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GOLDTHWAITE, TEXAS

### Pompey Creek.

Editor Eagle:  
Somehow, we've been convinced of late that it can rain in Texas, even in Mills county. The rain continues to fall, the weather continues to freeze, but the "flu" refuses to fly. However, we think it is abating.

Reports from Fred Mosier in the Temple sanitarium are not encouraging, we are sorry to learn. On the other hand we are glad to note encouraging reports from Cora Nicholas of Carlsbad N. M.  
Messrs. John L. and Cooper Gunter returned last week with their families from a cotton picking tour of the east. Now we may hope for the revival of the Sunday school, unless the bad weather and contagion co-operate to prevent it.

Willie Black lately of Camp Travis, and Mrs. Willie Black, who is teaching at Ridge, spent the holidays with relatives here.

Mrs. Cooper Gunter was called the early part of the week to the bedside of her sister, Mrs. Geo. Tumlinson of Comanche county, who is very sick of pneumonia.

Mrs. Epley of Prairie departed this life last week, and Mr. Epley is reported seriously ill at present.

Mack Hancock came in from Ranger to spend the holidays with home folks.

John Nicholas is home from Ranger for a few days; also Jim Carlisle.

Mrs. Arthur Hancock was the guest of Mrs. Frank Perkins Sunday.

Misses Lela, Artie and Mattie Mosier were guests of Misses Myrtle and Asilee Gunter Saturday.

Will Boutler and family visited relatives at Trigger Mountain Sunday.

The Pittman family, Sam Black and family, Arthur Hancock and little Miss Jewel, and others were guests at the John L. Gunter home Sunday.

Misses Kate and Addye Hayes reopened school after spending the holidays with homefolks at Trigger Mountain. As we had the good fortune to secure two of Mills county's best teachers, we are expecting great things of our school, and so far we have not been disappointed.

JOAN OF ARC.

J. A. Allen made a business visit to Temple Tuesday.

Robt. Littlepage made a business visit to Waco this week.

G. M. Pollard of McGirk was among his Goldthwaite friends Monday.

W. T. Little and family were visitors from Hamilton the first of the week.

C. Drucekhamer of Priddy transacted business in this city the early part of the week.

R. L. Armstrong this week ordered the Eagle sent to Avery Armstrong at Mill Creek, Okla.

Ruffin Johnson of Lometa sent in a renewal of his subscription this week and remembers kindly his Mills county friends.

The railroad locomotives are now supplied with water from Lake Hull and the pumping station at Goldthwaite has been closed.

Rev. R. W. Bynum was an appreciated caller at this office the early part of the week. He has recently moved to the Washboard community, near Indian Gap.

Miss Mamie Kelley returned to her duties as teacher of primary methods in Fort Worth schools, Monday, after spending the holidays with home folks.

The order forbidding public gatherings in Goldthwaite was annulled last Saturday, but the school and churches did not take advantage of the opportunity to resume sessions, but deferred meetings for some days longer.

### Letter From France.

Nov. 24, 1918.

Mr. J. L. Venable, Goldthwaite, Route 3.

Dear Dad:—Today has been designated "Dad's Xmas Victory letterday" when all the boys in the A. E. F. should write their fathers so they can get the letters by Xmas.

The censors have given us the privilege of writing most anything we care to, so I will try to give you a little history of my stay in Europe. However, before I begin I will state I am in the hospital from a slight wound I received on Nov. 5. I am getting along fine and you would not know anything is the matter with me.

Well you know when I came across the Atlantic last winter we were torpedoed and consequently I stayed in Ireland three weeks. I was in Belfast and Duolin while in Ireland. They are the principal cities of Ireland. From Ireland I went to Holyhead, Wales. Wales is Mr. Lloyd George's home country, you know. From there I went to London, from there to Winchester and then to Southampton and from there to Le Harve, France. Was in England about a month. I got to France in March and went to the front first in the month of April. That was when I joined the 9th Infantry, which is a part of the 2nd Division. We were on a quiet sector of the front then, and the only thing I experienced there in the way of war was a little shell fire. However, the real thing begun for us the first of June at Chateau Thierry, or near Chateau Thierry rather. There was some real hard fighting there and it was there I first saw the results of a real battle. Well, we held the lines there for over a month without relief. French troops were on both sides of us. We had been away from that position for only a short time when we attacked the Germans between Soissons and Chateau Thierry on July 18. It was a great engagement. They were attacked by allied, French and American troops on a front of 28 miles the first day and probably 50 or 60 as the battle developed. I was slightly wounded in the right leg, as you know, 12 hours after the fight began, so I went to the hospital and

stayed 2 months, when I rejoined my company and was with them in the great Argonne drive that begun Nov. 1. I got hit in the left arm by a machine gun bullet on the 5th. It was merely a flesh wound and I can use my arm now the same as if nothing had happened. However, by being in the hospital I have a good warm bed and good eats.

Well, dad, I will close as I am running out of paper. If you don't hear from me regularly don't worry the least bit for I was never healthier and stronger in my life.

Give my love to mother and the kids. Your loving son,

HENRY.

Pte. Wm. H. Venable,  
Co. L, 9th Inf., A. E. F.,  
France, via New York.

### Highway Tax.

Owners of automobiles must now pay their highway tax to the county tax collector, instead of sending it to Austin, as heretofore. This tax was due Dec. 31 and every day after that date a car is or has been run without the payment of the tax subjects the owner to a fine. After Jan. 31 a penalty of 25 per cent must be added to the amount of the unpaid tax. Car owners must supply the tax collector with information as to their engine number and the road number issued by the highway commission in order for a valid receipt to be issued to them.

There has never been a better season in the ground than at present and everybody is hopeful of good crops this year.

Mrs. Roy Conro and children returned home Monday from a visit to relatives at Corpus Christi.

J. T. Jones of Miller Grove returned Sunday night from Eddy, where he was called last Friday on the sad mission of attending the funeral of his mother whose death occurred as a result of an attack of appendicitis. She was 79 years of age and left a large family of grown children. Her six sons served as pall bearers at her funeral. Mr. Jones and family and his brother, Dr. Jones of Mullin, and family have the sympathy of their Mills county friends in their bereavement.

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# STAR SIFTINGS

By Our Regular Correspondent



An interesting letter from Frank Jeter we believe will be of interest and make it a part of next week's siftings.

Henry Peck reports the loss of several head of cattle during the past cold spell, also some had their feet frozen.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Hamilton was again visited by the grim reaper death, Tuesday night, taking their other twin baby. The little one was buried Wednesday eve at Hurst. Ous hearts go out to them in their sorrow.

We must record the enjoyable presence of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Campbell and Dr. J. H. Wilson Wednesday.

The few wolves left hereabouts must be celebrating with a jubilee caucus for Jim Hamilton has exported his fine wolf hounds.

Mrs. W. A. Gordon and daughter, Mrs. Luther Hedgpeth of Vista were Monday's pleasant trading visitors. Mrs. Hedgpeth is delighted to learn her husband came thru the big fight safely.

Sam Perkins of McGirk will be 2nd lieutenant with Prof. Ira Neighbors farming this year. Prof. Neighbors has moved to the J. R. Paine farm which in connection with teaching insures him work the year round.

John Hunt and family are at home in the Ira Hawkins home place. Mrs. Bettie Paine will be at home with them. A welcome to them—and just watch Star grow, good town, better people, best schools and superb country, drouth or no drouth.

Who branded the H. C. Springer place "Rented?" Cupid did it and he is looking out for another one.

Mrs. L. Rickel and daughter, Miss Artie, were home strangers in town Wednesday.

The School Board has offered the position in school made vacant by Miss Ewing's resignation to Mason Goode, who is in the Navy department at Hoboken, N. J. He expects his discharge in a few days and hopes to arrive about the 15th.

J. A. Gillispie, Goldthwaite genial cotton seed oil man, was semi business visitor this week. He was accompanied by C. E. Horton of Hamilton of the McKinley Jones Co. on one of those New Year lookout trips.

D. A. Jeske was a three day business attendant at a "bankruptcy in the turkey business case" at Waco. Two of our merchants lost close to \$900.00 on a holiday visitor's plunge in turkeys.

W. C. Beshears of Muenster, Texas, is the enjoyable guest of his daughter, Mrs. P. O. Harper.

Miss Ethel Clary has returned to her duties as a nurse at the Forney, Texas, hospital.

Wm. Johnson has been a flu sufferer and we knew it not. He is able to stir around some.

Fred Shave and Otto Schwartz two of our "get up and goes" are stringing a new telephone line to their home.

Ed Eppler was a Hamilton representative Tuesday.

Tom Kinzie, T. B. Fincher, Wm. Jones, Jim Rumans and Esto Newton distributed business smiles to the merchants Tuesday. Come again—"the more the better."

Mr. Casey, Federal Farm Demonstrator of Goldthwaite, was mixing with our people in the interest of farm terracing, better seed and better everything else and we are sure there is work to be accomplished here and wish him the support of all.

Mr. Tubb of Lamar county is enjoying a visit to friends and relatives here and at McGirk.

Greg Kincheloe, after an absence of two years, returns to McGirk with a Mills county satisfaction in his feelings.

Miss Bora Baker is offered the position of supervising nurse in a new sanitarium to be opened at Hamilton.

Mr. James Johnson is visiting with his sister, Mrs. Minnie Singleton.

After many days of suspense

and anxiety home folks have heard from Doran Henry "over there." He is well and from information at hand his division, 36th, will remain indefinitely.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Johnson are enjoying a visit from his mother, Mrs. M. Johnson, of Center City.

Mrs. J. H. Goodnight has been quite sick, also Mrs. Bettie Paine is still on the sick list.

Our news scout No. 33 reports Hugh Livingston on the train bound for Sour Lake from Burkburnett, where he went to get a better job—too cold.

Will Stephan divorced the garage and is courting the oil fields work at Ranger.

W. B. Carswell of Moline was a pleasant come and go visitor Wednesday.

## Monument to Heroes.

The Eagle is pleased to know, from a communication published in the last issue, that the ladies Self Culture Club endorses the idea of erecting a monument to the Mills county soldiers in the world war who lost their lives on the battle field or died in military camps. The plan is, we believe, endorsed by everybody and only needs some individual or organization to take the matter in hand to bring success for it. Since these ladies are first to endorse the plan the Eagle hereby nominates them to have charge of the matter in all its details and hopes they will undertake the duties.

The Eagle believes the money should be raised by donations from all the people, supplemented by whatever amount the government finally determines to give, which will likely be \$200 for each soldier who lost his life. Of course, the monument should be in honor of the soldiers as a body, but should bear the names of those who made the supreme sacrifice. The contributions should not be more than \$1, in order that all may have an opportunity to contribute without overshadowing our Confederate monument. If the ladies will take the matter in hand the Eagle hereby pledges them \$1 as a starter, with the understanding that if another plan is adopted as a basis for contributions the Eagle will have the privilege of increasing its donation.

## The Going of a Mother.

The world suffers a distinct loss in the going of a good mother. Mothers are God's greatest earthly contribution to mankind. Sister A. M. Richards was a faithful mother. She was one of the oldest citizens of this town. Her husband died while the family was quite young. The whole responsibility fell on her shoulders, which she bore lovingly and faithfully. Words of fond devotion and profound praise were spoken by all her children before and at her departure. She was dearly loved by her neighbors and her neighbors' children.

For some eight years she had been a member of the Baptist church. The blessedness of her last hours is shown by her attempt to sing, "Nearer, My God, To Thee." This was the noble sentiment of her departing soul:

Or, if on joyful wing,  
Cleaving the sky,  
Sun, moon and stars forgot,  
Upward I fly;  
Still all my song shall be,  
Nearer, my God to thee,  
Nearer to thee.

We all know where to find her.  
HER PASTOR.

## City Council.

The city council held its regular monthly session Monday night with all members present.

Reports of the collector and treasurer were received and referred to the finance committee.

The resignation of J. C. Darroch as city attorney and secretary was received and accepted, he having been elected to the legislature, and F. P. Bowman was elected attorney and secretary.

## TOUCHED A WOMAN'S HEART

Sleeping Soldier Stirred Mother Instinct in Gray-Haired Lady Who Watched Him in Subway.

Strange things happen even in the prosaic depths of the subway. Once in a while the curtain of convention draws away and for an instant one looks deep into life itself before the jealous curtain falls again, says the New York Tribune.

He was a private of artillery. His boyish face held lines of weariness, and as he slumped down into a corner seat of the car his red-corded hat fell off, revealing that his hair was yellow and curly. He did not stoop to recover his hat but fell asleep almost as soon as he hit the seat.

Few noticed the gray-haired woman who sat opposite, watching him. She was gaunt and shabby. One wondered what she was doing abroad at that early morning hour. She never took her eyes off the sleeping lad. Presently she arose to leave as the train jolted into a station.

As she passed the boy she bent, lifted the battered campaign hat, laid it on his lap and then kissed him softly on his tumbled yellow hair. He did not stir and she almost ran from the car. The curtain that had lifted for a brief moment fell again, and at least one sat watching the sprawled figure of the soldier, wondering.

## SAYS UNIFORM IS TOO TIGHT

British Officers Criticize Clothing Furnished to American Soldiers Fighting in France.

The army council order about the tightness and fitting of soldiers' uniforms led to expert discussion as to which force has the best. Wounded officers with experience ranging from Bagdad to Ypres voted for the Australian.

Its shirtlike tunic with buttoned sleeves is ideally workmanlike. The Norfolk jacketlike waistband gives trimness without necessitating the wearing of a belt.

And just as unanimously expert opinion declared the U. S. A. uniform the worst.

"It's too tight—it's skin tight. Bless you, the pockets won't hold anything—they're for appearance. You couldn't cram a handkerchief in one. And I used to carry quite comfortably a pair of socks, a couple of Mills grenades, a tin of bully, chocolate, cigarettes and my revolver on one side of my jacket.

"A thing in your pocket is worth a stone in your haversack."—London Chronicle.

## RIGHT PLACE



Mr. Knagg—Don't you know that? Any fool could tell you.

Mrs. Knagg—That's why I asked you, dear.

## Merry Wives Club.

On January 7, 1919, the Merry Wives Club met with Mrs. Walter Fairman in a regular business session. After the business of the club had been attended we enjoyed a social chat and most of all a delicious refreshment course. Next meeting of the club will be with Mrs. C. M. Burch.



## OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF

### The Trent State Bank

At Goldthwaite, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 31st day of Dec., 1918, published in the Goldthwaite Eagle, a newspaper printed and published at Goldthwaite, State of Texas, on the 11th day of Jan., 1919.

#### RESOURCES:

Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	\$253,512 40
Bonds and Stocks	10,115 46
Real Estate (banking house)	6,500 00
Furniture and Fixtures	3,500 00
Due from approved Reserve Agents, net	34,524 55
Due from other Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net	119,447 30
Cash Items, Currency and Specie	9,210 56
Int. and Ass't in Depos. Guar. Fund	6,145 86
Total	\$442,956 13

#### LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock paid in	\$50,000 00
Surplus Fund	25,000 00
Undivided Profits, net	1,679 34
Due to Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net	5,550 87
Indiv. Deposits, subject to check	338,650 64
Cashier's Checks	17,075 28
Other Liabilities	
Dividend Account	5,000 00
Total	\$442,956 13

STATE OF TEXAS—COUNTY OF MILLS, ss.  
We, E. B. ANDERSON, as president, and W. C. DEW, as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.  
E. B. ANDERSON, President.  
W. C. DEW, Cashier.  
CORRECT—ATTEST:  
R. M. THOMPSON,  
ELI FAIRMAN,  
O. H. YARBOROUGH,  
Directors.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 8th day of Jan., A. D. 1919.  
[seal] CARRIE BODKIN,  
Notary Public, Mills County, Texas.

## MILLER HOT WATER BOTTLES

"NEVER LEAK"

## FOUNTAIN SYRINGES

The Kind that Last—MILLER'S

## MILLER'S COMBINATION SYRINGES

Just what everyone should have in the home.

## MILLER RUBBER GLOVES

For the woman who does her own house work, MILLER RUBBER GLOVES are both a convenience and a time saver.

## MILLER'S DRUG STORE

THE SAN-TOX STORE THE NYAL STORE

### Young Hero Returns.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Jarrett of Big Valley are entertaining as an honored guest their nephew, Wm. A. Gardenhire of San Francisco, but lately returned from "over there." Mr. Gardenhire was in active service for nearly one year as pilot of a scouting machine. He was engaged in some fierce encounters with the Huns. While engaged in the bombardment of Soissons he was gassed and shot while in the air. After spending weeks in the hospital he again reported for duty and was brought to ground with a broken leg. He was in the hospital when the armistice was signed and was among the first of the wounded soldiers to be returned to the United States.

### Pyorrhea.

Seventy-five per cent of the people have Pyorrhea Alveolaris (an oozing of pus from the tooth socket.) Specialists tell us that it is often the cause of heart, kidney and stomach troubles, also responsible for many cases of tuberculosis and arthritic rheumatism. Many other diseases are attributed to it, but the foregoing are enough to show the danger of mouth infection.

I am giving, and have been for five years, special attention to the treatment of mouth infection. If you have it you should call on your dentist at once and have it attended to.

EM. WILSON, Dentist,  
Goldthwaite, Texas

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

Protect yourself against loss by fire or storm by taking out insurance with W. A. Bayley. (adv)

## The Paying Hen is The Laying Hen



### HESS' Poultry Pan-A-Cea

will make your hens lay. . . . Sold at

### MILLER'S DRUG STORE

1919 calendar and weather chart for you at Miller's Drug Store. Call and get one. (adv)

Chas. Brock of Harrisonburg, Va., visited his uncle, A. J. Harrison, and family in this city this week.

SAN-TOX Tar Pine and Cherry Cough Syrup will stop that cough. Get it at Miller's Drug Store. (Advertisement)

The Eagle editor and family sincerely appreciate an invitation to the reception and inaugural ball in the state capitol the evening of Jan. 21.

Come and get your 1919 calendar and weather chart at Miller's Drug Store. We have one for you. (adv)

F. E. Shultz and wife and Miss Cleo Hudson of Democrat were visitors to this city Thursday and he made the Eagle an appreciated call.

Lost Cow—Pale red, 4 years old, branded X on left side. A liberal reward will be paid for her return or information leading to her recovery.—O. A. Carothers, postoffice Goldthwaite.

W. A. L. Graves, now with the Frost National bank of San Antonio, writes that the Mills county folk in the Alamo city are getting along nicely and are pleased with their location. The Eagle can not think any one who has lived in Mills county can be entirely satisfied elsewhere and we will hope for them all to return home sooner or later.

I have some baled oats, heavy bales, at Center City, also some on Browns Creek. I will take 85 cents per bale at the barn. See or phone Thos. H. House or J. A. Jones.—W. A. L. Graves, care Frost National Bank, San Antonio.

Tell your grocer you want Magnolia coal oil. It will not smoke.—A. E. Evans

Miss Thelma Childre of San Antonio and David D. Durnell of Kelley Field, San Antonio, were united in marriage January 4th at San Antonio. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Parm Childre who formerly made their home in Lampasas and has many friends among the people here who extend congratulations and best wishes.—Lampasas Leader.

### TICKS! TICKS!

Are detrimental to your stock. I have plenty of Tick Eradicator that you can put in salt and rid your stock of pesky ticks. I guarantee one package of this to rid any cow, horse or mule in Mills county. If it don't, you can get your money back. I also keep at my office a line of hemorrhagic, septicaemia bacterien. You can vaccinate your cattle against this dreadful disease. I also keep influenza bacterien to vaccinate your horses and mules against influenza; also a full line of tick fever medicine, blackleg vaccines of the highest quality, physic of all kinds for all of the stock, high-grade stock tonics, liniments, reducing ointments—in fact, anything you need for live stock ailments.

I also have a few choice milk cows for sale. I buy high-grade, choice milk cows at any time. See me if you want to buy or sell a good milk cow.

I keep at my barn a full-blood Holstein male for service. He is of the milk type that holds the world's record on milk and butter. Why not raise a good calf instead of a scrub? A good bull is half the herd.

I also do a general veterinary practice. Calls answered day or night. Office on west side of the square.

Dr. I. L. VAUGHN, D.V.S.  
Goldthwaite, Texas

### Reply to Heretic.

Editor Eagle:

Please accept our apologies for the uncouth, ungentlemanly language, to say nothing of the mudslinging which appeared in last week's issue of the Eagle. No one worthy of the name of gentleman would use such phrases as "Dago Dads," "Ex-Bartender Gibbons," "Slobber," etc. We consider it beneath the notice of Christian people. Such remarks are the hallucination of a diseased brain and should be so considered. The party is not to be censured, because he really does not know better. He put us in mind of the antics of a certain animal which brays because it likes to hear the noise it makes. Just keep on braying, brother. We will not attempt to answer you, because we have always tried to use decent language befitting a Christian gentleman. Were we to continue the discussion we would necessarily have to lower ourselves in the eyes of intelligent readers of the Eagle, and we have no intention of doing this.

He "was not educated in Catholic New England" (nor anywhere else). We wonder where he got that "Catholic New England," the home of the Pilgrim fathers, of witchcraft and other such institutions. The Puritans home, who were the first to begin religious persecution in America and the first to be persecuted were the followers of the gentle Roger Williams, who according to history was the first Baptist. His followers were shot, hung and whipped at the post. We doubt very much if the party can tell the readers of the Eagle what states comprise the New England states.

Some New Englanders, however, have made the commercial industries of the South famous; namely, Eli Whitney, the inventor of the cotton gin. Likewise New England produced the last President of the Texas republic, Kendall by name, and a county is named in his honor.

We noticed in last Sunday's Dallas News that President Wilson placed a wreath on the tomb of Columbus (another Dago) who he discovered America and was a life long Catholic, also that President Wilson has been made an honorary citizen of Rome, so I suppose he is now a "Dago," if your correspondent's reasoning is not defective. The poor maligned Heretic does not know that four states in the North furnished as many men for the army in volunteers as was taken from the entire "Solid South." As these states are largely Catholic it is only natural that there are so many Catholics in the army. They always are loyal and true to their country, despite the efforts of some people we know to show to the contrary.

If Cardinal Gibbons does not approve of woman suffrage he certainly had plenty of company, as it was the votes of the Southern senators who defeated the measure, even after the idol of the Southern people requested it as a "necessary war measure."

Now, a word concerning prohibition: Long before this word was heard of in this country, Father Matthew, a Catholic priest, visited the country and was received as a guest of the nation within the bar of the senate, an honor never accorded to any other foreigner except Lafayette (both Catholics). In Father Matthew's tour of the world in behalf of temperance, 6,000,000 people took the pledge of total abstinence—Catholics, Protestants, Jews and unbelievers. This visit occurred in the time of the "Know Nothings," and a president elected by these bigoted, anti-Catholic people received him in the senate. This society is perpetuated today, to say nothing of the many total abstinence unions in all parts of the United States to be found today.

Archbishop Glennon never made the statement attributed to him and we challenge the Heretic to show from respectable publications that he did. We have seen such remarks before in such papers as the Menace, Rip Saw, Yellow Jacket and Tom Watson's notorious sheet, which has been termed "the Pole Cat of the Press," but never in a respectable secular sheet.

For the enlightenment of those who may consider seriously the remarks concerning the pope and obedience, we will state what is understood by Catholics. When the pope speaks ex-officio, or as head of the Catholics, on matters pertaining to the dogmas, morals and religious teaching (this last was intentionally omitted from the quotation), he most certainly speaks with authority, but this authority extends ONLY TO THE SPIRITUAL WELFARE OF THE CATHOLICS and not to their TEMPORAL or bodily welfare. "Render unto Caesar the things that are Caesar's and unto God the things that are God's."

### LOYAL AMERICAN CITIZEN.

P. S.—In order to avoid crowding the Eagle's columns, we shall reply to Mr. White's article in the controversy next week.

### IN A HURRY



"When poverty comes in the door, love flies out the window."

"In old Millionbuck's case, love flew out the window just as soon as his wife found there was a chance to get alimony."

### A CATASTROPHE.

'Twas the deciding game in the race for the pennant. Never in the history of baseball had the run for the flag been so close. Never had enthusiasm reached such heights; never had the excitement been so wild nor the rivalry so keen. Only a few points separated the leaders from the cellarites. The home team was up for its last time at bat and Jerry O'Flannagan already had two strikes and three balls against him with two men down. He cast one look at the cheering fans, who settled into an expectant tensity as Jerry spat on his hands. His face was drawn with a mighty determination. The opposing pitcher wound up and suddenly the ball leaped like a shot toward the plate. The batter—but just then the ball park policeman pulled Jimmy away from the knot hole in the fence.

### SUCH A PUNISHMENT!

The Kaiser—Willie, I hate to punish you, but you haff lost a western front and haff had killed five hundred thousand men. For diss you must stay in bed all morning mitout your medals.

The Crown Prince—Aw, haff a heart, papa. How can I win battles when somedings goes wrong mit der telephone exchange, ain't it?

### DAWSON CAN'T SAVE LIGHT.

Dawson, the farthest north capital on the continent, is on a daylight saving basis, although the city already has sunlight 24 hours a day. There will not be much saving of daylight, although the inhabitants are trying to figure out some scheme for saving the summer daylight for use in the long winter nights.

### THE UNTAMABLE MULE.

"What have you done with that mule?"  
"Gave him to the army."  
"That was patriotic."  
"Entirely. All I hope is that some German captures him."

### ONE SYLLABLE TOO MANY.

"A man must have a great deal of foresight to succeed in business."  
"Yes. But he must know where to draw the line on being a prophet and not become a profiteer."

## NO. 8092 REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Goldthwaite National Bank At Goldthwaite, in the State of Texas, at the close of business on December 31, 1918.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts, including rediscounts (except those shown in b and c) . . . . .	\$131,115 51
Overdrafts: Secured, none; unsecured . . . . .	240 08
U. S. Bonds (other than Liberty Bonds, but including U. S. certificates of indebtedness):	
U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value) . . . . .	\$25,000 00
U. S. bonds and certificates of indebtedness pledged to secure U. S. deposits (par value) . . . . .	4,000 00
Total . . . . .	29,000 00
Liberty Loan Bonds:	
Liberty Loan bonds, 3%, 4, and 4 1/4 per cent, unpledged, 1,350 00	
Liberty Loan bonds, 3%, 4, and 4 1/4 per cent, pledged to secure U. S. deposits . . . . .	30,000 00
Payments actually made on Liberty 4 1/4 per cent bonds of the Fourth Liberty Loan owned . . . . .	\$8,067 50
Total . . . . .	39,417 50
Stock of Federal Reserve bank (50% of Subscription) . . . . .	2,500 00
Value of banking house . . . . .	\$5,000 00
Equity in banking house . . . . .	5,000 00
Furniture and fixtures . . . . .	5,500 00
Real estate owned other than banking house . . . . .	3,208 32
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank . . . . .	7,715 41
Cash in vault and net amount due from national banks . . . . .	26,524 18
Net amounts due from banks and bankers and trust companies other than included in items 13, 14 and 15 . . . . .	906 30
Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than item 17) . . . . .	1,458 60
Total of items 14 to 18 . . . . .	\$28,889 08
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer and due from U. S. treasurer . . . . .	1,250 00
Interest earned but not collected—approximate—on notes and bills receivable not past due . . . . .	38 05
<b>TOTAL</b> . . . . .	<b>\$253,873 95</b>

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in . . . . .	\$ 75,000 00
Surplus fund . . . . .	15,000 00
Undivided profits . . . . .	3,355 44
Interest and discount collected or credited in advance of maturity and not earned (approximate) . . . . .	1,648 57
Circulating notes outstanding . . . . .	25,000 00
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):	
Individual deposits subject to check . . . . .	94,402 73
Cashier's checks outstanding . . . . .	6,967 21
Total demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to reserve, items 34 to 41 . . . . .	\$101,369 94
United States deposits (other than postal savings):	
Other U. S. deposits, including deposits of U. S. disbursing officers . . . . .	\$22,500 00
Total . . . . .	22,500 00
Bills payable, other than with Federal Reserve Bank, including all obligations representing money borrowed, other than rediscounts . . . . .	10,000 00
<b>TOTAL</b> . . . . .	<b>\$253,873 95</b>

State of Texas, County of Mills, ss:  
I, D. H. Harrison, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

D. H. HARRISON, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of January, 1919.  
C. D. LANE, Clerk, County Court, Mills County, Texas.  
Correct—Attest: W. E. MILLER, W. B. SUMMY, A. T. PRIBBLE, Directors.

### RECAPITULATION

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts, etc. . . . .	\$131,355 59
United States bonds, stocks, etc. . . . .	72,167 50
Banking house and real estate . . . . .	13,708 32
Cash in vault and other banks . . . . .	36,642 54
<b>Total</b> . . . . .	<b>\$253,873 95</b>

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock . . . . .	\$ 75,000 00
Circulation (currency) . . . . .	25,000 00
Surplus and profits . . . . .	30,004 01
Deposits . . . . .	133,869 94
<b>Total</b> . . . . .	<b>\$253,873 95</b>

## S. T. WEATHERS Barber

### SOLICITS THE PUBLIC PATRONAGE

Shop Located Between the Banks

We represent one of the best Laundries in Texas. Basket leaves Wednesday Night and Returns Friday Night. Give us a trial.

None but the Best Barbers Employed.

### CURIOUS FACTS ABOUT PAIN

Scientist Explains Insensibility of Human Organism to an Uncommon Sort of Injury.

That a high-speed bullet may pierce a man and cause him so little pain that he is unconscious of his wound has long been known. A slower bullet would cause considerable pain and shock. Dr. George W. Crile finds an explanation of this and similar phenomena in his researches in the evolution of actions and responses. The evolution of organs has been pretty thoroughly worked out, but the evolution of functions of organs is a new thing. During the long course of development of man and his ancestors swift piercing and laceration such as inflicted by a high-speed bullet were not encountered, and hence no pain reaction against them would evolve, while slow lacerations were most common, and the usefulness of being conscious of them in the keen way of pain is most evident.

Such is the insensibility of the human organism to an uncommon sort of injury that, according to Doctor Crile, "a device of exquisitely sharp knives driven at superlative high speed might cut the body to pieces without causing any pain whatever."

### ALTERED POSITIONS.

"Are the Dubwaites still cordial neighbors?"

"Yes, considering the difference in our standing now."

"What do you mean?"

"They have a captain and two lieutenants in the family. We merely have a corporal."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

### READY TO FIGHT.

Recruiting Officer of Crack Regiment—So you wish to join the corps, do you? Had any military experience?

Knut—Oh, yes; worn a beastly wrist watch for two years, don't you know.—London Tit-Bits.

### DISGRACEFUL FATHERLAND.

"They don't mention the fatherland any more."

"That so?"

"No. They're good Americans and they say that once the fatherland was all right, but since he became drunk with power he's a disgrace."

### School to Open.

The public school will reopen Monday morning at the usual hour and I hope all teachers and pupils will be in their places. W. O. WILLINGHAM, Superintendent

## The Goldthwaite Eagle

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R. M. THOMPSON, Editor

After investigating European conditions President Wilson asks that congress appropriate a hundred million dollars for immediate relief work in the devastated countries.

It is announced that J. W. Hoopes, who has been deputy governor of the Regional Reserve bank at Dallas and had charge of the Liberty Loans for the government, has resigned the position to become active vice president of a bank in Houston.

President Wilson's reception has been cordial in all the cities of Europe he has visited, showing the hearty good will entertained for the American people as well as for our president and evidencing the appreciation the European nations have for the part the Americans performed in the war.

The Billy Sunday meeting closed at Fort Worth Sunday, after six weeks duration. The evangelist was presented with a check for \$14,250 by the people of Fort Worth at the close of the meeting. He and his party left for Richmond, Va., but stated he expected to return to Texas in the fall or early next year to hold one and maybe two meetings.

Governor Hobby appointed Senator Weinert as chairman of the drouth sufferers relief committee, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. Sealy of Waco. It is announced that the funds in the hands of the committee total more than \$100,000. This money is loaned to drouth sufferers on their unsecured notes without interest and it is expected that none but real drouth sufferers will receive the money.

Announcement is made that the health of Judge Edward Meek, of this federal district, has become so impaired by over work that he will not be able to resume his judicial duties for at least a year and congress has been asked to provide for another judge to dispose of the business of the court during the absence of Judge Meek. It is likely the district will also be divided and made into two districts.

The Texas legislature will convene in biennial session in Austin Monday and the indications are there will be no contest over the position of speaker of the house, as Representative Thomason of El Paso claims an overwhelming majority of pledged votes for the position. He expects the prohibition and woman suffrage amendments to be submitted early in the session and to receive prompt and favorable consideration.

The Enterprise and Wilsonian is the name of the paper published at Comanche by S. C. Findley and is successor to the Vanguard, published in that town by Mr. Russell for several years and recently sold to Mr. Findley. The old paper with a new name begins business under the new management with a good show of patronage and will, of course, be a continued success, for Mr. Findley is a newspaper man of years of experience and he knows how to succeed. The Eagle extends him hearty good wishes.

The death of ex-President Theodore Roosevelt occurred at his home at Oyster Bay Monday morning at an early hour, supposed to have been about 2 o'clock. His death was unexpected, altho he had been suffering for several days with inflammatory rheumatism, but was not in a condition to require constant attention and when his wife went to his room at two o'clock Monday morning she found he was dead. Mr. Roosevelt was one of the greatest men of his day and while he had many political opponents he was universally respected for his sincerity of purpose and his depth of character. From all parts of the world come assurances of regret because of his death.

## Dipping Cattle.

Editor Eagle:

I attended the "tick" meeting Saturday last and got some general information on the tick eradication law which comes up for enforcement in our county this year.

I must say that I met with several surprises in this law, which is purely class legislation and was evidently put through at Austin by an organization of cowmen who wanted to have the farmer, the merchant and the day laborer taxed for the purpose of protecting the cattle industry. It was admitted by all present that the tick law was a protective measure, pure and simple, and that it was for the purpose of protecting the cow industry. That everyone was to be taxed to enforce this law was also admitted.

Since when has the stock industry of our state become such a burden to the stockman that he must appeal to the farmer, the merchant, the day laborer and other industries to come to the rescue of his business with money in the form of taxes to support his business and make it more prosperous?

Since when has the farmer, the merchant and other industries of the state been so much more prosperous than the cowman that he has the right to call on them to be taxed to support a protective measure for the sole benefit of his business? As a matter of fact the cow industry has been about the most prosperous industry of our state for the past four years and by all process of reasoning should be declared as capable of taking care of itself as any other form of industry in our state. Besides, this is class legislation and a protective measure, both of which are incompatible with the announced democracy of our state. Besides, it is taxing the people to support an industry that is more prosperous than any other industry in the state.

If the cowman wants the tick eradicated from the state, so that his business may be more prosperous (when it is now the most prosperous business in the state), why should not the cowman pay the expense which is to make his business more prosperous?

This is evidently a piece of legislation conceived by an organization of cowmen, the most prosperous men in our state, by which they expect to make their business more prosperous at the expense of other numerous industries, which are not organized and watching to see they are not being imposed upon by the "special interests" who are always hanging around Austin, trying to ride the seat of the people, who get nothing but the burden out of the game.

There is not exceeding one man out of every two hundred in the State of Texas who is a cowman in the generally accepted meaning of the word. Then one hundred and ninety-nine must be taxed to support the business of the one, when his business is already more prosperous on an average than theirs. When you speak of class legislation, where can you find stronger dope than this? Not in Republican New England nor anywhere else. When you speak of protective legislation, where can you find anything more radically protective than this? Nowhere in all Yankeeedom. Say, ain't Democracy getting rather loose-jointed, when it legislates to protect the most prosperous business of our state and when it singles out a comparatively small class to be benefitted by burdens laid on the community at large?

The cow business is more able to take care of itself than the farming or mercantile business. Then why not let it bear its own burdens by laying a tax on the cow? Class legislation is not particularly wrong when the burdens it imposes are laid on the property of the class that demands the legislation. Let the cowman have what he wants, but let him pay for it.

Besides, this law is very arbitrary and unjust, as it requires every cow to be dipped, whether she has ticks or not. I don't think I have a cow on my place that has ever had a tick on her, yet I am advised under this law

Rainfall at Goldthwaite, Jan. 1 to Jan. 8 ..... 00.00 in.  
Total Rainfall for 1919 to above date ..... 00.00 in.

"The Bank of Service and Accommodation"

## The Trent State Bank

Goldthwaite Texas

The resources of this good bank and the time of its officers are devoted entirely and exclusively

to the interest and upbuilding of Mills County and her citizens.

We appreciate the business of the people who are now lined up with us, and solicit the business of others, with the assurance that their legitimate loan requirements will be accommodated.

### OUR LARGE RESOURCES

are always sufficient for the needs of our customers, and our disposition to care for our friends gives ample assurance that their wants WILL be be cared for.

"Bank with the Bank you can Bank on"

## THE TRENT STATE BANK

"At Your Service"

W. C. DEW, Cashier



I ONCE HAD MONEY  
I HAD FRIENDS  
I LOANED MY MONEY TO MY FRIENDS  
I ASKED MY FRIENDS MONEY OF MY FRIENDS  
I HAVE NO MONEY  
I HAVE NO FRIENDS

IF HE HAD ONLY HAD IT IN OUR BANK HE WOULD HAVE IT NOW.

## Go Ahead With Your Plans

That is the advice of the War Industries Board. Maybe you have hoped that another year would see your plans of a new home realized. Those hopes can be a reality.

## Building Restrictions Have Been Removed On

All farm and ranch buildings;  
All schools, churches, hospitals, public buildings costing not more than \$25,000;  
All new homes costing not more than \$10,000.

## Now's the Time to Plan. Let's Help You Do It

## BARNES & McCULLOUGH

"Everything to Build Anything"

Note: If you intend to build a home costing between \$10,000 and \$25,000, all that is necessary is to obtain the consent of the State Council of Defense.

1895

## MONUMENT SALE

1917

A nice lot of Monuments and Markers at Close Prices. Can save you 15 to 25 per cent and give the very best material and the highest grade work. How? By eliminating the agent-commission-business, which means that amount saved for the buyer. Agents will tell you their firms can buy marble or granite cheaper than your home dealer and make you a better price, which is false and misleading, as we dealers pay exactly the same price for the same grade of stock. Figure with me before placing your contract, as I can save you money—and I guarantee my work. Will take feed or Good Stock in trade.

J. N. KEESE

The Monument Man

FISHER STREET

GOLDTHWAITE

A. J. HARRISON.

## Women!

If weak, you need Cardui, the woman's tonic. Cardui is made from gentle herbs, acts in a natural manner, and has no bad results, as some of the strong drugs sometimes used. As a medicine—a tonic—for weak, tired, worn-out women, Cardui has been a popular success for over 50 years.

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Take **CARDUI**

The Woman's Tonic

Mrs. Lula Walden, of Gramlin, S. C., followed this advice. Read her letter: "I was so weak, when I first began to take Cardui, that it tired me to walk just a little. Now, I can do all the general housework, for a family of 9." Try Cardui for your troubles. It may be the very remedy you need.

CAPTAIN DAVIDSON SPENT HUNDREDS

"I Certainly Struck The Right Thing When I Got This Tanlac And The Change In Me Is Wonderful."

Capt. J. A. Davidson, one of the best known conductors in the employ of the Memphis Railway Company, residing at 633 Marshall Avenue, Memphis, Tenn., is very enthusiastic over the merits of Tanlac:

"I suffered for five or six years with stomach trouble and indigestion," said Capt. Davidson. "My food would sour and ferment in my stomach and form gas that made me miserable. I was so nervous that I could not get any rest or sleep and in spite of all the medicines I took—and I spent hundreds of dollars for them—I got worse all the time until I thought I would have to give up my run."

"I certainly struck the right thing when I got this Tanlac. The change in my feelings is just wonderful. I couldn't tell that I had ever had indigestion, by the way I feel now. I have the biggest kind of an appetite, just can't eat enough to satisfy me and nothing disagrees with me. The nervousness has left me entirely and I sleep like a log at night and I am feeling like a new man. All my friends and acquaintances are talking about my wonderful improvement."

Tanlac is sold in Goldthwaite by L. E. Miller & Son. (adv)

If you want fresh meat, sausage and lard phone the Market. (ad)

Give us your order for fresh meat, sausage and bread.—Meat Market.

White Leghorns for sale—17 pullets and one cockerel. Pullett just beginning to lay. Price \$1.50 each.—D D Kemper. 112

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

I represent the Texas Co. and will appreciate orders for gasoline kerosene and lubricating oils. Prompt delivery assured.—E. J. Weatherby.

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

## DR. I. L. VAUGHN

Has a Bull Blood Holstein male for service at his barn in the western part of town. It is the type that holds the world's record for milk and butter. Fee for service \$3.00.

I also keep at my office a line of serums and vaccines and other high grade stock medicines. Calls answered day or night.

Dr. I. L. VAUGHN, Veterinarian  
Office West side square, Goldthwaite.

## ADVICE TO "FLU" CONVALESCENTS

SPAIN AND ENGLAND REPORT INCREASE IN TUBERCULOSIS AFTER INFLUENZA EPIDEMIC.

U. S. Public Health Service Warns Public Against Tuberculosis, One Million Cases Tuberculosis in United States—Each a Source of Danger.

Influenza Convalescents Should Have Lungs Examined—Colds Which Hang On Often Beginning of Tuberculosis. No Cause for Alarm if Tuberculosis Is Recognized Early—Patent Medicines Not to Be Trusted.

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\* Beware tuberculosis after influenza. No need to worry if you take precautions in time. \*  
\* Don't diagnose your own condition. Have your doctor examine your lungs several times at monthly intervals. Build up your strength with right living, good food and plenty of fresh air. \*  
\* Don't waste money on patent medicines advertised to cure tuberculosis. \*  
\* Become a fresh-air crank and enjoy life. \*  
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Washington, D. C.—(Special.)—According to a report made to the United States Public Health Service, the epidemic of influenza in Spain has already caused an increase in the prevalence and deaths from pulmonary tuberculosis. A similar association between influenza and tuberculosis was recently made by Sir Arthur Newsholme, the chief medical officer of the English public health service, in his analysis of the tuberculosis death rate in England.

In order that the people of the United States may profit by the experience of other countries Surgeon General Rupert Blue of the United States Public Health Service has just issued a warning emphasizing the need of special precautions at the present time. "Experience seems to indicate," says the Surgeon General, "that persons whose resistance has been weakened by an attack of influenza are peculiarly susceptible to tuberculosis. With millions of its people recently affected with influenza this country now offers conditions favoring the spread of tuberculosis."

One Million Consumptives in the United States.

"Then you consider this a serious menace?" was asked. "In my opinion it is, though I hasten to add it is distinctly one against which the people can guard. So far as one can estimate there are at present about one million cases of tuberculosis in the United States. There is unfortunately no complete census available to show exactly the number of tuberculosis persons in each state despite the fact that most of the states have made the disease reportable. In New York city, where reporting has been in force for many years, over 35,000 cases of tuberculosis are registered with the Department of Health. Those familiar with the situation believe that the addition of unrecognized and unreported cases would make the number nearer 50,000. The very careful health survey conducted during the past two years in Framingham, Mass., revealed 200 cases of tuberculosis in a population of approximately 15,000. If these proportions hold true for the United States as a whole they would indicate that about one in every hundred persons is tuberculous. Each of these constitutes a source of danger to be guarded against."

What to Do.

In his statement to the public Surgeon General Blue points out how those who have had influenza should protect themselves against tuberculosis. "All who have recovered from influenza," says the Surgeon General, "should have their lungs carefully examined by a competent physician. In fact, it is desirable to have several examinations made a month apart. Such examinations cannot be made through the clothing nor can they be carried out in two or three minutes. If the lungs are found to be free from tuberculosis every effort should be made to keep them so. This can be done by right living, good food and plenty of fresh air."

Danger Signs.

The Surgeon General warned especially against certain danger signs, such as "decline" and "colds which hang on."

These, he explained, were often the beginning of tuberculosis. "If you do not get well promptly, if your cold seems to hang on or your health and strength decline, remember that these are often the early signs of tuberculosis."

Place yourself at once under the care of a competent physician. Tuberculosis is curable in the early stages. Patent Medicines Dangerous in Tuberculosis.

"Above all do not trust in the misleading statements of unscrupulous patent medicine fakers. There is no specific medicine for the cure of tuberculosis. The money spent on such medicines is thrown away; it should be spent instead for good food and decent living."

## Our Food Gospel

eat less  
serve less  
waste nothing

America's Pledge of Food Gave Heart to the Allies In Their Darkest Hour

Whatever is necessary America will send. That was America's pledge to the interallied food council. And because the American food army had hitherto made good they took heart and went forward.

Farm enterprise and much soft corn increased pork supplies, food conservation increased exports—total shipments doubled.

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\* FAITH JUSTIFIED BY EVENTS. \*

I do not believe that drastic force need be applied to maintain economic distribution and sane use of supplies by the great majority of American people, and I have learned a deep and abiding faith in the intelligence of the average American business man, whose aid we anticipate and depend on to remedy the evils developed by the war.—Herbert Hoover, August 10, 1917.

## PROVED SPIRIT OF DEMOCRACY

Voluntary Basis of Food Saving Showed Heart of America Beat True for Freedom.

To the voluntary service and sacrifice of the American people must be attributed the continued health, strength and morale of the Allied armies and the civil populace.

Upon this spirit of service and sacrifice will depend Europe's fate in the months to come. In the past year we have carried out an export program, the magnitude of which is almost beyond comprehension. But with the new demands that have come, with the liberation of nations freed from German oppression, our exports must be almost doubled. Instead of 11,820,000 tons, we must ship twenty million tons of food to Europe in the coming year—as much as can be pushed through our ports.

If the Allies had not been fed by America, it would have been impossible for them to maintain their defense against Germany.

Meeting this world need on a purely voluntary basis, the American people have conclusively proved that democracy is a success and that in time of need it will rise to its own defense.

If there were no other accomplishment to its credit the very fact that it has shown the strength of democracy has in itself more than justified the existence of the Food Administration in the eyes of the world.

Less than four months after the United States declared war the United States Food Administrator expressed his determination to meet America's food problem on a basis of voluntary action and reiterated his confidence that awakened democracy would prove irresistible.

"Many thinking Americans," said Mr. Hoover, "and the whole world have been watching anxiously the last four months in the fear that democratic America could not organize to meet autocratic Germany. Germany has been confident that it could not be done. Contrary proof is immediately at our door, and our people have already demonstrated their ability to mobilize, organize, endure and prepare voluntarily and efficiently in many directions and upon the mere word of inspiration aside from the remarkable assemblage of our Army and finances."

The history of the Food Administration has clearly shown that the trust of those who put their faith in democracy has not been misplaced.

Anything you want in Hardware, Furniture and Farm Implements at our store and the price is right.—Bodkin, Hurdle & Co.

## You'll Fight For Your Home

if it is threatened with invasion by human foes—wont you fight to keep out cold, storms, insect pests and other harmful enemies?

EVERY home is in need of some repairs or improvements at this time—a sleeping porch, a new floor in the living room, a covered veranda, a new roof, built-in closets—somewhere there is a real need to start a fight, big or little, to make your home more livable and lovable.

## Fortify Yourself With Good Lumber!

We have it, subject to your order. And you'll be surprised to find how little you must spend to get an ample supply of sound, durable, dependable Southern Pine or other ammunition to fight off discomforts, inconveniences or health dangers that threaten your home,

Remember "Preparedness"—Arm Yourself Today!

J. H. RANDOLPH

The Lumberman Goldthwaite, Texas

## LANE BROS. GRAIN CO.

HARRISON BUILDING, NEXT MCKINLEY BROS. & JONES, BUY AND SELL EVERYTHING IN THE LINE OF

## FEED AND SEED

Everything In New Sacks.

Will Grind Meal and Do Custom Grinding Every Day

Highest Price Paid for Green and Dry Hides.

Prompt Delivery

## You Just Try NR For That Indigestion

Get your organs of digestion, assimilation and elimination working in harmony and watch your trouble disappear. NR does it or money back.

One Day's Test Proves NR Best

The stomach only partly digests the food we eat. The process is finished in the intestines where the food is mixed with bile from the liver.

It must be plain to any sensible person who realizes this, that the stomach, liver and bowels must work in harmony if digestive troubles are to be avoided or overcome.

This fact also explains why sufferers from indigestion, also suffer more or less from headaches, biliousness and constipation.

If you are one of the many unfortunate persons who cannot eat without suffering afterward, if you are constipated, have bilious spells, headaches, coated tongue, bad breath, variable appetite, are nervous, losing energy and feel your health slipping away, take this advice and get a box of Nature's Remedy (NR Tablets) right today and start taking it. Give it a trial for a week or two

and just see how much better you feel. See how quickly your sluggish bowels will become as regular as clock work, how your coated tongue clears up and your good, old-time appetite returns. See how splendidly your food will digest and how your energy, "pep" and "ginger" revive. Just try it.

You take no risk whatever for Nature's Remedy (NR Tablets) is only 25c a box, enough to last twenty-five days, and it must help and benefit you to your entire satisfaction, or money returned.

Five million boxes are used every year,—one million NR Tablets are taken by ailing people every day—that's the best proof of its merits. Nature's Remedy is the best and safest thing you can take for biliousness, constipation, indigestion and similar complaints. It is sold, guaranteed and recommended by your druggist.

L. E. MILLER & SON, Goldthwaite, Texas



NR Tonight—Tomorrow Feel Right Get a 25c Box

## OIL! OIL!

When you need erosine, gasoline or lubricating oil I will appreciate your trade. Prompt delivery and good goods at the right price. C. E. STRICKLAND At Estep's Second Hand Store.

## 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.

Your patronage is appreciated at the Meat Market. (ad)

# WE HAVE MOVED

Having moved to the Sullivan & Trent buildings, just a few doors south of our former location, on the same side of the street, we are well prepared to look after the wants and requirements of our customers in all lines. Our Large Stock of

## Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware and Saddlery

offers every inducement in Assortment, Quality and Price. Make our store your trading place for the good year 1919 and we will all be pleased and benefitted. We are looking forward to a successful year in all lines and we sincerely hope for our customers and friends a full share of the abundant prosperity that is sure to come to the County of Mills in this year of nineteen hundred and nineteen.

We Are Now In Our New Location and Ready For Business  
Come to See Us---The Store of Goldthwaite.

# McKINLEY BROS. & JONES

### The Goldthwaite Eagle

Saturday, January 11, 1919

1919 calendar and weather chart for you at Miller's Drug Store. Call and get one. (adv)

C. C. Bufkin, who has been visiting relatives here several weeks, expects to return to his home in Crandall today.

Lost—A red pig with black spots on it, somewhere in Goldthwaite. If you know its whereabouts phone me.—D. D. Kemper.

Miss Thelma Walker of Brownwood and G. N. Harrison's little son were visitors in the A. J. Harrison home this week.

A typographical error causes the soldier's letter on the first page to be addressed to J. L. Venable, when it should be T. J. Venable. The error in the initials was made in the Eagle office and was not discovered until the letter was printed.



### You Can Read

About the Bargains we are offering, but you must give us an order to appreciate our Prices, Service and the Quality of our Goods.

**A. D. BAKER**  
The Grocerman

### Red Cross Roll Call.

The Roll Call campaign has closed and while the result was not all that we hoped for, we feel that Mills county is well up to the average in the state and nation. Following is a list of amounts received from the various communities in the county:

Goldthwaite	\$421
Pickens Springs	7
Shaw Bend	10
Kelly	12
Mullin	90
Caradan	14
Antelope Gap	27
Regency	22
Lower Big Valley	38
Pleasant Grove	29
Cedar Knob	22
Miller Grove	14
Cryer	27
Rattler	6
North Brown	15
Ebony	4
Payne Gap	2
South Bennett	5
Trigger Mountain	11
Williams Ranch	2
Liberty	5
Upper Big Valley	25
Rock Springs	40
Bethel	43
Center City	175
Priddy	69
Star	41
Total	\$1,176

I am deeply grateful for every assistance given me in this campaign by the speakers and others and all who renewed or entered their membership. Among those entitled to special gratitude and mention is Mrs. Will H. Trent, the efficient and faithful treasurer of the Red Cross, who gave much time and attention to the work during this drive. I sincerely thank all who helped in any way.  
WM. BIDDLE, Chairman.

### Joe Wesson Dead.

Joe J. Wesson, a young man about 20 years of age, died at the home of his mother in Miller Grove community last Sunday and his remains were interred in the cemetery at this place Monday. He had but recently returned from the Burk Burnett oil field and his death resulted from influenza, after a few days illness. His bereaved relatives have the sympathy of many friends.

Farm for Rent.—Have about 50 acres sandy loam farm for rent on halves. Everything furnished. Located at Ebony, Mills county. Small family, middle-aged or old man preferred.—G. W. Hutchison, Ebony, Texas.

### Drouth Relief Fund.

As a great many people are asking for information concerning the Drouth Relief Fund, I take this occasion to say that the fund is not a state fund, as the rumor has gone out, but depends on public donation paid to the Governor and distributed by a committee at Austin who send the money for this county to me upon applications approved by a county committee. The fund is extremely small compared to the borrowing need of the farmers.

To date \$2500 has been sent to us, \$2,444 of which has been loaned to more than thirty farmers. The committee has worked to be as fair and just in the matter as possible to be and to select the most meritorious applications for approval. It has of necessity had to turn down several applications and to reduce the amount of others and has not been haphazard but has tried to let the money out to persons entitled to receive the same.

An additional \$1,000 has been promised and will be sent upon receipt by the state committee of applications approved to that amount by our committee. More than enough applications are on file and will go before the committee at their meeting Saturday to take up this amount but, of course, others may file their applications. None, however, will be considered for more than \$100, and they will be taken up in order provided more funds are set aside for the county which we will ask for and can only hope it will be granted. No one should ask aid under this fund unless it is extremely difficult to obtain funds elsewhere, as it is the purpose of the drouth relief fund to reach only those persons whose credit has practically been exhausted by reason of drouth conditions. ROBERT WEAVER.

Nyal's Throat Gargle, an effective astringent treatment for sore and inflamed mouth, tonsils and throat. Sold only at the Nyal Store—Miller's Drug Store. (Advertisement)

### MOST BACKWARD OF RACES

Process of Evolution Not Felt by the Blond Eskimos Dwelling in Northwest Canada.

The Blond Eskimos are in the state of civilization that our ancestors enjoyed when dinosaurs roamed about the fields where Chicago stands, and mastodons peacefully curled up to sleep where the national capitol now rises. They are a nomadic tribe, wandering along the arctic shores of northern Canada, minding their own affairs, except, like the animals in the zoo, when they are fed or annoyed by strangers.

'Way up in the northwest of Canada, around Dolphin and Union straits to Coronation gulf, live the mysterious Blond Eskimos of whom so little is known except to the few who have had the temerity to go among them. The murder of Fathers Larus and Rouvier in 1914 by two of these strange people, who ate the priests' livers and pronounced them "very good," bears testimony to their savagery.

The instincts of these Blond Eskimos are as primitive as those of prehistoric cavemen; there is nothing in their arts and crafts which reflects civilization in any form.

They represent several roving tribes who live along the arctic shores of northwestern Canada. In winter they make their houses in the ice, and in summer they go farther south to the Barren Lands, to get feathers, willow, moss, caribou and river fish. Their customs and costumes are unlike those of the Greenland, Alaskan or Delta Eskimos.—World Outlook.

### Goat Raisers.

There will be a meeting of the Sheep and Goat Growers association in the court house Saturday, Jan. 18, at 3 o'clock. All interested parties are urged to be present.  
DUKE CLEMENTS,  
Secretary.

### Official Statement of the Financial Condition of the

## STAR STATE BANK

At Star, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 31st day of Dec, 1918, published in the Goldthwaite Eagle, a newspaper printed and published at Goldthwaite, State of Texas, on the 11th day of Jan., 1919.

### RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, personal and collateral	\$37,885 25
Real estate (banking house)	760 00
Furniture and fixtures	1,965 00
Due from approved reserve agents, net	5,692 14
Due from other banks and bankers subject to check, net	231 25
Cash items, currency and specie	3,764 93
Interest and Assessment in Depositors Guaranty Fund	756 57
Other resources:	
Certificates of indebtedness of U. S. Treasurer and War Savings Stamps	2,238 86
Total	\$53,294 02

### LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	\$10,000 00
Surplus fund	2,000 00
Undivided profits, net	1,819 91
Due to banks and bankers, subject to check, net	449 89
Individual deposits subject to check	36,651 35
Time certificates of deposit	615 00
Cashier's checks	1,757 85
Total	\$53,294 00

State of Texas—County of Mills, s.s.:

We, Frank Soules as president and R. H. Patterson as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.  
FRANK SOULES, President,  
R. H. PATTERSON, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of Jan., A. D. 1919.  
(Seal) ANNIE PATTERSON,

Notary Public, Mills County, Texas.  
Correct—Attest:  
T. E. HAMILTON,  
W. D. MILLER,  
C. T. BOWMAN, } Directors

### Notice.

All who are indebted to me for dental work are requested to call and make satisfactory arrangements for their accounts by Jan. 15, 1919. Accounts not settled by then will be placed in the hands of an attorney for collection. Em WILSON, Dentist, Goldthwaite, Texas.

I have the best oil made for pear burners. See me before you buy.—A. E. Evans

# Have You Got Your *Rexall* Weather Chart For 1919?

These Charts have Coupons attached worth \$1.20 in trade at our store. **SAVE THE COUPONS.** In addition to the regular Weather Forecasts, each sheet has a Farm and Household Record covering Farm Receipts, Expenses, Egg and Milk Record, Etc. You will save money and will always be absolutely safe in using The Rexall Family Medicines.

The *Rexall* Store **Clements' Drug and Jewelry Store** The *Rexall* Store

Miss Rubie Webb visited relatives in Lometa this week.

It is time to put up the heater for the winter.—Bodkin, Hurdle & Co.

Mrs. McElroy returned this week from a visit to friends in Lampasas.

I have a residence for rent See or phone me.—H. E. Dalton

Let us please you with a nice heater for the parlor or living room.—Bodkin, Hurdle & Co.

I have a Special Rate on the Houston Chronicle. See or phone me.—H. E. Dalton.

SAN-TOX Pine Balsam never fails to get that cough. Only sold at Miller's, the San-Tox Store (Advertisement)

W. H. Rowlett was here from Hanna Valley Thursday transacting business.

Mrs. Weathers is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. A. L. Graves, and family in San Antonio.

Mrs. J. M. Mills left for Bakersfield, Cal., Monday night, where the family will make their home.

Hon. J. C. Darroch expects to leave for Austin today, to be ready for the convening of the legislature Tuesday. Mrs. Darroch will accompany him.

For Sale—A fine young jack, coming 3-year-old. See him at my place 8 miles east of Goldthwaite.—W. L. Eddy, Route 4.

J. H. Randolph left for Coolidge Thursday to look after business matters. Mrs. Randolph accompanied him as far as Belton, where she stopped for a visit to relatives.

M. E. Ebers and family have been here from Dallas a part of the week visiting J. M. Arnold and family. They have many friends here who are indeed glad to meet with them.

When you begin to feel tired, aching all over, and your eyes begin to be weak—you know that dreadful feeling—don't hesitate. Get a box of San-Tox Cold Tablets before the influenza gets you. You will find them at Miller's, the San-Tox Store. (adv)

## Mullin Letter.

Editor Eagle:

Dr. Jones returned Monday from attending the funeral of his mother, who died in the sanitarium in Temple.

Clyde Weatherby is at home from Ranger for a few days visit to his family.

From the present outlook much of the small grain, especially oats, was killed by the recent freeze.

The Mullin stockholders in the Ranger oil fields are being represented by W. W. Tippen in a meeting this week at Dallas.

It has very lately been discovered that the great oil pool of Texas is under Mullin and its vicinity. The gas prospects are quite perceivable without having been dug for.

When the news of Col. Roosevelt's death reached Mullin J. L. Farmer struck out for home, broke the news to his wife and said that owing to some prophecies concerning the death of great men this year he was beginning to feel quite uneasy. Mr. Farmer is high marshal of Mullin and he thinks he might possibly come within the range of aforesaid prophecies.

R. S. McDonald, son of A. J. McDonald, came in last week on a visit, after several years absence, keeping his whereabouts unknown to his people. He is Mr. McDonald's oldest son and an own brother to Prof. Newton McDonald.

W. C. Dew, cashier of the Trent State bank of Goldthwaite, was a visitor to our city Tuesday morning.

Misses Fern Herrington and Lola Tackett have gone to Lubbock to study to be trained nurses. Mullin for trained nurses and lady teachers. Our girls have an eye to business and are not afraid of the preparation and the going out after business when prepared.

Mr. S. H. Epley died last Saturday and was buried at Duren Sunday. His wife was buried the Sunday before. He was 30 years old and a good citizen. Two small children are left who will never remember the love and care of a father and mother.

George Fletcher, Ernest Duren John Guthrie, Charley Masters and Oscar Kelsey, five of our cattle buyers, were all on the streets of the city Wednesday, making inquiries about and prices on cattle.

Now, Mr. Editor, I want to wish you and all the Eagle force a very happy and prosperous New Year and thank you and your good wife for the kind remembrance of your scribe Christmas. May your future pathway be strewn with the brightest flowers and the Eagle make its way into many new homes the coming year. We shall look for an increase of correspondents, giving the news from all parts of the county. H. C. COBB.

## Hawley Pfluger Dead.

The news of the death of Mr. C. H. Pfluger at his home in Eden, Concho county, last Sunday was received here with sincere sorrow and great sympathy is expressed for his wife and four little children, his parents and other relatives.

Mr. Pfluger was reared at Priddy and made his home there until a few years ago, when he moved to Eden. He was a man of the highest character—one in whom all who knew him had confidence. He was a man of many good qualities and will be sadly missed by all of his friends and associates as well as his relatives here and in Concho county.

His remains were interred in the cemetery at Eden Monday.

## MADE HIM THINK OF HOME

French Youngster's Innocent Caress by No Means Objectionable to Yankee "Doughboy."

The company had stopped on the march for a ten-minute rest in a small town, writes a correspondent in France. A husky doughboy sat down on a doorstep and eased off the weight of his pack. A small boy passed, turned and hesitated. An exchange of grins and the youngster sidled over. In another minute three or four other gamins were crowding round.

One particularly small fellow climbed up on the doughboy's knees. Suddenly the youngster reached up with both arms and gave his burly American ally a kiss on the cheek.

The doughboy didn't seem to know what to do. A mule skinner coarsely guffawed. The small boy, not at all embarrassed, repeated the performance. Again the driver guffawed, but this time not so heartily. Then there was a marked pause.

"Er—how does it feel, Bill?" the mule skinner queried.

"Darn good," came the cheery answer. "I'm a family man, you know."

## LITTLE BEDTIME STORY.

Peter Rabbit was greatly interested in a stranger who was lying on his back in the little long path. He watched him for the longest time and could not observe that he moved a muscle. By and by Peter could not stand the suspense any longer, and uttered a slight cough.

"Ah!" said the stranger, opening his eyes but still continuing to recline supinely. "I presume you are curious as to my identity. I am really a wonder—the only living creature that can remain absolutely motionless for hours and days at a time, and draw wages for it. You may have heard the farmer mention me. I am Slow Poke the Hired Hand."—Kansas City Star.

## SURE HE WAS.

Kind Old Gentleman—Why are you crying, little boy?

Little Boy—Shell shock, Boo ho-o-o.

K. O. G.—Why nonsense, my little man!

L. B.—Ain't nuther. I busted a peanut shell and there wuzn't nuthin' in it.

## ITS SORT.

"There have been worse things in war than this. Think of that bare-footed winter at Valley Forge."

"That must have been a time which tried men's soles."

## Teachers Examination.

This is to advise that a special examination will be held for Teachers State Certificates of the second and first grade, at the Court House, on Friday and Saturday, January 24 and 25. ROBERT WEAVER.

## Need Glasses?

Dr. Jones, the Eye man, in Dr. Campbell's office again, Thursday-Friday, 16-17. Eyes examined, glasses fitted, headache and eye strain relieved. (adv)

W. L. Eddy, one of the county's prosperous farmers, was here Saturday marketing hogs. He has grown and sold 52 hogs the last year and they netted him approximately \$1600. It pays to raise hogs.

## EITHER WOULD DO



"I consulted a fortune teller, and was told to marry Jack."

"What fortune teller did you look him up in—Bradstreet's or Dun's?"

## MESSAGES TO ENEMY COUNTRIES

Arrangements have been made by the postmaster general for sending personal welfare inquiries and messages between persons in the United States and persons in enemy countries and in territory occupied by the enemy. The inquiries and messages can be sent only through the Red Cross, in the manner and on the blank forms prescribed for the purpose, and must not be sent direct between individuals, or accepted by post offices from individuals. Full details regarding the transmission of other messages may be obtained upon application to any Red Cross chapter. The sending to enemy countries through the Red Cross of messages other than as above indicated, except prisoners' of war mail, is forbidden by law, and will render the persons attempting to send them liable to prosecution.

## GREAT CHANGES.

"Times have changed," remarked the reminiscence man.

"I should say they have," rejoined Senator Sorghum. "Everybody is so busy thinking about military that us businessmen are liable to be overlooked. There isn't a political orator among us that has the nerve to rise to his feet as of yore and claim personal credit for saving the country."

## THOUGHT HE MEANT "CUTIES."

"Isn't it just like those French girls to keep running after our good American boys?"

"What's the matter now?"

"My son writes that life in the trenches wouldn't be so bad if the 'cuties' didn't pester them so terribly."

## CHICKENS AND GARDENS.

"Quit chickens in favor of a garden, eh?" "Yes; we used to get so attached to our fowls that we couldn't eat them. You don't feel that way about a radish or a beet."—Kansas City Journal.

## Turkeys.

I have thoroughbred Mammoth Bronze Turkeys for sale for breeding purposes. The sire of my Tom weighed 52 pounds. G. C. STANDLEY, Star.

## Exclusive Agency

I have given R. E. Clements the exclusive agency on Logan's Black Plague, Logan's Itch and Eczema Cream and Logan's Catarrh Relief. J. H. LOGAN, M. D.

## Notice to the Public.

I will be in Austin, attending the Legislature, until about the middle of March. Anyone desiring my legal services may write me addressed to Austin, Texas, Capitol Station. If you have any suit or matter of importance which you wish to consult me about, write to me as above directed, and I will arrange to meet you in Goldthwaite, if necessary. I expect to continue my practice in Goldthwaite, and make this announcement for the benefit of those who may desire my services. J. C. DARROCH, Representative 94th Dist. Capitol Station, Austin, Texas. Street Address: 1010 Lavaca St.

## USE FOR DOGS IN WARFARE

Regular Schools in France Established to Teach Animals to Scout for Wounded.

Were it possible for a man to wander through certain areas of France, where she is sharpening her weapons of war, he would chance on the strangest sight of the many strange ones the conflict has produced. Here, in big pens, he could see hundreds of animals collected for their course of training. Not one of them but has passed his medical test before a board with a special jury. They are in the hands of their drillmasters, learning war's lesson.

Perhaps strange cries would reach his ears—wild yelps and howls, such as never even disturbed his midnight slumbers. These would be calls to be used in special cases, when the dog is doing duty out on No Man's Land.

And then, if the visitor should stand and watch, his eye would presently light on a soldier lying limp on the ground with a dog sniffing round him. Perhaps he would see the dog, after a while, drag the cap from the soldier's head, or the identification tag from his wrist, and run off with it to his master. This dog would be no other than a candidate for the Red Cross, learning his duty as scout for wounded soldiers, and fetching the evidence from a body he found—a live body. Dead men don't count.—People's Home Journal.

## PATHOS IN HIS IGNORANCE

Remarkable Lack of Simple Knowledge Shown in Experiment Which Caused Man's Death.

On June 23, 1774, at Plymouth, England, a man named John Day lost his life in a manner singularly exhibiting the great ignorance of the simplest physical facts which prevailed at the period. Day fancied he had perfected a plan by which he could remain below water, at any depth, and without any communication with the air, for at least twenty-four hours; returning to the surface whenever he thought proper.

His machine was merely a watertight box, attached to old metal by means of screws. After entering the box, and closing the entrance, the vessel was sunk. Day was provided with a bed, a match, a taper and a bottle of water. The contrivance was his tomb through want of knowledge now possessed by every child.

The British Magazine of Arts, Sciences and Literature, a pretentious periodical of the time, gave four probable reasons for the failure, but does not allude to the most patent one—the want of air.

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

## Reasons!

Why you should use Cardui, the woman's tonic, for your troubles, have been shown in thousands of letters from actual users of this medicine, who speak from personal experience. If the results obtained by other women for so many years have been so uniformly good, why not give Cardui a trial?

Take

# CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

Mrs. Mary J. Irvin, of Cullen, Va., writes: "About 11 years ago, I suffered untold misery with female trouble, bearing-down pains, headache, numbness . . . I would go for three weeks almost bent double . . . My husband went to Dr. . . . for Cardui . . .

After taking about two bottles I began going around and when I took three bottles I could do all my work." E-80

Makes layers out of loafers. More Egg tonic.—W. A. Richards.

Coffins of all sizes and grades. Call us pay or night.—Bodkin, Hurdle & Co.

I have the gasoline you need for Pear Burners.—H. E. Dalton.

Fresh sausage every day at the Meat Market. (ad)

J C Evans wants to trade furniture for wood (ad)

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

Your money back if it fails to give satisfaction—More Egg tonic.—W. A. Richards.

You can get the Semi-Weekly News and the Eagle a whole year for \$1.75.

Mrs. E. P. Thompson and children spent a part of the week with relatives at Zephyr

Better get your seeders ready for the fall planting. We can supply the seeders and extras.—Bodkin, Hurdle & Co.

Protect yourself against loss by fire or storm by taking out insurance with W. A. Bayley. (adv)

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

Those who have paid their subscription are requested to notify this office if they fail to receive their paper regularly.

J. B. McCasland and his wife and baby were visitors to the city from Center City community Wednesday.

Don't forget to tell the grocer to bring you a nice roast from the Meat Market. (ad)

E. A. Hill of Democrat and L. W. Hill of Long Cove were two of the prominent men having business in the big town this week.

For Sale—A disc cultivator, riding planter and section harrow. All in good condition. For price, etc., call on me.—W. A. Bayley

R. M. Hodge of the Trigger Mountain section was transacting business in the city Wednesday and made the Eagle an appreciated call.

I have the agency for the famous Reefers remedies. More Egg tonic \$1 a package. Guaranteed to make your hens lay.—W. A. Richards.

You will be pleased with the roast, steak, barbecue and sausage you get at the Meat Market. (ad.)

No use to worry about "something for dinner," just get a nice roast, sausage and bread at the market. (ad)

Joe Palmer returned to his home at Anna the first of the week, after spending the holidays with his parents and other relatives in this city.

I have a Diablo cream separator in good condition for sale.—W. P. Hutchinson at Bodkin, Hurdle & Co. store.

Protect yourself against loss by fire or storm by taking out insurance with W. A. Bayley. (adv)

J. C. Evans can sell you furniture for less. Give him your next order and be convinced. (adv)

EVER SALIVATED BY CALOMEL? HORRIBLE!

Calomel is quicksilver and acts like dynamite on your liver.

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

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

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

Epidemic Probable.

Influenza Expected to Lurk for Months How to Guard Against Pneumonia, Common Colds Highly Catching—Importance of Suitable Clothing—Could Save 100,000 Lives.

Washington, D. C.—With the subsidence of the epidemic of influenza the attention of health officers is directed to pneumonia, bronchitis and other diseases of the respiratory system which regularly cause a large number of deaths, especially during the winter season. According to Rupert Blue, Surgeon General of the United States Public Health Service, these diseases will be especially prevalent this winter unless the people are particularly careful to obey health instructions.

"The present epidemic," said Surgeon General Blue, "has taught by bitter experience how readily a condition beginning apparently as a slight cold may go on to pneumonia and death. Although the worst of the epidemic is over, there will continue to be a large number of scattered cases, many of them mild and unrecognized, which will be danger spots to be guarded against." The Surgeon General likened the present situation to that after a great fire, saying, "No fire chief who understands his business stops playing the hose on the charred debris as soon as the flames and visible fire have disappeared. On the contrary, he continues the water for hours and even days, for he knows that there is danger of the fire rekindling from smoldering embers."

"Then you fear another outbreak of influenza?" he was asked. "Not necessarily another large epidemic," said the Surgeon General, "but unless the people learn to realize the seriousness of the danger they will be compelled to pay a heavy death toll from pneumonia and other respiratory diseases."

Common Colds Highly Catching.

"It is encouraging to observe that people are beginning to learn that ordinary coughs and colds are highly catching and are spread from person to person by means of droplets of germ laden mucus. Such droplets are sprayed into the air when careless or ignorant people cough or sneeze without covering their mouth and nose. It is also good to know that people have learned something about the value of fresh air. In summer, when people are largely out of doors, the respiratory diseases (coughs, colds, pneumonia, etc.) are infrequent; in the fall, as people begin to remain indoors, the respiratory diseases increase; in the winter, when people are prone to stay in badly ventilated, overheated rooms, the respiratory diseases become very prevalent."

Suitable Clothing Important.

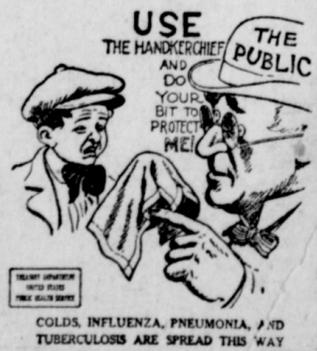
"Still another factor in the production of colds, pneumonia and other respiratory diseases is carelessness or ignorance of the people regarding suitable clothing during the seasons when the weather suddenly changes, sitting in warm rooms too heavily dressed or what is even more common, especially among women, dressing so lightly that windows are kept closed in order to be comfortably warm. This is a very injurious practice."

Could Save 100,000 Lives.

"I believe we could easily save one hundred thousand lives annually in the United States if all the people would adopt the system of fresh air living followed, for example, in tuberculosis sanatoria. There is nothing mysterious about it—no specific medicine, no vaccine. The important thing is right living, good food and plenty of fresh air."

Droplet Infection Explained in Pictures.

"The Bureau of Public Health, Treasury Department, has just issued a striking poster drawn by Berryman, the well-known Washington cartoonist. The poster exemplifies the modern method of health education. A few years ago, under similar circumstances, the health authorities would have issued an official dry but scientifically accurate bulletin teaching the role of droplet infection in the spread of respiratory diseases. The only ones who would have understood the bulletin would have been those who already knew all about the subject. The man in the street, the plain citizen and the many millions who toil for their living would have had no time and no desire to wade through the technical phraseology."



Over Three Times Pre-War Shipments Required—Situation in Wheat and Fats Proves Government's Policy Sound.

With the guns in Europe silenced, we have now to consider a new world food situation. But there can be no hope that the volume of our exports can be lightened to the slightest degree with the cessation of hostilities. Millions of people liberated from the Prussian yoke are now depending upon us for the food which will keep them from starvation.

With food the United States made it possible for the forces of democracy to hold out to victory. To insure democracy in the world, we must continue to live simply in order that we may supply these liberated nations of Europe with food. Hunger among a people inevitably breeds anarchy. American food must complete the work of making the world safe for democracy.

Last year we sent 11,820,000 tons of food to Europe. For the present year, with only the European Allies to feed, we had originally pledged ourselves to a program that would have increased our exports to 17,500,000 tons. Now, to feed the liberated nations, we will have to export a total of not less than 20,000,000 tons—practically the limit of loading capacity at our ports. Reviewing the world food situation, we find that some foods will be obtainable in quantities sufficient to meet all world needs under a regime of economical consumption. On the other hand, there will be marked world shortages in some important commodities.

Return to Normal Bread Loaf.

With the enlarged wheat crops which American farmers have grown and the supplies of Australia, the Argentine and other markets now accessible to shipping, there are bread grains enough to enable the nations to return to their normal wheat loaf provided we continue to mill flour at a high percentage of extraction and maintain economy in eating and the avoidance of waste.

In fats there will be a heavy shortage—about 3,000,000,000 pounds—in pork products, dairy products and vegetable oils. While there will be a shortage of about three million tons in rich protein feeds for dairy and meats, there will be sufficient supplies of other feedstuffs to allow economical consumption.

In the matter of beef, the world's supplies are limited to the capacity of the available refrigerating ships. The supplies of beef in Australia, the Argentine and the United States are sufficient to load these ships. There will be a shortage in the importing countries, but we cannot hope to expand exports materially for the next months in view of the bottle neck in transportation.

We will have a sufficient supply of sugar to allow normal consumption in this country if the other nations retain their present short rations or increase them only slightly. For the countries of Europe, however, to increase their present rations to a material extent will necessitate our sharing a part of our own supplies with them.

Twenty Million Tons of Food.

Of the world total, North America will furnish more than 60 per cent. The United States, including the West Indies, will be called upon to furnish 20,000,000 tons of food of all kinds as compared with our pre-war exports of about 6,000,000 tons.

While we will be able to change our program in many respects, even a casual survey of the world supplies in comparison to world demands shows conclusively that Europe will know famine unless the American people bring their home consumption down to the barest minimum that will maintain health and strength.

There are conditions of famine in Europe that will be beyond our power to remedy. There are 40,000,000 people in North Russia whom there is small chance of reaching with food this winter. Their transportation is demoralized in complete anarchy, and shortly many of their ports will be frozen, even if internal transport could be realized.

To Preserve Civilization.

At this moment Germany has not alone sucked the food and animals from all those masses of people she has dominated and left starving, but she has left behind her a total wreckage of social institutions, and this mass of people is now confronted with absolute anarchy.

If we value our own safety and the social organization of the world, if we value the preservation of civilization itself, we cannot permit growth of this cancer in the world's vitals.

Famine is the mother of anarchy. From the inability of governments to secure food for their people grows revolution and chaos. From an ability to supply their people grows stability of government and the defeat of anarchy. Did we put it on no higher plane than our interests in the protection of our institutions, we must begin ourselves in solution of this problem.

COLD DEAL

Some may want to give you a cold deal, but our place is wide open and we are glad to welcome you and give you a warm reception.



Get Our Cash Prices On Good Eatables And Save Money

D. L. LANFORD

WE SELL IT FOR LESS

GOLDTHWAITE, TEXAS

FRESH GROCERIES

We solicit the patronage of the public on the Basis of Guaranteed Satisfaction

Our stock is complete and fresh and we can fill all orders promptly with the best of everything and at

Prices That Are Reasonable

ARCHER GROCERY CO.

Street's Old Stand

North Side Square

"Everything Good to Eat"

Good Price For Produce

We are now in the PRODUCE Business at the Ford Wagon Yard. We pay the Highest Prices for Chickens, Turkeys, Etc. When you have Produce of any kind to sell, phone or see us.

McLary & Forehand

Ford Wagon Yard

Goldthwaite, Texas

Fruit Trees

Shade Trees

Shrubbery

Berries

Represent the Ramsey Nursery of Austin

And I am now taking orders for future delivery. Having had long experience in growing fruit and berries, I feel that I can be of service to my customers in making the proper selections for this climate and altitude. Those who have in mind the purchase of trees, berries or plants of any kind are requested to communicate with me before placing their orders, for I can make it mutually advantageous. The Ramsey Nursery has been long established and one could not make a mistake in purchasing stock from there.

Phone me at Trigger Mountain. Post Office—Mullin, Route 1.

W. E. GARNER