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Texans Wounded in First Battle with Germans

GERMANS TAKE 6000 ITALIAN PRISONERS

Berlin, Nov. 5.—Six thousand Italians were captured by the enemy army when the Austro-Germans crossed the Middle Tagliamento river, in a fierce battle.

WILL ASK COURT TO TEACH CANNING

A move is on foot to petition the commissioners court to assist the government in maintaining a canning demonstrator and a lady farm demonstrator to carry on the work in this county for another year. Court meets next Monday and it is probable this question will come up.

Mrs. Gena Cameron, formerly of this city, but who has been living in the west for several years, is here and has taken the matter up with the business men, and is attempting to create some interest in this feature of the demonstration work.

Mrs. Cameron has been in charge of the girls canning club work in the state of Washington during the last two years, and has been very successful.

In view of the fact that the government is urging the American people to conserve food, and to conserve by preserving and canning fruits and vegetables, this is an opportune time to take up the work in this county. In order to succeed in the work, the canning clubs should be organized and the work put under way before the next fruit and vegetable crop is ready to can.

When the work is properly carried on there is no doubt but what the money expended in employing a lady to handle this work would be money well invested. Large quantities of fruits and vegetables go to waste every year all on account of lack of interest in this work.

MAN KILLED AT TEMPLE, TAUGHT HERE

F. D. George, of Melton Dry Goods Co., received a message Sunday night reporting the death of R. L. Thompson, which occurred near Temple when a derrick on a wreck train fell on the engine of which Thompson was engineer.

Thompson taught school at Norton, in this county about six years ago, and was well known in Ballinger and throughout the Norton country. The Temple Telegram of Monday gives the following account of the accident:

R. L. Thompson, 802 North Main street, this city, was killed last night while working with the Santa Fe wrecking which was clearing up a freight wreck at Baggett, a flag station between Moody and McGregor. Mr. Thompson was the engineer of the wrecking. The derrick turned over while the crew was at work and he was caught under the falling truck on which it was supported and instantly crushed to death.

The wreck which had called out the wrecking train and crew occurred at Baggett a little while after noon yesterday, the engine and twenty-two box cars going off the track at the time. Claud Frazier, fireman, who lives on South Nineteenth street, Temple, was hurt in that accident, though not Santa Fe hospital last night. No others were injured.

The body of Mr. Thompson was brought to Temple in the caoose immediately after his death last night, arriving here at 10:10 o'clock. He is survived by his wife and one child, and has several relatives living here, being a cousin of Leonard Thompson of the city fire department and a nephew of Ben Thompson of 903 South Second street. His father lives at Tennessee Valley.

Ballinger Man Eats Glass In His Breakfast Food

Diaz Wood suffered considerable pain and an uneasy feeling Sunday as the result of eating glass in his breakfast food. The young man became ill shortly after breakfast, and it was soon discovered that he had eaten glass in his breakfast food and that he was not placed in a most serious condition was due to the quick work of medicine.

After discovering that he was suffering from glass eaten, an examination was made of a package of breakfast food, and a quantity of small pieces of glass found. Every member of the family took part in examining the breakfast food and all are ready to make affidavit that the glass was found in the package after the contents of the package had been poured out on the table and thoroughly examined.

Glass has been reported found in samples of breakfast food distributed at other places, but this is the first case of this kind reported here, and the glass was found in a regular package of the food, and not in a sample package. The matter will be reported to the proper authorities and an investigation made.

The wholesale house handling the breakfast food in which the glass was found, took up the supply on hand in the retail store, and federal authorities have been notified, and expected here to make an investigation. The glass and breakfast food will probably be turned over to the authorities and attempt to kill will be traced back in an effort to apprehend the guilty party.

The finding of the glass in breakfast food here, following so close on reports of a like finding at other places, has removed the suspicion that the reports were exaggerated, and it has been established that a wholesale plot has been planned and put in operation to most dastardly murder innocent men, women and children.

Negro Plays Officer and Arrests White People

A negro by the name of J. W. Thomas is in the Ballinger jail and will be tried out on one of several charges and made to pay for the fun he had when he plectured two white men under arrest, using a .45 calibre gun to make the white men do his bidding.

According to the report of the disturbance as told to a Ledger reporter the negro is guilty of impersonating a federal officer, being drunk, crazy, carrying a gun and being an all around negro.

Thomas had been working on the farm of Tom Puckett in the Wilmeth country for some time. Last Saturday in some way he got hold of Mr. Puckett's gun and started out to represent Uncle Sam as a United States marshal. With the big ugly gun cocked and his finger laying on the trigger, the negro played Tom Puckett and Elgin Davidson under arrest.

With the hammer of the gun pulled back and with his finger

hooked around the trigger the negro marched the white men wherever he pleased. He had them go through the house searching for books and papers which he claimed was a part of his business.

After a time, and very trying time too, for the two white men, they succeeded in getting the drop on the negro and he was brought to Ballinger and placed in jail. He will be held in jail pending the proper disposition of the case.

Messrs. Puckett and Davidson had an experience they are not willing to repeat, and when the time comes for them to be placed under arrest they prefer to be arrested by a real officer and not a drunken, crazy negro with a gun that will blow a hole a foot square.

J. M. Osborn, one of our good friends of the Norton country, was here Monday.

MYSTERIOUS EXPLOSION KILLS SIX

New Kensington, Penn., Nov. 5.—The plant of the American Aluminum Co. was partially wrecked and six men killed and forty wounded by a serious explosion. The explosion came in simultaneous order in several different sections of the plant. Those killed and injured were employees of the plant.

I. W. W.'s ATTACK U. S. TROOP TRAIN

Marysville, Calif., Nov. 5.—Twenty-five armed men, alleged to be I. W. W.'s attacked a troop train on the Western Pacific railroad in Feather River Canyon this morning. The men cut two coaches from the train before they were beaten off by soldiers, who used clubs in a stubborn fight. The soldiers were not armed. Posses are on the trail of the attackers who fled to the hills. The soldiers who fought the men off were only slightly injured.

A. & S. STATION CLOSED AT HASKEL

The A. & S. Station at Hatchel has been closed, and S. D. Williams, who has been agent at that place since the building of the road is taking a rest. Maintaining the station and keeping an agent on the job was proving a loss to the railroad company. Jitnies and auto trucks have been getting most of the business to the nearby towns.

H. K. Williams of Hatchel was in Ballinger on business Monday.

Washington, Nov. 5.—The war department's list of American dead and wounded and missing in German raid on American trenches includes the name of Private Charles J. Hopkins, with brother James W. Hopkins, Stanton, Texas, as wounded.

The first clash with German soldiers came when the Germans trenches where the United States troops had been taken for instruction, and three, Americans were killed, five wounded, twelve captured or missing.

The war department made the official announcement last night after receiving brief dispatches from Gen. Pershing. That the American forces fought gamely is shown in the capture of a German prisoner.

HUNTERS BRING BACK TWO BIG DUCKS

R. P. Conn and Preston Dunn returned Sunday from a trip to Blue Mountains, where they spent a day or two hunting. They returned with their car decorated with pelts and horns of deer. They report a very successful trip, having bagged one six point buck and one nine round buck, and with the ideal weather for camping out they had an enjoyable outing. Displaying the game has given others the fever and deer hunting will attract others from this city.

W. A. Taylor and family are at home from a two week's visit in Dallas and Rockwell county. They report a pleasant trip and visit. They traveled through the country in their auto.

Editor Eason of the Winters Enterprise, was making the rounds Monday counting the number of bales of cotton ginned in the county. He was accompanied by Mrs. Eason. Mr. Eason estimates that the county will gin between ten and twelve thousand bales this season.

W. A. Nance 393 NIGHT PHONES Henry Jones 336

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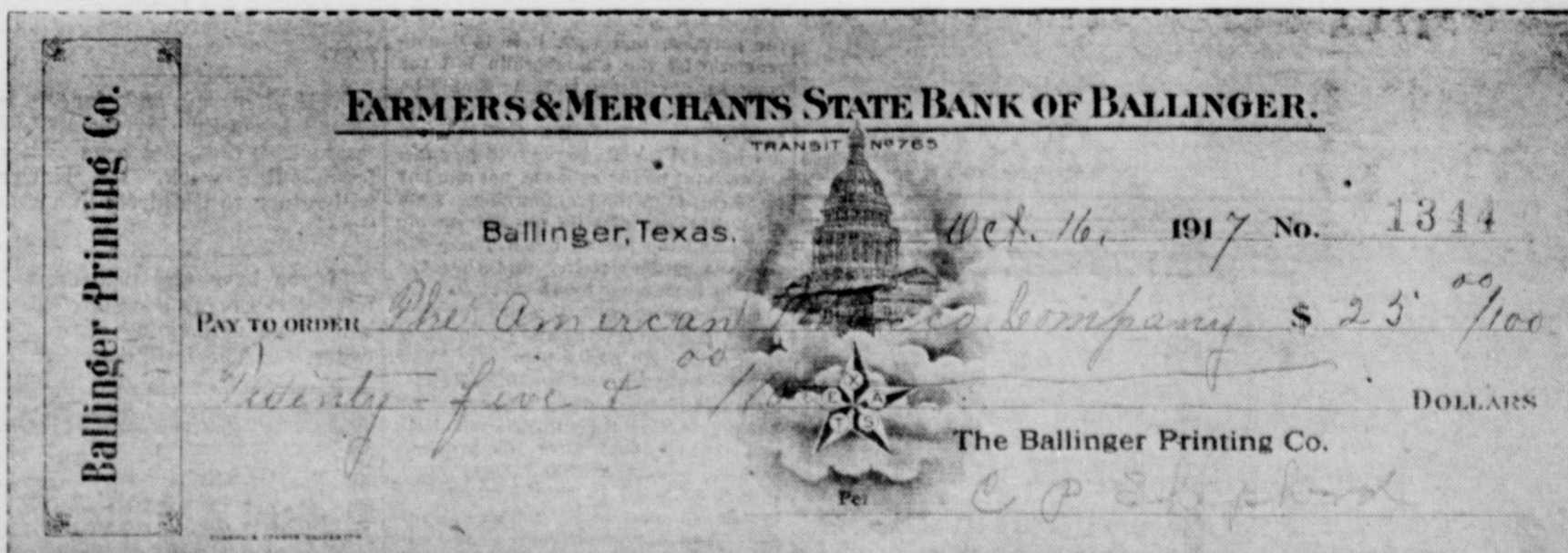
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Within a short time, contributors to The Ledger's Tobacco Fund, will begin to receive cards from soldiers in France, telling how much they appreciate the smokes, provided a submarine does not get the smokes before they reach a French port, and the work of the submarine is almost a thing of the past.

The habitual smoker who is cut off from his tobacco supply is the man who appreciates what a

smoke means to a soldier in France. Read the following card received by a man in a neighboring city, from a soldier in France after the soldier in France had received a package of smokes and acknowledged receipt of it to the man who paid for the package.

for ten days—seemed like ten years—and there was nothing I wanted worse, right then. So your gift looked bigger than a month of Christmas mornings to a six-old boy. I hope you'll never be out of a smoke yourself. God bless you." When you pay for a package of smokes, a postal card, stamped and addressed to you, is enclosed in the package and the soldier receiving it will write direct to you.

- That's the lan and most of the soldiers will use the card because they will appreciate the smokes.
- Previously reported117 kits
- Chas. Ferguson2 kits
- A. K. Doss1 kit
- M. D. Chastain1 kit
- W. L. Alleorn, Crews2 kits
- G. W. Dean2 kits
- Mrs. J. H. Kipp4 kits
- Miss Florence Guin, Hatchel 1 kit
- Ollie Cordill1 kit
- Margaret Cordill1 kit

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THE PRIVILEGE OF DOING AS YOU PLEASE.

It is reported that a citizen came to town one day last week on a supply purchasing trip and managed during his rounds to buy four sacks of sugar. At each store visited the man was refused more than one sack, so he conveniently forgot to tell the next merchant that he had already pur-



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chased sugar, and thus managed to get a total of four sacks.

In ordinary times this would be all right and the prudent act would be considered wise, but now when there is a shortage of sugar and Commissioner Hoover is pleading with the people everywhere to conserve the supply, no one should be so greedy as to try to gobble up the quantity that should go to his neighbor, or some one else. Food Conservation is the demand of the hour and times—it is imperative. If the people do not cut out superfluous buying, the Government will limit the amount of foodstuff one can buy. Liberty of action and speech, the right to buy and waste, as you please, is not tolerable in a crisis. Cut all such out, before Uncle Sammie makes you do it.—Santa Anna News.

This man is in the same class the lady of this city who refused to sign a food pledge card, saying "we have the money to pay for what we eat and are going to eat what we please." It is only a question of time until some people of this country are going to be deprived of the privilege of doing as they please.

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WAR TALKS

By **UNCLE DAN**

Number Six

Billie and Jimmie Will Take Military Training

"I am mighty sorry, Uncle Dan, that this is your last night with us. Can't you stay longer? We boys are having a peach of a time," said Billie.

"Well, if you get more out of it in the way of pleasure than I," said Uncle Dan, "you are going some."

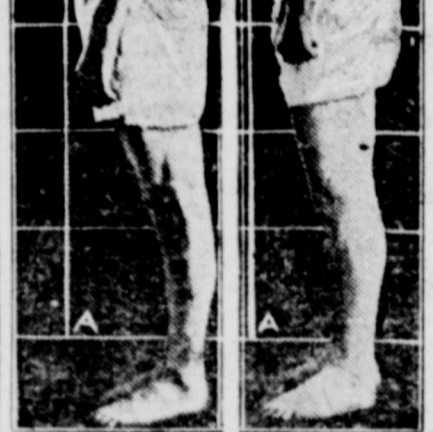
"Billie, I have been talking seriously with your father and mother about sending you to a military academy and they asked me to talk with you about it."

"Whoopee!" Billie screamed, like a wild Indian.

"Now, hold your horses," said Uncle Dan, "and listen to me. You know I sent my boy, Howard, to one of these schools for a year when he was about your age. He was narrow chested, stoop shouldered, rather loose jointed; he had the big head and needed discipline and physical development. He was growing fast and I wanted him to be strong physically."

"Say, Uncle Dan," said Billie, "I believe your description of Howard fits me pretty well, eh?"

"Well," said Uncle Dan, "to be frank, I think it does; you need the same thing. Howard did not like it at first, I am told for a few weeks he had 'rough sledding,' but after he found that the only way was to obey orders, he caught the spirit of the institution and liked it. We did not see him for about six months, then he came home for a few days. We were astonished at his appearance. He had gained about 20 pounds in weight, his muscles were as hard as nails, he stood as straight as an arrow, he was courteous, consider-



Note the result of six months of military training. Compare lines A-A and B-B in cut.

ate and manly. His awkwardness had disappeared. The change was wonderful and it was all to the good. Here is a photograph showing 'before and after' training, and I am sure no patent medicine advertisement could beat it.

"Well, mother and I were delighted. That was ten years ago, and Howard says the year he spent at the military academy was the best year of his life."

"Now," said Uncle Dan, "with great earnestness, 'when such training does so much good, makes better citizens and at the same time fits a man to defend his country, why should not Uncle Sam furnish this training at the government's expense? The government has the right to call anyone to serve in case of war, and without training, a man is worth nothing as a soldier. Uncle Sam has splendid new training camps that will soon be available for the purpose, therefore, here is double reason why the Chamberlains bill for compulsory military training should be passed at once, so that every boy physically fit may have this training and not leave it to his parents to pay for. On account of the expense, not one boy in 50 can take the training now. I am glad that you can do so. These big crops and big prices, I find, make the farmers rather 'loosey,' and that the best is demanded by them."

Billie was up with the lark the next morning, more excited and enthusiastic than ever. He had a plan. He knew Jimmie owned a colt worth \$100; that he would make almost another \$100 on his potatoes if they turned out well, and that he had from his previous sowings, bought a \$100 Liberty bond. Billie's plan was to have Jimmie cash in and go with him. He was disappointed to find that Jimmie would still lack about \$300 of having enough to see him through. His lip quivering, he said: "I'm mighty sorry to leave Jimmie."

Uncle Dan was silent a moment or two, then he asked Billie to go down to the orchard and get him some apples to eat on the train. While he was gone, it was arranged that Uncle Dan and Mr. and Mrs. Graham would advance the money necessary so that Jimmie could go. When Billie returned he was told about it. He ran to the phone and called Jimmie, saying: "Come on over, run just as fast as you can. I've got the greatest news you ever heard of."

BLANTON SPEAKS

HERE NOV. 16TH

Sweetwater, Nov. 3, 1917.
 Hon. A. W. Sledge,
 Ballinger, Texas.
 Dear Mr. Sledge:

I will speak in Ballinger at 1:30 p. m. Friday, November 16th, at Paint Rock Friday night, Nov. 16, and at Eden Saturday 10:30 a. m. November 17th. Will you kindly look after my appointment there and help me advertise the above?

As all of us who are in the field speaking for the Government, are paying every dollar of the expense ourselves. If Ballinger can find a patriotic man with a car, who would be willing to get me from Ballinger to Paint Rock on the afternoon of the 16th after my speech at Ballinger, I will appreciate it highly.

I have spoken to large crowds today here and in Anson. I am leaving tonight for Peecos and the West. Thanking you for many favors,

Sincerely your friend,
 Thomas L. Blanton.

Congressman Blanton is one of a number of congressmen who devoting the spare time between the extra session and regular session of congress in touring the country discussing war issues. Mr. Blanton has been at Washington for the past six months and has been instrumental in passing war measures. A large crowd will no doubt hear him here next Friday afternoon. The place of speaking will be announced later.

An Old Man's Stomach.

As we grow older and less active, less and less food is required to meet the demands of our bodies. If too much is habitually taken the stomach will rebel. When a man reaches the advanced age 85 or 90, you will find that he is a light eater. Be as careful as you will, however, you will occasionally eat more than you should and will feel the need of Chamberlain's Tablets to correct the disorder. These tablets do not contain poison, but strengthen the stomach and enable it to perform its functions naturally. They also ease a gentle movement of the bowels.

Mr. and Mrs. Pruitt of Bronte, who had been visiting in Bradshaw, were in Ballinger Monday between trains, going on east.

Wesley Sisson and Claud Jones left Monday for Oklahoma City, going in Jones' car. They will go by way of Dallas, where they will stay a few days visiting.

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J. W. Rhodes, of Norton, had business in Ballinger Monday, and arranged with The Ledger to keep him posted during the coming year.

J. H. Mowrey and family returned home Sunday from Childress, where they had been visiting for about a week. Mr. Mowrey will return to Childress in a short time.

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NEPHEW OF BALLINGER MAN FLYING IN FRANCE

Lieu. Martin Giesecke of San Antonio has arrived safely in France, according to a cable received yesterday by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gustav Giesecke, of this city. Lieu. Giesecke made the trip across in ten days. He left San Antonio about a month ago as a member of the aviation corps. Several other San Antonioans went at the same time.—San Antonio Express.

Martin Giesecke is a nephew of H. Giesecke, of Ballinger. The young man has demonstrated from his boyhood days up to this time a gift for doing things—doing the unusual thing, and his ambition has pushed him to the front. Several years ago, while President McKinley was touring the south, young Giesecke, then a mere boy, started out to get a kodak picture of the president, and he succeeded. Later the young man, still in his teens, visited Germany with his uncle Chas. Giesecke. While he and his uncle were in Berlin a royal play was given at one of the theatres for the benefit of the kaiser and his royal family, and at which "common" people could not get a "look in." Young Giesecke told his Uncle Charley that he was going to see the play, Charley gave the boy the laugh and told him it was impossible, but the boy was not discouraged, and the next his uncle heard of him, he was pulling curtains for the theatre and saw the play. He also saw the kaiser and is now anxious to see him again and is going to attempt to fly over the royal palace.

H. Giesecke has two other nephews in the United States army ranking as first lieutenants.

Mrs. Stevens and Mrs. Behringer of Miles returned home Saturday, after visiting here a few days.

OIL MILL HANDS STRIKE AT BROWNWOOD

Fourteen employees of the Brownwood oil mill walked out last night striking for a wage increase of 25 cents per day. The wage scale has been \$1.75 per day. The mill was closed pending a settlement of the controversy.—Brownwood Bulletin.

\$100 Reward \$100

The readers of this paper will be glad to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Cure that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Jayroe, of the Crews country, were trading in Ballinger Saturday.

As a general rule all you need to do is to adopt a diet suited to your age and occupation and to keep your bowels regular. When you feel that you have eaten too much and when constipated, take one of Chamberlain's Tablets.

BALLINGER ELEVEN DEFEATS COLEMAN

The Ballinger High school football team defeated the Coleman team Saturday on the local grid-iron by a score of 38 to 0. The Coleman boys fought hard for the game, and several times the tide seemed to turn in their favor, but they were unable to stop the long end runs and line drives of the local boys.

Ballinger's sponsor, Miss Vera Nicholson, kicked off at the opening of the game. The first touchdown was made in the first few minutes of play, when Elbert Clumpitt carried the ball over. Ballinger failed to kick goal. Ballinger kicked off again, and the second touchdown was made by Rothal O'Kelly. Ballinger again failed to kick goal, and the quarter ended with the score 12 to 0.

In the second quarter, R. O'Kelly caught a forward pass from Coleman and made a run for 20 yards, and later made a touchdown. Ballinger failed to kick goal and at the end of the quarter, the score was 18 to 0.

In the second half, Coleman kicked off. Bailey for Ballinger caught a forward pass and made a long run for a touchdown. Ballinger kicked goal. Later O'Kelly caught a forward pass, and gained 60 yards. Then Kirk went through the line for a touchdown and the quarter ended, score 32 to 0.

In the first of the third quarter Hammond O'Kelly, who had just gone in as substitute, caught a forward pass from Coleman, and made a long run for a touchdown. Ballinger failed to kick goal. Ballinger kicked off, and were penalized 25 yards in a few minutes for slugging by some member of the team. The game ended with the ball near the center of the field, and the score 38 to 0.

The lineup of the teams as the game was started, is as follows:

Coleman: Delleney, center; Gal-laway, right guard; Clarry, left guard; Jones end; Moore, quarter back; Ferguson, left halfback; Miller, right halfback; Cochran, fullback.

Ballinger: Chastain, center; Nash, right guard; R. Clumpitt, left guard; Mack, right tackle; Sharp, left tackle; Bailey right end; Lankford, left end; King, quarter back; R. O'Kelly, left half back; E. Clumpitt, right half back; Kirk, fullback.

A number of substitutions were made on both teams.

Referee: Simpson; umpire, Griffin; head linesman, Kirk; time-keepers, Fleming and Hufford.

Time of quarters, 12 1-2 10 12 1-2 10.

BROKEN DOWN IN HEALTH

Woman Tells How \$5 Worth of Pinkham's Compound Made Her Well.

Lima, Ohio.—"I was all broken down in health from a displacement. One of my lady friends came to see me and she advised me to commence taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and to use Lydia E. Pinkham's Sanative Wash. I began taking your remedies and took \$5.00 worth and in two months was a well woman. After three doctors said I never would stand up straight again. I was a mid-wife for seven years and I recommended the Vegetable Compound to every woman to take before birth and afterwards, and they all got along so nicely that it surely is a godsend to suffering women. If women wish to write to me I will be delighted to answer them."

—Mrs. JENNIE MOYER, 342 E. North St., Lima, Ohio.

Women who suffer from displacement, weakness, irregularities, nervousness, headache, or bearing-down pains, need the tonic properties of the roots and herbs contained in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

reasons why we should not join the food administration is neither more nor less than to question the desirability of patriotism and exhibit anti-American sentiment.

"To offer some other person's extravagance as an excuse for failing to do even so little for the nation, is merely to show disloyalty by imitation, which is the worst kind.

"If sedition in one were ground for sedition in all, everybody could find a pretext for turning traitor.

"But as Kipling says, "The race is run by one and one, and never by two and two," and the time has come when each citizen of this country must stand on his own feet and exhibit his true color.

"Those who are turning down the food pledge cards exhibit a pallid cowardice, to which the hue of real treason furnishes a rather agreeable contrast.

"Not infrequently we can find qualities to admire in the spy, the informer and the traitor, even though we must draw them to the gallows to protect ourselves, but for the weak-kneed, spineless, in sordid individual whose moral sense of duty is so low that he can do nothing but hide in the corner and sulk, there is only contempt.

"This food card pledge can never reveal treason, because the positive antagonist is too shrewd to be caught by it. He will either sign for the sake of expediency, or refuse for the sake of conviction.

"But it does disclose the difference between true patriots and untrue parasites.

"The man or woman who will not commit himself or herself to this country's cause so far as to say, "I am glad to join you in the service of food conservation, and I hereby accept membership in the United States food administration, pledging myself to carry out the directions and advice of the food administrator in my home, in so far as my circumstances permit," is too thin of character to be relied upon."

FOOD PLEDGE CARE CAMPAIGN CONTINUES

R. T. Williams, county chairman for the Hoover Food Administration, received the following telegram from the food administrator this morning. It speaks for itself, and Mr. Williams urges that those who have not signed a card make it an important point to do so during this week. The members of the committee who failed to see people in their district are requested to make another round, and do everything possible to get all the homes in this county interested in food conservation. Here's the telegram:

"Just received authority extending campaign balance this week ending Saturday night Nov. 10th. Sorry word not received earlier. Please continue your efforts gathering all pledges and reporting each day. Texas is far behind but with this extension and you and your organization hustling we are certain of exceeding quota. Please accept our thanks for your wonderful work. Let's all get busy and do our best balance of campaign."

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FOR THOSE WHO REFUSE TO SIGN.

So far as the report of the committees in charge of the food conservation campaign in this country shows, there are only a few cases where parties have refused to sign the pledge cards, and by so doing opposes the government in the campaign being carried on to conserve the food supply.

This is a free country, and in some things a man has the right to do as he pleases, but to say the least of those who are refusing to sign, they are left under suspicion.

The Houston Chronicle in speaking of the slackers in the food conservation campaign is correct when it says:

"There is bound to be something radically wrong with the Americanism of a man or woman who refuses to sign the food pledge card, which contains only a mild promise to co-operate with the administration in saving and conserving.

"Any person who would deny such moderate support to his or her country at a time like this is a proper subject for suspicion.

"The obligation involved is not debatable, but constitutes an inherent part of the loyalty which each and everyone of us owes the United States.

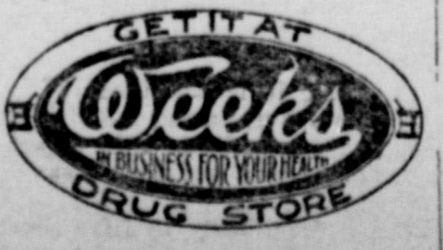
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