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SPECIAL

Dresses

1 Lot of Ladies' and Misses' Ready-Made Silk Poplin Dresses, assorted sizes and all colors, regular \$5.00 to \$7.00 values, to go at the Special Price of only

\$3.75

SPECIAL

Skirts

1 Lot of Ladies' Wool Skirts, regular values \$3.50 to \$6.50 (the cloth alone is worth twice the price asked, for these Skirts are all wool), Special at only

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..The CASH Store..

Also at Hamilton and Lometa

GOLDTHWAITE, TEXAS

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Reason For the Order.

Some Eagle readers have expressed surprise that the War Industries Board would give attention to newspaper subscriptions. The subject is quite clear when we realize that the Board's action is caused mainly because of the shortage of fuel and transportation facilities. The manufacture of paper is recognized as one of the necessary industries, but the Board reserves the right to superintend its distribution and prescribe rules for its use. A written pledge to obey the rules of the Board is required of all buyers of paper and without the signing of such a pledge a publisher can not buy a sheet of paper. After the pledge has been signed, if a publisher violates its provisions he can not be again supplied with paper. The rule is just and fair to all alike. Sworn statements are to be required of publishers at intervals as to whether or not they are sending papers after the expiration of the time for which they are paid or otherwise violating the Board's rules.

The Eagle's list is being checked as rapidly as possible, but the work has not yet been completed and we can not, therefore, conform strictly to the demands of the Board this week. We have been forced to drop from the list the names of some of our best and most appreciated friends, but we hope to be able to re-instate them in the next few days, for we feel confident many of them have either overlooked the matter or do not realize the seriousness of the situation. They would not have friendship or respect for us should we violate our

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Little visited in Lometa Sunday.

Fred Martin made a business trip to Lampasas the early part of the week.

C. B. Forsythe of Mullin this week ordered his name entered on the Eagle's list of readers.

Seaborn Allen of Lometa visited his uncle, C. L. Stephens, and family in this city Sunday.

Lieut. Louis Little came in from Waco Sunday for a visit to his home folks and to meet with his friends.

Mrs. Ponter returned to her home at San Saba Tuesday, after a visit to Mrs. Garner in Trigger mountain community.

Help to make the Eagle interesting to your friends and neighbors by reporting such local items as you know.

Mrs. W. M. Johnston and her daughter, Miss Mattie, went to Lexington Tuesday for a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Sam Peebles.

Miss Mamie Kelley left Tuesday morning for Fort Worth to be ready for the opening of school to resume her duties in charge of the primary department.

J. J. Mills returned to his home at Stanton on Saturday evening's train, after spending some time here looking after business matters and meeting with his friends and acquaintances.

Carroll Taylor, a young man who made his home with his mother in this city for some months, was adjudged insane Monday and sent to the asylum at Austin in charge of Deputy Sheriff Weatherby.

Geo. W. McDaniel, financial agent of the labor department, is prepared to take applications for government loans to farmers to buy seed and feed. All applications must be filed with him before the 30th of this month.

AN OPEN LETTER.

Administrator Peden Addresses the Housewives of Texas.

To the Housewives of Texas:

At the approach of the second year of my service as Federal Food Administrator for Texas, I wish to thank you for your hearty cooperation in the cause of food conservation. The splendid results achieved justify the sacrifice you have made in conforming to the novel and frequently difficult demands which the war has placed upon the dinner table. I have no doubt that you will continue as civilian soldiers to comply faithfully with the rules and requests of the Food Administration, by wasting no food whatever and by saving as much as possible of the essentials, for brave boys and allies across the Atlantic.

There is still another service, a service of great value, that you can render to our country at this time. It is highly important that prices be held down as low as legitimate business can bear. Profiteering is a familiar vulture in every war. Selfish greed is always ready to take advantage of its opportunity. For this reason the United States Food Administration will punish dealers who charge for licensed commodities more than a reasonable advance over the cost of the particular article. I am happy to be able to say that the larger number of dealers have not offended against this rule, but some have offended and more will offend if the guilty are not detected and punished, until wild speculation and profiteering will upset business and increase the cost of living to an insufferable degree.

To meet the needs of the people, the Food Administration has created Price Interpretation Committees composed of the wise and patriotic

representatives of the community, the maximum and minimum prices at which commodities should be sold by retailers. The minimum price is to be paid by the customer who pays cash and carries the purchase home. The maximum price is to be paid by the customer who buys on credit or when the merchant makes delivery. Any dealer charging more than the maximum price is profiteering.

The profiteer will be punished, even to the extent of being prevented from handling licensed commodities during the period of the war. But the Food Administration cannot regulate profits by punishing profiteering unless informed of violations. Upon you must I largely depend for reports of such offenses. With your help I can and will keep profiteering down and even prevent it entirely. As a public official, entrusted with the serious work of leading Texans, in carrying out the food program of war activities I am now most earnestly asking you, collectively and individually, to voluntarily accept the position of honorary agents of the Food Administration with the following duties: Carefully read and familiarize yourselves with the published prices of the Price Interpreting Committees of your community; check your purchases by such lists; never pay exceeding the maximum price fixed by the committee, and report to the local Food Administrator or to my office the facts concerning any retailer of you or any person within your knowledge.

I realize that my request imposes an added and disagreeable task upon the Army of Texas women. But it is a task which you alone can perform and I am sure that you who have so cheerfully given your brothers and sons to the cause of victory or death will not withhold from that cause this fatherly contribution of war service.

Sunday School

Last Thursday night Mr. and Mrs. D. D. ... entertained both the school classes and friends.

As the guests were ushered into the hostess. After greetings the good "Cross Question and Answer" was played. Growing tired of this game decided on playing "Clap In Clap Out."

Special music was rendered by Misses Janie and Ellen Archer, Nora Ross and Mildred Street. The guests present were: G. — Ellen and Janie Archer, W. Mae Daugherty, Dell Harris, Fay Cockrum, Mary Nick, Caddy Mayberry, Mildred Street, Nattie Lee Smith, Mildred P. Nora and Callie Ross, B. Dalton Barnett, DeHoward R. Lawrence Dalton, Rex Clem, Sammie Thompson, John I. Clayton Alley, Irwin Hu, Reginald Lanford.

Every one expressed themselves as having had a real time.

A GUEST

Friends Appreciated

The many good people who have renewed for the Eagle this week can be sure of our sincere appreciation. The liberal and prompt response made to the notice of the requirement of the War Industries Board has been indeed gratifying and has caused us to resolve anew to put forth every energy to make the patronage of this splendid citizenship.

Local Notes.

Foster Brim left Tuesday night in search of employment. Her father, Mr. ...

SCHOOL BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

We are Agents for All of the State Adopted School Books and Now Have a Complete Stock of All Books Used in the Schools

State Adopted School Books

Our Stock of School Tablets, Pencils, Pens, Inks, Crayons, Etc., is Comprehensive and Complete. We have some Real Values in School Tablets, real large ones, for 5c. Come to Miller's Drug and Jewelry Store for all of your school room needs.

State Adopted School Books

Headquarters for School Books and School Supplies

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"The San-Tox Store"

DRUGGISTS AND JEWELERS

"The Nyal Store"

STAR SIFTINGS

By Our Regular Correspondent



the little "batch" checked those remaining off. The exodus so general that we to give personal men- departures. We can ver, but very few have way to remain perma- All go with a determi- put forth their best ef- ridge the "drouth gap" county prosperity and dence that the drouth always.

well of Goldthwaite respects socially and Sunday. of Center City was ber in a business

son returned Tuesday Oklahoma trip where an introduction to the American and got a air old-time customs, a real "papoose" he ohn is one of our oducers on the farm ls county prospects

Hilton surprised us us an "acrobatic" ank-packing stunt and depart- Tuesday evening for Daniel Baker college at Brownwood. He will include the U. S. military raining course in his school work. We will miss Dumble, as he is he last of the Star boys in the "teens" of the 9th dimension.

Star is receiving its share of e 600,000 letters brought over om the soldier boys. Nearly l of our boys from Star now in ance were heard from. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Geeslin e week end visitors with Mr. d Mrs. Ben Soules (little Ben). The drouth has got our town quorum" past the speculating and it is about this way— see anyone go in the bank makes the "quorum" run to find out when he is leaving and what kind of work it is.

The many friends of Jake Roe will be pleased to hear of his ability to stir out and meet we few Star "guards." Forty odd days of fever had its telling effect, for mathematically it was good in subtraction—it took off forty odd pounds.

Mrs. Jake Roe is still fighting the fever and is getting along very nicely. The baby, after fifteen days of fever, is clear of it today.

To adopt an orphan infant fel- line and bestow upon it every comfort and care that can be ttenhood, also teach- most winning man-

young and fertile brain that which is wrong around and in the home; growing up into pretty cathood admired and petted by many, then to creep out in early dawn of the last cool spell and escort a stranger into this nice home and put said stranger in bed with his master; then sit up and coolly watch the rude disturbance to that morning beauty sleep and the "fish-out-of-water" performance that knew not the order of things—such was the crowning event in his young cat- ship's life, for he sat and stared at his master and wondered what the snake could have to do with such a "silent" explosion. . . R. L. Clemons was up for breakfast without being called!

Mrs. J. T. Blake—east of Star—who has been a rheumatic suf- ferer for several weeks, is much improved.

Miss Arie Slaughter is re- ported on the sick list and we hope it is a 2-degree class scare. Business Wednesday was quite out of the ordinary. Ginning day—and 19 bales was the total.

Ed Morris and family returned Tuesday from his river farm. Having disposed of his crop, he comes back home for the remain- der of this year.

Wiley Cook of Moline was a stop-over visitor from Sour Lake and the coast country.

Horace Webb and Wm. Wad- dill are piloting each other to the fertile labor fields at Paris, Texas, and Mrs. Waddill will keep away the "lonesome ghost" at the home of Mrs. Webb.

J. Z. Roberts returned Tues- day from a most enjoyable trip to the Sour Lake oil fields.

J. M. Adams fails to hide that lonesome look. Mrs. Adams and Mrs. Julia Jones of Center City are on a visit to Mrs. Jim Moore of Erath county.

Mrs. Willis Hill returned to her San Antonio home Friday. Miss Mae Hill of Goldthwaite accom- panied her with the intention of offering her services to Uncle Sam in some one of the many positions that our patriotic ladies can fill.

Rev. G. L. Ryan of Center City was a most pleasing visitor the latter part of last week.

Lant Adams and his interesting family motored to Menard Sun- day for a two-day visit with our ex-postmaster, W. A. Hawkins. He reports that Will is highly pleased and is destined to always be a druggist. Menard is in the irrigated district.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Waddill en- tertained the young folks Satur-

day night. The ranks of our youths are being encroached upon by the demands of work away from home and the socials fail to resound with that zest of mirth that attended their parties in the past. Also the colleges are taking away quite a few from Star, but be it remembered we will "keep the home fires burning" in every respect, first for our soldier boys—and all other ab- sent ones.

The total number of registrants for the Star district Thursday, who are willing to help get rid of the "degenerate defamators" of the human race and make this world a fit place for mankind, was 31.

We regret the serious illness that caused the removal of Mrs. Will Boykin to Temple last Sun- day for a probable surgical operation. Late reports were that they were awaiting conservative conditions for the operation. Re- maining with her are her hus- band, Mrs. R. L. Boykin and Mrs. Frank Soules.

Our school teachers have re- turned from Lampasas institute and are ready for their respect- ive schools.

Messrs. Goodnight and Benton left Sunday for the Meridian teachers institute. They will teach in Hamilton county.

Howard Morris came home and left immediately for Daniel Baker college at Brownwood, where he will take Uncle Sam's military course in connection with the college curriculum.

All who claim this new moon is a wet one should have to regis- ter. We want to know how many. (HS to St8).

A fine boy arrived in time for breakfast at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Soules, jr., Thurs- day.

John Hunt left Wednesday eve for Dallas to visit his daughter, Minnie, who is attending a busi- ness college in that city.

In a letter to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Bowman, their daughter, Miss Clara, tells of having experienced a taste of Hun "kultur" in the bombing of a hospital. She is working hard, but says she is well and happy.

Edgar and Ollie Manning mo- tored in from Dallas Wednesday evening, accompanied by Miss Minnie Hunt, who will remain for a few days with home folks before coming to finish her busi-

is much a- by Jim Henry ares Thurs- following

morning. Today a fine colt is attacked. They die very quickly. Every effort is being made to de- termine the cause of death. It is believed to be anthrax.

Ben Cox and family left Fri- day morning for Ranger, where he is foreman over several oil wells.

Ollie Hamilton returned home Friday on a forced business trip from Sour Lake.

Elder J. S. Hail was a Friday visitor, en route to Cherokee, San Saba county.

Fifth Sunday Meeting.

Program for the fifth Sunday meeting to be held with Star Baptist church Sept. 27 to 29, 1918, beginning Friday at 11 a. m. Sept. 27:

FRIDAY.

11 a. m. Sermon—C. H. Miles 2:30 p. m. Devotional—D. D. Kemper.

2:45. Church development and its organization.—L. L. Hays and W. R. White.

3:30. Needs of our association —D. I. Haralson, G. A. Jarrett.

8 p. m. Sermon: Subject, Relation of church and pastor.—J. R. Davis.

SATURDAY.

11 a. m. Devotional. — E. A. Obenhaus.

10:15. How to win the lost to Christ.—J. S. Smith, J. D. Long.

11 a. m. Sermon.—L. L. Hays. 2:30 p. m. Best way to finance the church—W. R. White, D. D. Kemper.

3:15 p. m. Duty of Christians to the church.—A. A. Carter, G. W. Jackson.

4 p. m. Board meeting. 8 p. m. Sermon—J. H. Frizzell

SUNDAY.

10 a. m. Why and how have a Sunday school.—W. R. White, W. E. Harper.

10:45. Devotional—C. M. Head. 11 a. m. Sermon—W. R. White

2:30. Woman's work — By county auxiliary.

H. S. THOMAS
T. C. EMDY
J. M. ADAMS
N. T. WADDILL,
Committee

F. D. Webb was called to Lometa this week on account of the serious illness of his niece.

Miss Brazzie Clements left for Houston yesterday to enter school.

Mrs. Roach returned the first of the week from Ogden, Utah, where she spent the summer with relatives.

Miss Bertie Carter, daughter of Mr. C. H. Carter of Center City, boarded the train here yesterday for Smithville to attend school.

Nothing new has developed in the oil well situation this week, but we can expect good news from that direction at any time.

1. Halibut with Mexican Sauce
Belgian Baked Potatoes
Spinach
Corn Bread
Jellied Peaches with Rice

2. Fish Pilaf with Spanish Sauce
Fried Green Tomatoes
Tapioca Pudding

3. Jellied Salmon Loaf with Nippy Sauce
Cabbage and Green Pepper Salad
Blackberry Pudding

- HALIBUT WITH MEXICAN SAUCE.**
6 slices halibut
2 tablespoons corn flour
2 teaspoons salt
2 tablespoons fat
1 1/2 cups water
1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce

Dredge halibut with flour and salt. Melt fat in baking dish and brown slices of halibut on top of the stove. Pour water and Worcestershire over fish and bake in a moderate oven 35 minutes. Then pour Mexican sauce over fish, bake 15 minutes and serve.

- Mexican Sauce.**
2 cups tomatoes
1 tablespoon grated onion
2 tablespoons corn flour
2 teaspoons salt
3/4 cup cold water
1 chopped green or red pepper

Bring tomatoes and onion to boiling point. Mix flour and salt with cold water and add to tomatoes, stirring constantly. Add pepper and pour over fish.

- FISH PILAF WITH SPANISH SAUCE.**
1 cup rice
2 quarts boiling water
2 teaspoons salt
1 cup cooked fish
1 cup fine wheatless bread crumbs
1 tablespoon Worcestershire sauce
3/4 cup rice stock
3/4 teaspoon pepper

Cook the rice in boiling salted water until thoroughly done. Drain, reserving the rice stock. Line a greased baking dish with part of the rice. Mix the fish, crumbs, Worcestershire sauce, pepper and rice stock and pack into center of dish. Cover with remainder of rice, packing it down to make a firm mold. Tie a paper over the top. Set in a steamer or on sev- eral thicknesses of paper in a pan of boil- ing water and steam for 30 minutes. Serve with Spanish sauce.

- Spanish Sauce.**
2 tablespoons fat
3 tablespoons corn flour
1 teaspoon salt
3/4 teaspoon pepper
1 cup stewed tomatoes
1 cup rice stock
1 tablespoon chopped onion
1 tablespoon chopped pimento

Melt fat; add flour, salt and pepper. Remove from fire, add tomato and water, return to fire and bring to the boiling point, stirring constantly; add onion and pimento. Turn mold of fish on a platter pour sauce around it.

For Sale

- Two 100 Ton Indiana Silos.
 - 1 Deering Binder.
 - 1 McCormick Corn Harvester.
 - 1 Van Brunt Seeder.
 - 1 Riding Planter.
 - 1 Thomas Humphries Gasoline Engine.
 - 1000 feet of 1 inch pipe.
 - One 30 Barrel Galvanized Water Tank.
 - 2 Galvanized Wagon Tanks, one 20 Barrels, one 30 Barrels.
 - One 10 Barrel Cypress Tank.
 - 2 Wagons and harness.
- For sale for cash or good note, Apply to me for price, etc.
E. P. THOMPSON.

Eone Dry on tap—next door to Meat Market. (adv)

W. A. Bayley wants your insurance business. (adv)

Keq Bone Dry—5c a glass—at Burch's old stand. (ad.)

Let Barnes & McCullough sell your window glass. (Adv)

School books and supplies at Clements' Drug & Jewelry Store. (Advertisement)

Get our prices before you buy your fall Dry Goods.—Mullan's Variety Store.

I have some second hand Fords, in good condition for sale cheap.—J. N. Weatherby.

Grain drills and farm implements of the best makes are at our store.—Bodkin, Hurtle & Co.

Take that pillow out of the window and put in a glass. Barnes & McCullough have the glass. (Adv)

Bring your friends to our fountain for satisfying service.—Clements' Drug and Jewelry Store.

Mrs. Delbert Rich of Temple is visiting Mrs. D. L. Lanford and family in this city.

McKinley Bros. & Jones will take Liberty Bonds in payment of accounts, or for purchase of goods. (ad)

Mrs. W. E. Grisham and her daughters are preparing to move to San Antonio, where Mr. Grisham is now located.

Send that "Soldier Boy" a Kodak picture of home and the home folks. Kodaks for sale and rent at Clements'. (adv)

If you want to buy housekeeping outfit or one piece of furniture we will be glad to supply you at pleasing prices.—Bodkin, Hurtle & Co.

Communion service at the Methodist church Sunday at 11 o'clock. The pastor asks for a full attendance.

If you owe us an account we can use a Liberty Bond in the payment; also in payment for goods.—McKinley Bros. & Jones.

I represent the Pierce Oil association and can supply gasoline and coal oil as well as higher grade lubricating oil. I also sell wood in any quantity any length. Will appreciate orders large or small.—H. E. Dalton.

Liberty Bonds taken in payment of accounts or for the purchase of goods.—McKinley Bros. & Jones.

Will Ethridge of Brownwood looked after business in this city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Lanford, Mrs. Prater and Mrs. Rich made a visit to Brownwood Wednesday.

Everything in hardware, furniture and undertakers supplies—Sullivan & Trent

Rev. A. C. Searcy received a message Thursday announcing that his wife's brother had been instantly killed in an automobile wreck in Dallas. The young man made his home with Rev. Searcy and family at Star for some time and is kindly remembered by the people over there, who sympathize greatly with the family.

Big variety of hats and caps only 50c.—Mullan's Variety Store.

W. P. Hutchingson and family have moved from their suburban home to this city and occupy the J. H. Kelly residence on Fisher street

Miss Elizabeth Burch left Wednesday morning for Houston, where she was married that night to Tom Lewis Brown. The young people have a wide circle of friends and are very popular in this city. The bride is a sister of Mr. C. M. Burch and the groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Brown. The Eagle joins the many friends of these young people in extending congratulations

Give me your next order for gasoline. I make prompt delivery and appreciate the business. E. J. Weatherby.

CALL FOR
Magnolia Coal Oil
It will not smoke
—Take no other

A. J. ... Agent

Somewhere in France

August 13, 1918

Dear Home Folks:

I am writing you to let you know I am well and getting along fine, and hoping you all the same.

I enjoyed the trip over here very much, but was tired when we arrived. We were two weeks on the water. We had two days rough weather, but the rest of the time the sea was calm.

Some of the boys, and also officers, got sea sick, but I didn't get sick at all.

I saw the ship the U. S. captured from the Germans in the beginning of the war, the largest ship in the world. It was in the harbor we left from, when we left. It sure is a fine ship. We saw some German prisoners yesterday, but can't tell you anything about them. We had boxing, wrestling, picture shows, and plenty amusement on the ship as we came across.

This country is far behind the U. S. and so few of the people speak our language. They have three and four acre fields with dirt bank fences. Their houses and barns are built together, which you know I don't like, so don't think I will marry and stay over here, ha ha.

Will close and write again soon. With oodles of love from
Your brother and son,
PAUL WEBB

Senior B. Y. P. U. Program

Leader—Judge Weaver.

Quiz—Mr. Taylor.

Subject—How may I know I am a Christian? How may others know it.

Scripture Lesson—1 John 5:1-13—Emma Kemper.

Introduction—By Leader.

How may we know? By complying with conditions—Hattie Taylor.

Illustration—Stella Brinson.

Special Song—Mrs. Rich.

By the condition of our Hearts

—Miss Irma Harrison.

By our growth in Grace—Ruth Verser.

Reading—Irwin Hurdle.

By our testimony—Bulah Cobb.

By our lives—Rosa Johnston.

Concluding Thoughts—Bro. White.

Special song—Mrs. White.

League Program

Subject—Lesson from Bible Biography, Heb. 11:32-40; 12:1-2

Leader—Mrs. Edward Geeslin.

Song.

Prayer.

Scripture reading.

A short account of Abraham's life and some of the lessons we may learn from his life—Mrs. Callahan.

The journey of Abram—Ruth Bayley.

What must we do to be friends of God—Lee Bayley.

The Life of Jacob—Edward Geeslin.

What lesson do you learn from this life—Lawrie Thompson.

Moses' life—Willie Rahl.

David's life—Emmet Mohler.

Song.

Benediction.

G. A. Entertainment

The G. A. girls were entertained at the beautiful home of Mrs. G. N. Atkinson Wednesday evening. Various games were played, which we enjoyed very much till a late hour. Afterwards we were taken out on the lawn where we had a delightful fortune telling contest, which caused quite a lot of merriment among the crowd.

Delicious punch and sandwiches were served at the close of the evening.

After having a discussion about our G. A. work we bid Mrs. Atkinson good night, hoping to meet with her again soon.

REPORTER.

Home Charities

Are you a member? If not why not? The following have joined during the week.

D. D. Kemper, 25c per month.

Duke Clements, 25c per month.

C. L. Stephens, 10c per month.

Mark Fairman, 10c per month.

This is the only way to take care of the poor, for it is the right way. If you care to carry your part of it is load, see me.

W. G. CALLIHAN.

Lard Is Worth More Than Lumber

It takes more than bristles to keep a hog comfortable; and unless he is comfortable, he won't produce results.

If he is not otherwise properly protected he will have to use and absorb his own protection—his fat—**COSTLY LARD.**

It is cheaper to use **CHEAP LUMBER** than **VALUABLE LARD** to keep your hogs in condition.

Also—even a hog responds to the right kind of care.

ALL OF WHICH MEANS—

It is **PATRIOTIC** to raise hogs to supply the fats needed by the world;

It is **WISE** to give hogs the proper shelter and care to produce the maximum of fats from the minimum of feed;

It is **ECONOMICAL** to build the **RIGHT KIND** of shelter at first rather than afterwards;

It is **PLAIN GOOD BUSINESS** to secure designs and materials from people who have the right kind at the right price.

And our claims to have both the **DESIGNS** and the **MATERIAL** best suited for this work can best be proven by your personal investigation. Remember—lard is worth more than lumber.

Horse Power is merely a term for work; Hog Power is a synonym for **RESULTS.**

The spicy odor of frying sausage will bring the laziest boy down to breakfast, when a team of horses wouldn't wake him.

You have to **WORK WITH** a horse to make him pay, while you just leave a hog alone and protect him properly and he will eat himself into your affections.

A horse can pull a wagon, but a hog can lift a mortgage.

Blessed be the man who first wrote the stirring lines: "This little pig went to market."

We have Everything YOU need in the way of LUMBER and WIRE for Housing and Fencing to properly Protect your Hogs. SEE US FIRST.

Barnes & McCullough

"Everything to Build Anything"

GOLDTHWAITE, TEXA

Mrs. Landers Dead

Mrs. J. E. Landers died in the sanitarium at Temple Thursday evening at 8 o'clock and her remains reached here yesterday morning and will be buried in the cemetery at this place this morning at 10:30 o'clock, after funeral services in the Baptist church.

Mrs. Landers lived in this county a long time and has a host of friends here. The family lived in Shaw Bend community until a few years ago, when they moved to this city. Her condition became serious some weeks ago and it was finally determined advisable to take her to the sanitarium for an operation on her throat. The operation was performed Thursday, but her condition had become so critical that no relief was possible and her life could not be saved.

Mrs. Landers was a noble Christian woman and had the esteem and friendship of all who knew her. The announcement of her death caused universal sorrow in this city and in the surrounding country and the family has the undivided sympathy of us all.

Card of Thanks

The members of the Girls Auxiliary wish to express their thanks to the public for their patronage and donation for their Red Cross sale Thursday. Twenty-five dollars was realized.

REPORTER.

MOHAIR AND WOOL.

I am now prepared to buy or advance money on Mohair and Wool.

G. H. FRIZZELL

Junk Wanted

I am again located at my old stand, next to the meat market, and buy Rags, Brass, Rubber, etc. Beeswax 22 1-2c per pound. Bring what you have to sell.—H. Storbeck.

Word has been received that Herbert Street has landed safely overseas.

We can save you money on your dry goods.—Mullan's Variety Store.

The ideal Beverage with hot or cold Dishes

Lobster	Sardines
Pickles	Sausages
Oysters	Spaghetti
Swiss Cheese	Ravioli
Goulash	Chile-Con-Carne

These make up the usual Dutch lunch—but what will you serve to drink?

For years the host and hostess have been asking themselves that same question—especially whenever the occasion happens to be one of those cozy little after-theatre or "in-between-times" parties. Now, there is a ready answer—

Bevo

BEVO IS THE ONLY BEVERAGE

This distinctively new creation in soft drinks is sparkling—snappy—delicious. It is healthful with the wholesomeness of the choicest cereals—appetizing with the bouquet and agreeable bitter tang which only choice hops can impart. It is sure to "hit the spot"—sure to encounter no prejudice.

Bevo—the all-year-round soft drink.

Guard Against Substitutes

have the bottle opened in your presence, first seeing that the seal has not been broken, and that the crown top bears the Fox. Bevo is sold in bottles only—and is bottled exclusively by

ANHEUSER-BUSCH ST. LOUIS

WALKER-SMITH CO. DEALERS BROWNWOOD, TEXA

Big thick tablets at Mullan's Variety Store. I pay 22 1/2c per pound for (Adv) —H. Storbeck at Saylor hotel

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R. M. THOMPSON, Editor

Statistics just made public show that one-sixth of the people in America bought third liberty loan bonds in the April-May drive.

The first winners report for the season showed that up to Sept. 1 there had been ginned 614,787, as compared to 1,039,620 on the same date last year.

Three state officers are to retire on January 1. They are: B. F. Looney, attorney general; J. M. Edwards, treasurer; W. F. Doughty, superintendent of public instruction.

The manufacture of beer is to be discontinued Dec. 1 and will not likely be resumed, as there will likely be absolute prohibition in America by the close of the war.

The government plan to allow young men an opportunity to attend college while taking military training is indeed a great thing for the boys, many of whom would otherwise never be able to go to college.

The federal fuel administrator gives out the very encouraging information that preparations are being made to have the price of gasoline reduced. The use of gasoline will be restricted largely to business purposes very likely before the end of the year.

The estimated expense of the United States government, including the cost of the war, for the next twelve months will be twenty-four billion dollars. This immense sum, yet it is not when considered in comparison with the vast and wonderful resources of this nation.

Mr. Cuijber has had an amendment adopted to the espionage law forbidding interference in any way with the government's plans of raising money for war purposes. This was a much needed provision and can be called an "heady" measure in their half baked opinions to the Red Cross campaign and other patriotic activities supported by good and sensible citizens.

The "insolent" of 93 "Insolent Willies" in Federal prison Leavenworth, Kansas, this week to serve good long terms will have a good effect on others as well as those whose guilt was proved. The right of labor to organize is not questioned and organization can make any demand it may desire, regardless of reason and justice, but it has no right to resort to force or violence, neither is it justified in interfering with laborers not affiliated with it or with the property of employers who do not employ them.

The people of the nation are urged to prepare for the Liberty Loan, which is to be the latter part of this year.

It is no longer necessary for the patriotic duty of the citizen in taking part of those who neither does the absolute of the investment need pressed. The amount that is invested is governed by the citizen only—not the amount available for ordinary investment, but all that can be raised by careful planning and spared from an economical living. Every true-hearted American wants to have a part in winning the war and we can not all carry a rifle to the battle line, we can all do our part to provide the necessities for those who have gone to the front. One hero in sacrifice and another at home as well as on the field and one way is to make the supreme effort to raise the Liberty Loan.

NEIGHBORING NEWS

Items Culled From The Leading Local Papers.

LAMPASAS

District court convened here Monday.

Miss Maurie Mills of Houston is visiting here with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Vernon.

The stove pipe at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Richardson was struck by lightning Saturday afternoon and Mr. and Mrs. Richardson were both badly shocked.

Hugh McCullough of Fort Barneas, Fla., visited here Tuesday with Wm. H. Andrew. He was en route to Goldthwaite to visit relatives.

Charlie Clayton, who lives near Grundyville, received a message Sunday from Washington, stating that his son, J. Lester Clayton, was wounded August 7th while in action and the degree of the wound was not known.

Miss Frances Lisles of San Saba is attending the teachers' institute here this week and is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Mills. Miss Lisles taught in the Lampasas school the past year, but will teach this term in Texas City.

Ben Peak has bought an interest in the Hoffman Drug Co., this change taking effect the first of September. Mr. Peak was raised in Lampasas and has had employment in the drug business here since a small boy and thoroughly understands all phases of the business. He will make Mr. Hoffman a valuable partner.—Leader.

SAN SABA

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Murray and master Tom, have returned from a month's vacation at Los Angeles California.

Mrs. Hugh Miller and daughter, Miss Noba, have returned from a visit with daughter and sister, Mrs. Pat Kennedy, at Kaw, Oklahoma.

Mrs. T. C. Henry and Miss Tompsy have returned from a visit in the home of the former's daughter, Mrs. Guy Bourland at Fort Worth.

The annual session of the Methodist conference that was to have been held in San Saba Oct. 16, has been moved to Austin. This change has been made necessary on account of the distressing conditions of the district with 250 or more visitors for a full week under present conditions would be too great an undertaking.—News.

HAMILTON

A message which brought great sorrow to Mrs. Helen Crews and her family was received last Saturday, and acquainted her with the death in Sao Paulo, Brazil, of Dr. J. W. Coachman her only brother.

A letter from J. Wesley Clements informs the Record folks that he has been sent from Camp Mabry, Austin, to A. & M., College Station. He says he is getting along nicely and is liking his soldier life much better than he thought at first. Mrs. Clements is still in Houston and he has the privilege of visiting her on Sundays.

Oce Striplin and family arrived at home Monday from a 2-months automobile trip through New Mexico, Colorado and Arizona. The journey was one of pleasure and also for the purpose of looking out a new home but after passing through much beautiful and attractive country, they are satisfied with Hamilton at least for awhile.

Miss Ruth Brazzill, who for the past ten months has been chief stenographer and abstract writer in the office of Hon. P. M. Rice, left last Wednesday for her home in Mansfield, Texas, where she will spend a short vacation. She has enlisted as a student nurse reserve and is expecting to be called within the next few weeks, probably sooner, as she enrolled in the preferred class, subject to call at any time and to go anywhere the government may see fit to send her.—Record.

LOMETA

Mrs. Ed Miller, of Galveston, was here the first of the week on a visit with her sister, Mrs. L. A. Skaggs.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. King are now at home in the L. A. Skaggs residence.

Mrs. W. L. Wall returned the

Rainfall at Goldthwaite, Sept. 1 to Sept. 11..... 00.00 in.

Total Rainfall for 1918 to above date..... 08.15 in.

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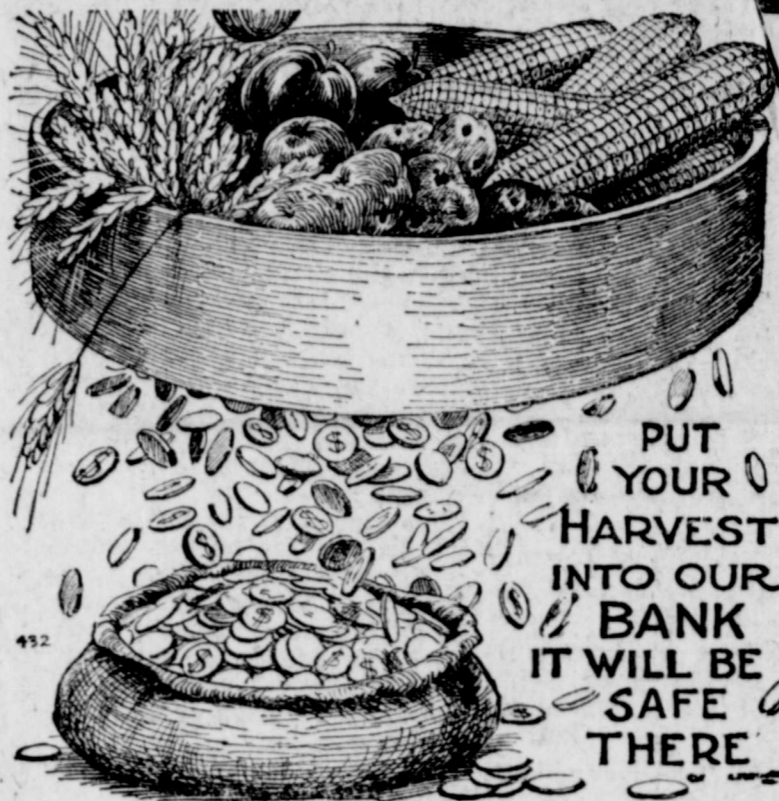
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I pay 1c per pound for old rags and old rope and pay market prices for copper, brass and beeswax.—H. Storbeck, Saylor Hotel. Tell the Eagle any local item you know.

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REV. W. E. CALLIHAN - PASTOR
SUNDAY School.....9:45 a. m.
Preaching.....11 a. m. and 8:45 p. m.
Epworth League.....7:30 p. m.
Prayer Meeting.....8:30 p. m.
All Are Cordially Invited

I have some second hand Fords, in good condition for sale cheap. -J. N. Weatherby.
Give me your next order for gasoline. I make prompt delivery and appreciate the business. E. J. Weatherby.

Mr. Jacob Lowe returned to after a visit in Lometa Tuesday. Em. Willis to his daughter, Mrs. son, and family in this city.

W. A. Ashby of Rogers writes the Eagle encouraging letter to of his subscription, which we appreciate very much.

Prof. T. L. Price, who is now engaged in the army Y. M. C. A. Saturday morning and spent several days visiting his sister, Mrs. McElroy, his friends, and meeting with him. He has been transferred to Camp Logan at Houston for some time.

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CITATION

The State of Texas
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Mills County, GREETING:

Oath having been made as required by law, you are hereby commanded to summon James Martin, W. A. H. Miller, T. H. Miller, Isabella B. Brown and husband, W. B. Brown, Georgia A. L. Green and Georgia A. J. Spruill and husband, G. J. Spruill, Harriett F. Baege and husband, Ludwig Baege, Mrs. Louisa Green, a widow, J. B. W. Hilliard, S. W. Hilliard, A. W. Melver, W. C. Hughes and Caroline Hughes, and the unknown heirs, legal representatives, legatees and devisees of each of the above named defendants, deceased, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof in some newspaper published in Mills county, Texas, commanding them to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Mills county, Texas, to be held at the court house thereof on the 23rd day of September, the same being the fourth Monday in September, 1918, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 24th day of August, A. D. 1918, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court, No. 1819, wherein, A. T. Langford, A. G. Langford, J. W. Coffman and wife, Mrs. Annie Coffman, G. F. Beck and Miss Johnnie Belle Harrison are plaintiffs, and James Martin, W. A. H. Miller, T. H. Miller, Isabella B. Brown and husband, W. B. Brown, Georgia A. L. Green and Georgia A. J. Spruill and husband, G. J. Spruill, Harriett F. Baege and husband, Ludwig Baege, Mrs. Louisa Green, a widow, J. B. W. Hilliard, S. W. Hilliard, A. W. Melver, W. C. Hughes and Caroline Hughes, and the unknown heirs, legal representatives, legatees and devisees of each of the last above named all deceased, are defendants, said petition alleging substantially as follows:

That the plaintiffs reside in Mills county, Texas, but that the names of the unknown heirs, legal representatives, legatees and devisees of each of the above named defendants, deceased, as well as the place of residence of the above named defendants is unknown to the plaintiffs.

That heretofore to wit, on or about the 17th day of August A. D. 1918, the plaintiffs were and now are legally and lawfully seized and possessed of the tract of land hereinafter described, holding the same in fee simple; that on the day and year last aforesaid, the defendants entered upon the said premises and ejected the plaintiffs therefrom, and unlawfully withhold from the plaintiffs the possession thereof to their damage in the sum of \$1,000.00, that the premises so entered upon and unlawfully withheld by the defendants from the plaintiffs are described as follows, to wit:

1st. The James Martin 320 acre survey in Mills county Texas patented to him by Patent No. 618, Vol. 44, dated June 5, 1879, Cert. No. 35-156, and meted and bounded as follows: Beginning at the S E cor. of sur. of 1652 acres in the name of Levi T. Bostick a L O brs. S 24 E 32 vrs.; thence S 19 E along the W line of Hamilton county school land No. 1 and D. Morris, Sr. pre-emption survey 1335 vrs. Saramletts Creek 1344 vrs. a st. md. in W line of said D Morris, Sr. pre-emption for S E cor. of this survey a sycamore brs. S 88 W 4 vrs. an elm brs. N 66 E 2 vrs.; thence S 71 W 555 vrs. Auns Creek 760 vrs. do 910 vrs. a branch 1344 vrs. a S M for S W cor. of this survey a L O brs S 71 W 85 vrs.; Thence N 19 W 615 vrs. Auns Creek 1346 vrs. a st. md. for the N W cor. a L O brs. S 22 W 44 vrs.; thence N 71 E 1344 vrs to the place of beginning.

2nd. 100 acres of land out of the Levi Bostick survey of 9 1-3 labors, patented to him by Pat. No. 204, Vol. 11, dated Sept. 4, 1854, being Cert. No. 2641-2672,

survey No. 27, in Mills county, said 100 acres meted and bounded as follows: Beginning at S E cor. of said 300 acre tract of land deed of conveyance to which being recorded in Book D, Hamilton county deed records on pages 52-53 and 53 on the 21st day of November 1871, following the S edy. line of said survey W 1188 vrs. a set corner; thence N 475 vrs set corner; thence E 1188 vrs to E bdy line of said survey thence S 475 vrs. to the place of beginning, and being 100 acres out of the S E corner of said 300 acre tract.

3rd. 100 acres of land more or less out of Hamilton county school land survey No. 2 in Mills county, Texas, described by metes and bounds as follows, to wit: Beginning at the N W cor. of block No. 1, a subdivision of said survey conveyed by Hamilton county to Wm. Morris, the same being at a point N 19 W 250 vrs. from the original S W cor. of said survey a st. md. fr. wh a L O brs. N 72 E 15 1-4 vrs.; thence N 71 E 950 vrs. to S E cor. fr. wh a B J brs N 72 W 5 3-4 vrs; thence N 19 W 595 vrs. to N E cor; thence S 71 W 550 vrs. to N W cor; thence S 19 E 595 vrs to place of beginning, containing 100 acres more or less.

Plaintiffs further allege that they and those whose estate they have, claiming to have good and perfect title to the above described land and premises, now have and have had peaceable and perfect title to the above described land and premises, for a period of more than ten years next after the defendants cause of action accrued and before the commencement of this suit.

And for further cause of action herein, plaintiffs say that they claiming the said land under deed duly registered, have had peaceable, continuous and adverse possession of the land and tenements claimed herein, cultivating, using and enjoying the same and paying all taxes thereon for a period of more than five years after the defendants cause of action accrued, if any, and before the commencement of this suit, and to this they are ready to verify.

Plaintiffs further allege that the exact nature, extent and character of the defendants claim to the above described lands and premises is unknown to the plaintiffs.

Plaintiffs pray that the defendants and each of them be cited to answer the petition filed herein, and that upon trial hereof they have judgment against each and all of the defendants herein, jointly and severally, for the title and possession of above described land and premises and for their right of possession to the same, and for decree establishing and quieting their titles thereto and that all clouds cast upon their title to said land by reason of the defendants claim or claims thereto be removed, and for such other and further relief to which they may be entitled in law or equity.

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

Witness, C. D. Lane, clerk of the District Court of Mills county Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of said court in the city of Goldthwaite, Mills county, Texas, this the 28th day of March, A. D. 1918.

(L. S.) C. D. LANE,
Clerk, District Court Mills County, Texas.

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W. A. Bayley wants your insurance business. (adv)

C. H. Carter was here from Center City yesterday.

H. G. Bodkin and wife spent the first of the week in Dallas.

Oscar Burns and family of Clifton visited relatives here the first of the week.

W. L. Brinson and family now occupy the Burns residence on Parker street.

Jake Sexton came in from Clifton Thursday to register and meet with his friends.

M. H. Fletcher and family are moving back to this city from their farm five miles west of town.

Send the children to my place, next to meat market, to get their school lunches. —W. A. Richards.

W. W. Condon and family are preparing to move back to their residence from their suburban home.

J. S. Ojien has purchased T. W. Butler's farm and suburban home and will be given possession right away.

W. Braker of Priddy boarded the train here yesterday for Taylor to visit relatives and look after business matters.

Wm. Biddle of Center City, one of the best men the county affords and a friend to the Eagle, transacted business in this city the first of the week.

W. A. Gardner, one of the best men of the Mullin country, transacted business in this city the first of the week. Everybody likes him and it is always a pleasure to meet with him.

Stray Hogs—Two range hogs with ears cut and one gentle hog unmarked; weight from 125 to 150 pounds. If you know of their whereabouts notify me at Goldthwaite. —Fay Reed.

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Letter From France.
The following letter has been received by Miss Gertrude Tullos from a young lady of France, who has met her brother, Sam Tullos, who is a member of the American forces in France:

Mdte. Marguerite Grapin,
48, Rue de Flore,
Alfortville (Seine),
Baulieu S. E.

20th August, 1918.

Dear Miss Gertrude:
I pray you to excuse me if I write you this letter. You will be astonished to hear that I am a French girl of 16 years old. You will ask also why I have your address. Will you not? So I shall tell you this story!

Yesterday I was riding on bicycle with some of my friends. After a long way we arrived at Verdun-en-Doubs, a little village not very far from Metz, another village where I am spending my holidays. We walked on the place, when we met two American soldiers. I spoke to them, so they were very glad to hear that I know American language. Oh! Not very well, as you can see by my letter! I learn it at school. I pray you to excuse all my mistakes! So, one of the two American soldiers, who is your brother, Sam Tullos, gave me your address. He prayed me to write you. He was very well, and in very good health.

Do you understand now, dear Gertrude (May I give you this name?), why I am writing to you? I shall be very happy if you will accept me as your little correspondent. Will you, dear? Your brother told me that you are also 16 years old. Do you know French language? Are you going to school?

I am still going to school, as I shall be a schoolmistress or a professor. Now I have holidays, but I shall return to school on the 1st of October. I have passed with success two exams in July. Now I take my rest in a nice country. I walk all day long. I am very well here at Mervans, as I am very fond of Nature.

I live in Paris, or rather at Alfortville in the suburbs, and I shall return to the great town on the 20th of September. The office where papa is working stands in Paris. Papa has short holidays, so he could only spend a week with us. I am here with mamma, my sister Jane, who is 14 years old, and my brother Pierre, who is 12. You see that I am the eldest! Your brother told me that you are the youngest, the baby of the family!

I greatly admire all American soldiers. They fight so well! On the 4th July heaps of American soldiers passed through Paris, accompanied by a splendid band. The cheers by the thronging crowds were deafening.

Hoping to receive from you soon, dear Gertrude, an answer to my letter, I pray you to give my kindest regards to your parents and accept for you the affection of a little French friend.

MARGUERITE GRAPIN.

My address is at the top of my letter.

G. A. Program

Leader—Emily Anderson.
Subject—Making the most of ourselves—(Educational day)
Song—No. 17.
Scripture Reading—Eph. 4: 11-19—Loretta Leverett.
Prayer for our schools and colleges and for our young men and women—Mrs Atkinson
Short talk on scripture lesson—Dell Harrison.
Paper—What the church school stands for—Gladys Bayley.
Instrumental Solo—Irene Atkinson.
Talk—How the church/colleges influence all other colleges—Caddy Mayberry.
Business. Free will offering. Benediction.

Clean-Up Week
To the Women and Children of Mills County:
Governor Hobby has issued a proclamation designating the week beginning Sept. 16 as state-wide clean-up and salvage week. He has appointed the several officers and organizations comprising the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs to advertise this proclamation and help handle the salvage.

This county is suffering from an unprecedented drought and the saving of things will go far toward keeping down distress until another crop is made—and this appeal is made to every home in the county. Empty sacks, bottles, rags, bits of tin foil such as chewing gum and tobacco wrappers, bones, iron, old kid gloves, rubber, old inner tubes and casings, and many other things mar the looks of our premises and take up room in our homes, thereby being a menace to civic beauty and cleanliness. Our back yards contain many accumulations of peach and plum seeds left from canning time.

There is an urgent call for these seeds from the makers of the gas masks worn by our boys "over there," as the charcoal or carbon made from fruit pits is used to neutralize the poison gas used by the Germans to blind and maim our soldiers. The government asks the boys and girls to save and collect every one; pecan and walnut shells serve the same purpose. Two hundred peach pits or seven pounds of nut shells produce enough carbon for one gas respirator. I ask every home and school in Mills county to cooperate in the campaign of cleanliness, thrift and war savings.

Pile and assort your junk, sack your fruit pits and nut shells. A market will be found for your junk if you are unable to dispose of it yourself. The government will take charge of the fruit pits without cost to you, if you will take them to your local Red Cross organizations, to your school or send them to Goldthwaite. I would suggest that all sales of old rubber, inner tubes or casings be turned over to the home section of the Red Cross. If any further information is needed address, MRS J. C. STREET, Pres. Self Culture Club, Goldthwaite, Texas

Citizens Register.

Thursday 875 citizens registered in Mills county, by precincts as follows:

Goldthwaite	381
Nabors Creek	3
Antelope Gap	12
Center City	41
Payne	19
Star	31
Caradan	38
Mullin	130
Fisher	25
Priddy	61
Big Valley	21
Rock Springs	22
Ratler	11
Regency	15
Ebony	28
Ridge	16
Rye Valley	8
Mt. Olive	15

Total registration 875

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Federal Food Administration for Texas

Wholesale Price to Retailer		Retail Price to Consumer
\$4.3c	Sugar	10c
\$1.25	Meal, 25 lb. bag	15c
4c	Irish Potatoes	10c
\$2.15 to 2.26	Com. Lard, 10 lb.	\$2.40
\$1.68	Crisco, 6-lb.	2.00
30c to 35c	Bread	10c
50c to 55c	Hams	35c to 37c
26c to 28c	B. Bacon	60c to 65c
10c	S. Pork	32c to 35c
11c	Pinto Beans	12c to 14c
17c	Navy Beans	15c to 20c
17c	Lima Beans	18c to 25c
9c to 10c	Pink Beans	12c to 15c
10c	B. I. Peas	12c
17c	Pink Salmon	22c to 25c
23c to 28c	Red Salmon	30c to 35c
7c	Corn Flour	9c
\$2.75 to 2.80	Flour, 48-lb.	\$3.00
\$1.45	Flour, 24-lb.	\$1.60
75c	Flour, 12-lb.	85c
31-2c	Onions	35c
\$1.77	P. N. Oil, per gal. bkt.	\$2.00 to 2.15
28c to 30c	Cheese	35c to 40c
12c to 13c	Milk	17c to 20c
5-1-4c to 5-1-2c	Baby Milk	6-1-4c to 7-1-2c
\$1.72	Cooking Oil, per gal.	\$1.85 to 2.00
26c to 28c	R. Oats, 55-oz.	35c
11c to 11-1-2c	Corn, 2-lbs.	12c to 15c
15c	Tomatoes, 3-lb.	20c
12-1-2c	" 2-lb.	15c
8c	" 1-lb.	10c
12-1-2c to 17-1-2c	Peas, Con. standard	15c to 20c
11-1-2c to 12-1-2c	Seeded Raisins	15c

L. B. ASHLEY, Chairman, M. E. ARCHER, LEE JONES, S. P. SULLIVAN, MRS. J. A. GILLESPIE, MRS. O. H. YARBOROUGH, Committee.



When you have a house to rent

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DEVOE The Guaranteed Lead and Zinc Paint

Fewer Gallons—Wear Longer

It is just as essential to use good paint on a house you own and rent as on the one you live in. Therefore, paint with Devoe and increase the value of your property.

We guarantee Devoe because we know it is pure and because we know that it always gives our customers satisfaction. It contains no whitening, silica, china clay or other adulterants. Devoe is guaranteed to take fewer gallons and wear longer. We are always glad to show attractive color combinations. Ask for booklet—"Keep Appearances Up and Expenses Down."

Everything to Build Anything
QUALITY AND SERVICE

BARNES & McCULLOUGH GOLDTHWAITE, TEXAS PAINT DEVOE PAINT

Marion Stephens came in from Fort Worth this week to register and visit home folks.

Work pants, overalls, work shirts and shoes—Mullin's Variety Store

Winter Underwear, Sweaters, gloves and shirts—Mullin's Variety Store.

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