

BALLINGER DAILY LEDGER

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Burleson Resigns Office Hands in Resignation Several Days Ago; "For Good of Party"

President Wilson Goes to Washington Tonight

New York, July 8.—President Wilson arrived in the United States from his peace mission to Europe this afternoon. The George Washington, the president's ship, was preceded by the

dreadnaughts Oklahoma and Pennsylvania with thirty destroyers, dirigibles and airships and scores of seaplanes as escorts.

The George Washington brought in addition to the president's party, more than two thousand returning soldiers. The transport steamed into the inner harbor at one-thirty and docked at Hoboken at three o'clock.

Mr. Wilson proceeded immediately to New York for a brief speech at Carnegie Hall, and will go to Washington tonight.

TAYLOR COUNTY WILL BUILD WAR MEMORIAL

Abilene, July 7.—Formation of a committee to decide on the proper kind of a memorial for Taylor county's war heroes, to raise money for its construction, and to handle other details of the work, has been made here with Judge J. M. Wagstaff as chairman. Each precinct will name a committeeman. Several thousand dollars will be raised for this purpose and a suitable memorial erected, probably in the form of a building at Abilene.

We are glad to report W. A. Breedlove getting along as well as could be expected after undergoing a serious operation at the Halley & Love sanitarium. Mrs. Breedlove returned to Ballinger a few days ago, and we are glad to have them back again for keeps.

Mrs. Oscar Pearson will spend several weeks with relatives in Tennessee, leaving Tuesday for that state.

Some Threshers Resume Work

The rain North and Northeast of Ballinger was light Monday and threshers were able to resume operations Tuesday morning, the sprinkle only wetting the outside of the grain shocks which soon dried off.

South, Southeast, Southwest, and West considerable rain fell, and it will be several days before the separators can begin to run again. In the northeast part of Concho county and South of Miles it is reported that four inches of rain fell, while the rain was pretty heavy across the south side of Runnels county.

Tuesday came in a dry day with southwest wind, and prospects promising for favorable weather for threshing grain. The work has been delayed fully one month and the farmers are eager to get their grain on the market. It will be early August now before this part of the farm work is cleared up even with favorable weather.

Soldiers Ask for \$16,000 Damages

A. C. Howard and W. J. Mountz, plaintiffs, and Gus Noyes, defendant, is the style of a suit filed in the district court at Ballinger Monday, in which plaintiffs ask for damages aggregating \$16,000, and that sale of certain property under foreclosure be declared void and the title in same transferred back to plaintiffs.

Brooks, Gray & Graham, a Dallas law firm, filed the suit, and the petition sets out that Howard and Mountz purchased from Mr. Noyes an irrigated farm on the Colorado river just above Ballinger consisting of 104 acres, making a cash payment on same and executing certain vendors lien notes for the remainder of the purchase price.

Principal and interest on notes came due while Howard and Mountz were in the army, and same failing to be paid, defendant instituted suit and recovered judgment against the two soldiers. The property was sold to satisfy judgment and defendant Noyes bought it in.

The plaintiffs in the case allege that they were in service at the time the notes came due, and that under the law suit could not be brought until they were discharged and returned to civil life, and that defendant Noyes violated this law in filing suit against them to recover title to property which they purchased from him.

The plaintiffs pray in their petition that they have damage to the amount of \$15,000 and \$1,000 additional damage for the use of the property during the year 1919. They also ask the court to set aside the judgment against them and that the title to the property be transferred back to them.

The case is docketed for the fall term of court. Howard and Mountz recently received their discharge, and returned to their homes here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Demoville returned Monday afternoon from a visit to their son at San Angelo.

DIRIGIBLE DELAYED BY HIGH WIND

Washington, July 8.—The weather bureau advised the British trans-Atlantic dirigible R-34, which is scheduled to sail tomorrow on its return trip to England, to postpone the start for forty-eight hours on account of adverse winds the R-34 would encounter if it started as scheduled.

Will Spud in Well Next Week

The equipment is being installed for Russell Well No. 2, and Ed Eubanks stated Monday that the well would be spudded in some time the latter part of this week, and drilling rapidly carried on. This well will be watched with much interest, in view of the fact that it is about a half mile from Russell No. 1, which has been cutting up all kinds of pranks since it reached a depth of 2390 feet.

Mr. Eubanks stated that the first well was still "sputtering and spuing," producing some oil, some water, and more gas than ever. No estimate on the production has ever been made. The two inch pipe set in the well has been capped, presumably to control the gas and carry it to Well No. 2, where it will be utilized for fuel in carrying on further development. It is probable that gas from this well will also be used for fuel in drilling No. 3, which will soon be spudded in by an Oklahoma man.

Bill McPherson, formerly a Ballinger boy, was here Tuesday, having just returned from the army. The young man enlisted at San Angelo, where he held a position with a dry goods store.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Turberville, and son, are here from Gainesville, visiting Mrs. Turberville's parents, Judge and Mrs. M. C. Smith. They came through the country in their car and report some pretty rough roads.

They Say---

The fish are biting fine. (also the chiggers) We are up-to-date in our fishing tackle. The best lines and the best hooks made.

J. Y. Pearce
Drug Co.

Says Let it Rain; Harvest Coming

Chas. Black, of the Marie country, who was here Tuesday to attend a meeting of the county school board, says the rain during the last two or three weeks has been a little too heavy for threshing grain, but fine on all other crops.

"I am not kicking about too much rain," said Mr. Black, "and it is what we have been needing to pull us out of the hole." Mr. Black says corn, maize and cotton in the northwest corner of the county is as fine as a man could wish for. He stated that he had eighty-five acres of cotton which was fruiting and bids fair to make a big yield, while his maize crop promised him between seventy-five and one hundred tons of maize, and this crop is practically made.

With a few showers through August the harvest in this county will be the greatest in the farming history of the county, and many cotton pickers will be needed here.

OATS MAKE 110 AND WHEAT 30 BUSHELS

Holland, Tex., July 7.—John Sumner, one of Holland's prosperous citizens, had grain threshed last week, the oats yielding 110 bushels per acre, and the wheat 30 bushels per acre. He had about sixty acres in grain and received \$2 per bushel for the wheat.



Mrs. Caughron received a message Tuesday that her son Melvin had landed at Newport News, Va., and that she should expect him.

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If your car is a new one be sure to have your battery registered and get the benefit of Willard 90-day Battery Insurance. At the same time ask for a copy of the booklet, "Willard Service and You." It tells all about the Willard Service and Adjustment Policies that are of so much importance to you whether your car is a new one or not.

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Ballinger, Texas.

W. Sledge Editor

The agricultural boom which is on here now, promises earlier cash returns than the oil boom, and naturally is receiving more attention.

The fellow who counts his money and gloats over it today, will pass along a dark path tomorrow on which all money ever coin can not throw one ray of light.

The man who finds objection to Runnels county climate, is indeed hard to please. California offers nothing better, and cool Colorado is not in it with what we are enjoying at home.

There is some logic in the request from the wheat growers for the government to get out of the way and let them sell their grain on an open market. Wheat is bringing only about \$2 per bushel and flour continues to sell at \$13.10 per barrel. It seems that the government's red tape reel does not cut out the speculator.

Surgeons agree that in case of cuts, burns, bruises and wounds, the first treatment is most important. When an efficient antiseptic is applied promptly there is no danger of infection and the wound begins to heal at once. For use on man or beast, BOROZONE is the ideal antiseptic and healing agent. Buy it now and be ready for an emergency. Sold by Weeks Drug Store.

FRUIT GOING TO WASTE
Fruit growers can not expect to realize full benefit from their orchards and interest on their investment until a canning factory is established here to take care of the surplus fruit.

Much fruit is going to waste now all because the fruit growers can not handle the crop as fast as it ripens. Heavy shipments are being made to nearby markets, and the local market is being well supplied. The trouble with the local market is the fact that nearly every home owner has from one to a dozen peach trees around their home, and they are loaded with fruit. The peach and plum crop was never better, and much money will be realized and store houses filled with preserves and canned fruit put in the kitchen. A small canning factory here

union revival was held about the same time last year, with these three churches taken the lead and assisted by the cooperation of Jewett, Clark Mills, N. Y., This the other churches of the city, and is an excellent remedy for colic and the revival was a very successful and diarrhoea and should be kept full one. The same plan will be at hand by every family.

Conflicting Thoughts



should pay a handsome return on the investment.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

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Mrs. Smith, local express agent, visited San Angelo Sunday, returning home Monday. She says there is a difference in the Angelo and Ballinger climate, all in favor of Ballinger.

R. W. Bruce, J. K. Hutton, G. A. Ladwig and J. A. Guy returned from Abilene Tuesday at noon where they had been to confer with the government agents concerning testing and handling of wheat.

SOLDIERS MAKE SIXTY MILLION VISITS TO Y.M.C.A.

Stupendous figures showing something of the activities of the Army Young Men's Christian Association in the Southern Department during the year ending April 30, 1919, have just been compiled at Southern Department headquarters at San Antonio, Tex. The Southern Department embraces the states of Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Louisiana, New Mexico and Arizona, and according to the figures submitted to Executive Secretary H. H. Stummons by Business Secretary L. G. Williamson, the total attendance at Y. M. C. A. buildings during the year was 60,212,425—or equivalent to more than half the population of the United States. Statistics are based on daily reports covering each of the 365 days during the year just closed.

A most remarkable showing is made by the religious work department, a very positive refutation of the claim on the part of some people that the soldiers dodge religious services. During the year, according to the report, there were 18,092 religious meetings with an attendance of 2,719,719. The movies, with a total of 10,997 showings, had an attendance of 3,914,081. By way of explanation, it is said that it is only fair to admit that many religious services were held immediately after the movies, thus getting the benefit of the movie audiences. It is well known that motion pictures draw an audience as no other amusement feature.

Among the outstanding figures embraced in the report, under the head of the several departments of Y. M. C. A. work are the following:

General—Attendance at buildings, 60,212,425; amount of postage stamps sold, \$1,022,246.48; money orders sold, \$1,986,000.92; envelopes given away, 31,106,170; pieces of mail handled, 10,212,755; comrades in service committees organized, 2,061; number of men serving on these committees, 6,581.

Social—Number of entertainments other than motion pictures, 13,452; total attendance at same, 5,473,412; number of entertainers participating, 45,805; motion picture programs, 10,997; attendance at same, 3,914,081; socials, 538; attendance at same 78,641.

Physical—Number participating in compulsory athletics, 892,174; participating in formal athletics, 639,278; participating in informal athletics, 2,561,704; total spectators at above, 6,637,461.

Educational—Number of class meetings, 44,382; class attendance, 951,907; soldier-teachers, 13,408; civilian teachers, 5,435; text-books distributed, 11,910; pamphlets, 1,806,707; lectures, 88,727; attendance at lectures, 2,613,923; books loaned, 136,761; total volumes in library, 209,784.

Religious—Religious meetings, 18,092; attendance at same, 2,719,719; Bible class sessions, 9,913; soldier and sailor leaders at same, 4,497; attendance at same, 213,571; meetings of inner circles or prayer circles, 327; attendance at same, 7,337; normal training class sessions, 235; attendance at same, 1,679; Christian life work distributed, 384,027; other Christian literature distributed, 816,944; personal Christian interviews, 201,169; visits to sick, 593,404.

W. O. Schultz passed thru the city Tuesday en route to his home at Millersview after a business trip to Fort Worth.

Chas. Ladwig came in from Dallas Tuesday and is here visiting his brothers.

Arno Schawe came in from his travel off the road Tuesday, and is visiting home folks for a few days.

B. W. Pilcher went to Paint Rock Tuesday to take Sidney Estes, who will be tried for insanity at Paint Rock.

Francis Holliday came in from the east Tuesday, and is here on business.

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SOUTH BALLINGER NEWS

Miss Mary Parker, of Eldorado, is visiting her cousin, Miss Maydell Rushing.

Mrs. Taylor of Durant, Oklahoma, is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tindall.

H. E. Deaton and wife, of Baird, who came down to be with their brother, W. E. Branch, who has been very ill the past two months, returned to their home Friday. We are glad to report Mr. Branch's condition just a little improved the last few days.

Mrs. Jim Kelly of New Mexico, who had been visiting her mother, Mrs. E. D. Jackson, returned to her home last week.

Mrs. C. J. Green and children, who had been spending the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cockrell, left Sunday for Tulsa, Okla. She was accompanied home by Miss Ida Ray Cockrell, who will spend the rest of the summer visiting relatives in Oklahoma.

The young people enjoyed a few hours singing Sunday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Eubanks.

W. A. Harrell was in town Tuesday from Hatchel. Mr. Harrell returned home last week from France. He broke the record for making quick time to France. He left Ballinger with a bunch of forty odd men last June and landed in France on August the 11th. He was away from Ballinger a few days more than a year, but saw all of France he wanted to see.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Robertson are here from Waco visiting Mr. Robertson's sister, Mrs. R. A. Smith. Mr. Robertson was a citizen of this city for several years being associated with the local flour mill at that time.

E. F. Jackson, a former Ballinger citizen, is here this week from Brownwood.

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Apply VapoRub lightly—it soothes the tortured skin.
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STATEMENT of Condition

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June 30, 1919

RESOURCES:

Loans and Discounts	\$450,874.95
U. S. Bonds	26,500.00
Liberty Loan Bonds	25,800.00
Banking House, F. and F.	24,450.00
Stock Federal Reserve Bank	3,900.00
War Savings and Thrift Stamps	685.81
Cash and Exchange	115,243.81
	\$647,454.57

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock	\$100,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	56,892.46
Circulation	25,000.00
Reserved for Taxes	1,000.00
Dividends unpaid	6,000.00
Deposits	458,562.11
	\$647,454.57

The above statement is correct.

R. G. Erwin, Cashier

We desire to thank our many friends and customers for all business entrusted to us, making it possible for us to render this most satisfactory statement.

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Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy

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Miss Ruth Nicholson and brother, Morris, left Monday afternoon for a visit to Dallas and other places.

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NOTICE TO MASONS

Stated communication of Masonic Lodge tonight at 8:45. Installation of officers and other business of importance. All members requested to attend.
W. B. Halley, W. M.
C. R. Crews, Sec.

Loss of Appetite

As a general rule there is nothing serious about a loss of appetite, and if you skip a meal or only eat two meals a day for a few days you will soon have a relish for your meals when meal time comes. Bear in mind that at least five hours should always elapse between meals so as to give the food ample time to digest and the stomach a period of rest before a second meal is taken. Then if you eat no more than you crave and take a reasonable amount of outdoor exercise every day you will not need to worry about your appetite. When the loss of appetite is caused by constipation as is often the case, that should be corrected at once. A dose of Chamberlain's Tablets will do it.

L. M. Hughes and son W. C. Hughes, left for Wichita Falls Monday afternoon, in response to a message stating that their son and brother Ben Hughes, was very low and not expected to live.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. B. Harris and baby returned to their home at Dallas Monday, after a visit to Mr. Harris' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Harris, and sister, Mrs. R. A. Nicholson.

A TEXAS WONDER

The Texas Wonder for kidney and bladder troubles, gravel, aches weak and lame back, rheumatism, and irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.25. One small bottle is two month's treatment, and often cures. Send for sworn testimonials. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive Stree, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggist.

Miss Mary Barnett returned to her home at Waco, Monday, after a visit to Miss Barbara Carringer.

John Mackey was here from the Marie country, Tuesday, being interested in school matters which came up before the county board.

Summer Complaint in Children

There is not anything like so many deaths from this disease now as before Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy came into such general use. When this remedy is given with castor oil as directed and proper care is taken as to diet, it is safe to say that fully ninety-nine out of every hundred cases recover. Mr. W. G. Campbell of Butler, Tenn., says, "I have used Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy for summer complaint in children. It is far ahead of anything I have ever used for this purpose."

The Ledger reported Mrs. J. J. Erwin off for California a day ahead of time stating that she left for Los Angeles Sunday afternoon. She was due to go, but on account of being unable to get sleeper reservation postponed the trip a few days.

Judge C. O. Harris, of San Angelo, was here Tuesday, conferring with clients.

Doing hard work in a bent or stooping position puts a stitch in the back that is painful. If the muscles have become strained you can't get rid of it without help. The great penetrating power of Ballard's Snow Liniment will appeal to you most strongly at such times, because it is the very thing you need. Sold by John A. Weeks.

Ben Curry was here from the Norton country Tuesday, looking after the sale of grain. Mr. Curry had only threshed a part of his grain and reports twenty-two bushels of wheat and forty-six bushels of oats. He sold a car of oats on the local market for sixty-five cents.

TAKING NO CHANCES!



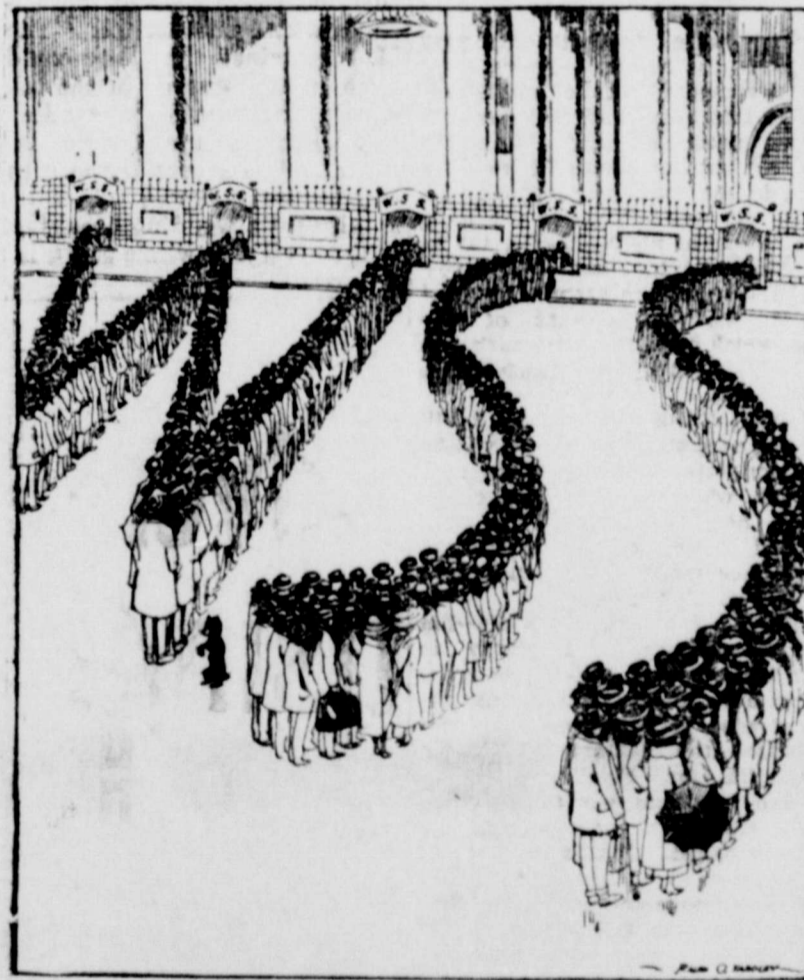
By investing your money in War Savings Stamps, you are taking no chances. The Government guarantees their constant increase in value and that you can always get what you have invested, with accrued compound interest, on ten days' written notice to the postmaster. But if you hold them to maturity they are worth the most. 1919 W. S. S. mature in 1924. Save! Have you bought your Thrift Stamp today?

LAYING GOLDEN EGGS

The Hen that lays every day is a gold mine— Take a lesson from the hen— Lay up for your future by buying WAR SAVINGS STAMPS regularly!



GET IN LINE!



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In order to save packing and to make room for our Fall purchases, which will be sold at a much higher figure, we are able to offer this purchase at such a liberal discount which will mean a great saving to the early buyer. The quantity is limited and suggest that you see them at once.

Prices Range from 95c to \$22.50

D. Reeder

Ed and Albert Gentry were in the rain having suspended their from the Marie country Tuesday, threshing work.



Ford cars have become such a world utility that it would almost seem as if every family ought to have its Ford car. Runabout, Touring Car, Coupe, Sedan, (the two latter have enclosed bodies) and the Truck Chassis, have really become a part and parcel of human life. You want one because its service will be profitable for you. We solicit your order at once because, while production is limited, it will be first come, first supplied.

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Ballinger, Texas

At Close of Business June 30th, 1919

Resources	
Loans and Discounts	\$158,959.91
Less Bill, Rediscounted	13,982.00
U. S. Liberty Bonds, W. S. S. and Treas. Cert.	16,792.00
Banking House Fur. and Fix.	24,171.85
Other Real Estate	2,058.05
Stock in Fed. Reserve Bank	2,200.00
Int. and Assn't. Guar. Fund	4,277.66
Int. Earned and not collected	1,206.28
Cash and Exchange	16,158.36
Total	\$211,842.11

Liabilities	
Capital	\$60,000.00
Surplus	10,000.00
Undivided Profits	1,650.16
Interest Collected and not earned	1,718.07
Bills Payable	35,600.00
Deposits	102,873.88
Total	\$211,842.11

The above statement is correct.

Feb McWilliams, Pres. C. S. Miller, Cashier



\$15,000,000 Loss Reported in Eggs

Hens running without a male bird will produce infertile eggs. Hens without a male will produce just as many eggs as though a male were present. Fertile eggs when exposed to high summer temperature will undergo chick development just as they would when placed in an incubator or under a hen. Fertile eggs showing chick development are spoiled for food

and are a total loss. Infertile eggs will not undergo chick development. Infertile eggs, therefore, keep better than fertile eggs especially during hot weather. A loss of \$15,000,000 or more each year is directly due to fertile eggs. Infertile eggs are more profitable because the losses are less. Infertile eggs are superior to fertile eggs for every purpose except to produce chicks. Sell, kill or confine the male birds and produce infertile eggs as soon as the breeding season is over.

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If you kill the Blue Bug and all blood sucking insects by feeding **Martin's Wonderful Blue Bug Killer**

In your chickens, Martin's Bug Killer will keep your chickens well and makes 'em lay more. Martin's means your money back if not absolutely satisfied.

John A. Weeks

CHICHESTER'S PILLS

THE DIAMOND BRAND. Ladies! Ask Your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills to keep you healthy, happy, and beautiful. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHICHESTER'S PINK DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 25 years known as the best. A new medicine.

SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Stephenson returned to Brownwood, Monday, after a visit to Mrs. Stephenson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Z. A. Snell.

A bad taste in the mouth comes from a disordered stomach, and back of that is usually a typhoid liver. A condition which invites disease. Herbine is the remedy needed. It corrects the stomach and makes the liver active and regular. Sold by John A. Weeks.

ROOMS FOR WORKING GIRLS IN S. A. HOME

Oklahoma City to Get \$60,000 Building.

A women's and children's rest room will be one of the features of the new Salvation Army building which is planned to erect in Oklahoma City with the proceeds of the Home Service Campaign.

C. G. Fencil, who is in charge of the plans for the drive, says, "The experience of local officers emphasized the necessity for the provision of women's and children's rest rooms and a day nursery as a very practical and much needed feature."

It is expected that mothers who are in the city on shopping trips will leave their small children under the care of the trained Salvation Army nurses.

It is also planned to provide some 18 or 20 moderate sized bed rooms to be rented to working girls at a minimum price. It is hoped that this feature will afford clean and wholesome living conditions on a cost basis at a reasonable rate compatible with the girls' wages.

Lieut. Col. George Wood, who is in charge of Salvation Army activities in the Southwestern Division, has announced that similar institutions for working girls will be established after the campaign for Home Service work in many of the larger cities of this division.

THE OUT-OF-LOVE CLUB

The New York Sun describes the work of this Salvation Army club in New York City:

"No, the Out of Love Club is not made up of jilted girls. Many of the members have been jilted—nay, cruelly used by conscienceless men in the past—but that isn't what the name means. It just means that what is done by it is done out of love and affection and good-will for all those who suffer and need a helping hand."

"It is a plain, but prettily furnished house at 318 East Fifteenth street where the Out of Lovers gather for their meetings and teas and various good times, or are welcome to stay, when they need the shelter and strength of this home. There is the Salvation Army Hospital, too, next door, at 316—the Booth Memorial Hospital it is called, after the old General who founded and started the Salvation Army. And many a desolate girl, some country girl, perhaps, who had come to the city and gone upon the rocks, has found shelter and comfort and the restoration to health in one of the white beds of this hospital."

"Commander Evangeline Booth stated recently that 85 per cent of the unfortunate girls they had taken in for reclamation had turned out well. Hundreds of them have been placed in service, and it is the rule of the Salvation Army to follow up the girls who leave the home, to keep track of them for three years at least and see how they turn out. Some times the girls are only too glad to report frequently."

"There was the girl who set out to starve herself to death on a park bench. It was one cold autumn night when a man's voice called up the matron at this home and told her that he was much concerned over a girl who had sat for several days on a bench in the little park opposite his house. He watched her in the early morning and at night, he said, and he was convinced that she hadn't moved; he thought she seemed in great trouble. So the Adjutant of the home, which faces the same park, ran out and hunted up the bench where the girl sat."

"Come! Come with me and I will take you to a place where you will be more comfortable," she told the poor creature, who was a pitiable object indeed, her hair matted, her face thin and drawn, her eyes vacant and glazed, her clothes torn and wet. The girl shook her head.

"It's no use talking to me—I'm going to sit here till I starve to death," she said in a dull monotone. For an hour the Salvation Army matron pleaded, argued, tried every wile to induce the half-crazed creature to go with her. Finally, not daring to leave her there, she told the girl that if she didn't come a policeman would be called. At this she gave in and went.

"It took weeks of nursing and care to win from the girl her story. It was one of misunderstanding and trouble at home and harsh treatment that had driven her out into the world, where lack of training made it impossible for her to get work and she was soon without money. Now that girl is an assistant in the Out of Love Club, where she is busy and happy all day, and the matron says she has saved many another girl who was tottering on the brink of despair."

CIVILIAN CLOTHES FOR DISCHARGED SOLDIERS

The Salvation Army is spending about \$200 per day in Chicago on civilian clothing for discharged soldiers. Commissioner Estill has placed Ensign J. A. Ryan in charge of this bureau. His office is always crowded. Every applicant is carefully interviewed and registered to prevent fraud and duplication. No clothing is given to men who have not yet secured jobs as they can seek employment in soldiers uniform as well as in civilian's clothing.

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Says Watoga Lady, "As To What Cardui Has Done For Me, So As To Help Others."

Watoga, W. Va.—Mrs. S. W. Gladwell, of this town, says: "When about 15 years of age, I suffered greatly. Sometimes would go a month or two, and I had terrible headache, backache, and bearing-down pains, and would just drag and had no appetite. Then... it would last... two weeks, and was so weakening, and my health was awful.

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Yanks Win Wives With Blubber Oil

The Stars and Stripes, the official newspaper of the A. E. F., published over there, offers the following bit of interesting information from the matrimonial circles of our fighting forces. It goes to show that just because a man is away from his native land, defending the rights of his country, is no reason why he should not continue to love and be loved.

"The Yanks who have courted the vivacious French mademoiselle in Paris and elsewhere, and who have been compelled to touch the skipper for an occasional loan in order to shower libations of champagne and nougatines at the feet of the sweetest girl in the world, will turn pink with envy when they learn what some of the other members of the A. E. F. are getting away with."

"Farther away from America than any of us ever hope to be again, a detachment of Yanks is getting away with murder and winning brides for themselves at a reduced rate.

"To date twelve doughboys on the Murman coast in far-off Russia, near Archangel, have been married, and as far as can be proved, they did it by satisfying their lady-love's sweet tooth with candies and blubber oil. The Q. M. complained that they couldn't keep enough guards in the tallow section, but what's a candle or two when a man's future is at stake? And where is the present day economy expert who will not admit that a wedding breakfast of blubber oil and whale steak is the

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Liberty Loan Bonds	25,800.00
Banking House, F. and F.	24,450.00
Stock Federal Reserve Bank	3,900.00
War Savings and Thrift Stamps	685.81
Cash and Exchange	115,243.81
Total	\$647,454.57

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock	\$100,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	56,892.46
Circulation	25,000.00
Reserved for Taxes	1,000.00
Dividends unpaid	6,000.00
Deposits	458,562.11
Total	\$647,454.57

The above statement is correct.

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