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FRIDAY, APRIL 19  
Benefit War Canteen Organization  
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ALL STAR CAST and COMEDY

SATURDAY, APRIL 20  
**BIG BILL RUSSELL in NEW YORK LUCK**  
ALSO NEW STRAND COMEDY

TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY, APRIL 23rd and 24th

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**NEWEST and GREATEST SPECTACLE**  
*The*  
**ZEPPELINS LAST RAID**  
*Written by C. GARDNER SULLIVAN*  
*Directed and Photographed by IRVIN V. WILLAT*

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10 and 20 cents

### RAIN REPORT.

As the Dallas News and other papers have reported copious rains over the west, and even mentioned Colorado as having a "good rain, which will insure crops," we deem it proper to publish each week, as nearly as we can, the exact conditions, for the benefit of our many subscribers who depend on the Record for information from this section:

Saturday morning before daylight a light rain fell over Mitchell county. In most parts of the county it was very light and in a greater portion no rain at all. North of Lorraine, on the Prude ranch and down as far as Zellner they reported a good rain—as much as 2 inches in some spots. At Lorraine it was about 3-4 of an inch and did not extend east or south. At Colorado it was .43 of an inch, Spade ranch 1-4 inch; H S ranch about 1-8 inch, other places in the county only a light sprinkle. No rain west of Colorado at all.

Sunday a high wind prevailed from the south, with thunder heads and a little thunder, and at one time a light sprinkle fell at Colorado, but no rain reported in this section of the country at all.

Rains have been good in many portions of the state. Stamford, Anson and Spur report big rains. Very light rain at Abilene, none at Sweetwater or Roscoe, and west of us it still remains bone dry.

No doubt the Dallas News will have a big headline "Long Drouth Broken in West Texas." It is not broken nor is it even cracked, so far as we can see.

The light shower at Colorado will help the war gardens and some few farmers say they will plant this week and risk another rain coming in time.

Monday, high southern wind considerably mixed with sand, switching to the west in the afternoon. Clear and cool.

Tuesday wind blew briskly from the north, but not much sand blowing. Clear and cool.

Wednesday morning, a fresh norther blew itself out in a few hours, and the day was clear and pleasant with scarcely any wind.

Thursday, clear, cool and windy, with no sign of rain.

### CARD OF THANKS

Wish to thank the many friends of Colorado and around, who came to our home and with the help they gave during the sickness and death of our beloved husband and father. May God bless all of you, and someday may we meet each other in the other world.—Mrs. W. H. Pond, Everett Pond, Henry Pond, Harry Pond and family, Earl Pond and family, Jim Pond and family, Mrs. Stella Green and family.

### DISTRICT COURT.

The April term of the District Court meets Monday. The following cases, as taken from the docket, will be tried.

- 3682—Byron B. Byrne vs. Earl Morrison, nature of suit, specific performance of contract; Royall G. Smith, attorney.
- 3683—C. H. Gunn vs. B. J. Humphrey, suit on note to foreclose mortgage; Shepherd and Gustine, attorneys.
- 3684—J. A. Badgett vs. Daisy B. Badgett, divorce; Royall Smith, attorney.
- 3685—T. L. McKevrey vs. E. B. Gamel, suit to cancel equity of redemption; Morrison & Morrison, attorneys.
- 3686—W. J. Coon vs. J. H. Briscoe, suit to clear title for lost deed; Shepherd & Gustine, attorneys.
- 3687—J. I. Morris vs. Martha Trent, suit to try title, also damages; C. H. Earnest, attorney.
- 3688—Julia Tucker vs. R. C. Tucker divorce; M. Carter, attorney.
- 3689—Earl Morrison vs. S. D. Vaughan, executor estate of H. Wright suit on promissory note; L. W. Sandusky; Beall & Douthitt, attorneys.
- 3690—Pierce Fordyce Oil Assn. vs. E. M. Smiley; debt and specific performance of contract; Royall G. Smith, attorney.
- 3691—H. A. Cook vs. T. & P. Ry., damages; L. W. Sandusky, atty.
- 3692—W. E. Sanders vs. T. & P. Ry., damages, personal injury; L. W. Sandusky; M. Carter, attorneys.
- 3693—J. L. W. Coleman and wife vs. Nancy Burrus, trespass to try title; W. P. Leslie, attorney.
- 3694—E. P. Bennett vs. W. M. Bennett, divorce; Geo. T. Wilson, atty.

### "BIG BILL" IN NEW YORK LUCK.

William Russell, popular young star of screen adventure, whose hair-raising encounters with all sorts and conditions of villains and his rescue of innumerable endangered maidens have endeared him to motion picture enthusiasts everywhere, has a new sort of role in his latest production "New York Luck," which depicts him as an ambitious if unsophisticated station agent from Hohokus, Maine, bent on making a million and marrying the prettiest girl in Gotham. Manager Taylor has secured this picture for the benefit of his movie patrons and will show it Saturday night.

### 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

Thrift stamps are the way of the Government to help you save.

## LONDON NOT AFRAID THE LINE IN BELGIUM WILL HAVE TO BE WITHDRAWN RESULT OF LOSSES

With the Ypres salient in southwestern Belgium menaced by continued advance of the Germans on the Lys battle front immediately to the south, the British have begun to withdraw from this line. Report from Field Marshal Haig announces what is at least a partial withdrawal from the Ypres sector. British forward positions east of Ypres have been given up and a new line to the west occupied. The withdrawal from the Ypres sector was made without interference. The German objective in north Flanders is Hazebrouck, an important railway junction about four miles beyond the point of the farthest advance westward near Nieppe Wood, six miles southwest of Bailleul. A British counter attack indicated British strength here.

April 17.—It was reported this morning that the British, fighting magnificently, had regained the much contested town of Wytschaete, although this was not confirmed at the time of filing this dispatch.

April 17.—The British at dusk Tuesday, were advancing in the neighborhood of Wytschaete, south of Ypres, and were reported to again be holding the ground they had lost there. The battle in Flanders is raging today with incredible intensity. As far as the latest reports enable the correspondents to judge, the battle is going in favor of the British. Notwithstanding desperate German attacks they have been unable to make further gains since Tuesday and apparently they have lost some. The correspondent said he never heard such terrific fire in his three years on the front.

Among the numerous enemy at-

tacks Tuesday on the northern front in Flanders, one in great force in the Zillebeke sector was disastrous for the Germans, whose massed waves were shot down at close range. They apparently were ordered to retire and then the British gunners got their flank and the slaughter was appalling.

London, April 17.—The British positions before Ypres have been withdrawn to new lines. South of Arras the Germans were driven out of British trenches into which they had forced their way. Early this morning German artillery became more active south of the Somme. The British have recaptured Meteren, two miles west of Bailleul, on the northern front, by a counter attack.

The British made successful counter attacks in the neighborhood of Wytschaete. Reported German attacks north of Bailleul were repulsed, the Germans suffering heavy losses.

There is no danger of a British retrograde movement on the northern end of the Franco-Belgian front. The line appears to be holding well, as the railway communications which support it are intact. The Germans are still hammering Bailleul but reports saying the German attacks have been repulsed have been received. The British seem to be able to hold them there.

Under the heading "They Still Advance," the Daily Mail says: "Up to this time the Germans have been in marshy ground. Yesterday they captured the first of the important ridges by storming Wytschaete, being aided by the fall of Bailleul, and thus the security of the Ypres salient, so long the bulwark of our left and touched with the immortal memories to us, is imperilled."

## WHAT IS IT TO YOU

Your Government has called you to arm. You are answering the call daily in some way. Your prayers are needed. Your pastors are calling you to arms to win souls to Christ. Give them your support in a series of co-operative meetings, beginning Sunday April 28th, at the Methodist church. Will you not do your part. A fervent prayer of a righteous man avail-eth much.

Pray without ceasing that God's blessings may be with us in this campaign for the winning of souls for his kingdom.

Publicity Committee.

### PUBLIC SPEAKING.

The Honorable Zach Lamar Cobb of El Paso, candidate for congress, from this district will speak in Colorado on Monday, April 22nd, at 2 o'clock at the tabernacle. As the ladies can now vote, they are especially invited to hear him, and it is their duty to post themselves, and study the platforms of the candidates. Mr. Cobb has been called the Silver Toned Orator of the West, and we promise that he will entertain and instruct you, in this, his opening speech. Let us make the 22nd a holiday. Come and see the war relics which will be here from 8 to 12, and then hear Mr. Cobb at the tabernacle.

Stocks of food in the populated centers of Russia are small and the agricultural outlook for 1918 is unfavorable, according to the information received by the Food Administration of this country.

You'll feel better and might learn something, to say nothing of the influence, if you go to church next Sunday.

### R. J. WINDROW HERE.

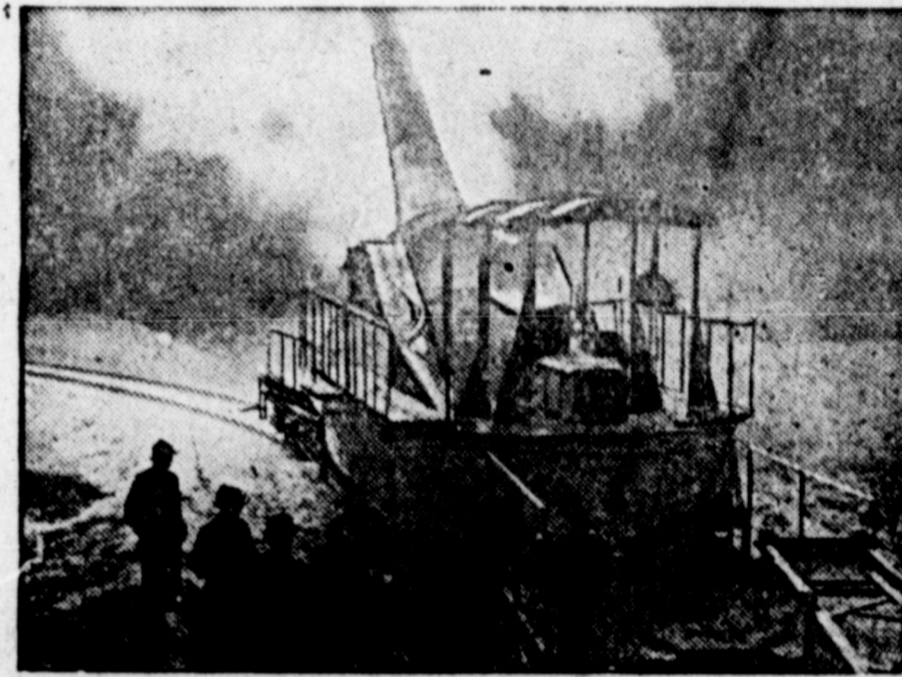
Rollen J. Windrow, State Board of Water Engineers, visited Colorado on Monday evening in the interests of damming rivers and creeks and putting in irrigation plants. Mr. Windrow is traveling over the west, checking up impounded waters anywhere, and especially on the Colorado river and its tributaries. He visited Angelo, Robert Lee, Sterling City and from here went on to Snyder. A meeting of the Chamber of Commerce was called and Mr. Windrow fully explained the irrigation law—just what the citizens were to do to get a state permit to dam a stream; also the kind of dam and how built, etc. He also stated that when the Colorado people got ready to dam Lone Wolf creek he would come out and stay three or four days and show them, and help in every way he possibly could.

The Australian wheat crop for the season of 1917-18 is estimated at 114,020,000 bushels, compared with last year's yield of 152,565,000. The 25 per cent decrease is a result of reduced acreage and unfavorable conditions.

## Wonderful Free WAR-RELIC EXHIBIT

The train bearing this priceless collection will stop at

**COLORADO MONDAY, APRIL 22**  
FROM 8 a. m. to 12m.



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

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

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

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

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

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

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

A captured German airplane of the "Albatross" type, with a speed of 125 miles per hour is shown. When brought down the two occupants, both officers, were dead; one of them

wore the "Iron Cross" of bravery, and the machine itself, evidently for previous meritorious service, was designated with the same insignia.

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

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

There is a collection of German 12 inch shells, captured at the battle of Arras.

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

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

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

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

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

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

This car with its interesting relics will be in Colorado, on Monday, 22nd from 8 to 12 o'clock. Admission is absolutely free, and everybody is invited to see this wonderful collection.



# New "DOVE" Undermuslins Dainty and Serviceable

Smart new designs and clever trimming characterize this season's showing of "Dove Undermuslins. From the

simplest night gown to the most elaborate envelope chemise, all the garments represent the best underwear value at their price.

The materials are fine and sheer, but so excellent in quality that they withstand a surprising amount of hard wear.



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



# F. M. BURNS

## PRAISES FLORIDA AS CATTLE COUNTRY.

Editor Record:—As I was a resident of Mitchell county before there was any Colorado City, and contributed my mite toward the development of that county and made Colorado my home for twenty years, I am more or less interested in the welfare of (especially) the old timers there. For that reason I am sending you this, which you are at liberty to publish in your good paper, for the benefit of those who might be interested in learning something about a country where livestock can be produced cheaper and with less risk of loss than any place on the map that I am familiar with, as the statements herein contained by your townsman, Mr. Ben Plaster, will verify.

Florida is being heralded far and wide as an ideal cattle state, and during the past few weeks more cattle men from other states have investigated conditions in this state, than have done so for years.

One of those who have been here this week is Ben Plaster of Colorado, Texas. After going over considerable of the open range country he said:

"Florida offers the best cattle producing country I ever saw. There was more rain fell last Sunday than has fallen on my Texas ranch in all the time since two years ago last October.

"With all the opportunities to develop a great cattle industry I cannot understand why so little has been done toward cattle improvement. If your cattle men in Florida know anything about breeding up their stock I failed to see the results of their efforts. They do not seem to pay any attention to their stock, except when they need a little money and round up a bunch to sell. I understand that the big owners hire outfits to do their branding at so much a head for calves I would not be away from my herd a week at a time, unless I had some good cattleman riding in my place.

"Your people have been educated out of the wrong book. They think that open range is cheaper than fenced pastures that have to be bought or leased. We studied that lesson in Texas and then threw the book away and got another book that told us we could make more money and develop a real cattle industry by putting our cattle under control.

"If I get the pasture land in Florida that I want, the first thing will be some good fences around the entire tract and then I will cross fence it and get rid of the cattle fever ticks the first season by rotating pastures and doing some digging.

"Then I will bring in some good breeding males to mate with the best of your native cows, and play the game like we do in Texas. One reason why Florida has remained a hidden state to the real cattle men is that it is the oldest cattle raising state in the union, and the class of stock which has been shipped out have been so inferior that every person who has seen them immediately came to the conclusion that good cattle could not be raised here.

"After spending a week on your ranges and seeing the conditions I am firmly convinced that the cattle owners and not your conditions are to blame for the inferior class of stock now being produced on your great open ranges.

"Last week I saw a flock of the fattest sheep possible, on your Florida ranges, having the whole state of Florida to graze over if they wanted to travel around. The owner has so much money he did not need any more immediately, so had not sheared those sheep, although he said he had been offered 75 cents a pound for the wool. The sheep were shedding badly and some of them had lost at least a pound of wool per head. The government is needing wool very badly, but because the owner did not need the money he was not paying any attention to the needs of the government. The sheep also needed to get rid of that wool as it was too hot for them. That is just another incident to prove that Florida needs some progressive live stock men to develop the great opportunities which exist here."

W. N. WADDELL.

## Shake Off That Grip

When Spring comes, with its changeable weather and your exposure, it is best to clear away all the symptoms left after an attack of grip. That evil disease leaves you weakened, and when its victim attempts to "do his bit" he exposes himself to the risk of a second attack, for which he is less prepared, and which may have graver consequences.

### There's Danger in Delay

April and May are pneumonia months. In this time a weakened system is a constant source of danger, for the pneumonia and grip infections are in the air, and after a long winter the body is so clogged with waste it cannot resist them. Fortify the health, remove the catarrh, and improve the digestion.

### For Quick Relief PERUNA

This reliable tonic is recommended to remove the waste from the body, counteract the catarrhal poisons and allay the inflammation that is catarrh, restore the regular appetite and tone up the entire system to resist disease. A well man is safe.

As a tonic after grip it has won many commendations, while its effectiveness in catarrhal conditions is unquestioned. Take no chances—Take Peruna.

Peruna Tablets are always ready to take. You may carry a box with you and ward off colds and chill. The liquid medicine in your home is a great safeguard. Protect your family.

The Peruna Company, Columbus, Ohio

### SPADE ITEMS.

Death entered the home of P. W. Crump Friday evening and took the beloved father away. For twenty-four years "Granddad" has been a citizen of this community, thus he is well known, and will be greatly missed by all. The bereaved family has our entire sympathy.

Mrs. W. A. Rice came in from Miami Saturday to attend the funeral of her father.

Mr. Johnson of Amarillo is the guest in the Hood home this week.

Mrs. Ray Hood spent the week end with her aunt, Mrs. May of Colorado. Mrs. Walter Wilson was called to Sweetwater this week to attend the funeral of her niece.

Jas. McCullough, Walter Wilson

and Geo. Van Zandt left this week to see about their stock at Hereford.

Messrs Dudley, Clayton, Scholler and T. L. Adcock of Roscoe came via Spade one evening this week and had W. G. Adcock to show them the "ole fishin' hole" down on the river. They actually found it too, having caught 30 or 40 pounds of fish, and a three-foot eel, as proof.

On account of the death of "Dad" Crump, school was not out until Tuesday.

Sunday is church day. Rev. Farris will fill his regular appointment. So come out and let's give the pastor a nice big crowd, like Rev. Hanks had this month. It will make him feel better and you will feel better too. Don't think because its just you, you won't be welcome. You are needed.

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

ALSO HAVE FOR SALE TWO CAR LOADS OF HAY

### VARIES TRUCK'S WORK

Operating a motor truck to advantage is the paying investment of Henry Silverman of Woodston, N. J., a cattle dealer. When he is not transporting cattle in the Maxwell he is hauling potatoes. The cattle guard body holds 102 bushels of potatoes in bags.

### EARNS \$468 IN 26 DAYS

In the first 26 days Jordan & Buckley cleaned up \$468 with a motor truck in their express business. They are located in Salem, N. J. The Maxwell truck is used by this firm.

### PATRIOTIC ECONOMY

Fred R. Perrott, 136 McLeod street, Ottawa, Can., ran his car steadily for 3,900 miles, partly during winter weather. His gasoline consumption of 22 miles on the gallon is a fair Maxwell average.

### 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

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### Loyd A. White

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### CAMP TRAVIS NEWS BY PUBLICITY OFFICER

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

First Class Private John W. McGuire and Corporal R. H. Bennett report that they are both well and in fine shape this week. Since the fine rain here last week they have been a bit restless as it is now planting time and they both long to be pushing old Beck up and down the cotton rows.

Corporal Bennett has charge of the flower garden that flourishes around B Company's barrack. He is an ace high gardener, but we are afraid that we will have to remove him as the flowers make him think of home. We do not know just why it is but Ben thinks of home a whole lot these spring days. From all the signs it looks like we would have a chance to buy some spoons or furniture or something before long. All we have to say is that who ever signs up to live with old Ben for life will not be making a mistake. His batting average stays close around 500 all the time.

#### CALOMEL SALIVATES AND MAKES YOU SICK

##### Acts Like Dynamite on a Sluggish Liver and You Lose a Days Work

There's no reason why a person should take sickening, salivating calomel when a few cents buys a large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone—a perfect substitute for calomel.

It is a pleasant, vegetable liquid which will start your liver just as surely as calomel, but it doesn't make you sick and cannot salivate. Children and grown folks can take Dodson's Liver Tone, because it is perfectly harmless.

Calomel is a dangerous drug. It is mercury and attacks your bones. Take a dose of nasty calomel today and you will feel weak, sick and nauseated tomorrow. Don't lose a day's work. Take a spoonful of Dodson's Liver Tone instead and you will wake up feeling great. No more biliousness, constipation, sluggishness, headache, coated tongue or sour stomach. Your druggist says if you don't find Dodson's Liver Tone acts better than horrible calomel your money is waiting for you.

We had heard that there were some local rains over a part of Mitchell county and that the school children were so astonished that they had to have a thirty minute recess.

Here is hoping that Mitchell county has a bumper crop this year. We expect to bring the war to a close and return to gather it. We want to live in the land that flows with milk honey, once more.—Reporter.

There has been no ground glass found in the food served to Camp Travis soldiers. No Mennonite preachers are under arrest at Camp Travis on charge of disloyalty. This is the statement of Major General Henry T. Allen, commanding the 90th division at Camp Travis.

General Allen emphatically denies the rumors to the effect that many soldiers and their families have become ill as a result of eating food in which ground glass has been added presumably by alien enemies. Rumors had been current of the action of aliens in placing ground glass in food in all sections of the United States, but direct charges alleging detection of such work at Camp Travis had never been made until recently when an officer, formerly connected with the camp military police was given an authority.

Every instance reported to the 90th Division Headquarters has been thoroughly investigated. Every report was carefully traced down, but absolutely no grounds were found to warrant belief that ground glass had been placed in foods, nor has there been any case of illness that could be attributed to such a cause.

Parents of the thousands of soldiers at Camp Travis have been misled in believing that the soldiers were being fed food that contained ground glass. As a result numerous letters and telegrams have been received asking confirmation of rumors. In order to put at ease the minds of all persons interested in men at Camp Travis, General Allen has issued a flat denial of any of the statements made either as to ground glass or the de-

ention of Mennonite preachers within the camp on the grounds of disloyalty.

#### 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, liquifies the tough mucus and aids in its expectoration, allays the cough and aids Nature in restoring the system to a healthy condition. Ad

#### IATAN INKLINGS

We have had some rain, but not sufficient to plant. Grass is coming some in the low places, but will not amount to much unless we get more rain soon; but we are still living in hopes that we will get rain by the first of May.

The election of school trustees was held at Iatan, April 6, and Bob McNairy, E. B. Gregson and T. H. McKenny were elected.

Mrs. Baxter has been at Big Spring for some time, visiting her parents and also having her little son, Lloyd, treated, as he was quite sick for awhile, but is now recovered. They have returned home.

The new Methodist preacher, Bro. Hanks of Westbrook, filled his appointment here the second Saturday night. We welcome Bro. Hanks to our community and wish for him great success.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. McCress spent the day last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Rickard.

I guess the oil well people will go to drilling soon as they have an abundance of water in their tank.

#### 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

Save food or go on short rations.





# A CONVERSATION

## Between Mr. Doubtful and Mr. Right

**Mr. Doubtful:** "I don't see how I can buy any more Liberty Bonds. I bought all I could last fall. I'm not a rich man and I don't think it's fair or just to expect me to do anything more than I have done."

**Mr. Right:** "Let's see—your next-door neighbor's boy enlisted, didn't he?"

**Mr. Doubtful:** "Yes, he's over in France now. Mighty fine, stalwart boy, that!"

**Mr. Right:** "Exactly, and some day that splendid boy, the pride of his parents' hearts, may go 'over the top' in a gallant charge, stop a German bullet, and fall in the mud and debris of No Man's Land. Isn't that asking too much of him, and of his family? Is that 'fair'? Is that 'just'?"

**Mr. Doubtful:** "Why, it's awful, of course, but it can't be helped. This is war, and men have to be killed in it."

**Mr. Right:** "You've said it—this is war! To win the war it might be necessary for the government to take your factory away from you, and ruin your business. It might be necessary to take your house and turn you out in the street. What of that? Is that as great a sacrifice as your neighbor makes, or stands ready to make, when he gives his boy to his country? Yet you don't think it's your duty to pinch and save, and borrow if need be, in order to buy Liberty Bonds, and thus help shorten the war, make victory certain, and save the lives of thousands of American boys who will otherwise be uselessly sacrificed."

**Mr. Doubtful:** "I guess that's true, Mr. Right, I have been thoughtless. I'll stop complaining and criticizing, and put up my last dollar if need be, to help win this war."

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# The City National Bank

### FAMILIES OF SOLDIERS SHOULD NO GO TO CAMPS

Robt. C. Lowery, Division Publicity Officer at Camp Travis, has asked the newspapers of the state to give publicity to the following statement:

The fact that the cost of living in San Antonio is unusually high, coupled with the extremely crowded condition of the city with reference to the housing of visiting families, as compared to the other smaller cities of Texas and Oklahoma has led the Commanding General of the 90th Division at Camp Travis to take steps to discourage families of men in his command coming to San Antonio. Directly the effort is being made to discourage families of enlisted men reliant upon the soldiers small pay and the government allowance in coming to San Antonio.

There is no certainty as to the delivery of allotment checks. As a result the families of many enlisted men have suffered from hunger and cold. In many instances they have made calls upon local charities which have been unable to handle the large number of applicants.

Social workers have found that the conditions arising from the influx of soldiers' families have a tendency to endanger moral and health conditions. Frequently families are grouped together in houses and rooms without sufficient ventilation and sanitary arrangements. Much sickness has been caused thereby. Attention has also been directed to the temptations thrown in the way of those left in the

city without sufficient money to get away.

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

There is no work for transients in San Antonio. Manufacturers of which there are only a few and other business concerns do not care to employ soldier resistance because of the unreliability of the length of service. Therefore, even when parties have deserted work to stay they have been unable to get it.

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

### LEMONS WHITEN AND BEAUTIFY THE SKIN

Make This Beauty Lotion Cheapy For Your Face, Neck, Arms and Hands.

At the cost of a small jar of ordinary cold cream one can prepare a full quart pint of the most wonderful lemon skin softener and complexion beautifier, by queezing the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white. Care should be taken to strain the juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness and tan and is the ideal skin softener, whitener and beautifier.

Just try it! Get three ounces of orchard white at any drug store and two lemons from your grocer and make up a quart pint of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms and hands. It is marvelous to smoothen rough, red hands. Ad2

Just received a shipment of Screen Doors at Rockwell's Lumber Yard.

### ZEPPELIN'S LAST RAID SENSATIONAL, SPECTACULAR.

In the Zeppelin's Last Raid Thos. H. Ince has at last found a subject big enough to give full play to his wonderful genius for startling and tremendous "stage effects."

The opportunities for big sensational scenes in which hundreds of people appear before the camera; for great Zeppelin raids in which huge vultures of the sky hurl death and destruction on sleeping and defenseless cities; and for battle scenes the like of which have never before been staged, have been taken advantage of by the famous director with such telling effect that The Zeppelin's Last Raid will long be remembered as a mighty achievement on the art of motion picture production.

Manager Taylor of the opera house has secured this big Ince production and will show it two days, Tuesday and Wednesday, April 23-24. The admission will be 15 cents for children and 25 cents for adults. On Wednesday afternoon there will be a special matinee, commencing promptly at 4 o'clock, at which prices will be 10 and 20 cents.

### CONTESTING FOR RECORDS.

Student aviators at the various flying fields are so keenly jealous of the records made by other fields that new records for the day's work are being established frequently. Officials believe the competition is responsible for the splendid morale among fliers and the progress being made by them. One of the fields near Fort Worth, recently reported a total of 75,000 miles or three times around the world flown by the students in one day. American students are not being crowded through their training as fast as students of the other allies, every precaution being taken to qualify the man before he takes the air alone, so that accidents will be kept at a minimum. A statement showing the large number of men now in training and the distances flown by them probably will be issued soon to show the public that recent accidents represent only a small percentage of the men engaged in this important work. Recruiting for the aviation corps has been stopped temporarily because of the large number of men on the waiting list.

### "IT SURE SURPRISED ME" SAYS W. R. WADE

Overcome Troubles In a Week's Time Taking Tanlac and Is Back on the Job Again.

"It's the honest truth before I had taken this Tanlac a week I was well and strong enough to go back to work," said W. R. Wade, a well known resident of Winnfield, La., the other day.

"I had a very bad case of stomach trouble and rheumatism," he continued, "that knocked me out so I simply had to quit working. My stomach was in such an awful fix everything I would eat disagreed with me and made me miserable all the time. My limbs and joints would ache so I could hardly stand it and, in fact, for a whole month before taking Tanlac I wasn't able to put in a full day's work at all."

"One of my friends had been taking Tanlac and told me it had done him a world of good, so I got me a bottle to try. Well, sir, it sure surprised me, for I began to feel better right from the very first dose and before the week was out I was back on my job and have been working right along ever since like nothing had ever been the matter with me. I never saw anything in my life before to give such quick relief as this Tanlac, and I haven't had a single symptom of my trouble since I started on it."

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

### CUTHBERT CULLINGS

Mrs. Merritt, Mrs. Beal and Mrs. Coleman came to Cuthbert last Sunday for the purpose of organizing a Red Cross Auxiliary. On account of the disagreeable weather, only a small crowd was present, but they secured sixteen members.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Brown returned from Fort Worth last Saturday, where they visited their son Burr, who was in the soldiers' review.

Miss Ora Womack visited Mrs. H. P. Rogers last Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Roy Elkins is suffering with roseola.

Mrs. S. T. Tillson, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Goodwin, returned Sunday to her home in El Paso.

Mrs. J. H. Adkins of Lamesa visited her sister Mrs. J. M. Helton last week.

Mr. N. T. Womack is sick with the grippe this week.

Mr. Zeb Wood and family visited his sister Mrs. T. H. Smartt Monday. Miss Ethel Womack has a bad case of roseola.

### IT SHOULD MAKE A MILLION FOR HIM.

Cincinnati Man Discovers Drug That Loosens Corns so They Lift Out.

Good news spreads rapidly and druggists here are kept busy dispensing freezone, the recent discovery of a Cincinnati man, which is said to loosen any corn so it lifts out with the fingers.

A quarter of an ounce costs very little at any store which handles drugs, but this is said to be sufficient to rid one's feet of every hard or soft corn or callus.

You apply just a few drops on the tender, aching corn or toughened callus and instantly the soreness is relieved, and soon the corn or callus is so shriveled that it lifts out without pain. It is a sticky substance which dries when applied and never iritates or even irritates the surrounding skin.

This discovery will prevent thousands of deaths annually from lockjaw and infection heretofore resulting from the suicidal habit of cutting corns. Adv.

### FULLY EXPLAINED.

A tramp knocked at a farmer's door and asked for something to eat. "Are you a Christian?" asked the good-hearted countryman.

"Can't you tell?" answered the man "Look at the holes in the knees of my pants. What do they prove?"

The farmer's wife promptly brought out the food, and the tramp turned to go.

"Well, well!" exclaimed the farmer. "What made those holes in the back of your pants?"

"Back-sliding," replied the tramp as he hurried on.

### 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. Adv.

### HOW TO MEET LADY VOTERS.

Not many of our candidates have been bold enough to electioneer with the women voters as yet. There is really danger in the proceeding. If a candidate hands a woman a card, he thus evidences a belief that the woman is 21 years old, and this will give offense to most of our women. When in doubt, a candidate, in presenting his card to a dear young thing should say: "I know you are not old enough to vote; but please hand my card to your mother or sister." This will cinch at least one vote, and perhaps more. It will be well for the candidates to also provide different cards for the lady voters. A neat little card bordered in delicate shades of blue and pink and scented with a favorite brand of cologne would be better than the rough and ready kind of cards presented to the men.—Ex.

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

### 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.

We are authorized to announce M. CARTER 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 Democrat Primary in July.

We are authorized to announce B. O. JOYCE for the office of County Commissioner for Precinct No. 3 (re-election), 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.

### 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.

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.

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. PRITCHTT, 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

### DRAUGHON'S PRACTICAL Business College

Only well-known Business College in West Texas. Thousands of firms near our Employment Department than any other. Money-back contract guarantees position. Catalogue FREE.

And a new pair will be given to the wearer who finds PAPER in the heels, counters, soles or outside of any shoes made by the FRIEDMAN-SHELBY 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.

### 2 MOTOR Trucks 2

I have 2 motor trucks, will haul anything, anytime and anywhere. Do it quick and do it right.

Household Moving a Specialty. Can and will move anything Phone 156

M. H. ALLMOND THE 2 TRUCK MAN

RAINFALL FOR COLORADO THE LAST FOURTEEN YEARS

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

Table with columns for Year (1904-1918) and months (Jan-Dec) showing rainfall amounts in inches.

THE COLORADO RECORD AND DALLAS NEWS ONE YEAR \$1.75

COLORADO RECORD

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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.

Advertisement for W.S.S. (Woolen Socks) with text: \$91000000 Saved By December 31st. \$200 from every Person in Texas.

Three Buffalo nickels and one thin dime will help to break the Hindenburg line.

The bureau of crop estimates places a winter wheat crop condition at 86 per cent. The ten year average at this time of year is 83.6.

There are 2,000,000 pounds of potatoes on the sidings in Texas. They will rot if the people of Texas do not eat them and use them at once.

If you want a good paper in your own support it liberally. Don't criticize the home paper, if you fail to give the necessary support.

The Mergenthaler Linotype Co., of New York and New Orleans is one of the Record's creditors and this week received this kind letter, which we very much appreciate:

You are to be commended for standing up under the trying conditions to which your community has been subjected, and we know you are doing your very best, and no one can more.

The Record man in mixing and mingling with our country readers receives each week congratulations and words of encouragement on the different articles appearing in the paper.

This proves to our minds clearly they read every word in the paper and with but one single exception all seem to like and praise the Record.

At Tuesday and Wednesday and Friday matinee, the big Ince-Cular production, The Zeppelin's Raid, will be shown at opera

The winning of this war is the most important of all questions, not only of our own people, but of all the people of this world who really love liberty and have an intelligent conception of what democracy means, and stands for.

These thoughts have been suggested by reading the utterances by a class we are glad to say is not very numerous, but calculated to attract the attention, and give much comfort to the enemy, because of the prominence of the authors.

Ordinarily men giving "aid and comfort" to the enemy are called traitors, and are guilty of treason, but at present it seems these people claiming a monopoly of patriotism, wisdom and every thing else a people should possess, are traveling over the country, in editorials in their papers and in the United States Senate, giving utterance to much that "aids and comforts" Germany, and still they are tolerated.

We all recognize the man above all others, trying to discredit the administration is Theodore Roosevelt, at one time President of the United States, and why should he above all others go unrebuked? Having the greatest honor, serving as President of the greatest country in the history of the world, one would think he would be so jealous of her welfare that he, at least, would refrain from indulgence in criticism of those entrusted with handling the great problems of this war.

He is like some horses we've seen, whose natural gait is running away; he is like a fine cow, which, about the time she fills the pail with milk kicks it over; he is not like all Gauls, which Caesar describes in his commentaries when he says it is divided into three parts; in Roosevelt the gait is not divided, it is all in one part in him; he is the greatest egotist that ever lived, and this weakness will lead a man into all kinds of trouble.

Without military training he asked to be sent to Europe at the head of a great army; with three sons in the war he imagines he has contributed more than any one else to the prosecution of the war, when we have a widow in our town who has given as much (three sons) even more, because she has given her all.

We have much to be thankful for, but the one thing above all else, as a nation, we should be profoundly grateful that Theodore Roosevelt was not president of this country when this great world's war was precipitated upon us by Germany.

The American people are divided into two classes at this time in the way they are thinking, talking and acting, in regard to the administration. The one class, and fortunately a large majority, regardless of political allegiance to parties, are standing solidly behind the administration. The other, composed of kickers, knockers, carpers and critics, are giving to the enemy aid and comfort, and they should be suppressed regardless of methods necessary to this end.

What would we think of a friend who would be at all times finding fault with the way we were making a fight to save our liberty, our country and all that is dear to us as life itself? He would at least be a better friend, if he were not showing to the enemy our weakness. But no, the Roosevelt school shouting from the house tops, "Mistakes have been made!" which no intelligent man can deny. There has never been nor will there ever be any great question dealt with by man in which mistakes have not been and will not be made.

Let not the American people be disturbed by these vapors from these imaginary wisecracks. Under the guidance of Woodrow Wilson, the greatest intellect and biggest heart that ever was at the head of our government we will be piloted safely through to the end, which shall be Liberty, Justice and Mercy for the

down-trodden and oppressed of all the world.

SERVICES OF NEWSPAPERS

We take the subjoined excerpt from the Shreveport Times, relating to the part the newspapers are contributing to the war propaganda.

The Times refers to the fact that the newspapers are not even permitted to exchange advertisements with railroads for the right of a seat in a car. The following from the Times shows what the country newspapers are doing in giving so much space free:

"As secretary of the treasury, Mr. McAdoo has seen fit to commend the unselfish and patriotic work of the newspapers in donating to the government all the advertising space it needed for the promotion of undertakings vaster in scope than any nation has ever attempted—a service for which every other country at war is paying for in hard cash. This free gift to Mr. McAdoo's department is a greater burden upon the small newspapers than the large ones, which have better advertising patronage to sustain them.

The country papers of this state and every other state, we presume, are giving from one-fourth to one-half of the entire space reserved for news to the promotion of the various war objects. This is being done freely and unselfishly as a patriotic duty; but no other line of business is giving, or being called upon to give, its stock in trade to the government as a patriotic duty. Advertising space is the one thing newspaper men have to sell; their one source of profit. It is to them what automobiles are to the auto dealer; what dry goods are to the department store; what food is to the grocer."

The government through its different departments have had millions upon millions of the finest colored lithographed posters made and sent out all over the country, which have cost millions of dollars. Did they get this advertising free? Not on your life! It was not even done by the government printing office but was contracted to some big corporation, and we venture, at a liberal price. While the country newspapers did more and better advertising and got nothing for it.

A RELIEF BILL IN NAME ONLY.

Reports indicate that most of the counties in West Texas are declining to take to the so-called Drouth Relief Bill, passed by the last legislature, one of the biggest jokes ever put over on the West by the East Texas lawmakers. As one fellow points out, it may be likened to the case of the drowning man appealing to his fellows on the shore to save him; and they inform the poor sucker that if he can furnish a rope they will pull him ashore.

It is natural that the state should be pleased to see all counties take to the bill, as it would permit the State to lend its money at four per cent interest on gilt-edge security, while the counties would be left to hold the sack. It makes no provisions to permit the counties to levy special taxes to meet the deficit, should another crop failure hit us; but insists that the counties must pay the entire loan with interest within two years.

One of the worst features of the bill is that no provision is made to furnish food for the farmer and his family; and to simply furnish feed for the teams and seed for planting. From this it would be expected that the farmer and his family should live on air until another crop is produced. Everything he has, or expects to make is tied up to the State for the loan, hence the merchant cannot sell him supplies with absolutely no security.

It is to be regretted that our short-sighted lawmakers could not have seen that it would have been a patriotic duty to have extended relief to the drouth-stricken portion of Texas at this time, and not to fool the people with a so-called relief bill. Why couldn't the State have assumed the responsibility, in case of another crop failure, and not expect those who are bending under a load from the past failures, to shoulder an additional burden?

The passage of this bill is one of the best evidences that could be produced that the East Texas politician predominates the Texas legislature. It is a sop given to the West, a perfect camouflage. The Ethiopian in the cord of wood is so plainly apparent that most of the counties of West Texas could see him with their eyes shut.

Over in East Texas, where they farm with a one-eyed mule and a Georgia stock, 60 acres is a big farm, and if it goes three weeks without rain, they are drouth stricken. Out here in the unbounded west, there are plenty of farmers' wives who can cultivate 60 acres in one corner of her husband's farm, to make her pin money, so the 60 acre clause in the

bill knocks out nine tenths of the West Texas farmers.

West Texas will never get her just dues until the state is divided and we can have our own government for West Texas, by West Texas people—people who know this country and its needs.

It seems now that Senator Claude Hudspeth will have no serious opposition in his race for congress. Claude is personally known to nearly every West Texas stockman and as a whole they will support him. He knows them and knows what they need, and they know him and know what he can and will do for them, so the connection stands.—Sterling City Record.

Hold on! Bro. Kellis, not so fast. Have you not heard of Zach Lamar Cobb? He may not be "serious" opposition but when Mr. Hudspeth beats him he will know that he has been in a race. It is already predicted here that Cobb will carry El Paso by a large majority, which is also Hudspeth's home. A Cobb club will soon be organized in Colorado and more than 75 per cent of the vote here will join this club, for back yonder in the Conningham-Smith campaign, Mitchell county then told Cobb that if they ever had an opportunity to repay him, they would do so, and now that opportunity has come. Yes, Bro. Kellis, we believe that Mr. Hudspeth has "serious" opposition.

WILL LAUNCH SHIP EVERY 10 DAYS AFTER MAY 15

Hoboken, N. J., April 15.—The first ship constructed at the government's request by the United States Steel Corporation, will be launched at Newark, N. J., by the middle of May and the corporation's two yards at Mobile, Ala., and Newark, will be prepared to turn out a completed ship every ten days, Elbert H. Gary, chairman of the corporation, announced at the annual meeting of the stockholders.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

FOR SALE—Good, well-grown tomato plants, ready to set out. See or phone Mrs. W. A. Dozier. 1tp

WANTED—Salesman to handle our line in Colorado and vicinity. Good proposition. Write Grand Union Tea Co., Denver, Colorado. 1tp

WANTED—Some good farmers to rent land for 3rd and 4th, or on halves, or to work for wages. Will furnish the right kind of man. No chronic kickers about the wind, sandstorms or dry weather will be considered. See W. W. Watson, Phone 446 Colorado, Texas.

FOR SALE.—All kinds of nice tomato plants for sale. I also have some of the little yellow bell tomato plants. See or phone Dr. B. F. Dulaney.

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 Burkhardt'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 419p

Advertisement for O. LAMBETH Grain, Hay, Feed, Fuel, Wood and Coal, Cotton Seed Products and All Kinds Feed, Largest Stock in Town, Meet All Competition, Want Business 'Nuf Said.

Advertisement for Ford BEST EQUIPPED GARAGE IN THE WEST, All the latest and best machinery installed to do the work. Skilled Mechanics Who Know How. Bring Us Your Car Troubles. The public invited to visit our Garage and see the new machinery all motor driven. 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.

Advertisement for 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 ELLAGENE FARM, ALDINE, TEXAS.

Advertisement for 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.

Thursday ladies went to afternoon visit Branch there plained the w... Mrs. S demonstrated Merritt urged part. It was profitable after Saturday at lightful 42 pa money for Red was tastefully red crosses and men. The society with blue, center. Mrs. treasurer, and cents on enteri ed by the hoste Smoot, Arnett, and Stonerod. passed by Miss who punched fo were played by players. At the punch and wa were cleared fo Sunday Mrs. Coleman, Mrs. I went to Cuthb Red Cross Aux Society. Mr. good congrega for Red Cross w organized an A members, all of dues. Miss M made chairma Secretary; and treasurer. Mrs. Savings and wit ganize a society Mr. Beman i Claud Womack are a member of come in to both of The surgical o again open, a lar being been rec workers are v

Life Was Mis Mrs. F. Palmer, Ok "From t tered into ... I look from one next. I su back and pain, until a misery. I could no pain any gradually g Nothing see me until, o I decided to TA CAR The Wom "I took Mrs. Jones say, "and greatly reli truthfully s not a pain. "It has years since and I am health. . . vise any v to use Ca sufferer fro trouble. . . A woma if you feel good stre to build up system, ta of Mrs. Jo dul. It hel believe it v All D

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

BY MRS. A. L. WHIPKEY

Offer a favor upon the Record and the editor of this department will 'phone her (No. 157) any announcement or news item

### RED CROSS NEWS.

Thursday afternoon a crowd of ladies went to Loraine and spent the afternoon visiting with the Red Cross Branch there. Mrs. Lee Jones explained the work of the woman's department. Mrs. Hooper showed just how the hospital garments should be made. Mrs. Smoot and Miss Earnest demonstrated the knitting, and Mrs. Merritt urged ever woman to do her part. It was a most pleasant and profitable afternoon for all.

Saturday at the club rooms, a delightful 42 party was given to raise money for Red Cross funds. The hall was tastefully decorated with flags, red crosses and pictures of our great men. The score cards were white, tied with blue, with a red cross in the center. Mrs. John Arnett acted as treasurer, and each guest paid 35 cents on entering. They were greeted by the hostesses, Mesdames Looney Smoot, Arnett, Con Harness, Merritt and Stoneroad. The score cards were passed by Misses Prude and Arnett who punched for the nine games that were played by the eighteen tables of players. At the close of the games punch and wafers were served. \$35 were cleared for the Chapter.

Sunday Mrs. Stoneham Beal, Mrs. Coleman, Mrs. Merritt and Rev. Duff went to Cuthbert and organized a Red Cross Auxiliary and War Saving Society. Mr. Duff preached to a good congregation, then made a plea for Red Cross work and Mrs. Merritt organized an Auxiliary of sixteen members, all of whom paid their dues. Miss Minnie Womack was made chairman; Mrs. W. C. Berry, Secretary; and Miss Lucy Bozeman treasurer. Mrs. Beal talked on War Savings and with Mr. Duff's help, organized a society of twenty-six, with Mr. Beman president and Mr. Claude Womack secretary. There are a number of others who expect to come to both organizations soon.

The surgical dressing rooms are again open, a large amount of gauze having been received Tuesday. All workers are urged to give at least

one afternoon a week to this, as 6000 dressings is the limit set for the month.

### KINGS DAUGHTERS

AND STUDY COURSE.  
The Kings Daughters Class met Thursday with Mrs. M. K. Jackson, Mrs. W. L. Doss presiding. The usual business was conducted and a delightful social session enjoyed by an unusually large number.

The Methodist Mission Study Class met Monday in the church and finished their book, An African Trail, which has been very interesting and instructive. At the close of the lesson a debate; Resolved that the contact of white civilization in Africa (apart from missionary influence) has done more harm than good—was given by Mrs. Leslie and Mrs. Merritt. Both sides had good arguments and both claimed victory.

### U. D. C. MEETING.

The Robert E. Lee Chapter U. D. C. met Tuesday with Mrs. Merritt. Plans for Decoration Day, also for the raising of a county service flag, were discussed, and committees appointed to see the city authorities about a patriotic celebration. The study was upon Germany's objects in this war, and her methods of obtaining them. The time of meeting was changed from four to five o'clock. Mrs. J. L. Shepherd will be the next hostess. Mrs. Henry Doss was the only guest. Refreshments of veal loaf, slaw, corn biscuits and coffee were served.

### THE CLUBS.

Mrs. Marcus Snyder was hostess for the Standard last week. The regular program was carried out:

Roll call, current history. Browning's "The Blot on the Scutcheon," Act II, Mrs. Coleman. Literature, Villari, Mrs. Prude. Reading, selections from letters of Mrs. Browning, Mrs. Smoot. After the lesson the hostess took them to the Barcroft where a dinner had been prepared for them.

The Hesperian met with Mrs. W. L. Doss. Lesson was Colombe's Birthday, Act II, leader Mrs. Sam Wulfjen. Papers by Mrs. Whitmore and Miss Dry. It was decided to have a picture show benefit Friday night for the club's war work. A good picture and several specialties will be given for the usual price, 20c. Mrs. Winn, first vice president for the ensuing year, was made president to take the place of Mrs. Jerold Riordan, who resigned. Mrs. J. M. Doss became first vice president, and Mrs. Whitmore was elected second vice. Mrs. Jackson, by request read the federation song she had composed and it was voted to have it published in the Record.

The Merry Wives met this week with Mrs. Earl Jackson. Her guests were Mrs. J. H. Greene, W. L. Doss, F. B. Whipkey, Jas. Coughran of Sweetwater, and Mrs. Cooksey. The club decided to do Red Cross work on Mondays and Thursdays, and to work on their Red Cross quilts Wednesday. Mrs. Greene gave them a check for \$2 to apply on Red Cross work. A delicious salad course with iced tea was served as refreshments. The club meets next week with Mrs. Grantland.

### FIFTH GRADE PROGRAM.

Last Friday afternoon was the time for the fifth grade to entertain their parents, the public and the balance of the school. The program was well rendered, all of the little fellows doing exceedingly well. Quite a number of visitors were present, who enjoyed every number. The program was as follows:

- Wake-up Time, Fifth Grade.
- Seein' Things at Night—Jack Hale Song—Frances Dulaney.
- Courtin' in Kentucky—Leonora Ehrlich.
- An Oration—Geo Edward Stowe.
- You Can't Guess What He Wrote On My Slate—Four Boys, Four Girls.
- The Rip Saw—Robert Whipkey.
- A Bag of Beans—Leonora Ehrlich.
- Tableau, characters, Clyde Webb, Clyde Smith, Mary Lee Crowder.
- (a) The Awakening of Spring—Four Children.
- (b) The Dance of Spring—Twelve Children.
- (a) The Crowning of Spring—Seventeen Children.
- (b) The Maypole Dance—Twelve Children.

### DEATH OF W. H. POND.

All Colorado was made to feel sad on Friday last, when it was announced that W. H. Pond had died. Mr. Pond was a very large, strong man, but was afflicted with "Bright's Disease" a dreaded malady. Some months ago he went to Mineral Wells for relief and from there was taken to the Temple sanatorium. After a short stay there he was sent home, the doctors saying they could give him no relief. After a few short weeks of lingering illness the end came on Friday last.

Funeral services were held at the residence by the pastor, Rev. W. P. Garvin, as Mr. Pond was a consistent member of the Methodist church, after which the body was laid to rest in the Odd Fellows cemetery, there to wait the awakening of resurrection morn.

W. H. Pond was 57 years of age, and at the time of his death was one of the rural mail carriers. He came to Mitchell county in 1899 and bought a farm out in the Rogers community. A few years ago he sold this farm and moved to town.

Mr. Pond was a good man, quiet, unassuming and the soul of honor.

He is survived by a wife, a daughter, Mrs. Ocie Green, and five sons, Everett and Henry of El Paso, and Earl, Harry and James of Colorado. All were present at the time of his death. Earl will take his father's place on the mail route, at least for the present.

To the family we would quote, "as the cheering, gloom-dispelling sunlight that awakens to life the new born day, and fills the swelling throats of God's feathered songsters with paeons of gladness; so is the memory of him who has passed from our midst to the great, illimitable beyond; all the soft cadence of sweetest music was in his voice; all the sunshine of a perfect day in his smile.

The Record has lost in this good man a true friend, and with a host of others, we extend true sympathy to the bereaved family and friends.

### P. W. CRUMP IS CALL HOME.

On Friday last, death again visited our community and took from us our aged friend and brother, W. P. Crump of the Spade community. Mr. Crump was eighty-five years old and had lived an honorable and useful life. He was sick only a few days, but had seemingly lived out his allotted time on earth, and was called to his reward.

Mr. Crump came from Missouri to Texas in an early day and settled in Comanche county; he moved from there to Mitchell county in 1896, settling in the Spade community, where he lived until his death. He was a Confederate veteran and served his country under General Price. He was a Mason, faithful to his order and affiliated with Mitchell lodge in 1898. He was a member of the Methodist church, and in his younger days was attentive in all church work. His only son, Bob Crump, was wired to in Arizona, but could not come, so the funeral was not held until Monday evening, when the body was interred in the Odd Fellows cemetery, beneath a bank of flowers and many tears.

Mr. Crump leaves to mourn, one son and five daughters—Bob Crump, in Arizona; Mrs. W. A. Rice of Miama; Mrs. Venice; Mrs. Adeock; Misses Pina and Lidia Crump, all of Colorado.

The funeral was conducted by the Masons, his brothers, the beautiful masonic honors being conferred by C. M. Adams acting Worshipful Master.

At all times, under all circumstances he walked in the path of righteousness and when fully conscious that he was nearing the last of earth, he appeared fully impressed with the idea that at the end of time eternity began, and that the bright faith which sustained him during his hours of suffering would only grow brighter as he journeyed toward the Infinite, and the final gloom of death be dispelled by the radiance of God's love.

With the many friends made thru long years of upright living, and with the sorrowing loved ones, the Record bows to the will of God, and would in feeble words express sympathy to those who mourn the departure of this good man.

William Russell, athletic star of the screen, hero of a hundred fights to the death in as many tight corners, has his most sensational encounter in the new American-Mutual production—New York Life—a fight that starts while he and his antagonist are a smashing knockout in the elevator cable in a narrow shaft, and ends in a smashing knockout in the elevator cage. This picture will be shown here Saturday night.

Now is the time to get your doors at Rockwell's Lumber Yd.

# Woman, the Super-Force of the Nation

**T**IMES of war are times of need! The Government requires shirts and socks as well as soldiers and ships. Men and money are not more essential than materials. And the greatest of these is food.

Woman is a trained provider. She buys the supplies of the household most often. Provisioning is her particular province—and in this direction she may now be most helpful to her country.

She may eliminate waste in her home—she may install saving methods in cookery. She may even raise and preserve her own fruits and vegetables—if she chooses.

But one of her first duties is to eliminate the time consuming unnecessary drudgery of housework.

Electric service will do it!

In the whole realm of woman's work, from the earliest dawn of civilization to the present time, there has been no uplifting influence greater than that contributed by electricity.

The time saved by using electric service enables womankind to devote herself to the needs of her country.

Multiply your usefulness! Delegate the detail of your housework to that ever-ready, ever-willing servant ELECTRICITY by enlisting its benefits in your home today!

# West Texas Electric Co.

### DEATH OF WESLEY DEAREN

On last Thursday, Wesley Dearen, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dearen, who live down near Seven Wells, was brought into the sanitarium, to be operated on for appendicitis. He was operated on Saturday evening at 5 o'clock and died Sunday morning, it being a very complicated and aggravated case.

The body was laid to rest Monday at the Odd Fellows cemetery. The service was held by the pastor of the Methodist church, Rev. W. P. Garvin. Wesley was 15 years of age, and the idol of a mother's heart.

Much has been taken from these parents and a large circle of friends; sweet ties have been severed, but much is left. The christian's hope and fadeless memories are still theirs.

Death, is always sad, but when a young man, just entering upon the sea of life, with the expectation of long life, filled with happiness and success, is cut down in his youth, it is doubly hard to bear.

The Record, with many friends of these good people sympathize with them in the loss of this noble boy.

### COLORED SCHOOL CLOSED FRIDAY.

Last Friday night marked the closing of the colored public school in Colorado, with Mrs. Eula Fowler as teacher. The closing exercises ended with a concert given by the pupils on Friday night. The children showed good training and in some cases ability in a marked degree. The singing was especially fine, and the numbers on the program "Oh Mary, Don't You Weep" and "Baptizing in the Jordan" received loud and long applause, especially from the white citizens present. The whole program was carried out in a pleasing and interesting manner and showed to the large crowd present, careful training on the part of the teacher. A good crowd was present, the greater part being whites. The proceeds derived from the admission charges will be used toward a library for the colored school. This is Mrs. Fowler's third term here and she has been re-elected for next year. The board is fortunate in securing a colored teacher with the ability and discipline that Mrs. Fowler possesses. She will remain here several weeks visiting her parents, John Wallace, before she returns to her home at Denton, where her husband is also a teacher.

Don't miss Zeppelin's Last Raid at opera house next Tuesday and Wednesday and Wednesday matinee.

### RED CROSS ANNOUNCEMENTS.



#### 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.

#### Knitting Class.

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."

#### Surgical Dressings.

Workers in the surgical dressings department will please notice that the gauze has come, and the work rooms of this department will be open every afternoon, except Saturday. All former workers urged to be in their places. More workers are greatly needed. Won't you come?

On Saturday last Little Maxine Root, daughter of Dr. C. L. Root was operated on at the Colorado Sanitarium by local physicians. This was a very complicated case but little Maxine is doing nicely, and is rapidly recovering. This is a good demonstration that the home sanitarium can take care of home cases, and shows that Dr. Root has faith in the home surgeons and the sanitarium's ability to care for the cases, or he would never have risked the life of his own daughter.

Saving is a matter of habit—Get the habit.

Rev. W. C. Garrett of Colorado is in a meeting with Pastor C. D. Potts at Friona, in Parmer county, between Clevis and Amarillo on the Santa Fe. Thirteen had been converted up to Sunday. Bro. Garrett is to go to Bovina to help Pastor Potts the latter part of this week and next.—Western Evangel.

A letter from Mrs. A. L. Whipkey who is in Fort Worth, on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Bert Robertson, says it had been raining there for two days and nights, and that she had seen more water on the streets in two days than she had seen in Colorado in two years. She says the review was too big to be taken in at one time and that it was a wonderful and inspiring sight. She is in Dallas this week with her niece, Mrs. E. F. Medaniel, and will probably not return home for a week or two.

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

"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.

Bring us your prescriptions

# Charters & Sadler The Druggists

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

### WESTBROOK ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. A. Petty and Miss Hattie, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Smith and Children, Mrs. J. L. Felker and Pauline, and Floriede Hooper, took dinner Sunday and started for Sterling City; (we rather think they were hunting Peekapoo) for a day's outing. On account of the sandstorm they were forced to turn back. They returned by the way of Mr. I. C. Sheffield's and arrived just in time to take shelter and spread dinner. The sand continued to blow hard all day, and they were unable to return home until late in the evening.

Miss Gladys Westfall of Coahoma spent last week with friends and relatives in Westbrook.

Miss Maude Arteburn left Tuesday for her home at Grapevine, after spending several days here as guests of Mrs. J. T. Candler.

Mrs. Jim Moore returned home the last part of the week from a visit with relatives on the plains.

A. M. Bell was a business visitor in Sterling Wednesday.

Little Billie Golden of the U ranch was in town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Simpson opened their doors to the young people Friday night, and all spent a pleasant evening in playing games.

E. S. Hudson and son, Basil and W. H. Rogers made a prospecting trip to the plains, near Seminole, last week. They liked the country, at least part of it, but no investment was made by either party.

Mesdames W. E. Donaldson and Jim Moore were called to Big Spring Tuesday, to the bedside of their father, J. H. Boatler.

The Westbrook school closed Friday. The closing exercises will be held at the auditorium Friday night, April 19th.

Miss Hattie Davis was hostess the younger set, Saturday night. A large crowd of young people were in attendance, and enjoyed themselves until a late hour.

A. M. Bell and Jim Oliver left Monday for the plains.

### GIRLS! HAVE WAVY, THICK, GLOSSY HAIR FREE FROM DANDRUFF

Save Your Hair! Double Its Beauty in a Few Moments—Try This!

If you care for heavy hair, that glistens with beauty and is radiant with life; has an incomparable softness and is fluffy and lustrous, try Dandergine.

Just one application doubles the beauty of your hair, besides it immediately dissolves every particle of dandruff; you cannot have nice, heavy, healthy hair if you have dandruff. This destructive scurf robs the hair of its lustre, its strength and its very life, and if not overcome it produces a feverishness and itching of the scalp; the hair roots famish, loosen and die; then the hair falls out fast.

If your hair has been neglected and is thin, faded, dry, scraggy or too oily, get a small bottle of Knowlton's Dandergine at any drug store or toilet counter, for a few cents; apply a little as directed and ten minutes after you will say this was the best investment you ever made.

We sincerely believe, regardless of everything else advertised, that if you desire soft, lustrous, beautiful hair and lots of it—no dandruff—no itching scalp and no more falling hair—you must use Knowlton's Dandergine. If eventually—why not now? Adv5

### ROAD BOND MONEY READY.

The Mitchell County Road Bonds have been received from Austin and are now here in the banks. The attorney for the bond buyers has been notified and will be here today (Friday) to check up the bonds and pay the money. Work can now be commenced, as soon as the commissioners decide to do so.

### OUR BOYS "OVER THERE" ENJOY TOASTED CIGARETTES.

Through the patriotism of the citizens of this country thousands of smoke kits are being distributed to American soldiers in France. Authorities agree that men in the trenches need cigarettes almost as much as food and munitions.

Doctors, nurses, and commanding officers all join in the demand which has awakened in this country a great movement to keep our boys supplied with smokes.

Millions of the famous LUCKY STRIKE Cigarettes are "going over" all the time. There's something about the idea of the toasted cigarette that appeals to the men who spend their time in cold, wet trenches and billets.

Then, too, the real Kentucky Burley tobacco of the LUCKY STRIKE cigarette gives them the solid satisfaction of a pipe, with a lot less trouble.

Food will win the war—produce it.

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Racine Country Road and Multi-Mile Cord tires—Extra-Tested through every step in their construction—bring extra tire value to the man who seeks the utmost in automobile utility. The Extra Tests are your assurance of more miles and more all round satisfaction.

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The Extra Test for perfect fabric; the Extra Test for tensile strength; the Extra Test for rubber fitness; for accurate compound; for "frictioning"; for carcass smoothness; for tread proportion; for even cure; for general wearability. And one inspector works with every seven tire builders to insure the uniformly high quality of each tire.

Each Extra Test shows in long time service. Each means better tire service for you. You'll know a new standard of tire value when you know Racine Country Road or Multi-Mile Cord Tires. Also red or gray tubes.

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### DEFENDS ROOSEVELT.

There are many able patriots both in the Senate and house, and statesmen in the Republican party, without whose help the appropriation bills and measures of President Wilson could not be passed. But Col. Roosevelt is not one of these. He has done more mischief than a dozen Tom Watsons, and LaFollettes, and it has been a wonder that his seditious writings have not been suppressed.—From the Colorado Record, April 12.

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.

The Dallas News erroneously stated that an inch of rain had fallen in Mitchell county. The next day one of our business men received a letter from his wholesale house saying, "now that you have had copious rains we will thank you for a substantial remittance. We have been glad to carry your account through the drought but now that the rains have come it is different."

Yours truly,  
C. H. EARNEST.

### MAMMA! DON'T YOU SEE YOUR CHILD IS SICK, CONSTIPATED

Look at Tongue! Move Poisons from Liver and Bowels at Once.

Mother! Your child isn't naturally cross and peevish. See if tongue is coated; this is a sure sign its little stomach, liver and bowels need a cleansing at once.

When listless, pale, feverish, full of cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't eat, sleep or act naturally, has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, remember, a gentle liver and bowel cleansing should always be the first treatment given.

Nothing equals "California Syrup of Figs" for children's ills; give a teaspoonful, and in a few hours all the fecal waste, sour bile and fermenting food which is clogged in the bowels passes out of the system, and you have a well and playful child again. All children love this harmless, delicious "fruit laxative," and it never fails to effect a good "inside" cleansing. Directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups are plainly on the bottle.

Keep it handy in your home. A little given today saves a sick child tomorrow, but get the genuine. Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," then look and see that it is made by the California Fig Syrup Co."

Save two-bits and give old Wilhelm a case of fits.

Teach the children to buy thrift stamps.

### OUR LINE OF DEFENSE

It is a moment of tense nerves—ready to slip out of the trench at the word of command—and at the enemy. Our men on the firing line are physically fit for military service because only about one man out of five was chosen to endure the hardships of this fearful war. But we must not be content with 20 per cent. in physical health of our American youth. We cannot afford to lose four men out of five because of physical unfitness. Such weaknesses can be cured. Many times the kidneys are to blame.

If the kidneys are clogged with toxic poisons you suffer from stiffness in the knees in the morning on arising, your joints seem "rusty," you may have rheumatic pains, pain in the back, stiff neck, headaches, sometimes swollen feet, or neuralgic pains—all due to uric acid or toxic poisons stored in the blood and which should be swept out.

Then procure at your nearest drug store Anuric (double strength). The cost is 60 cents. This An-uric drives the uric acid out. Drink plenty of pure water, take Anuric three times a day for a month.

Send Doctor Pierce, Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., 10 cts. for trial package.

DAWSON, TEXAS.—For the benefit of others, I gladly give this statement regarding the merits of Dr. Pierce's Anuric Tablets. Am nearly 70 years of age, suffered from backache, weak kidneys, rheumatism, and could not control the kidneys. I can safely say that Anuric, the new discovery of Dr. Pierce, has done me more real good than anything I have ever taken for these ailments.—MRS. N. M. FLINT.

QUAY, OKLA.—"My bowels were constipated, joints were stiff, ankles and feet swollen, and I had pain in hips and knees. I realized that I had uric acid in the system and sent for a trial package of Anuric. I then got three or four packages of the Anuric Tablets and also started taking the 'Pleasant Pellets' regularly. Now I am free from pain, the joints have limbered up, and I am enjoying very good health for an old man seventy-nine years of age.—MARION SPENCER.



PATRIOTS

**WAKING FROM COLD**  
 You shiver in frosty weather, if you have cold hands and feet, if colds are stubborn and frequent, then your blood is thin and impoverished.

**SCOTT'S EMULSION**

It has been correcting this condition for nearly fifty years. It possesses rare powers for creating natural body warmth, for charging summer blood with winter richness and strengthening both throat and lungs.

The Norwegian cod liver oil in Scott's Emulsion is now refined in our own American laboratories which makes it pure and palatable. Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J. 17-12

**LOCAL NOTES**

The next draft, April 26th, will call out eight more Mitchell county boys.

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

Born, on Sunday last to Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Givens, a fine 10 pound boy. This is their third child. We thought Harry was acting rather strange until we heard this news, which explains everything.

The big attraction at opera house next Tuesday and Wednesday.

Albert Wilson had the misfortune one day last week to lose a very fine milk cow from milk fever. The young calf also died. He had repeatedly refused \$75 for her.

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

On Saturday last Mr. J. P. Hunter, up on the Snyder route, was attacked with a light stroke of paralysis. It seemed at one time to be of a serious nature, but soon passed away, and he seemingly is all right since.

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

Sam Jordan's concrete front is assuming shape and one thing can be said that Sam is putting on a bold front.

**To Cure a Cold in One Day.**  
 Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. It stops 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. 30c.

Joe Bird, candidate for commissioner, was seen in town Saturday electioneering with the ladies.

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

J. S. Muns, out north of the mountain, reports a good rain, and will plant plenty of kaffir to whip the kaiser, and to eat at home.

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

T. B. Cowan, who lives up the river is one of the farmers who planted, and reports his feed coming up. Mr. Cowan has land prepared for ten acres of sweetpotatoes.

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

J. W. Gross, who planted after the light rain two weeks ago, and then got a shower again on last Saturday, reports his feed coming up nicely and with a good stand.

**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.

**WELL DRILLING**

I am still in the well drilling business. Will go anywhere any time and put down your well any depth. I will make most any kind of well. See or Phone

**CLAUD BELL**  
 WESTBROOK, TEXAS

J. M. Helton out at Cuthbert, reports no rain at all, but is putting his last dollar on a big rain in April.

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

Jim Bodine and Sam Curry, Buford twins, were in Saturday and reported a good little rain, but not enough to plant on.

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

J. R. Coon, an irrigationist, down the river, was here Saturday and as a joke someone told him the river was half bank full, and he walked down to the bridge, only to see a dry river bed. Mr. Coon is a partner with and a neighbor to Pat Murphy.

**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 nor ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. 30c.

A. J. Culpepper, was in from Westbrook last Saturday and cautioned the Record man not to report rain at Westbrook until he notified us, promising to do so as soon as the big April rain came.

W. P. Bassham, on the Wulfjen ranch predicts a good year for 1918. Mr. Bassham is buying bonds and getting ready for a big crop.

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.

W. D. Baker, who lives on the R. H. Looney place, says he will not plant until it rains. He tried dry planting last year and planted four times with no results; so this year he says he will wait for the big April rains.

How about screening in that porch? Rockwell's got the screen wire and doors.

Pat Murphy (nicknamed Connor Murphy), down on the Phenix farms, has his big pump ready for irrigation when the water comes down the river.

**Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days.**  
 Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. The first application gives Ease and Rest. 50c.

L. P. Brintle down on Route 3 has given up the fight and left last Saturday with his family to make a new home at Grannis, Ark. The Record will visit him weekly, until his return to Colorado, which we look for next fall.

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

Mrs. J. J. Jackson and son, Richard, left last week for San Angelo on a visit to her oldest daughter, Mrs. R. B. Hudson of that place.

John McGuire, at Camp Travis, sends in a Liberty Bond dollar for the Record. John is now in Motor Co. B, 315th supply train.

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

W. A. Rice has again moved from Amarillo to Miami, Texas. He went from here to Lamesa, then to Arkansas, then to Amarillo, and now to Miami; no doubt his next move will be back to Colorado.

Ward Gross of Snyder, now an angel of Commerce was here on Tuesday, visiting the trade and found it rather dry.

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

If you want to see something, grand sublime, spectacular—see Zeppelin's Last Raid next Tuesday and Wednesday at opera house.

How a'out Screen Doors at Pockwell's Lumber Yard.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Davis and children motored over from Abilene and spent Sunday with friends here.

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.

Rev. Guy B. Duff is absent this week attending the session of the El Paso Presbytery at Post City, going as a representative from the Presbyterian church here. Mr. Duff is clerk and treasurer of the Presbytery. He will return in time to fill his pulpit here on Sunday.

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.

Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Arnett, motored to Sweetwater Monday to visit their brother, Mr. John Arnett, who is there in the sanitarium.

**FOR CONGRESS.**  
 I am a candidate for Congress subject to the Democratic primaries. For Women Suffrage. Was Wilson delegate at Baltimore. Was Wilson Collector of Customs at El Paso. Resigned to run for Congress. PLATFORM—100 per cent. Americanism; Stand by the President; Help Whip the Kaiser.—ZACH LAMAR COBB.

**NOTICE!**  
 I hereby call a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Democratic party of Mitchell county next Saturday, April 20th at the court house in Colorado, at 3 o'clock, p. m. I hope all members will be present as we have some important business that needs attention.

J. C. HALL,  
 Chairman Executive Committee of Democratic Party of Mitchell Co.

**LAUNDRY NOTICE.**  
 The Dozier Barber Shop has taken over the laundry business for Colorado. Phone 266 and all laundry will be collected up on Monday and Wednesday of each week. Get your laundry ready and phone 266, we'll do the rest, and guarantee satisfaction. All work will be absolutely for cash on delivery.—DOZIER BROS.

The government at Washington wrote the Local Examining Board here to find and secure offices for the Board, free of rent. As soon as this was made known to the City National Bank, that bank very promptly, generously and patriotically by the Board, free of rent so long as needed by the government. This is a splendid suit of offices, south and east exposure, light and airy, steam heated, and all modern conveniences. Mrs. Brooks Bell, who is chief clerk for the Board, says she is very glad that the offices were retained, as she is well pleased with the conveniences, and the pleasant place to work.

Dr. B. F. Dulaney returned home on Monday from attending the State Dental Society held this year at San Antonio. He was joined here by Dr. Happle of Big Spring. Dr. Dulaney reports an enthusiastic meeting with 70 new members joining. The next place of meeting is left with the executive board.

**TWO MORE MITCHELL CO. BOYS VOLUNTEER**

Last week Mr. Lon McGuire volunteered for the United States army and selected as his field of action the ordinance department, and went to Fort Bliss, at El Paso, to take up his duties.

Wooten W. Jeffress, a boy raised in Colorado, but recently holding a responsible position in a Galveston bank, came in home Friday to see his parents, before joining the colors. He volunteered for the aviation work and left Sunday for the Ellington field at Houston, where he will learn to be a bird man.

Billie Moeser, Jr., writes from Globe, Arizona: "On account of moving from Miami to this place, I have been unable to get the last two issues of your paper, and as that is the only way I can keep up with the town would like for you to send me the last two issues to box 868, Globe, Arizona. I have been transferred from Miami as Assistant Clerk to cashier here, so would like for you to note change in address. Am not specially stuck on this country, and if I don't get my home town paper will not stay here long."

**For Indigestion, Constipation or Biliousness**  
 Just try one 50-cent bottle of LAX-POS WITH PEP-SIN. A Liquid Digestive Laxative pleasant to take. Made and recommended to the public by Paris Medicine Co., manufacturers of Laxative Bromo Quinine and Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic.

I almost kissed it—I mean the Colorado Record. It came to me here at Bovina and I was so glad to see it, that I did not stop till I read it all: I am here with Pastor C. D. Potts in a meeting, which is moving off nicely. We closed a good short meeting at Friona and came here to find the revival fire already burning. I may get home by the time this gets into print. I'll be home if God wills, on Friday the 19th, and will be delighted to see all the members and others at the Baptist church on Sunday, April 21.—W. C. Garrett, Pastor.

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.

Two names were handed to us this week to add to the list of soldier boys from this county. Mr. E. Henley, of Colorado, Route 1, has not been appearing in the list, as it should have done. Mr. Henley volunteered on Feb. 2, and left at once for his camp. His brother, who went before he did, Jno. B. Henley, is now in France. We are glad that this name was given us, and if any others has been omitted we would like to know it.

Also G. T. Adams, who also volunteered early in the game, and selected the Navy department as his choice. He is now at Marblehead, and judging from his letters to home folks is making good.

**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

**COUNTY COURT.**

County court opened on Tuesday morning to set the date for trial, all cases on the docket. County Judge Bullock being absent, Hon. L. W. Sandusky was chosen special county judge. After setting the cases, court adjourned until Friday (to-day). The cases on the docket are:

- 1248—Earl Morrison vs. W. B. Austin, suit for debt; Shepherd and Sandusky, attorneys.
- 1262—Mrs. M. M. F. Johnson vs. W. M. Bennett, suit for balance, \$300 note; C. C. Higgins, atty.
- 1262—M. C. Ratliff vs. T. & P. Ry., suit for damages; Shepherd and Gustine, attorneys.
- 1264—Tom C. Davis vs. J. E. Stowe, suit on note; M. E. Rosser and Royall Smith, attorneys.
- 1265—J. R. Chaney vs. T. & P. Ry., damages; M. Carter and L. W. Sandusky, attorneys.
- 1266—U. E. Bailey vs. T. & P. Ry., damages; M. Carter and L. W. Sandusky, attorneys.
- 1267—Smith & Lane vs. T. & P. Ry., damages.
- 1268—E. Barber vs. T. & P. Ry., damages; L. W. Sandusky, atty.
- 1269—J. M. Page vs. Wells Fargo Express Co., damages; L. W. Sandusky, attorney.
- 1270—C. H. Earnest v. M. V. Brownfield, suit for rental on land; C. H. Earnest, attorney.

**HERE AT HOME.**

Colorado Citizens Gladly Testify and Confidently Recommend Doan's Kidney Pills.

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J. H. Cooper, prop. blacksmith shop Sixth and Oak Sts., says: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills several times in the past, getting them at Doss drug store. I took them for trouble with my back and from the results obtained, I think they are a good, reliable medicine. I gladly recommend Doan's to anyone, for they have surely benefited me."

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**WAR RELICS TRAIN COMING.**

According to information given out from the office of the Liberty Loan headquarters in Dallas, the train of war relics will be in Colorado, April 22nd at 9:45 a. m. It will remain here for a few hours.

The exhibit fills several cars and is the property of the French government, loaned to the United States. The exhibit comprises several car loads of every kind of fighting machine and apparatus and equipment used on the battlefields of Europe, in submarine warfare and in aerial fighting. The collection is considered priceless, being not only complete, but showing also the effects of various kinds of ammunition and guns. Many of the pieces are battle scarred and others are trophies from the enemy of wornout equipment of the French army, valuable beyond price because of historic associations. The general public of all the towns and cities visited is invited to visit the train and inspect the exhibits. Remember the date, April 22, 8:45 in the morning.

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## LOCAL NOTES

Hon. Zach Lamar Cobb of El Paso, candidate for Congress will be in Colorado on Monday the 22nd, and will speak here on that day.

J. J. McLure, a former citizen of Colorado, visited here this week on his regular tour as a commercial traveler. He contributed a half dollar on the Record's Liberty Bond.

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

April term of District court meets Monday, April 22.

Fresh chocolate candy in bulk at Stewart Cooper's.

Prentiss Jeffress is here with his parents, Capt. and Mrs. R. A. Jeffress having come in Monday from the hospital in Oklahoma. He was in the hospital a year and nine days, and is yet pretty badly crippled up, but all his friends are glad to see him looking as well as he does, for it was thought by many that he would never recover from the unfortunate accident, which caused him untold suffering and almost life itself.

War exhibit train will be here Monday, April 22, from 8 a. m. to 12 m. It is free and every citizen in the county should see it. No doubt the public school will give each grade a recess for a sufficient time to see this exhibit, as it would be an educational feature for the pupils.

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

Born, on Friday last, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cooper, a fine boy. Mrs. Cooper is reported as not doing very well, but the boy is in fine fettle.

Screen doors and wire at Rockwell Lumber Yard.

Last week there was born to Mrs. Emma Hightower, a child which lived only a short time. The infant's body was shipped to Clyde and buried beside its father. Mrs. Hightower is a sister-in-law to Mrs. Harry Smith, with whom she is living since her husband's death. It will be remembered he was killed on a train near Quanah not long since.

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.

The rain on Saturday morning and again on Sunday was a regular camouflagage.

Quite a number of farmers were in town on Saturday last, all talking about the rain and the war. But little trading was done at the stores, as no one was buying, except the necessities. All we talked to about the future outlook were very optimistic, and all seemed to think we would have plenty of rain in April.

Doctor Buchanan, tomorrow, Saturday, practice limited exclusively to Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat diseases and the fitting of glasses. Over City National Bank.

E. M. Baldwin was in from the ranch on Wednesday and says he will stay by the stuff until the rains come again.

Miss Ruby Green has been quite sick this week, afflicted with a rising in the head. Yesterday her mother, Mrs. W. M. Green, received a phone call from Ira that her married daughter at that place was quite sick, and Mrs. Green left to visit her.

Usual services at the Episcopal church next Sunday morning and evening. All members expected and the public invited.—W. A. Williams, Rector.

Born, this week, to Mr. and Mrs. George Siaton, a fine girl. The Record visited the bank to renew a note and the request was so liberally granted, we wondered at it until we heard the above news, which explained George's broad smiles.

Pastor Garrett has returned and will conduct the regular services at the Baptist church Sunday morning and evening. Everybody urged to come hear him.

B. O. Joyce announces this week for re-election to the office of county commissioner from Precinct No. 3. Mr. Joyce said to tell the people that if he is elected he would give the office his careful attention in the future as he has done in the past.

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### LORAIN LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Uriah Duncan visited in Waco last week.

G. H. Richardson, who has been very sick with rheumatism, is able to be up again.

E. H. Britton and family left Friday for Waxahachie, where they will make their home.

A nice little shower of rain fell Friday night at Loraine and surrounding territory, which was very much appreciated by all.

Mrs. Avery of Colorado visited in Loraine Friday.

Grandpa Lindsey who has been sick for some time, is still very feeble. Edwin Hallmark of Camp Travis, spent a few days furlough with home folks in Loraine this week.

Oscar and Arthur Ellerd of Abernathy spent the latter part of the week in and near Loraine, the guests of W. S. Thomas and family.

The school pupils will have their exercises Monday night, for the lower grades, at the Dreamland theatre.

Misses Thelma Phillips and Novlene Porter spent the day in Colorado, visiting and shopping.

Rev. W. L. Moody failed to fill his regular appointment at Loraine Sunday, on account of the quarterly conference at Champion, which he attended.

The senior class will present the play "Under Blue Skies" at the Dreamland theatre, Tuesday night.

J. E. Moore and family left the first part of the week for East Texas, where they will make their home.

Hiram (Grandpa) Toler left Sunday for Brownwood to spend the summer with relatives.

T. J. Newton returned Monday from Ranger, where he has been working in a lumber yard.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jackson entertained the senior class, Saturday evening at their home, which was beautifully decorated with purple

and gold, the class colors. Victrola music proved an important feature of the evening. The dining table was decorated in purple and gold and refreshments of purple punch and gold cake were served. The following toasts were given: Prof. Joe Jackson, to the Class; Herman Mahon, to the Teachers; Charley Thompson, to the Girls; Wilson Hurd, to the Boys; Helen Stephenson, on Old Timers; Benton Thompson, Our School; and "A Burlesque Class Prophecy," which was told by a game of fortune telling. The entire number of the senior class (seventeen) were present and four lady teachers, with a few outside guests. All had a good time and the host and hostess proved themselves to be excellent entertainers.

News reached Loraine Tuesday morning of the death of Mrs. Roy Edwards, who, with the rest of the family, had just recently moved from Loraine to Ranger. Mrs. Edwards was visiting at Strawn and became a victim of small pox, and died Monday night. Mrs. Edwards has resided in Loraine for several years and her host of friends regret to learn of her death.

The regular meeting of the War Savings Society was held at the home of Mr. Thomas Dawes, on Tuesday. A good crowd was present, and the routine business was attended to. A number of new members were reported, and committee report were very encouraging.

**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 rumbling 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.

### THE STATE'S RIGHT NOT DESTROYED BY TAX SALE

Austin, April 15.—If a county attorney has filed suit to collect taxes delinquent against a tract of land for a particular year or years and has failed to include in the suit delinquent taxes for prior years, and there has been a judgment foreclosing the tax lien and sale of the land to the state, the right of the state to thereafter sue and foreclose the tax lien for the prior years is not destroyed. This is the substance of an opinion issued by the attorney general's department, which adds that "in such event the delinquent owner does not have the right to plead limitation."

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### FORT WORTH IS DRY FIRST TIME IN HISTORY

Rumors that liquor dealers of Ft. Worth had employed attorneys and would begin a court contest of the ten-mile zone law, could not be verified, and all the 185 saloons and a dozen wholesale houses closed their doors on the 15th. This is the first time Fort Worth has been dry in its history, saloons being established there in the days of the frontier Indian

**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.

### UNION HAPPENINGS

Since my last writing, it has been my privilege to travel a good deal. I have been as far west as the Conway school house, and happened there on school closing day. Witnessed a good program and enjoyed one of the best dinners that it has been my privilege to see set before a hungry crowd in a long time.

Then that same night a good rain fell in this section. I call it good because I know no better name for it. Of course we didn't have a planting season as we so much desire, but got a good deal of stock water, for which we are ready to give thanks and take on new courage, looking forward for something better.

We have a new preacher, and our Sunday school is moving off nicely with the old war horse (J. M. Dorn) at the helm.

Our school is under good report, but will soon be out, and I am proud to say that I have not heard of the slightest dissatisfaction on the part of either teacher or pupils.

Mr. B. D. Hart is still working in the express office at Fort Worth, and Mr. M. T. Dorn left last night to join him in the same line of work.

Mr. Walter Morrow and family are visiting his relatives in this community. He is looking hale and hearty—surely he don't live in the war zone.

But the best thing of all, our people are agitating the question of putting forth an effort to raise our own syrup hereafter, even if we have to form a stock company to put a plant in operation in our section. I heartily commend this move for I well know it will be a saving and profit making proposition, provided we get sufficient rain to make a crop. I say to the people of this community, come over to Eli's and get you some of the best of seed to plant you a patch of cane to make syrup, and let's enter into hearty co-operation. Show me a community possessed with a spirit of co-operation and I'll show you a prosperous community and a lively one.

I now close with a hearty commendation to that highly esteemed editorial last week in the Record calling for rain to take the place of needless advice. ELI

### LONGFELLOW LOCALS

Since the shower of rain the farmers have begun to farm some. Miss Exie Sorrells from Ira is spending the week end with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Gillis.

Messrs Aubit and Charles and Miss Ruth and Miss Pauline Williams, and Mr. Dock Buckalew spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. J. J. Williams and family.

Miss Isla Owen was the guest of Miss Dottie Beeman Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Irwin Wright made a flying trip to Sweetwater Monday.

On account of such a bad sand-storm Sunday we decided to postpone the singing.

Mr. J. D. Felts, who is working on county roads, spent Saturday night and Sunday with home folks.

Miss Kate Williams was the guest of Miss Dottie Beeman Tuesday night. Miss Vera Burk was the guest of Miss Sarah Felts Sunday.

Mrs. Gillis and little daughter, and Miss Mae Williams spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Sorrell's family at Ira.

### SHERIFF'S SALE.

State of Texas, County of Mitchell: By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Honorable Justice Court, Precinct No. 1, Mitchell county, on the 6th day of April, 1918 in the case of W. W. Porter vs. C. E. Thrasher, No 5236, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, within the hours prescribed by law for sheriff's sales, on Wednesday the 24th day of April, A. D. 1918, at the Purvis Ware House in Colorado, Texas, in Mitchell county, the following described property, to-wit: Two porcelain Bath Tubs, levied on as the property of C. E. Thrasher, to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$82.09 in favor of W. W. Porter, and costs of suit.

Given under my hand, this 8th day of April 1918. A. W. COOKSEY, Sheriff Mitchell County.

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