably, than any factory or single industry it may have. And it means new money, increasing the balance of money daily in favor of the community, which is doing more good than money in the community that is being swapped from hand to hand. New money means more money and a rising tide of prosperity to the community thus favored. It means about five times as many people daily as are passing thru on a railroad. It means 50 times as much money spent as is spent by the passengers going through on the railroad; and as a freight proposition, the short haul

considered, it is of as much advantage as a railroad.

Henry Ford and others saw what this modern method of travel meant and used it to their personal advantage. It is now a question of communities seeing it when the opportunity knocks.

EVER SALIVATED BY CALOMEL? HORRIBLE!

Calomel is Quicksilver and Acts Like Dynamite on Your Liver.

Calomel loses you a day! You know what calomel is. It's mercury; quicksilver. Calomel is dangerous. It crashes into sour bile like dynamite, cramping and sickening you. Calomel attacks the bones and should never be put into your system.

When you feel bilious, sluggish, constipated and all knocked out and believe you need a dose of dangerous calomel just remember that your druggist sell for a few cents a large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tonic, which is entirely vegetable and pleasant to take and is a perfect substitute for calomel. It is guaranteed to start your liver without stirring you up inside, and can not salivate.

Don't take calomel! It makes you sick the next day; it loses you a days work. Dodson's Liver Tonic straightens you right up and you feel great. Give it to the children because it is perfectly harmless and doesn't gripe.

According to the war trade board, new shipping arrangements between the United States and Japan shows Japan is to turn over to the American fleet immediately twelve big steamers of 100,000 tons deadweight capacity in return for steel supplies. Negotiations are proceeding for the transfer of 200,000 tons of new construction on the same basis.

Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Grove's.

The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 60 cents.

Plenty of coal on hand; plenty of all kinds of hay; plenty of bran, oats and chops; plenty of shorts and mixed feed. Feed and fuel of all kinds.—A. M. Bell, Westbrook.

### "LIBERTY DAY—APRIL 6"

The governor has issued a proclamation designating April 6 "Liberty Day," upon which all loyal and patriotic citizens should make due celebration of glorious participation in the war for freedom and which they should unite their every effort to assure the fullest measure of success for the forthcoming Liberty Loan.

### FOURTH SESSION OF LEGISLATURE HARMONIOUS.

The fourth called session of the thirty-fifth legislature has gone down in Texas history as not only one of the hard working bodies of lawmakers but also the most harmonious for the past ten years. The pros were decidedly in the majority and the governor, although an anti, gave the lawmakers what they wanted, consequently there was no friction. The governor stood by the legislature and the lawmakers stood by him, so there was no unpleasant features as characterized the legislatures for the past three administrations.

The speech of the governor delivered at a joint session of the legislature won over not only the pros but apparently the antis as well. One of the results of this speech was the withdrawal from the race for governor of Earle B. Mayfield, who declared he could not consistently stay in the race after the proposition he made last October in his Tyler speech when he said if Hobby would put statutory prohibition on the statute books he, Mayfield, would withdraw from the race.

Attorney General Looney has also withdrawn from the race for governor. This leaves the field open for Hobby, as Ferguson's candidacy is looked upon as a joke.

The house joint resolution ratifying the federal prohibition amendment to the United States constitution has been signed by Secretary of State George F. Howard and copies sent to President Wilson, Secretary of State Lansing, the speaker of the national house of representatives and the president of the senate.

It is necessary for thirty-six out of the forty-nine states in the union to ratify this amendment before it becomes operative, and so far nine have ratified the amendment, two of the states have submitted the proposition to a referendum vote of the people. Representative Cope, author of the house ratification resolution, said that it is necessary for only three other anti states to ratify the amendment, taking it for granted that all of the pro states will do so, in order for this amendment to be engrafted on the federal organic law of the land.

CLEANSER YOUR HAIR MAKES IT BEAUTIFUL, THICK, GLOSSY, WAVY

Try This! All Dandruff Disappears and Hair Stops Coming Out.

Surely try a "Danderine Hair Cleanser" if you wish to immediately double the beauty of your hair. Just moisten a cloth with Danderine and draw it carefully through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; this will cleanse the hair of dust, dirt or any excessive oil—in a few minutes you will be amazed. Your hair will be wavy, fluffy and abundant and possess an incomparable softness, lustre and luxuriance.

Besides beautifying the hair, one application of Danderine dissolves every particle of dandruff; invigorates the scalp, stopping itching and falling hair.

Danderine is to the hair what fresh showers of rain and sunshine are to vegetation. It goes right to the roots, invigorates and strengthens them. Its exhilarating, stimulating and life-producing properties cause the hair to grow long, strong and beautiful.

You can surely have pretty, soft, lustrous hair, and lots of it, if you will spend a few cents for a bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter and try it as directed.

SAVE THE CHILD FROM AUTOCRACY AND POVERTY.

This is the new slogan of the War Savings Committee engaged in selling \$91,000,000 of War Savings Stamps in Texas. The Federal Government wants every man, woman and child to save and invest their savings in stamps. These stamps mature January 1st, 1923, and earn an interest rate of 4% compounded quarterly. This is not only the best investment possible in war times, but also as President Wilson has said, "is intended to correct our unparadigmatic habits of waste and extravagance." The great thing to be accomplished is to preach thrift from every pulpit, teach it in every school and practice it in the home. This is war work in which all may join; it not only helps win the war which saves our children from autocracy but it saves them from poverty as well.

### Drouth Hurts Worse Than War—

We folks, who live in the United States might as well tell the plain truth about what we are doing, and about how we are taking the war. Up to this time few are taking the great conflict seriously, and only occasionally there is a person who has suffered any on account of the war means only as the few homes have been called upon to send out their sons to the battle front. In the larger part of the country, where there has been no drouth, the people are "rolling" in wealth. They are having more of the luxuries of life than ever before and even in the drouth-stricken portions of the country are people having to cut out the most extravagant luxuries only. Men drawing good salaries complain of the higher cost of living, when the facts are they are living like lords, compared to what the people of Europe are having. There may be days ahead when the people of the United States have to deny themselves necessities in order to feed our allies and carry on the war, but so far it is almost sacrilegious to claim that we have ever suffered any inconvenience. People who say they're having a hard time making ends meet would come nearer the truth if they are having a hard time living high.—Abilene Reporter.

You are speaking from a financial viewpoint, and what you say applies to the country where the drouth has not been felt, and where prosperity abounds. While you are telling the plain truth about the war, we might just as well tell the plain truth about the country affected by the drouth. Few people in this country have given to the war until it hurts. Instead of having a hard time making ends meet they are not making ends meet. There are no people more patriotic than the people of the drouth stricken section of Texas but it is impossible for many of them to express their patriotism in dollars and cents.—Sweetwater Reporter.

The day of sacrifice, such a day as we have never known before, is upon us, doubly so in this neck of the woods

### Keeping Yourself Well

#### Run Down, Aching

people need a good tonic that will send the blood tingling through the body, enrich it by improving the digestion, and clean it by expelling the waste matter. Health is a matter of plenty of rich blood, free from impurities.

#### PERUNA

dispels inflammation of the blood making organs,—the digestion—gives tone and "pep" to the membranes that line the lungs and the digestive tract, and invigorates the entire system.

You can have health if you take care of yourself and take Peruna when you need it. At your druggists.

THE PERUNA COMPANY Columbus, Ohio

where drouth and high prices due to the war, are hitting us hard right where it hurts—the pocketbook. It is the survival of the fittest. We can see the first glimmer of a silver lining: If President Wilson grants the \$50,000,000 asked for the stockmen of the West things will kinder loosen up. But we have got to get some way to break up this concentration of money in the East. We still say there are too many extravagant luxuries.

#### MOVED.

I have moved my shop one door east from the old stand. I now have an expert boot maker. Bring me your orders. FRED MEYER.

Window glass all sizes and cut to order at W. L. Doss'.

THE COLORADO RECORD AND DALLAS NEWS ONE YEAR \$1.75

## T. H. Shurtleff VULCANIZER

### TOP REPAIRING

### HARNESS REPAIRING

Can Vulcanize any kind of Rubber and make any kind of an Auto Top.

ALSO HAVE FOR SALE TWO CAR LOADS OF HAY

### BIG MONEY MAKER

One truck is doing the work of four horses at a saving of at least \$20 a month for the North Texas Furniture Company of Wichita Falls. Fifty per cent in time is also saved by the Maxwell truck, which is averaging about 15 miles a day over city streets.

### Saves Time and Money

According to a statement by Bergman Produce Company of Fort Worth, Texas, their company is saving 50 per cent in time and nearly as much in operating expenses by using a Maxwell truck. Ten horses were used previous to the purchase of two trucks. The trucks average about 35 miles a day.

### BANK \$150 MONTHLY

Six horses were dispensed with by the Uncle Sam Oil Company when it motorized its delivery service. An official of the oil company at Hobart, Okla., stated that it was also making a saving in expenses of \$150 a month. The Maxwell travel about 30 miles a day and averages about 100 stops.

### Stowe & Price

## THE NEW SHOE SHOP

We do your shoe repairing from heel to toe Half soles, sewed or pegged. Wood or Rubber Heels SHOE DYEING.

Is a Special Feature. Have your shoes any color.

### Loyd A. White

Second Street Next Door to Fire Station

An official photograph of the club with which the German armies "finish off" wounded soldiers. 32,000 of these were recently captured by the Italians.



## The Destruction of Civilization

This is in grim reality what we are fighting this war to prevent. The club pictured above—from an actual official photograph—might be the weapon of a savage cave man of five thousand years ago. It is in fact the weapon with which German soldiers finish off the enemy wounded who have fallen on the battlefield—on the battlefield on

which American boys are fighting.

There is only one answer to make to such methods the defeat of the German Armies. America has taken up the sword to give that answer. Our Army is in France to help win this war on the battlefield—that civilization may be safe, that America may be safe.

## You Can Have Your Share in America's Answer to German Savagery

The Third Liberty Loan is your opportunity. It is the most direct blow that can be struck at German military supremacy. It is the most powerful aid that can be given our soldiers in France. It means rifles and helmets and gas masks—the best

protection for our men from German brutality. It means big guns and shells and airplanes—and VICTORY.

Invest TODAY in bonds of the Third Liberty Loan, and save the lives of American soldiers.

Save Civilization, Save America, Your Own Family and Your Own Home

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**C. M. ADAMS**

It's Bonds or Bondage take your choice. Buy a Bond.

**Colorado Mercantile Co.**

It's not so much what you say but how your Bond record looks

**Colorado Bargain House**

What's the use of money unless we win this war

**F. M. BURNS**

It doesn't matter who started this war. Uncle Sam will finish it

**WINN & PAYNE**

The time to do your bit has past. Nothing but the best is good

**C. H. LASKY**

What's your classification, helper or hinderer. Buy a Bond

**CAMP TRAVIS NEWS  
BY PUBLICITY OFFICER**

**CAMP ITEMS OF PUBLIC INTEREST AND PERSONAL ITEMS ABOUT THE BOYS.**

John W. McGuire of the 315th Supply Train, Camp Travis, in a short letter to the Record, says:

"Several of the Mitchell county boys have departed for parts unknown but Corporal R. H. Bennett and myself are still here.

"This week has been our week to drive trucks. We have some very efficient drivers in the company that would make good anywhere they might be put.

"We have had several inspections of late. Each one was personally inspected by General Allen this afternoon. The most defects found were protruding stomachs. You may know that we have been getting plenty to eat.

"Corporal Bennett has planted some flowers. The barrack will soon put on a pretty front under his proficient management if the pet goat and other mascots do not keep it eaten down.

"Not much going on this week. Maybe something will happen soon that you will be interested in. If the Allies keep up the good work for a couple of more days the chances are good that we will be able to come home and tell it all to you personally. I would like very much to see the war ended but I do wish I could bring home a few German scalps to distribute among my friends. Corporal Bennett says that he would like to go to Berlin himself but is afraid that some Boche would take advantage of his size and try to work him over with a bayonet. He thinks that he has a long life of usefulness before him after all is over and has no desire to be cut down in his youth.—Jno. W. McG.

"I wish that all the fathers and mothers who have sons at Camp Travis could have the opportunity of seeing the camp as I saw it," Governor R. L. Williams of Oklahoma has written Major General Allen, commanding the 90th division. The sentiments of Governor Williams have been expressed just as many times as have the parents or friends of men at Camp Travis been able to visit the cantonment. They have been surprised, pleasantly surprised, at the surroundings, environment and training of the men. Every person has gone away satisfied that those they love or are interested in are being given advantages that may have not had in their own homes, and advantages that might not have been possible if Uncle Sam had not become actively interested.

There is a decidedly erroneous impression among many that a special permit is necessary to visit the camp. This is not the case. The authorities at Camp Travis are very desirous that those persons interested in the camp and the soldiers visit when possible that they may see the true American soldier in the making, that they may see the benefits accruing to those persons who are citizens of a democratic country.

Owing to the crowded condition of hotels, boarding and rooming houses in San Antonio, it is to the interests of those contemplating visits to have their friends or relatives engage accommodations for them before they arrive. The soldiers at the camp are drilling every day, with the exception of Wednesday and Saturday afternoons and Sundays. These are the best times to visit the camp.

Any person visiting Camp Travis can look into the kitchens, or the barracks. They can see the food served the men, and their friends are always at liberty to have them for a meal. They can see the men at their drills and recreation. They can visit the

**THE GREAT WAR HAS MADE CIGARETTES A NECESSITY.**

"Our boys must have their smokes. Send them cigarettes!" This is a familiar appeal now to all of us.

Among those most in demand is the now famous "toasted" cigarette—LUCKY STRIKE. Thousands of this favorite brand have been shipped to France. There is something home-like and friendly to the boys in the sight of the familiar green packages with the red circle.

This homelike, appetizing quality of the LUCKY STRIKE cigarette is largely due to the fact that the Burley tobacco used in making it has been toasted. "It's toasted" was the "slogan" that made a great success of LUCKY STRIKE in less than a year. Now the American Tobacco Co. is making 15 million LUCKY STRIKE Cigarettes a day.

A good part of this immense production is making its way across the water to cheer our boys.

Camp Library and can visit the many Y. M. C. A. about the camp where moving picture shows, talks, and church services are held for the men. Visitors to Camp Travis are welcome at any time.

**HIGHWAY PLANS**

**LOOKING BETTER.**  
B. F. Bennett, new secretary of the Abilene Chamber of Commerce and secretary and route manager of the southern or Lawton—Wichita Falls—Abilene—El Paso branch of the Ozark Trails, has just completed a visit to several towns on the line between Abilene and Pecos and reports great success. The towns he visited showed a willingness to co-operate and from twenty-five to fifty members for the Ozark Trails Association were obtained at each place. Sweetwater, Colorado, Big Spring, Midland, Barstow, Pecos and Merkel gave the secretary good crowds and considerable enthusiasm was manifested. The new members at each place came in in greater number than he expected, Mr. Bennett said.

**LEMONS MAKE SKIN WHITE, SOFT, CLEAR.**

Make This Beauty Lotion for a Few Cents and See for Yourself.

What girl or woman hasn't heard of lemon juice to remove complexion blemishes; to whiten the skin and to bring out the roses, the freshness and the hidden beauty? But lemon juice alone is acid, therefore irritating, and should be mixed with orchard white this way. Strain through a fine cloth the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle containing about three ounces of orchard white, then shake well and you have a whole quart pint of skin and complexion lotion at about the cost one usually pays for a small jar of ordinary cold cream. Be sure to strain the lemon juice so no pulp gets into the bottle then this lotion will remain pure and fresh for months. When applied daily to the face, neck, arms and hands it should help to bleach, clear, smooth and beautify the skin.

All druggists will supply three ounces of orchard white at very little cost and the grocer has the lemons. No. 5 Adv.

**Building Towns—**

The city of Abilene is advocating the adoption of the city manager plan of government, the plan also contemplating the support of the chamber of commerce by taxation as an agency of city development. The analogy is drawn that the chamber of commerce is similar to the public library for which a tax is collected to support, and that the former is as justly entitled to be supported in the same way if not more so.—Terrell Transcript.

A town ought to be willing to help build itself. In other words, every property owner in a town ought to be willing and ready to bear his part of the expense of making his property more valuable. Many cities have adopted the taxation plan of city development, with splendid success. Abilene has never been backward about tying on to worthwhile movements. If she takes a notion that the city can be built better and swifter by the modern method of raising money for commercial enterprise through taxation, she will adopt that method.—Abilene Reporter.

The Record believes the best and fairest way to support the chamber of commerce is by taxation. This would give the non-resident property owner a chance to support the very organization that works all the time to help improve his property.

**HERE APRIL 16th**

Remember the State Board of Engineers will have a man here at the Court House on April 16th for a hearing to commence at 1 o'clock p. m. This is an important meeting and the Chamber of Commerce should have a strong committee at this meeting to get all the information needed in regard to damming Lone Wolf on the Colorado river for it is now certain that this coming fall this city will dam one or both of these streams.

**DISBURSEMENT OF DROUTH FUND PLANNED.**

Austin, Mar. 30.—At a meeting held here today and called by Governor Hobby, plans were discussed for placing in operation the drouth relief law which carries an appropriation of \$2,000,000 for the relief of the drouth stricken portion of the state. The federal government has agreed to deposit \$20,000,000 in the banks of West Texas to lend to the farmers. It developed that a considerable portion of this money has already been deposited. The plans contemplate beginning immediate distribution of the appropriation of \$2,000,000.

**Send for  
Swift & Company's 1918 Year Book**

**It shows that Swift & Company sells the meat from a steer for less money than the live steer cost!**

Proceeds from the sale of the hide, fat, and other by-products covered all expense of dressing, refrigeration, freight, selling expense and the profit of \$1.29 per steer as shown by Swift & Company's 1917 figures as follows:

Average price paid for live cattle per steer	\$84.45
Average price received for meat	68.97
Average price received for by-products	24.09
Total received	93.06
This leaves for expenses and profit	8.61
Of which the profit per steer was	1.29

There are many other interesting and instructive facts and figures in the Year Book.

We want to send our 1918 Year Book, to anyone, anywhere—free for the asking. Address Swift & Company, Union Stock Yards, Chicago.



Swift & Company, U. S. A.

**BIG REVIEW AT FT. WORTH.**

Probably the last opportunity the people of Texas and Oklahoma will have to see a review of the 36th Division of the United States Army composed of soldiers of Texas and Oklahoma, will be on Thursday, April 11th, at Fort Worth.

The Panther Division, as it is called is 27,000 strong. Under the command of General Greble, the Texas and Oklahoma troops have been rounded into a splendid fighting machine. The review will be in the nature of a farewell to General Greble, who has been transferred to another command.

This will be a review that probably never was attempted before in Texas on such an extensive scale. The troops are fully equipped with rifles, pistols and bayonets and every man well uniformed. Seven regimental bands will participate and play on the march. Governor Hobby of Texas and Governor Williams of Oklahoma with their staffs, will attend and occupy places of honor on the reviewing stand. It is expected that upwards of 100,000 persons will be here from all points in Texas and Oklahoma to witness the review.

**Constipation and Indigestion.**

These are twin evils. Persons suffering from indigestion are often troubled with constipation. Mrs. Robert Allison, Mattoon, Ill., writes that when she first moved to Mattoon she was a great sufferer from indigestion and constipation. Food distressed her and there was a feeling like a heavy weight pressing on her stomach and chest. She did not rest well at night, and felt worn out a good part of the time. One bottle of Chamberlain's Tablets corrected this trouble so that she has since felt like a different person. Adv.

The cigars at Stewart Cooper's are of the best quality, and are endorsed by the most critical smokers. Try one

**APPLICATION FOR LETTERS OF GUARDIANSHIP.**

No. 306.  
THE STATE OF TEXAS:  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Mitchell County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Mitchell County, a copy of the following notice:

The State of Texas:—To all persons interested in the welfare of Charles Fulton Neel, Thomas Newton Neel, Luther Joel Neel, Roy Andy Neel and Effie May Neel, minors, R. D. Neel, father of said minors has filed in the county court of Mitchell county, an application for Letters of Guardianship upon the estate of said minors; which said application will be heard at the next term of said court, commencing on the 3rd Monday in April, A. D. 1918, the same being the 15th day of April, A. D. 1918, at the court house thereof, in Colorado, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said minors, may appear and contest said application, if they see proper to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Colorado, this the 27th day of March, A. D. 1918. (Seal) W. W. PORTER Clerk County Court Mitchell Co. Tex. By W. S. Stoneham, Deputy 45

The registration department of the state highway committee has so far distributed number plates for autos and other motor vehicles up to and including 202,000.

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Have your barrel filled with Texico Crystallite Oil. Then your stove burner troubles will cease. It's Guaranteed. G. C. Curry Agt. "The Texas Co." Office at Herrington's Garage.

Save one dollar—take the Abilene Reporter Daily and Sunday and the Record both for one year only \$3.50. This is the price of the Reporter alone

**Deafness Cannot Be Cured**  
by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a running sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.  
We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circular, free.  
F. J. CHERNEY, & CO., Toledo, Ohio.  
Sold by Druggists, 75c.  
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

J. L. PIDGEON CASH E. H. WIN

**THE BRICK GARAGE**  
WINN & PIDGEON, Props.

The Largest and Best Equipped Garage in Mitchell County

Mr. Pidgeon, who is recognized as the leading mechanic in this section, will have the management of the business, thereby insuring to everyone the best possible workmanship and prompt, courteous treatment at all times. We solicit your business on the strength of being able to give you the best in our line.

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Service - and - Sale - Headquarters  
Residence Phone (J. L. Pidgeon) 74. Shop Phone 164

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THE UNIVERSAL CAR

**The Ford Model "T" one-ton Truck Chassis \$600 f. o. b. Detroit**

HAS BEEN THOROUGHLY TESTED FOR MORE THAN TWO YEARS. IT IS SOLD YOU NOW IN THE ASSURED CONFIDENCE THAT IT WILL MEET YOUR REQUIREMENTS AND EXPECTATIONS. THE REGULAR FORD FRAME, ONLY LARGER AND HEAVIER, THE REGULAR FORD MOTOR WITH DIRECT DRIVEN WORM GEAR;

**Wheel Base of 124 inches and will turn inside a 46-FOOT CIRCLE**

IT HAS ALL THE SIMPLICITY OF THE FORD CAR, ALL THE ECONOMY IN OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE. COME IN AND WE'LL GIVE YOU FURTHER DETAILS.

**A. J. HERRINGTON**  
More Tires Than You Ever Saw in One Store.  
Garage and Repair Shop in the Rear.  
Full Line of New Case Cultivators and Planters



# Do Not Your ‘B I T’ But Do Your B E S T

## Give Your Little Ones An Interest in the Future

They are your hold on the future, and America is fighting to make their future safe. They are too little to realize this now—but some day must learn to reverence the traditions of America, the ideals of America, the great cause for which the men of their father's day gave their lives.

Be ready then to put in their

hands bonds of their government. They will be for them inspiring evidence that their fathers planned sacrificed and invested for their sons' future. Liberty Bonds will mean more to them than money. They will make them proud of the fathers who in America's day of great need proved themselves true American patriots.

**Invest in Liberty Bonds for Your Little Ones**

Here is YOUR Boy---going over the top, his gun in hand, his jaw set, his heart on fire. It is the most dramatic moment in the life of this soldier—and in the life of this nation.

His heart and mind are set on one thing—VICTORY---victory over an enemy who stands for acts and ideas which this soldier despises---which he is ready to give his life to destroy.

We here at home hate these things, too. We are pledged to their destruction---to our last dollar and our last man. But this soldier can actually---get-his-hands-on-them---and root them out of the world forever---if we will lend him a hand.

## This Boy is the Symbol of Fighting America

He stands for the aspiration, the conviction of a hundred million people translated into ACTION. He is DOING what the rest of us are DREAMING. Only through him can we win the Victory.

**But he can't do it with his Bare Hands!** He asks you to back him up with guns, shells, tanks, airplanes. Let's lend him a hand by lending our dollars. Then no power in the world can prevent him from winning the Victory.

The long fighting ages of the world have never seen a better soldier than this boy of yours--your son--your husband--your brother--your friend. He stands for the sons of America, hundreds of thousands strong, soon to be millions. He is doing his part--we must do ours!

## He Is the Symbol of the Liberty Loan

**Lend Him a Hand!**

**Buy Liberty Bonds!**

THIS SPACE PAID FOR AND CONTRIBUTED BY

**-- THE CITY NATIONAL BANK --**

**RAINFALL FOR COLORADO THE LAST FOURTEEN YEARS**

This record was made from the Government gauge, now in charge of Mr. Joe Earnest.

YEAR	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
1904	1.68	.02	.00	1.42	2.01	5.01	1.57	1.77	6.07	1.93	.45	.59	22.62
1905	.30	.63	5.61	2.72	2.73	2.46	4.20	4.07	3.71	1.69	1.74	.57	30.87
1906	.29	.73	1.43	3.10	6.01	2.12	3.15	1.82	2.95	2.77	2.33	.62	33.32
1907	.21	.00	2.04	2.4	2.10	2.33	9.42	.15	.17	6.63	1.93	.44	25.76
1908	.45	.08	.33	5.73	5.61	.52	3.71	1.22	1.54	.62	1.71	.00	21.52
1909	.03	.02	.37	.06	1.33	.01	2.75	1.69	1.18	1.33	4.58	.00	14.31
1910	.00	.20	.48	.60	1.40	.13	.16	1.14	.90	5.73	.88	.00	10.42
1911	.41	4.48	.72	2.12	.67	.00	2.53	2.97	2.11	.00	.45	2.90	19.72
1912	.00	.90	.00	1.11	.89	1.67	1.08	2.92	.06	1.92	.00	1.56	12.41
1913	2.17	.40	2.07	1.75	1.30	2.77	2.69	.16	.00	2.60	2.75	4.57	23.23
1914	.00	.15	.40	3.85	5.37	4.70	2.75	5.85	.70	5.75	.81	1.53	31.86
1915	.17	.21	.21	5.05	2.24	2.41	2.55	2.86	6.58	2.63	.09	.43	26.34
1916	.00	.08	.84	2.22	1.72	.00	.38	.38	.62	.90	.30	.31	7.94
1917	.11	.00	.00	1.55	.47	.14	1.56	.57	.00	.07	.00	.00	4.47
1918	.15	.47											

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**COLORADO RECORD**

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Editors and Proprietors.

T. & P. TIME TABLE.  
East Bound.  
Sunshine Special No. 2 6:30 a. m.  
Daily Passenger No. 6 7:33 p. m.  
West Bound.  
Daily Passenger, No. 25 8:02 a. m.  
Sunshine Special, No. 1 12:10 a. m.

The new submarine fighters which are being built at the Ford plant will be known as "Eagles" and will constitute the Eagle class of boats.

Wheat farmers in some of the grain districts of the Northwestern States are buying advertising in newspapers, urging consumers to save food.

Sunday last was Easter Sunday, and so far as we could see, it was just like all other Sundays, and every other day in West Texas. The usual sunshine and sandstorms prevailed.

There is no Federal legislation regulating the playing of the national anthem, but some states have statutes forbidding playing it as a part of a medley.

Here we are again greeting our readers with the first issue in April, and no rain yet. We have staked our all financially, morally and prophetically that it will rain from the 7th to the 10th.

The farmers of Mitchell county are all ready with their land and seed, and are waiting for the rains. We have set April 7th for the big rain, and all we have spoken to; say this date will be soon enough. Mitchell county will be planted, all right, if we get the rains, and so far as we have heard lots of war gardens will be planted and worked.

We do not know the full price that has been extracted from the helpless and demoralized Russians for their folly in believing that their liberties could be safeguarded by bargain and barter with the enemy, but it is no greater than the price that all the other democracies will have to pay if the German sword triumphs. What has happened to Russia will happen to all Europe—it will happen to us—unless that sword be broken.

Prussianism has not changed its point of view since the August morning in 1914 when the first German troops crossed the Belgian frontier, nor will it change its point of view until it is crushed from without and from within. The Russians in the hour of their humiliation and shame find that they have been dealing with the same Germany that the Belgians dealt with in the hour of their crucifixion.

The Record contributes, in cost, this week as much as \$25 to advertise and push the sale of these bonds and so do the banks, Chamber of Commerce and other business men, and it is every man's patriotic duty to buy until it hurts.

Read the bond ads this week and then go and talk the matter over with your bank. They will give you the best advice on the matter, and explain the matter thoroughly. Buy a bond!

We read in the papers the other day where somebody said "women conceal more than men know," but judging from what we have seen of the female costume, we are moved to say that if some of them revealed much more, Theda Bara as Cleopatra couldn't draw enough audience to pay for theatre lights.—Dallas Times Herald.

Billy Sunday said: "take the legs off the stage and the footlights would go out." As Fred Meyer says "see the pint."

**WILL YOU DO YOUR BIT?**

The Third Liberty Loan Bond campaign is on. It starts Saturday, April 6th and lasts one month. A call has been made for three billion dollars. Mitchell county must do her part, regardless of the drouth and financial conditions. Read the Liberty Loan advertisements in this issue of the Record and see how vitally interested the business men are that Colorado and Mitchell county should buy their share of these bonds. We do not know what the quota for Mitchell county is, but have heard that it was to be one-twelfth of our banking facilities. If this is so the amount will be about \$50,000. This can easily be sold. There are fifty men in the county plenty able to take \$1000 each. But it is not the purpose of this Liberty Loan advertisement that the banks and wealthy men should bear this burden (if it is a burden) and take up this bond issue; but it is to urge the small investor, the farmers and laboring men, to buy the bonds. It is the small hordes, the stocking money (not the money in the banks) that the government wants. Every man can buy at least a \$50 bond if he will make sacrifice enough.

This is your war; your boys are, or soon will be, in the trenches. More than 100,000 are today in the battle front, trying to stem the awful tide of the Hun attack on the allied lines in France.

Let every man who wants to see America win this war begin now to figure out how much he can invest in the coming loan, and then use his geometry and see if the sum can't be doubled. It takes money to fight, and we must fight to win, and if we would retain our freedom we must win. You may think that this war will not materially effect you; but suppose the Germans should break the line, take Paris and France; then England, and then as the Kaiser has already said he will make the United States pay the bills.

Secretary McAdoo announces that the amount of the third Liberty loan would be \$3,000,000 at 4 1/4 per cent, and that all oversubscriptions would be accepted. The new bonds will be nonconvertible, but bonds of the first and second Liberty loans may be converted into the new 4 1/4 per cent securities.

**WOMEN MAY VOTE.**

The women of Texas may now have a voice in selecting state, district and county officials. The fourth-called session of the thirty-fourth legislature which adjourned last week granted suffrage to the women of Texas and gave them the right to vote in primary elections, which means that they have as much voice in the selecting of the officers of the state as the men. The new law brings an added responsibility to the women of Texas. Since many will vote it becomes the duty of all to vote. There has been placed upon the women of this state the same obligation that has long rested upon the men. They now have a part in selecting the officers who shall direct our county, district and state governments and who shall administer our laws. The new conditions call for women to attend all public political meetings in order that they may be informed of the issues of the day and in order that they may cast an intelligent ballot. The time for arguing woman suffrage is past. Texas is face to face with the real thing. Women have as much right to vote in primary elections as have the men and since that is true it becomes the duty of all the women of the state to accept the privilege and vote.

**SOME CONSOLATION.**

In 1893, known as the "dry year" and yet referred to by the old timers with that distinction, it rained 8.51 inches, nearly twice as much as in 1917. In 1894, the following year, it did not rain a drop until the 23rd of May. What stuff was planted at that time made a good crop, and grass was fine. Maybe it will do the same in 1918. Let's live in hope.

What strange things we see when we haven't got a gun! Down at Austin the other day we saw Speaker Fuller reading a copy of Forumson's Fergum.—West News.

It suer is a fact. Last summer we saw Speaker Fuller and Jim Ferguson eating at the same table and when we reached for our gun, we remembered that we had traded it off for a scholarship in the West Texas A. & M. College which they located at Abilene where there was (not now) much water. Just as sure as we forget our gun, a coyote will trot across the trail.—Sterling City News.

"They Shall Not Pass." Yesterday to-day, to-morrow, forever, it holds good.

Great teachers have ever spoken in simple words.

**CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING**

FOR SALE.—20 head of good young hens for sale. See or phone J. F. Clayton. 1t

FOR SALE.—My Studebaker 4, 16 model, 7 passenger car in good repair at \$600; will take good heavy team of horses or mules or milk stock in trade.—A. L. SCOTT. 412c

FOR SALE.—A nice young Jersey cow for sale, giving milk and in good condition. Phone or see Mrs. Van King, Colorado.

BARGAINS—Singer Sewing Machines sold for small cash payment and small monthly payments. E. Keathley, Agent.

FOR SALE—I have registered Rhode Island Red stock. Eggs for sale at \$1.50 per setting of 15. These eggs are from Burkhart's best pens and guaranteed fertile. See B. Donald at the Mrs. McFarlin place, east Colorado. 53p.

FOR SALE.—Eggs from pure bred Barred Plymouth Rock, \$1.50 per setting of 15, and guaranteed fertile. Also for sale 60 young Rhode Island Red hens. Phone or see J. W. Dorn, Colorado. 412p

PLENTY OF 6 PER CENT MONEY  
J. R. Hastings has plenty of 6 per cent money to loan on long time on your farms and ranches.

FOR RENT  
A 400-acre tract of land for rent in Mitchell County. 150 in cultivation. Known as the J. M. Meek place. Write C. H. Ledger, Rotan, Texas. 412c

HEMSTITCHING AND PICHOT work promptly and neatly done. 15c per yard. Mail to Singer Sewing Machine Co., Sweetwater, Texas 45p

**WHAT MR. BAKER SAW IN FRANCE.**

In the midst of vast, various, complicated and widely separated labors at home for the war, the United States is building in France an immense war machine which Secretary Baker has but begun to inspect.

The press dispatches speak of Mr. Baker as walking three miles along the dock frontage which American engineers are adding to that already existing in one French port, where sixty average ships will unload at once. There is an other port for American use. Near both, warehouses with railway sidings are springing up out of the marsh, making, as a French observer put it, "potentialities equal to those of Hamburg."

Hundreds of miles of track will connect the American docks with the bases, and these again with the fighting fronts. Eleven hundred locomotives are being assembled in the region visited; 172 are finished; meanwhile, in a distant province, 800 Belgian locomotives are being repaired to save time and ocean tonnage. Tractors divide the giant toll with brayless mules. Powerful machinery shifts the heavy guns—still of French manufacture, again to save tonnage.

"I only wish," says Mr. Baker, "that every American could see this work as I saw it." He must see it for the rest of us. His assurance that the engineers who "come from a pioneering people and have brought to France a pioneering energy" are so providing by devotion and industry that "the troops in action shall not want the means of striking blows" should be a welcome word to every patriotic citizen and well-wisher of the United States.

Save food or go on short rations.

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Grain, Hay, Feed, Fuel  
Wood and Coal  
Cotton Seed Products and All Kinds Feed  
Largest Stock in Town  
Meet All Competition  
Want Business  
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**THE JOBSON PLOW IS DOWN TO NOW**  
The Jobson system is sweeping the country. It produces the largest yield at lowest cost. The common sense method of deep plowing and bigger profits on the farm. Every Texas farmer should own one. Costs only \$5.00 complete delivered. Send for free literature, address  
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**Burton-Lingo Company**  
Lumber and Wire  
See us about your next bill of lumber. We can save you some money  
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**Miller's Garage**  
The Ford Hospital  
Is now owned and controlled by the Miller Garage and will be converted to  
**UPMOBILE**  
Service Station and Home of the AJAX Tires  
Ford Car work a SPECIALTY. Oils, Gas and Accessories. U. S. L. Storage Battery Service. All Battery Parts carried in stock. SERVICE CARS, with careful and expert drivers, ready to go anywhere any time. Meet all trains.  
**MILLER'S GARAGE**  
Foot of Second St. NEWT MILLER, Proprietor

**OUR SUBSCRIBERS AND LIBERTY LOAN.**

The Record has been as hard hit as any business in the county, by the drouth and consequent lack of business. But our patriotic duty prompts us to buy at least one Liberty Bond. To do this we want the co-operation of the subscribers of this paper and our proposition is simply this: Every cent paid into the Record office on subscription during the month of April will be put into Liberty Bonds or War Savings Stamps.

We have many names on our subscription list who are one and two years behind, and many who are just about up to date. We now ask all of those who can do so to pay up or pay ahead on their paper, and we pledge you that every dollar so paid into this office in the Month of April will go to the government, to help win the war.

Make your dollar do double duty! Pay up your subscription, and help sell a bond. You will get full value for your money—so will we; but at the same time you (and we) will be helping the government just that much and every little helps.

Don't be backward about this matter but step in and pay one, two or three years on your paper, and we will immediately give it to Uncle Sam.

Of course there are lots of our subscribers that cannot pay anything just now—we realize that, and to these people, we want to say that we will carry you on our subscription list until this country comes back, and then you can pay up all you owe. But there are lots of them that can pay a dollar now just as easy as next month and to these we appeal. We want you to pay it in April, before the bond sale closes.

Our subscribers have stood by us faithfully, many of them since the first issue of the Record, thirteen years ago, and we are counting on them for a liberal payment in April so that the Record can buy at least one bond, and not be looked upon as a "slacker."

God knows that the Record is willing and anxious to do everything in its power to bring this war to a successful end, and had we a million dollars we would gladly put it in Liberty Loan bonds.

Bring in your dollar, get a full year's credit on your paper, and have the consolation of knowing that you have put at least one dollar in Uncle Sam's hands, for the benefit of the American soldier boys who are fighting today in the trenches of France.

**CONFIRMED TESTIMONY**

The Kind Colorado Readers cannot Doubt.

Doan's Kidney Pills have stood the test.

The test of time—the hardest test of all.

Thousands gratefully testify.

To quick relief—to lasting results.

Colorado readers can no longer doubt the evidence.

It's convincing testimony—twice-told and well confirmed.

Colorado readers should profit by these experiences.

G. W. Fuller, 2001 East Ave., Colorado, says: "Several years ago I suffered intense pains from weak kidneys. My back and sides ached and I had other trouble caused by kidney complaint. I read of Doan's Kidney Pills and used them. Two boxes of this medicine cured me entirely."

OVER THREE YEARS LATER, Mr. Fuller said: "The cure I mentioned in my former endorsement of Doan's Kidney Pills has proven permanent."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Fuller had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

**ON ALL DAYS**  
WITH EACH PURCHASE OF WHEAT FLOUR FOR HOUSE USE YOU MUST BUY ALSO AN EQUAL AMOUNT OF OTHER CT'S ALL

The losing side is full of suspicion.—Byrus.

## CHURCHES, CLUBS AND SCHOOLS ENTERTAINMENTS, PARTIES AND SOCIETY'S DOINGS

BY MRS. A. L. WHIPKEY

You will confer a favor upon the Record and the editor of this department if you will phone her (No. 157) any announcement or news item

### THE HOME TOWN PAPER

It's like a smiling friendly face,  
It's like a voice you long have known,  
You see it in some distant place  
And rush to claim it for your own.  
The paper from your old home town  
Has bridged the long and dreary miles  
And with it you can settle down  
Among familiar tears and smiles.

It speaks for every friend you know,  
It tells of scenes you yearn to see;  
It brings back joys of long ago  
And tells of joys that are to be.  
And as you run its columns o'er  
Your yesterday's come trooping  
back;  
You fancy you're at home once more,  
And golden seem the letters black.

Its speech is one you understand,  
It tells of griefs that you can share,  
It brings you, in that foreign land,  
Glad messages to banish care.  
There, among scenes and faces strange,  
The old-home paper seems to be  
The faithful friend that doesn't  
change,  
A friend that you are glad to see.

I know not just what heaven is like,  
Nor just what joys beyond life's  
tide

Await for me, when death shall strike  
And I shall reach the other side,  
But this I know when I have gone  
To dwell in realms divinely fair,  
My soul will yearn to look upon  
The old home paper over there.

### SHOWER FOR BRIDE.

The Philathea class of the M. E. Sunday School of which Miss Dry is the teacher, entertained with a miscellaneous shower for their bride, Mrs. Jim Dobbs, at the home of Mrs. Allen Soper, last Thursday afternoon. The house was beautifully decorated with Easter lilies and greens. The columns between the living room and dining room were tastefully twined with green and easter lilies were seen everywhere.

After the guests were welcomed four little boys, Masters Eugene and Russel Soper, John Thomas Merritt and James Marvin Robinson, brought decorated baskets of bright colored easter eggs for the honoree. One was opened and contained a note with best wishes and directions to find a nest of pretty eggs the bunnies had hidden for her. They were directed to the dining room, which was a picture of loveliness with its bright colors, and here were two nests containing eggs for "Miss Anna." These proved to be a camouflage, for they were dainty, useful and practical gifts for the bride, to be used in her new home. After they were admired toasts were given. Mrs. Soper toasted the bride, Mrs. Merritt the groom, Miss Dry the girls left behind and Mrs. Milburn Doss the hostess.

Delicious ginger bread and ice tea were served.  
Mrs. Dobbs, who was formerly Miss Anna Dyas was a faithful member of the Philathea class and her classmates and friends were glad of the oppor-

tunity to do her honor. The gift from the class was a set of lovely ice tea spoons.

### SIXTH GRADE PROGRAM.

The sixth grade of which Miss Lucile Russell is the popular and efficient teacher, entertained with a program last Friday afternoon.

This was considered one of the very best programs yet rendered by the school. All did their parts well. Quite a number of the mamas were present. The program was:

Song—B. I. M. I. T.—Sixth grade. Watson.  
Piano Solo—Charge of the Cavalry Ed Jones, Jr.  
Reading—A negro account of the Prodigal Son.—Richard Pearson, Jr.  
Song—Lulaby of War—Four girls.  
Reading—Song of Hate—Roddy Brooks Merritt.  
Dialogue—That Wonderful Circus Floy Murphy and Shefer Davis.  
Song—I can't do the sum—Ed Jones Jr., Herbert Cooksey, Fannie Bess Earnest, Winnie Spalding and Juanita Whitmore.  
Reading—Kitty Brown's Steam Chair—Frances Mitchell.  
School Paper—Elmo Cook.  
Minuet—Eight boys and eight girls

### EXCHANGE PULPITS.

On Sunday Rev. A. W. Waddell of Snyder filled the pulpit at the M. E. Church here, while Rev. W. P. Garvin preached a Masonic sermon for the folks at Snyder. Before the sermon here a short Easter program was given by the Sunday school. The primaries came into the main auditorium and sang. Easter thoughts were given by Missus Ima King, Jewell Mitchell, Lillian Smith, Carrie Mae Cooksey and Hazel Costin. Miss Louise Wulfjen gave a reading and Misses Mitchell and Womack sang a duet. A good audience attended both services.

### SENIOR PICNIC.

The Senior class of the high school went on a moonlight picnic to Seven Wells last Thursday night. They had begun to realize that "all work and no play" makes seniors too learned and dignified, so work was laid aside and play was heartily enjoyed by all. Dignity, too, was forgotten for they were loaded in a truck, more than twenty strong, just like sure-enough children on a picnic. They were chaperoned by their four teachers, Supt. King, Miss Ellis, Miss Montieith and Miss Pearl Russell, with Mrs. King as their guest of honor.

A feast was spread minus the coffee, for just as that was ready to serve a West Texas sandstorm swept by and overturned it; but that was part of the game, and the other good things were heartily enjoyed.

A late return was made but all reported for work next day.

LOST.—Somewhere in Colorado a gold class pin, triangle in shape with C. H. S. 1916, engraved upon it. Finder bring to Record office and get reward.



### RED CROSS NEWS.

The Executive Board of the Mitchell county Red Cross Chapter, met in regular session at the M. E. Church, Wednesday afternoon.

The regular business was attended to. Mrs. Merritt, Chairman of Extension Committee, reported a visit to Fairview, but that they had not yet organized. An Auxiliary, composed of the M. E. Young Peoples Missionary Society asked for admission. It was unanimously admitted. This Auxiliary asked to do surgical dressing. Also that Cuthbert had asked her to come to them on the 14th to organize an Auxiliary there.

The Chairman of Womens Work reported an increase in the work, especially hospital garments. The number of articles sent during March was 2678. This consisted of hospital garments of various kinds, quilts, and surgical dressings. Mrs. Jones will have an itemized statement of the months work next week.

One of the gratifying features of last months work was the Belgium relief work. There was an appeal made for Jayetts and the public graciously responded with fifteen of them. Mrs. D. N. Arnett is chairman of this department and she said all came up to the standard. Those sending were: Standard Club 1; Mrs. Burns, through Standard Club 1; Junior Red Cross 1; Baptist Auxiliary 1; Y. W. A. 1; M. E. Missionary Society 2; Episcopal Guild 1; Christian Aid Society 2; Lorraine 3; Mrs. C. T. Harness and Mrs. Royall Smith 1; Baby Frances Elaine Price 1.

Fifty dollars were allowed the surgical dressings department for materials. Fifteen dollars for hospital garments and Fifteen dollars for knitting. As this very greatly diminished the exchequer, committees were appointed to see about increasing it.

Mr. J. C. Prude, Mrs. M. K. Jackson and Mrs. R. H. Looney were appointed to see about an entertainment.

Mrs. Hooper and Mrs. Jones were appointed to confer with the different fraternal orders in regard to their financial help.

Grandma Runyon, the oldest worker (ninety-four) was made an honorary member. She has pieced five quilts in the last two months. These have been quilted and sent to their proper destination.

It is hoped at an early date to be able to present the pictures of our oldest and youngest members. Baby Frances Elaine Price became a member at the age of six weeks and has been one of the most active and crowing members.

A vote of thanks was given Mr. Clayton, who gave his sewing machine to the hospital garments department. This was a thoughtful act and very much appreciated by the workers. There are now eight machines at the work rooms. The captains are all most efficient in their work. The only needs are more money and more workers.

### HOSPITAL GARMENTS.

Monday, Mrs. Royall Smith, Captain, Mrs. Jim Cooper Asst. Captain, Mrs. A. Cooksey, Chairman.

Tuesday, Mrs. C. T. Harness, Captain; Mrs. Jim Cooper Asst. Captain; Mrs. A. L. Whipkey, Chairman.

Wednesday, Mrs. Ed Dupree, Captain; Mrs. O. M. Mitchell Chairman.

### SHOWER FOR PASTOR.

On last Monday afternoon the members of the Christian Church very kindly remembered Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Burkhardt with a shower of dainty personal things for their trip, which they make this week. Brother Burkhardt was their faithful pastor for several years and his health failed last year and he was obliged to give up his charge.

The things were all put in a basket and sent to the home as a pleasant surprise and token of the love and esteem which they are held here.

Mrs. Burkhardt and Master John Wesley were also remembered with things that will bring up pleasant memories of their stay in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Burkhardt leave on the 6th for New York, where he will take special treatment, and from there they go to visit their people in Indiana. The best wishes of their church and the entire community go with them.

Mrs. John Herd and little son, of Post, are visiting her mother, Mrs. Shropshire.

### THE CLUBS.

Mrs. Sherwin was hostess for the Standard. After the regular lesson the following officers were elected: Mrs. Marcus Snyder, President; Mrs. Riordan, Vice-President; Mrs. Sherwin, Secretary; Mrs. Smoot, Corresponding Secretary. At the social hour a beautiful luncheon in keeping with the times was served. Mrs. G. W. Smith was a guest.

Mrs. Milburn Doss was hostess for the Hesperian. The regular lesson on The Lady From the Sea, Act v, was studied. Plans were completed for the benefit given at the picture show.

### TO WOMEN VOTERS.

Women who want to vote in the primary on July 27th will have only fifteen days in which to qualify for the ballot. It was announced at the county tax collectors office that registrations cannot be accepted until the law goes into effect. That will be on Sunday, June 26th, ninety days after the bill was signed by the governor. Registration must be completed not later than fifteen days before the election in which votes are to be cast. Monday, June 27th is the first day that one may register and the primary will be held on July 27th.

### BOSCHEE'S GERMAN SYRUP

will quiet your cough, soothe the inflammation of a sore throat and lungs stop irritation in the bronchial tubes, insuring a good night's rest, free from coughing and with easy excretion in the morning. Made and sold in America for fifty-two years. A wonderful prescription, assisting nature in ouiding up your general health and throwing off the disease. Especially useful in lung trouble, asthma, croup, bronchitis, etc. For sale by W. L. Doss; 30 and 90 cent bottles. Adv.

### B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM

To be given at the Baptist Church April 7th at 11 a. m.

President will be in charge.  
Subject—Misunderstood Blessings.  
Song and prayer service.  
Quiz on the bible readers course.  
Leader of the meeting in charge.  
Prayer.

Scripture reading, Genesis 45:1-16 read responsively by Addie Watson and Hall DeGarmo.

Special Music.  
Introduction—Talk by the leader of the meeting, Daisy Adams.

There is poverty and disappointment, Ruby Franklin.

Delay and sickness, Grace Franklin  
The new light that comes to Harry Louder, Myrtle Barber.

The spiritual illumination of a Philadelphia business man, J. G. Heathley.

Thomas Guthrie, the great Scotch preacher encountered early difficulties—Conrad Watson.

John Kitto became a great author Ruby Conaway.

Poem—Learned from experience—Ernie Quinney.  
Closing prayer.

### KNITTING.

The knitting class will meet every Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. Smoot. The request comes from Red Cross headquarters at St. Louis, that we concentrate on socks for the present. The following directions concerning socks is copied from the Red Cross paper. "Every one must learn to knit socks. They will be needed in ever increasing quantities. The important part about them is that they should be free from knots and ridges. Do not tie yarn, but splice it by unraveling for a short distance overlapping the ends to be joined, and rubbing them between the thumb and finger. Socks may be in ivory, white, or gray yarn, other dyes are injurious. They should measure at least eleven inches in the foot."

### MORE MITCHELL COUNTY SOLDIER BOYS.

The Local Board for this county received it official notification of the call for men from Mitchell county from Adj. General Townes, last Friday. The number called for is "3 per cent of the county's first gross quota," or three men. The State of Texas is to furnish 3 white men in this call.

The three men were selected and they left on Friday night last. They were, Edmund McCullough, Thomas A. Stevens and James A. Porter.

Mrs. Samuel Gustine returned last Friday night from an extended visit in San Antonio and Fort Worth. She reports a most enjoyable time.

## New Spring Millinery

Smart and swagger tailored hats  
Dashing and rakish costume hats  
Quaint and charming afternoon hats  
Sweeping and picturesque dress hats  
Hats for all costumes, all occasions,  
all women.

Our stock of new Spring Millinery is now complete. Latest styles, modes and fancies. Prices low to suit these times and conditions.

### YOU WILL BE DELIGHTED WITH THESE FRESH NEW MODELS

Styles just full of originality; Sailors wide and narrow brimmed; small Pokes with ribbons and flowers; demure mushroom and side-tilted effects; wide picturesque Dress Hats, full of charm.

Every lady in Mitchell county and Colorado are invited and urged to come and see the new hats.

## Mrs. B. F. Mills

at ADAMS' STORE

### CLOSING CONCERT OF COLORED PUBLIC SCHOOL.

Friday Night, April 12th.  
Opening Song—Our Public School.  
Welcome Address—Jack W. Wilson  
Dunbar Rec.—Easy Goin' Feller—H. E. Goner.

Vacation—6 Little Boys.  
Jubilee—"I Am So Glad" and "All of My Sins"  
Rec.—Dont'—Helen Dunn Ferguson.

Rainbow Drill—5 Boys and 5 Girls  
Farce—"Scat"—Ed Marshall Jr.  
Rosa Booker and Helen Ferguson.  
Jubilee—"If Anybody Ask You," and "Nobody Pray."

Dunbar Rec.—"The Real Question"—Abe Marshall.  
Rec.—"My Trundle Bed"—Henry P. Campbell.

Rec.—"I Am Not a Selfish Child," James Williams.  
Chorus—When I was a Little Boy, Farce—Dot Entertains—Clara Ferguson, and R. H. Bracey.

Rec.—A Boys Way to Berlin—Artie Bracey.  
Pantomime—"Jesus Lover of My Soul"—By 5 Girls.

Dunbar Rec.—"Temptation"—Flora Williams.  
Rec.—"I am Going to Grandpa's"—Walter Jones.

Farce—"Five Point School."  
Jubilee—"O, Marry, Don't You Weep" and "Big Baptizing."  
Rec.—"His Mother's Song"—Ed Marshall Jr.

Dunbar Rec.—"Angelina"—Ross Farce—"Beat It," by Henry Campbell, R. H. Bracey, Ornett Bracey and Ed Marshall.

Motion Song—"Our Flag" by Four Girls.  
Closing Song—Ho, Ho, Vacation Days Are Here.

The money will all be spent for books for the library. White citizens, teachers and trustees are specially invited.

### PROMOTED.

Alva Hickman, holding the position as express agent at Merkel, Texas, has been transferred to Bonham, Texas, and now holds the responsible job as express agent for the joint offices there (American and Wells-Fargo). Hick says the boy has nothing on the old man as he too has been promoted.

### MISSIONARY PROGRAM.

The Baptist Sunday School observed their regular annual missionary day last Sunday, following the regular Sunday School lesson. The program consisted of songs, talks, and other exercises by large and small. Although the attendance did not nearly reach last year's figure on the missionary day, the offering was larger. This will be used for Home and Foreign Mission work.

### EASTER EGG HUNT.

On last Saturday afternoon Miss Lela Whipkey chaperoned her primary and intermediate music pupils on an Easter egg hunt. As all were interested in food conservation, each child brought only a few eggs, but they had just as good time hunting them. Each one invited a guest. After the hunt Miss Whipkey treated them to ice cream at Stewart Coopers.

Mrs. F. M. Burns has returned from Fort Worth.

### SCALDED TO DEATH.

On last Saturday, while visiting her husband's laundry at Haskell, Okla., Mrs. J. H. Ledbetter was badly scalded by the explosion of the boiler, and died soon afterward. The remains were shipped to Hot Springs, Ark., for burial. Her father, T. T. Cuthbertson and sister, Mrs. C. O. Smith, were the only members of the family present.

Mrs. Ledbetter was a sister of Mrs. S. T. Pond of Colorado, and the Record, with the relatives and friends extends sympathy to the bereaved ones.

### BISHOP TEMPLE.

Bishop E. A. Temple will be at the Episcopal Church Sunday morning at which time he will administer the rite of confirmation. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Tomorrow, Saturday, as usual Doctor Buchanan will be in his Colorado office over City National Bank. Practice is limited exclusively to Eye, Ear Nose and Throat, and the fitting of glasses.

### CLUB BENEFIT.

The Hesperian club benefit, given at the opera house last Friday evening was well patronized. Besides the regular picture show, a program was given between the pictures. Miss Dry read "Hoover will get you if you don't watch out." The Sixth grade children gave their song, B. I. M. I. T. which they sang at school in the afternoon. They also gave their minuet. Roddy Brooks Merritt gave the reading he had given at school. The club realized about \$9.00 as its part which will be applied on their canteen service work.

"The difference between a fellow with his ear to the ground listening and a fellow out in the trench in the midst of the fray, is that the first only guesses what's happening and the second knows."

When it comes to filling prescriptions, we never guess how it should be done—we know. We also know the quality of drugs that go into it.

We keep a force in the trench all the time and are prepared to take care of your prescriptions the way the doctor orders them.

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The Druggists

## 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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recommended very highly, so began to use it. It cured me. 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 acts on the jaded liver and helps it to do its important work of throwing out waste materials and poisons from the system. This medicine should be in every household for use in time of need. Get a package today. If you feel sluggish, take a dose tonight. You will feel fresh tomorrow. Price 25c a package. All druggists.

ONE CENT A DOSE

## The Pay and Perquisites of the U. S. President

What is the precise salary of the President of the United States, and, on the other hand, what are the expenses that he has to meet out of this remuneration?

It is astonishing how few persons know the correct answers to those questions. It is safe to say that the majority of American voters mark their ballots for presidential candidates without realizing that they are assisting in the winning of a prize worth \$300,000 in gold, and nearly that much again in perquisites. Seventy-five thousand dollars a year, the present salary of the Chief Executive means \$205.48 a day or \$8.56 an hour, walking or sleeping.

### Salary and Perquisites

When George Washington and his successors for half a century or more traveled about on public business, they paid the toll keeper, the innkeeper and the coach driver out of their official salary of \$25,000 a year. Now the government allows the President yearly for travel a sum equal to the annual salary of the Presidents from Washington to Grant. In other words, the Chief Executive now receives four times as much in salary and allowances as was given to Washington, Jefferson, Lincoln and the other Presidents of their time and twice as much as was allowed the Chief Magistrates from Hayes to Roosevelt.

Besides the purse of \$300,000 and the right to spend, during his term, \$100,000 more for travel,—without giving any account of its use,—the President also receives a four-year lease upon the most stately and famous old colonial mansion in the country.

Moreover, the government now pays the salary of the private secretary to the President—\$7,500 a year. All Presidents until Buchanan had to pay their secretaries out of their own salary of \$25,000. The first salary that the government allowed to the secretary to the President was \$2,500; he now draws three times that amount, besides having the free use of the White House conservatories and a touring car that is kept in the President's garage.

Thus the remuneration of both the Chief Executive and the head of his office force have been trebled since Lincoln and his faithful Nicolay occupied the White House offices. Indeed, four of the clerks and stenographers in the President's office receive as much salary as John Nicolay received; and above them is an executive clerk drawing \$5,000 and a chief clerk drawing \$4,000 a year.

The yearly pay roll of that office force amounts to a goodly fortune; and that does not include a contingent fund of \$25,000 appropriated annually for the stationery, record books, telegraph and telephone service, furnishings and conveyances used by the executive office, in addition to such new books as the White House Library needs.

The President's business correspondence, of course, goes through the mails without charge. He has to buy stamps only for his private correspondence. When he gives a state entertainment there is always a messenger at hand to deliver invitations at the doors of the invited guests.

### A CHILD HATES OIL, CALOMEL, PILLS FOR LIVER AND BOWELS

Give "California Syrup of Figs" if Cross, Sick, Feverish, Constipated

Look back at your childhood days. Remember the "dose" mother insisted on—castor oil, calomel, cathartics. How you hated them, how you fought against taking them.

With our children it's different. Mothers who cling to the old form of physic simply don't realize what they do. The children's revolt is well-founded. Their tender little "insides" are injured by them.

If your child's stomach, liver and bowels need cleansing, give only delicious "California Syrup of Figs." Its action is positive, but gentle. Millions of mothers keep this harmless "fruit laxative" handy; they know children love to take it; that it never fails to clean the liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach, and that a teaspoonful given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups alike on each bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. See that it is made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with counterfeit.

The residence part of the White House offers far greater conveniences than Presidents enjoyed even at the beginning of the present century. Until after the Mexican War the executive mansion was lighted solely with candles and oil lamps, and until a few years before the Civil War there was no central heating or ventilating system. Water for use in the house was dipped out of a spring beneath what is now the front portico. Today, however, the most modern systems of electric lighting, heating, ventilation and plumbing have been installed, and an officer of engineers is entrusted with the task of keeping them in repair.

Whenever the mistress of the White House wishes to have repairs made, or desires new furniture or new decorations, she calls upon that officer, and he pays for the improvements out of an annual fund that is allowed him for "care, refurnishing and repairs." It has always been a tradition that the President's abode shall look spick-and-span, that none of the furniture shall show a scratch or a worn spot, that none of the decorations or draperies shall be allowed to fade or to grow threadbare. The government pays for it all, as well as for the fuel, heat, light and flowers.

Out of this fund for care, repairs and furnishing past mistresses of the White House have made purchases as they have seen fit. Thus Mrs. Grant purchased for \$1,000 a silver canoe, which is still used to hold flowers at state receptions, and Mrs. Hayes, for \$15,000, got the gaudily flowered china set that was shelved when Mrs. Roosevelt invested \$30,000 in the present service. All such articles, of course, become the property of the government.

### President Well Cared For

Besides housing the President sumptuously, the taxpayers of the country take the best of care of him. They pay a valet to shave him, to cut his hair and to press his clothes; a maid to wait upon his wife; laundresses to wash the White House linen. They provide grooms for his stables, and chauffeurs for his cars, and a corps of other servants.

If the President desires riding horses, he is, as commander in chief of the army, entitled to an orderly to care for his mount and to accompany him wherever he rides. By virtue of his rank as commander in chief of both land and sea forces, the President is also entitled to a number of perquisites not stipulated in the ap-

propriation bills. Probably the most enjoyable of them is the authority to use the naval yachts Mayflower and Sylph at any time he desires.

The President's rank also entitles him and his family to the free medical attention and free medicines guaranteed to every officer in either branch of the service. A surgeon is always detailed to reside in or near the executive mansion—whether the real White House or the "summer" one—and to protect the health of its occupants. The War Department pays the salary of the surgeon.

If, by any ill fate, the President should die while in office, the government meets the expenses of his state funeral, and, in addition to granting his widow a pension of \$5,000 a year, carries her mail free of charge.

Wherever the President goes he is entitled to the services of any army or navy officer detailed as his personal aide, and at state entertainments there are a dozen such officers attired in dress uniforms, to lend the proper air of officialdom to the occasion. The "personal aide" is at the President's right hand day and evening. He is the guardian of the Chief Executive's memory, the keeper of the privy purse and the custodian of his social-engagement calendar. Command of the dozens aides who appear chiefly at entertainments falls upon the officer of engineers who has charge of the house.

In the President's garage—a branch of the stables of the Depot Quartermaster of the War Department—is a limousine, a landaulet, a touring car and a small electric—all for the personal use of the President and his family, and his guests.

The mistress of the White House does not have to attend to the petty details of housekeeping. She is entitled either to a bonded steward or to a housekeeper, to take command of the domestic force and to supervise the marketing. Ushers and butlers, paid out of the Treasury of the United States, bring to her the cards of her guests. Social usage decrees that she is under no obligation to return any calls, unless a foreign ruler should bring his wife to Washington. Her own private secretary attends to all the details of her social correspondence.

At her entertainments the Marine Band plays whatever music she selects, and many of the great musical geniuses of the world vie with one another to entertain her guests without cost. If she wishes to attend a play, the management of the theatre will always provide a box for her and her guests, free of charge. President Wilson, however, has established a new precedent by insisting upon paying for all theatre seats occupied by his family or by his guests.

The present occupants of the White House have far more commod-

ious living quarters than Mr. Roosevelt found when he moved in. When Jefferson became the tenant of the finished building, he had an office upon the site where the executive-office wing of the White House now stands. Later Presidents allowed the office to be removed, and so had to encroach upon the residential part of the executive mansion for office space. President Roosevelt finally called a halt and moved the offices and Cabinet rooms to the new western annex. The upstairs part of the White House now includes eight bedrooms, with a private bath to each suite, and a large library and a study—the former Cabinet room—where the President can retire at any time to untangle a knotty problem of diplomacy or politics.

The presidency is a far safer office than it was a decade and a half ago. An attack upon the life of the Chief Executive is now a Federal offense and even an unsuccessful attempt to kill him is punishable by death. To prevent, so far as possible, a repetition of the Garfield tragedy, a separate wing of the Union Station has been set apart for the President's use when he is leaving Washington or returning to it. Instead of mingling with the public throng while waiting for his train or automobile, he now enjoys the privacy of a handsomely appointed suite in the right-wing of the station.

But in spite of the increased salary and allowances, the expenses of the President's office are heavy. Col. Roosevelt is generally credited with having spent his full salary of \$50,000 a year in entertainments, and there are some who believe that he exceeded that amount and that he left the White House poorer than when he entered it. The old state dining room held forty guests. By enlarging it to hold more than hundred guests, Mr. Roosevelt greatly increased the burden of hospitality incumbent upon his successors. There were formerly three state dinners every winter. President Taft added one more, and likewise established the custom of serving supper at each of the four great state receptions—a custom that eats into the White House purse.

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The Old Standard general strengthening tonic, Dr. J. C. B. TONIC, drives out malaria, enriches the blood, and builds up the system. A true tonic. For adults and children. 60c

Arrangements are being made to keep a complete record of all Indians who serve in the Army or Navy during the war.

Typewriter Ribbons.—I now have in stock all kinds and sizes of typewriter ribbons.—W. L. Doss.

Too easy credit breaks a lot of people.



HEORIC WOMEN OF FRANCE

Dr. Alonzo Taylor

My words are not powerful enough to do even scanty justice to the most heroic figure in the modern world, and of ages past—the woman of France. Of the healthy men who are engaged in the military service in France, practically all are engaged either in transportation or in the manufacture of munitions, leaving the agriculture absolutely to the women. Not only this, but they have stepped into the place of work animals; you can go into any section of France today and see women of magnificent, noble womanhood hitched to the plough and cultivating the soil. All of the agriculture rest upon their shoulders. The home, always an extremely efficient home, maintains a few old men, the wounded, and the tubercular. Uncomplaining, with high devotion, with an attitude that amounts almost to religious exaltation, the woman of France bears the burden.

### IMPORTANT MEETING.

Distribution of \$2,000,000 Drouth Relief Funds.

Judge Bullock on Thursday morning received the following telegram: Austin, Tex. March 27, 1918. Judge Bullock, Colorado, Texas.

T. G. Marks, State Department of Agriculture will be in your town on April 8th, at 2 p. m., for a meeting of the County Commissioners, Council of Defense and Farmers, to explain the Drouth Relief Bill and to aid them in securing the assistance provided under the law. The governor is sending these men in the hope that the relief may be secured in time to be of service. Kindly give all publicity possible and arrange place for the meeting. B. F. JOHNSON

The following plan has been tentatively mapped out:

Counties are authorized through their commissioners' courts to purchase seed and feed for farmers unable to buy it, for the cultivation of not more than 60 acres of land for each family. It is the intent of the law that relief shall go only to bona fide farmers who actually need it, and not to those who are able to care for themselves otherwise.

To secure seed and feed, the farmer must file with the county clerk an application, under oath, giving the number of acres he intends to plant, with their location and ownership, the kind and quantity of seed and feed needed, and the number of work animals necessary to make the crop. The application must state that he has not the seed and feed and cannot otherwise procure it, and that he will use it only for making crop on the land named and that none of it will be sold or stored. He must also list in his personal and real property with incumbrances or liens, if any, and state what he owes and to whom. The length of time he has lived in the county and the post office address of his former residence must also be stated. The idea is that the commissioners' court shall have the same knowledge of the facts in extending relief that the banker has in making loans. No applications may be received after September 1, 1918. Blank application forms are furnished by the governor.

The applications are passed on by the commissioners' court, and the county clerk issues an order to the farmer for the seed and feed allotted him, taking from him a signed contract, in duplicate, to pay the county the cost of what he receives, with 5 per cent interest, on or before December 1, next, with 10 per cent additional for attorneys' fees if suit must be brought for collection. The duplicate of the contract is filed as a chattel mortgage and becomes a lien against the crop, and the original is turned over to the tax collector to whom the payment is made.

Punishment is provided for false statement in the application for relief and for using the seed and feed for other purposes than those specified.

The state aid is intended to supplement the county aid, and becomes available up to \$30,000 after the county has used as much of its own funds as it is justified in doing. Relief is given only for the 1918 crop, but in the event of crop failure from causes over which the farmer has no control the time of his contract for repayment may be extended on approved security being given, and the county is required to repay the amount borrowed from the state in two years.

## Self Defense DEFEAT BACKACHE AND KIDNEY TROUBLE WITH ANURIC.

Many people in Texas, as elsewhere, have suffered from rheumatism and kidney trouble and have found Anuric to be the most successful remedy to overcome these painful and dangerous ailments.

The lucky persons are those who have suffered, but who are now well because they heeded Nature's warning signal in time to correct their trouble with that wonderful new discovery of Dr. Pierce's, called "Anuric." You should promptly heed these warnings, some of which are dizzy spells, backache, irregularity of the urine or the painful twinges of rheumatism, sciatica or lumbago. To delay may make possible the dangerous forms of kidney disease, such as stone in the bladder.

To overcome these distressing conditions take plenty of exercise in the open air, avoid a heavy meat diet, drink freely of water and at each meal take Anuric Tablets (double strength). You will, in a short time, find that you are one of the firm indorsees of "Anuric."

All druggists sell Anuric for 60c; or send Dr. V. M. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y., 10c. for trial package.

JACKSONVILLE, TEXAS.—"I am more than well pleased with the Anuric Tablets. I was disturbed five to eight times at night and sometimes more. I was so well pleased with the first supply of Anuric that I went to town and bought two bottles. It is the only thing that ever gave me any relief for the kidneys and I want the world of sufferers to know it. I think Anuric is the best medicine on the market to-day."—A. J. MILLER.

Dr. Pierce's Pellets regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels. Put up in 25-cent vials and sold by all druggists. They are tiny, sugar-coated. Contain May-apple, jalap—harmless but efficient.

\$5.00 BILLS SELLING AT \$4.12.

"The United States Government is selling \$5.00 War Savings Stamps at \$4.12 in January, \$4.13 in February, raising the price one cent per month throughout the year," said Louis Lipsitz, State Director of the War Savings Committee. "and I want to impress the fact that a \$5.00 bill today will not buy as much or as many of the pleasures of life for which we save money as will a War Savings Stamp when it matures January 1st, 1923. The war cannot be fought with paper money; we cannot wad up a \$5.00 bill and shoot it at the Kaiser and do any damage; that bill is merely a demand for wheat, or wool, or gasoline, or some other material which our Government actually needs to successfully win the war, so the wise thing for us to do is not to spend money now but loan it to our Government, get 4% interest compounded quarterly for it, and then five years from now, the Government will cash the stamp and we will have the money to spend—then it will buy more of the things which we want than it will today so that we can spend later. It is not only good sense but it is patriotic as well to buy War Savings Stamps."

### A NOVEL SCHEME SUGGESTED.

R. H. Alexander, County Chairman for Coleman County on War Savings work, has put in practice a new scheme to interest school children on the subject of War Savings Stamps. Mr. Louis Lipsitz, State Director, says: "I endorse Mr. Alexander's idea and suggest that in every school a picture of the Kaiser be drawn and put up in the school room. Every child who buys a 25-cent Thrift Stamp is entitled to stick a pin in the Kaiser's picture and this will be a demonstration of the activity of school children in blotting out Kaiserism and autocracy and showing in a graphic way that the 25-cent piece saved and loaned to the Government in the purchase of a Thrift Stamp is going to help to save the child from autocracy and poverty."

Food will win the war—produce it.

# Liberty Day --- April 6th

## Buy Liberty Bonds

We are called upon to subscribe to a third issue of Liberty Loan Bonds. April 6th has been set down as LIBERTY DAY and will mark the day upon which the sale of these bonds begins.

Let us be mindful of the task ahead of us which makes it necessary for us to lend our money to the government.

Let us stand to the last penny behind our boys who are being put into active service in France. They need our support and we must give it--freely--willingly.

Every Liberty Bond purchased puts guns and ammunition in the hands of our soldiers, puts food in his mouth and clothing on his back.

They are fighting for us---we MUST fight for them.

The way to do it is to eliminate the unnecessary things we buy and put our money to working for the Government.

When you are approached, give your utmost.

# West Texas Electric Co.





# Worth Fighting For

**S**HALL this little girl grow up in the sort of American home we know, healthy and happy? Shall she have the advantage of living and learning in a free land, under free institutions? Shall such children develop into the Liberty-loving citizens that a free America may be proud of?

For over two hundred years Americans have fought valiantly, and died gallantly, to win for themselves and hand down to their posterity the blessings of liberty, justice, self-government and equal opportunity. This precious heritage, bought at so great a price, is now threatened.

**The question which today confronts America as a nation, and you as an individual, is whether or not a free America is worth fighting for**

Are American children in this and all future generations to receive unimpaired the legacy of freedom of which we are now the custodians, or shall their country be turned over bodily to the brutal, rapacious, power-mad enemy which has forced us into this war?

This question cannot be answered by word of mouth, but by deeds alone.

## Let Your Answer Be Your Investment in LIBERTY BONDS!

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# The Chamber of Commerce

**Dr. P. C. COLEMAN,**  
President

**J. H. GREENE,**  
Secretary

### AN ENTHUSIASTIC HIGHWAY MEETING.

Midland Reporter: The mass meeting in the Unique Theatre was hurriedly gotten up, and consequently the crowd was small, there being but about 40 present. However, it was an appreciative gathering, and they met to hear B. F. Bennett, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce at Abilene and route manager for the Ozark Trails Association address them on the prospect of diverting the Ozark Trail Highway from a northern to a southern route which will bring it from Lawton, Oklahoma, via Wichita Falls, to Abilene and from thence straight along the T. & P. to El Paso. Mr. Bennett made a most impressive address, and convinced his hearers that we have a 90 per cent chance to secure the highway. It is estimated too, that in the event of success, we could expect no less than a thousand tourists over the route daily. With Big Spring 40 miles east of us and Pecos 90 miles west, it can be imagined how great the benefits that would accrue to Midland. Not only so, but it multiplies our chances in securing the Fort Worth to El Paso Highway, and in the event of either, it is almost certain that the federal government would adopt the route for military purposes, thereby piling up the benefits that would accrue to towns along the way.

### GIRLS! HAVE A MASS OF BEAUTIFUL HAIR SOFT, GLOSSY, WAVY

25-Cent Bottle Destroys Dandruff and Doubles Beauty of Your Hair.

Within ten minutes after an application of Danderine you can not find a single trace of dandruff or falling hair and your scalp will not itch, but what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use, when you see new hair, fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—growing all over the scalp.

A little Danderine immediately doubles the beauty of your hair. No difference how dull, faded, brittle and scraggy, just moisten a cloth with Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. The effect is amazing—your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy, and have an appearance of abundance; an incomparable lustre, softness and luxuriance.

Get a small bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter, and prove that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment, that's all—you surely can have beautiful hair and lots of it if you will just try a little Danderine.

### LOAFING A CRIME.

The Literary Digest for March 30 calls attention to the campaign which is countrywide to stop loafing and put every able bodied man in the country to producing. The newspapers take the stand that loafing is a crime and many states are being induced to enact laws penalizing idleness. When this is made a law, it will catch a few in Colorado. If it don't rain in April we'll all be on the loafing list and will want this law so we can all get a job to live through the summer.

### RHEUMATIC PAINS RELIEVED.

"I have used Chamberlain's Liniment for pains in the chest and lameness of the shoulders due to rheumatism, and am pleased to say that it has never failed to give me prompt relief," writes Mrs. S. N. Finch, Batavia, N. Y.

### THE SALOONS CLOSED IN LOS ANGELES SATURDAY

Los Angeles saloons closed their doors last Saturday night with little ostentation save for the usual effort of "the boys" to see that none of the saloon men or wholesalers had any "dead" stock on hand. An eleventh hour attempt to gain an injunction prohibiting the ordinance going into effect failed when the court ruled there were no invalidating technicalities in the election or the ordinance. Los Angeles, by this step, becomes the largest saloonless city in the United States.

Bran, Hay, Oats, Chops, Shorts, Mixed Feed and Fuel. Everything except meal, hulls and cake. I am in the market all the time for your feed trade and will contract now for your next winter's coal. See or phone A. M. Bell, Westbrook.

### MERKEL DISTRICT VOTES FOR ROADS.

The Merkel Road District voted Saturday overwhelmingly for the issuance of \$20,000 good roads bonds to complete the Taylor county link of the El Paso-Fort Worth Highway, the vote being 317 for the bonds and only 48 against them.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### For County Judge:—

We are authorized to announce J. C. (Chris.) HALL for the office of County Judge, subject to the Democratic Primary in July.

We are authorized to announce W. L. DOSS for the office of County Judge, subject to the Democratic Primary in July.

### For Sheriff and Tax Collector:—

We are authorized to announce A. W. COOKSEY for the office of Sheriff and Tax Collector (re-election), subject to the Democratic Primary in July.

We are authorized to announce W. J. CHESNEY for the office of Sheriff and Tax Collector, subject to the Democratic Primary in July.

We are authorized to announce L. A. (Lark) COSTIN for the office of Sheriff and Tax Collector, subject to the Democratic Primary in July.

### For County Tax Assessor:—

We are authorized to announce J. B. HOLT for the office of county Tax Assessor, subject to the July Democratic primary.

We are authorized to announce BRUZA C. SMITH for the office of County Tax Assessor, subject to the Democratic Primary in July.

We are authorized to announce CLINT MANN for the office of County Tax Assessor, subject to the Democratic Primary in July.

### For County and District Clerk:—

We are authorized to announce W. W. PORTER for the office of County and District Clerk (re-election) subject to the Democratic Primary in July.

### For County Treasurer:—

We are authorized to announce W. R. MORGAN for the office of County Treasurer (re-election), subject to the Democratic Primary in July.

### For County Commissioner:—

Precinct No. 1. We are authorized to announce A. C. GIST for the office of County Commissioner for Precinct No. 1, subject to the Democratic Primary in July.

We are authorized to announce LAY POWELL for the office of County Commissioner for Precinct No. 1 (re-election) subject to the Democratic Primary in July.

### For County Commissioner:—

Precinct No. 2. We are authorized to announce J. W. BIRD for the office of County Commissioner for Precinct No. 2, subject to the Democratic Primary in July.

### For County Commissioner:—

Precinct No. 3. We are authorized to announce E. BARBER for the office of County Commissioner for Precinct No. 3, subject to the Democratic Primary in July.

### For Justice of Peace, Precinct No. 1

We are authorized to announce JOHN H. HALEY for the office of Justice of the Peace for Precinct No. 1, subject to the Democratic Primary in July.

### Though his army's rather meager—

So they say— Uncle Sam is getting eager For the fray. Foreign wars are rather risky Yet he's feeling mighty frisky: If it only knocks out whiskey, War will pay.

### WAR SAVINGS SCHEMES.

In Amarillo, each boy who pledges himself to buy Thrift Stamps, receives a poster to hang up in his window, reading, "Thrift boy here, I am working for Uncle Sam."—then he gets a card signed by Mr. Mayer, Chairman of the Potter County Division which shows he is a member of the army of boys in Amarillo who are ready and anxious to work; who need everything they can get to do and who have promised to save that money for Uncle Sam.

Abe Sobel, a twelve-year-old newsboy at Beaumont, Tex., won the \$5.00 prize offered by County Chairman Jas. F. Weed, in the Thrift Contest there last week. In five days he earned \$3.79. The only requirement stipulated in Mr. Weed's prize who won must earn the money and submit a statement showing how he earned it. Abe was the first boy to turn in his results, and as a consequence, he now owns two Government securities that in 1923 will be worth \$10.00.

Plenty of feed and fuel.—A. M. Bell, Westbrook.

### KODAK FILMS DEVELOPED.

Mail us your films for the best and quickest service. Films developed free, prints four cents each on paper or postcards, take your choice. From any size film.—Willis Art Gallery, Sweetwater, Texas.

### MONUMENTS—One Price to All.

Call at my office, phone me, or write me, when you want to buy a monument, and I will do the rest. E. KEATHLEY, Colorado, Tex.

### SPECIAL PRICES ON MONUMENTS.

S. M. Johnson of Sweetwater will save you big money. Marble or Granite. W. O. W. monuments larger than agents sizes. Drop me a card. I'll do the rest.

Two for the price of one.—The Abilene Daily Reporter and the Colorado Record for \$3.50, which is the price of the Reporter alone.

### COLORADO COUNCIL NO. 114

Royal and Select Masters Meets every Fourth Friday night. Visiting Companions always welcome. LEE JONES, T. I. M. H. E. GRANTLAND, Rec'd

### A. F. and A. M. Mitchell Lodge No. 563

Meets Saturday night on or before each full moon. All members urged to attend. Visiting brethren welcome. HOMER ROBINSON, W. M. W. S. STONEHAM, Sec'y.

### K. of P. Colorado Lodge No. 44.

Meets every Tuesday night. Members urged to attend regular. Visiting Knights welcomed. J. C. PRITCHETT, C. C. HARRY GIVENS, K. of R. S.

### R. A. M. Chapter No. 175

Meets every Third Friday night in each month. Members urged to attend regular. Visiting companions welcomed. H. E. GRANTLAND, H. P. J. A. BUCHANAN, Sec'y.

### W. O. W.

Meets each First and Third Thursday nights in each month. W. L. DOSS, C. C. E. KEATHLEY, Clerk.

### WOODMEN CIRCLE

Meets each First and Third Monday nights in each month. MRS. KATIE DOSS, Guardian. MRS. FLORA KATHLEY, Clerk. J. T. WHITMORE, M. D. Physician and Surgeon.

### DRAUGHON'S PRACTICAL Business College

Only well-known Business College in West Texas. Thousands of firms report our training department than any other. Contract guarantees position. Address: 1001 Commercial, Amarillo, Texas.

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And a new pair will be given to the wearer who finds PAPER in the sock, by the FRIEDMAN-SHELLEY BRANCH of the International Shoe Co., St. Louis, Mo., bearing the above trade-mark.

### Colorado Bargain House

The Price is the Thing. C. L. ROOT, M. D. Office in the Dulaney Building. Phones: Office, 320, Residence, 169. Strangers calling must furnish references.

### T. J. RATLIFF, M. D.

Physician and Surgeon. Office over City Nat. Bank. Phones—Res 182, Office 87. H. D. WOMACK. FLOAT AND DRAY LINE. Moving Household Goods A Specialty. Careful and Responsible. Phone 277.

**WEATHER FORECAST FOR APRIL.**

All the weather prophets have missed the mark so badly heretofore that we are almost ashamed to quote them again, but we will try them for April. Devoe says:

This month will be hot in the south and wet in the north. 1st and 2nd pleasant. On the 3rd a storm will form over the Missouri Valley and move southeastward. 4th and 5th, rain. 6th and 7th, pleasant. On the 8th a storm will form over the lower Mississippi Valley. 9th to 10th heavy rains. 11th to 12th warm and showery. 13th to 14th pleasant. 15th a storm over the Missouri valley moving southeastward. 16th to 17th heavy thunder storms. 18th to 19th pleasant. 20th to 21st warmer, 22nd to 23rd warm and showery. On the 24th a great storm will form over the lower Mississippi valley and move northward, causing floods over the Ohio valley and northern states. 25th to 26th, heavy rains. 27th to 28th cool. 29th to 30th pleasant.

H. A. Halbert, the Texas forecaster says:

There will be a minor period from 5th to 8th, of no consequence. There will be a major world period beginning on the 11th and extending to the 14th. Our chances good for at least some April showers. There will be a minor world period beginning 19th to the 22nd, and will be about our best period for April for good rains. There will be a major world period with good chances in this section from the 27th and ending with the month.

Irl R. Hicks says:

As early as the 31st of March the presence of storm conditions will be felt in extreme western sections accompanied by a rising thermometer, falling barometer, followed by rain and probably snow in northern and western sections of the country. By the 2nd and 3rd these storms will pass eastward in their regular manner. The fact that the moon is at last quarter on the 4th will tend to break or modify the cold snap which would otherwise penetrate far into southern sections of the country. As this period ends the barometer will rise and the thermometer will fall. If there is a sudden rise in the barometer, look for some damaging frosts at the windup of this period. Should the rise be gradual, this period will come to a close with cool, fair weather. A reactionary storm period is central on the 7th, 8th 9th and 10th. As the barometer rises following the passing of these storms, the thermometer will drop giving the central and northern states heavy frosts at night. We caution all our readers who are so situated to make your plans to protect anything that can be easily ruined by frosts. A regular storm period is central on the 14th extending from the 12th to 17th. As this regular period comes on, the thermometer will begin to fall over most regions west of the central valleys by the 12th or 13th, winds will grow warmer and southerly. Storms of wind, rain and possibly scattering snow squalls will visit many sections of the country as these disturbances push their way from west to east across the country. First change to warmer and falling barometer about the 12th or 13th; next, storms of wind and rain with scattering snow by the 15th and 16th; and last or winding up with rising barometer, west wind and cool, clearing weather and frosts over many sections of the country. On and touching 20th to 22nd look for a marked return of storm conditions, change to much warmer, a decided fall of the barometer and storms of thunder, rain and

**TAKE "CASCARETS" IF HEADACHY, BILIOUS AND CONSTIPATED**

Best For Liver and Bowels, Bad Breath, Bad Colds, Sour Stomach.

Get a 10-cent box.

Sick headache, biliousness, coated tongue, head and nose clogged up with a cold—always trace this to torpid liver; delayed, fermenting food in the bowels or sour, gassy stomach.

Poisonous matter clogged in the intestines, instead of being cast out of the system is re-absorbed into the blood. When this poison reaches the delicate brain tissue it causes congestion and that dull, throbbing, sickening headache.

Cascarets immediately cleanse the stomach, remove the sour, undigested food and foul gases, take the excess bile from the liver and carry out all the constipated waste matter and poisons in the bowels.

A Cascaret to-night will surely straighten you out by morning. They work while you sleep—a 10-cent box from your druggist means your head clear, stomach sweet and your liver and bowels regular for months.

hall are most probable. Cold drizzling rains, chilly raw winds and sleet if the season is not too far advanced. Unseasonable warmth will reach a crisis, breaking down with fierce storms of thunder, rain, hail and wind from the 25th to 28th. These storms will be followed by cool nights, with frosts in northern sections of the country as we pass from April into May.

**WESTBROOK ITEMS**

The Westbrook Auxiliary of the Red Cross Chapter met in regular business session March 28th, and the reports from the committees were: Chairma, Miss Hattie Petty, reported 20 finished garments during the month of March. One quilt was donated by Mrs. J. A. Conaway. No material received from the Chapter this month. Treasurer, Miss Thelma Hudson, reported \$17.00 from the school entertainment and \$5.70 from the lecture given by Bro. Fulton: total of \$22.70. Miss Alice Strickland reported from the finance committee 15 cents. Mrs. J. T. Smith reported from the membership committee three new members, Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Yates and Miss Edith Young, and one junior member, Robbie Hudson.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace McDonald entertained Wednesday night, honoring the soldier boys, Charlie Civer and Alfred Stevens. Charlie was called as a substitute and didn't have to go; Alfred left Friday night for Camp Travis. One of the principal features of the evening was the little wish book, in which was written the farewell wishes of each guest present. Another interesting event was a contest, "Ringing the Liberty Bell." A small dinner bell draped in red, white and blue was suspended from a high place, and each guest was allowed one throw with a rubber ball, and there were seven who succeeded in ringing the bell, and in a draw Miss Hoodie Pool was the lucky contestant and was awarded a U. S. Flag. A number of other games were indulged in and a pleasant evening was spent by all present.

Saturday afternoon Mrs. E. S. Hudson and Miss Margaret Lasseter entertained their Sunday school classes of little folks with an Easter egg hunt from the hours of 1 to 2:30. The brightly colored eggs were easily found as there was not a sprig of grass or a green leaf to hide them. Little Agnes Oliver was given a crocheted handkerchief by Mrs. Hudson for finding the prize winning egg, which was a tiny little fellow, not larger than a small marble. Little Katherine Butler won the prize, an Easter Bunny, for drawing the best rabbit.

Mrs. E. Hamilton entertained her Sunday school class Saturday afternoon. Indoor games and contests were the diversions of the afternoon. A pleasant time was had by all.

Mrs. W. H. Rogers entertained Saturday night honoring Miss Xenia Smartt and Ruby Green of Colorado. 42 and music were the diversions of the evening. A large crowd was present and all expressed themselves as having spent a pleasant evening.

Sunday Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Butler and children and Miss Margaret Lasseter, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Candler and George, took dinner and left Westbrook about 8:30 o'clock, for "Peek-epoo," several miles below Sterling City. Mr. and Mrs. Myrick accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Candler as far as Sterling City, where they made a nice little visit with their children, Miss Bertie and Clint. After dinner they, with several of the young people from Sterling City, joined the crowd at Peekepoo. When you go to Peekepoo for a days outing, be careful to stay on the right side of the fence or you might be energetically asked to move on; if you don't think so, ask Mr. Candler. Mrs. Butler advises all to stay clear of the banks, there's danger of falling in the water.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Wright of Colorado, spent several days of last week as guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Skelton.

E. V. Bell returned Friday from a business trip to the eastern part of the state.

Letters have been received from Bro. and Mrs. Fulton stating that they are well pleased with their new home in Texarkana. Their church, (College Hill) gave them a grand reception at the parsonage on the evening of their arrival. They asked to be remembered to all the people of Westbrook and wish for us a great big rain and a bumper crop this year.

Mrs. A. B. Hines is improving in health, she was able to come to Westbrook Tuesday.

Born:—To Mr. and Mrs. Earl Phillips on the 27th, a fine boy.

Bro. J. T. Griswold and Bro. Hanks arrived in Westbrook late Sunday afternoon, enroute to Sweetwater from quarterly conference, which convened at Cuthbert. Bro. Hanks is the new

pastor sent to the Westbrook charge. He will return in a few days.

Mrs. Horace McDonald was real sick the latter part of the week.

Little Billie Golden of the U ranch visited his auntie, Mrs. Felker, Sunday.

Mrs. L. V. Yates is spending the week at Coahoma with her parents.

Mr. Will Homan of Camp Bowie is visiting his sister, Mrs. R. C. Beal.

A. M. Bell and Jim Oliver returned Wednesday from Seminole.

D. R. Mitchell and family moved the last of the week to Hunt county, another citizen and one of our business men has moved on account of the drouth.

We are glad to report that the baby of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Morris is recovering from pneumonia.

Clint Wright, J. E. Skelton and W. H. Rogers left Tuesday for Carlsbad, where Mr. Wright will enter the state sanitorium.

Mrs. Sam Smartt and Miss Xenia accompanied by Miss Ruby Green of Colorado, spent the week end with Mrs. W. H. Rogers.

Coit Butler, who is attending Simmons College, has been suffering with mumps for several days.

Among those who went to Colorado Friday to see the soldier boys off were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Oliver, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rogers, Misses Hattie Petty, Ethel Morris, Susie and Annie Leach, Hoodie Pool and Adaline Morris, and Mr. Virgil Morris.

E. V. Bell and J. E. Lasseter were looking after business in Colorado Monday.

We moved our clock up and are now living an hour faster.

**SOME INTERESTING FIGURES ABOUT RAIN**

**Annual Rainfall in Mitchell County For Past 46 Years.**

To show to our readers and to the world that the present dourth in this section of the country is not a usual occurrence, but is a calamity which might happen to any country, we publish below the rainfall for this section for the past 46 years, as compiled by Judge R. H. Looney from government reports and statistics.

By reference to this table you will see that the years of 1916-17 are the only two dry years coming together, and no where in the table does it show three dry years in succession.

With the exception of the last two years, 1893 had the least rainfall, which was 8.51, which was .57 of an inch more than fell in 1916. The year 1893 was the "dry year" referred to by the earlier settlers, and the year that so many cattle died throughout this country. But the hardest period of this dry spell was the spring of 1894, as it did not rain until May 23rd, and there was no early grass for the stock.

But the strangest freak of nature was in 1894 following the dry year, when it did not rain until 23rd of May this year proved to be a good one, after it did rain. The precipitation for that year was 24.39 inches, and grass and crops were fine in the late summer, and the country recovered from that drouth within six months after it began to rain.

The next driest year brings us up to 1910 when the precipitation fell to 10.42 inches, and the crops were not large, though stock got through the year in fairly good condition.

We need not tell our readers about 1916 or 1917, as most of them know all about it, so we give the following table for your reference, and if you can figure out from the past just when it is going to rain, and will let us know about it, we'll tell the folks:

1872-16.93	1873-13.83	1874-24.80
1875-14.70	1876-11.66	1877-22.15
1878-24.80	1879-18.54	1880-37.95
1881-18.96	1882-42.12	1883-32.61
1884-41.90	1885-21.10	1886-11.51
1887-14.40	1888-21.12	1889-19.10
1890-17.73	1891-22.89	1892-28.49
1893- 8.51	1894-24.39	1895-35.10
1896-20.74	1897-28.30	1898-22.13
1899-23.11	1900-27.00	1901-15.86
1902-25.37	1903-15.30	1904-22.64
1905-30.87	1906-33.22	1907-25.76
1908-21.52	1909-14.31	1910-10.42
1911-19.72	1912-12.41	1913-23.23
1914-31.86	1915-25.34	1916- 7.94
1917- 4.47		

Average rainfall per year for forty six years is 21.79 inches.

**Nature Cures, The Doctor Takes the Fee.**

There is an old saying that "Nature cures, the doctor takes the fee," but as everyone knows you can help Nature very much and thereby enable it to effect a cure in much less time than is usually required. This is particularly true of colds. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy relieves the lungs, liquefies the tough mucus and aids in its expectoration, allays the cough and aids Nature in restoring the system to a healthy condition. Ad

Food will win the war—produce it.

# Lend Him a Hand!



That Khaki-clad American soldier of ours, facing the Germans across No Man's Land from the trenches in France.

He is facing cold, storm, hunger, disease, death, that America's homes may be safe from the threat of German arrogance and brutality. He is enduring hardship and danger willingly, without a murmur, that American liberty and justice may endure. *He is fighting for you!*

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The Norwegian cod liver oil in Scott's Emulsion is now refined, filtered and American laboratories which makes it pure and palatable. Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J.

## LOCAL NOTES

B. E. Johnson sends in a dollar for the Record from Del Rio, to keep up with Mitchell county and its weather prophets.

W. F. Brown was in from northeast of town out on route four, and subscribed for the Record. He said he had everything ready to plant when the rains come on April 7th to 10th. Mr. Brown was very optimistic saying he had been there 14 years and it always had rained in April.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect the Head because of its tonic and laxative effect. LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness or ringing in head. Remember the Bull Brand and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE, Inc.

Rev. and Mrs. Burkhardt left this week for their new home at Tipton, Indiana. Mrs. Burkhardt says after a short while they will go on to New York to live. Mr. Burkhardt's health having failed he has sold out and will try the northern climate. They will have the Record follow them. All Colorado regrets to see these good people leave, and hope they may return at no distant day when Mr. Burkhardt is fully recovered.

The season is now on for ice cream. Shaw Brothers at Jno. L. Doss, Pharmacy.

W. C. Harris, down on route No. 1 is a new subscriber this week, and says he will stay until June 1, waiting for the rains.

Mrs. Y. D. McMurry returned from El Paso Friday, where she had been called on account of the sickness of her father. She left him improving.

Miss Eleanor Coleman returned this week from an extended visit with friends in Dallas and Marshall.

Last Saturday the Avery Plow Co. had a public demonstration south of town, of one of their motor driven cultivators and planters. This is a double row machine, and was demonstrated to a large crowd of farmers that it would do the work of two men and two teams at less cost than the feed of one team. It was pronounced by all who witnessed the demonstration, as an unqualified success. A. J. Herrington will handle the machines in Colorado.

R. B. Terrell announces that he now handles the Eclipse Windmill and repairs, also all kinds of water pipe and fittings. Fred Harris now has charge of the tin shop and plumbing. All work done promptly and guaranteed.

Mrs. H. D. Womack and children leave this morning for Admiral on a visit to her mother and sister, Mrs. Tom McGuire. She will be gone quite awhile, as Mrs. McGuire is sick and needs her company.

Window glass all sizes and cut to order at W. L. Doss.

**WELL DRILLING**

I am still in the well drilling business. Will go anywhere any time and put down your well any depth. Will make most any kind of trade with you for a new well. See or Phone

**CLAUD BELL**  
WESTBROOK, TEXAS

Get the best Cream in the market. Mrs. L. Doss, Pharmacy.

J. T. Bryant and family of Post City came down last week on a pleasant visit, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. Keathley. Mr. Bryant will be remembered here as an evangelistic singer, having conducted the singing in a former meeting here.

Stewart Cooper has nice fresh package candy—the kind any one would appreciate.

Rev. J. A. Reed, a personal friend of Rev. W. C. Garrett came down from his home, which is up on the plains, for a day here in Colorado. He accompanied Rev. Garrett from the Fifth Sunday meeting at Trent to Bovina, where Mr. Garrett goes to hold a meeting.

We are now serving Shaw Brothers Ice Cream. John L. Doss, Pharmacy.

County Food Administrator, John L. Doss received notice this week that "meatless days" had been suspended indefinitely and that more restrictions had been put on flour. Grimes county has passed a resolution to use no flour at all in that county, and other counties will follow. We expect to see Mitchell county "flourless" before the war ends, and perhaps within a few weeks.

To Cure a Cold in One Day. Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. It cures the Cough and Headache and works off the Cold. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature on each box. See.

Our good friend W. E. Lester, whom the late Dr. Weston called "Pig" Lester, writes from Childress and says: "Though late in going so I am sending you a money order on my account. Would send more but you know the sad plight of those who joined 'the passing caravan.' We have made it so far, with some hope for the future. I am lost without the Record."

Wall paper, new designs, also bargains in wall paper remnants at W. L. Doss, drug store.

J. F. Morris, known in Colorado as a market man has moved from Fort Worth to Sweetwater, where he has a very good position.

You can get your typewriter ribbons at W. L. Doss.

Press dispatches announce that Patrick Henry has been chosen as Chaplain at Camp Bowie, and was assigned to go with his company to France in the near future. Patrick is an ex-Colorado boy and his friends here hope for him the richest blessings in his chosen work.

Magazines of all kinds at Stewart Cooper's. He will be glad to take your subscriptions or will order one copy of any magazine for you.

A local notice in the Record a few weeks ago, in which the Red Cross asked for the use of sewing machines, attracted the notice of Mr. J. F. Clayton, who lives down on route 3. He immediately cleaned up his sewing machine and brought it in to the work rooms, and told the ladies in charge to use it as long as they wanted it, and then sell it and turn the money into the Red Cross fund. This was a liberal and much appreciated donation on the part of Mr. Clayton and the Red Cross thanks him for it.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days. Your druggist will refund money if PAIN OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. The first application gives Ease and Rest. See.

Our friend, Louis Landeau, of the Colorado Bargain House brought to the Record office this week two loaves of "Matzes" or Jewish Shew bread. Their "Passover" or Easter, which they strictly observe from Thursday, March 28th to Thursday April 4th, is the week they eat this kind of bread only. It is made of flour and water, no shortening, salt or soda. We ate ours with the same effect as eating thin air.

Dr. L. G. C. Buchanan, practice limited to diseases of Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat. Office Big Spring. For the accommodation of patients in the vicinity of Colorado, I will be in Colorado 1st and 3rd Saturdays of each month. Office over City Nat'l Bank.

G. D. Adams has shipped a car load of pianos, organs and sewing machines down to Strawn and is now down there selling them out. He will be gone about three months.

Phone or see A. M. Bell at Westbrook for all kinds of feed, hay and coal. He has on hand plenty of all kinds of feed.

SOME GOOD ADVICE. "Don't think too much of your own methods. Watch other people's ways and learn from them." This is good advice, especially when bilious or constipated. You will find many people who use Chamberlain's Tablets for these ailments with the best results, and will do well to follow their example. Adv

Miss Lottie Pritchett went to Sweetwater Tuesday to meet her sister, Mrs. Girven, of Girven, who will visit here for quite awhile.

Call at Jno. L. Doss Pharmacy and get your Ice Cream and Candy.

Mrs. Clem Perry who has been visiting her nephew, E. Keathley, left Sunday night to visit relatives in Breckenridge.

Fresh chocolate candy in bulk at Stewart Cooper's.

Mrs. H. Pannill has been called to Fort Worth to the bedside of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. H. T. Whipple, who is very low.

Rev. W. C. Garrett left last Saturday to attend the Fifth Sunday meeting at Trent, and from there he goes up on the plains to hold revival meetings for two weeks.

Will Homan stopped in Colorado Tuesday to visit his sister, Mrs. Cliff Beall, enroute to El Paso on a ten days' furlough. Will is a non-commissioned officer at Camp Bowie.

Mrs. W. L. Doss and Mrs. M. K. Jackson returned from Coleman Thursday morning, where they had been attending the district club meeting.

Sam Wulfjen assuming the responsibility of becoming a family man, having become a father this week, has been greatly excited all the week and even forgot to vote on Tuesday.

Jacob's Candy, best to be had. Jno. L. Doss, Pharmacy.

This week is Passover Week with the Jews, an ordinance they have observed since the Passover Supper eaten by the children of Israel before leaving Egypt to go to the promised land. They eat nothing but unleavened bread for a week, which commenced last Thursday. At this particular time they had to get permission from the government to use this bread on wheatless days, as it is made of wheat flour. Louis Landeau presented the Record with a couple of pieces of this bread, which is composed of flour and water only.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Beall of Lubbock are visiting relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Arnett returned from their visit to Fort Worth, Friday. They were accompanied by Mrs. H. C. Beal.

Mrs. Jim Coughran of Sweetwater is visiting relatives here.

Born, Tuesday morning, to Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wulfjen, a ten pound boy.

Miss Frances McMurry who has been quite sick for the past ten days is reported better.

Master Raymond Jones is recovering from a case of measles.

Mrs. Leslie Crowder has returned from Dallas.

Master Byron Byrne, Jr., is suffering with an abscess in his ear, as a result of measles and roseola. He came home for Easter, and has not been able to yet return to school.

At the war department it was said every soldier now wearing a uniform and a million more may expect with full confidence to see active service on the battle fronts at an early date. Every mechanic, skilled or unskilled, who can make war material, will find war employment. Every woodman who can chop a tree or carry a plank will be made useful.

### POSTED.

I have posted the Reynolds Ranch according to law, and all fishing, hunting and wood hauling must be stopped. Trespassers will be prosecuted.—J. Brown, Manager. 628p

SHE COULDN'T EVEN RAISE UP IN HER BED

Hastings Says Daughter's Rapid Recovery on Tanlac Has Caused Rejoicing.

"I believe in giving everything its due, and I want to tell you right now I sure rejoice over what Tanlac has done for my daughter," said J. C. Hastings, a well known farmer living at Aleaf, Texas.

"Two years ago," he continued, "she began to go down hill with stomach trouble and neuralgia and the agony she suffered was something awful. Most everything she would eat disagreed with her and gave her no end of trouble. Many a time she would wake up in the night with such terrible neuralgic pain in her neck, chest and shoulders that she wasn't able to speak or raise herself up in bed. In fact, she was helpless and was so tired and worn out by morning she would hardly be able to get up at all. She got to the point where she spent most of her time in bed and had to give up her housework and I was really afraid she would never get well.

"I read in the papers where one of my friends had taken Tanlac and that caused me to get a bottle for my daughter and I want to say right now that she has got hold of the right medicine for her case at last. She says she feels like a different person since she started on Tanlac. Why, instead of lying in bed like she had to do before, she is the first person up on the place now and is strong enough to take up her housework again. I haven't heard her complain in some time and if I didn't know it was relieving her I wouldn't be here buying more of it for her. I have so much faith in Tanlac that I expect to keep it in the house all the time."

Tanlac is sold in Colorado by W. L. Doss, in Loraine by Garland and Elliott and in Westbrook by J. H. Board.

### SPADE ITEMS.

Health of the community is not so very good at this writing. Mrs. Williams and three of the children are sick. It is thought they may be relapsing with measles. Allyn came home just in time to get a brand new case.

Miss Nellie Grace Hargrove is reported to have a severe case of roseola.

Mr. Guerin Shaw is visiting the Williams this week. Guerin is just from east Texas and says it has rained but little there.

Miss Liza McCullough is spending the week with her sister Mrs. Charlie Hargrove at Colorado.

Miss Mae Williams of Longfellow is the guest of Misses Adcock this week.

Miss Viola Brown was visiting her uncle Mr. E. Barber returned home Monday.

A crowd went kodaking down on the Spade ranch Sunday. Whether Mr. Jones has reported rain down there or not, they have running water at Renderbrook. Water is getting kinder scarce here and if it doesn't soon rain the people here may be going by the way of Renderbrook to get a jug of water to take along with them as they take their leave to a field more fertile (better watered).

The crowd at Sunday school Sunday was a double of itself. Whether they were out hunting Easter eggs, little rabbits or downy little chicks, we do not know; but we do know they came to a good place to get "something worth their coming," so do this again folks. You are welcome, you are wanted, you are a stranger but once.

Friday on account of the teachers taking the state teachers examination at Colorado, there will be no school. Friday will be made up, Saturday April 13th, so the children will

be expected at school on that Saturday, the same as Monday before.

### PATRIOTIC MEETING AT OPERA HOUSE.

Hon. Geo. T. Wilson, of Sweetwater, District Manager of the Thrift and War Savings Stamps sale for this district, made a splendid patriotic talk at the opera house Tuesday night.

Mr. Wilson's address was fine from start to finish and every word had the true ring of a patriot. He brought out forcibly the teachings of the Germans as a nation for the past forty years, quoting from their own literature, that "might and not right should rule the world." He told of the outrages committed, and of our part in the war.

He brought out the fact that our own Americans are the most wasteful people on the earth today and that the purchase of Thrift and War Savings Stamps would not only help the Nation win the war, but would inculcate in the minds of our younger generation the saving idea. His appeal to every man, woman and child to get into the war by saving and purchasing stamps was to the point, strong and forceful.

On the whole it was a splendid address and should do our people a great deal of good, and cause the sale of more stamps than heretofore.

Marcus Snyder, of Colorado Texas recently bought 1500 coming two-year old steers from W. D. Ellis and are to be delivered May 1.—Semi-nole Sentinel.

War Saving Stamps at the postoffice are the best security in the world Start a War Thrift Stamp card now.

### EAT WITHOUT FEAR OF INDIGESTION OR SOUR, ACID STOMACH

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Wonder what upset your stomach— which portion of the food did the damage—do you? Well, don't bother. If your stomach is in revolt; if sick gassy and upset, and what you just eaten has fermented and turned sour; head dizzy and aches; belch gases and acids and eructate undigested food; breath foul, tongue coated—just take a little Pape's Diapepsin to help neutralize acidity and in five minutes you wonder what became of the indigestion and distress.

Millions of men and women to-day know that it is needless to have dyspepsia. A little Diapepsin occasionally keeps the stomach sweetened and they eat their favorite foods without fear.

If your stomach doesn't take care of your liberal limit without rebellion; if your food is a damage instead of a help, remember the quickest, surest, most harmless relief is Pape's Diapepsin which costs only fifty cents for a large case at drug stores. It's truly wonderful—it stops fermentation and acidity and sets things straight, so gently and easily that it is really astonishing. Adv

### LORAIN LOCALS

Mrs. D. J. West and children left Thursday for Strawn to join Mr. West who is already there.

John Martin and Colin Martin left the first of the week for Ranger, Mineral Wells and other points east, on business.

John Lindsey has been on the sick list this week.

Jeff Roberts of Peducah, came in Friday to see after business interests.

Mrs. Jourdan Bennett and baby of Slaton are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Finley.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Thomas of Baumann community visited in Loraine Sunday afternoon.

The Colorado Fire Co. presented "The Stolen Will" Friday night at the Dreamland theatre, and despite the cold weather and sandstorm, a large crowd was present.

Alvin Brown returned Monday from Putnam, where he has been working with the oil well company.

Sheriff Cooksey of Colorado was busy in Loraine Saturday.

Miss Terry of Colorado has her millinery stock located now at the Loraine Merc. Co.

G. O. Cozart of Putnam visited home folks the latter part of the week. W. O. Hall returned the latter part of the week, from a trip to Rannels county, where he visited at Pumphrey Winters and other places.

The Woodmen and the Woodmen Circle met Sunday afternoon and unveiled Mrs. J. L. Kuykendoll's monument at the Loraine cemetery.

North Champion boys came over Saturday and played base ball with the Loraine team. The score was 5 to 2 in favor of Loraine.

Mrs. Ernest Phillips and baby left Sunday morning for Midland to visit relatives, and Mrs. Ralph Dykster and baby of Midland, who have been visiting relatives at Loraine returned with them.

Teach the children to buy thrift stamps.

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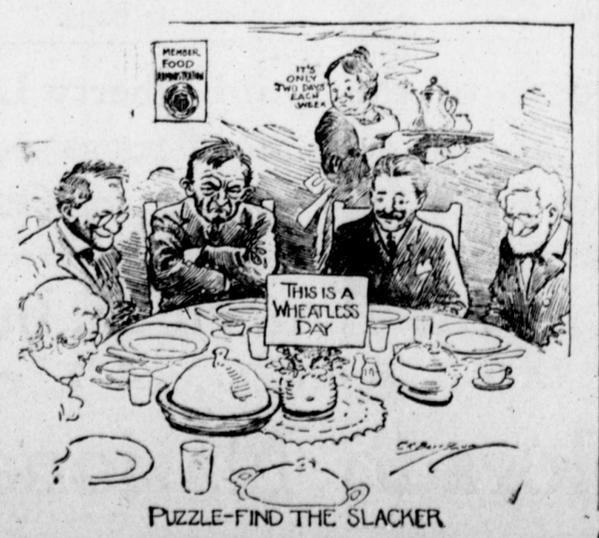
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# Will You HELP Bring Back The Boys of This Community?

Our boys, the boys from this town and this county and this state, are fighting the Huns. They are in the trenches in France, they are sailing the U-boat-infested seas, they are going "over the top" in the face of German cannon and machine gun fire.

Many, many more of our boys are now training and will soon be in France, and more are yet to be called.

And, remember, these are our boys; those who are near and dear to us. They are doing their ALL. They are giving their ALL. They are prepared to make the extreme sacrifice that our homes, our town, our nation, may escape the ravages of the Hun.

We want them—one and all—to come back to us—

## *Will You Help to Bring Them Back?*

Will you help to provide them with the things they need, with clothes and food and munitions, that they may complete as quickly as possible the terrible task assigned to them?

Will you support our boys while they are fighting for us, fighting the German autocracy that seeks to destroy our ideals of liberty and justice?

Compared to their heroic sacrifice our part is but small—that of providing the funds to keep them equipped; to build and man the ships that will transport their food, their clothes, their guns and their ammunition, and to pay for these things.

Yes, we, the people of this community, will support our boys.

We will do it by buying bonds of the Third Liberty Loan; by buying all these bonds we can; by making such sacrifices as are necessary to do this. That will be our support for Our Boys.

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