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Over The Top with 4th Liberty Loan

Total Subscription \$77,800.00

Roberts County again went over the top with the Liberty Loan. Our quota on the fourth loan was \$76,400 and the total subscription reached \$77,800.00 even money.

The following is a list of the purchasers in this county except the Santa Fe employees and the Mexicans, who purchased through the Company. Their total subscription was \$3,150, and the following list totals \$72,650.

Purchasers and the amount purchased

J. P. Osborne, \$500; Jno. A. Newman, \$200; S. C. Osborne, \$500; Dan Kivlehen, \$100; J. J. Carr, \$500; Mrs. L. C. Heare, \$100; Jno. A. Newman, \$1000; L. B. Robertson, \$200; Joe Cunningham, \$200; J. A. Covey & Son, \$500; D. M. Harrgrave, \$100; J. C. Smyers, \$1000; A. Wilde, \$50; J. P. Johnston, \$250; J. N. Leedam, \$50; W. C. Christopher, \$500; W. E. Davis, \$50; F. H. Smyers, \$1000; Mrs. Lula M. Johnston, \$50; N. S. Locke, \$500; C. G. Frame, \$50; J. D. Lard, \$1000; Robt. Elkins, \$50; Tom Cook, \$1000; Mrs. Mattie B. Christopher, \$50; J. W. Renner, \$50; Sanders Bros, \$1000; G. M. Moon, \$500; Geo. Lard, \$50; T. J. Boney, \$500; Mrs. I. W. Huber, \$50; Jno. H. Kelley, \$500; E. Kinney, \$50; J. A. King & Son, \$500; D. G. Reynolds, \$50; C. H. Wilson, \$50; D. D. Payne, \$500; E. Hickman, \$50; Samuel Edge, \$100; D. K. Hickman, \$50; C. H. Lockart, \$2,500; W. A. Dyer, \$50; C. F. Christopher, \$200; J. W. Voyles, \$50; R. Ewing, \$200; Emma Sohn, \$50; J. A. Holmes, \$100; L. G. Wagner, \$50; Arthur Hockett, \$50; T. Cunningham, \$2000; B. H. Patton, \$50; W. H. Ferguson, \$100; Fannie Hoole, \$50; Jno. B. Webster, \$50; Lard, \$50; Joe Tolbert, \$50; E. Pennington, \$500; Virgie Dyer, \$50; W. O. Sanders, \$50; Archie Sanders, \$500; M. W. Sullivan, \$50; N. Wilson, \$100; Gus Severson, \$50; W. P. Thornhill, \$50; Lula F. King, \$100; H. Russell, \$500; K. & S. \$100; Mrs. Hattie A. Livers, \$50; American Cattle Co., \$2,500; A. Gill, \$500; J. L. Keplinger, \$50; C. Finch, \$50; W. B. Kitchen, \$50; W. Robertson, \$50; R. D. Duniven, \$50; R. L. McDonald, \$50; E. H. Howard, \$500; White House Lbr. Co., \$50; Isaacs & Cunningham, \$150; R. Seitz, \$100; Jno. E. Kermdo, \$50; R. C. Baird, \$50; Jas. E. Kermdo, \$50; J. C. Weckesser, \$50; N. R. Paris, \$50; A. O. Pickins, \$50; G. H. Day, \$50; T. S. Jones, \$50; Mrs. Jno. H. Jones, \$1000; Nettie Bennett, \$50; Wiley Light, \$100; A. L. Muncy, \$50; J. D. Clay, \$100; Miss Beulah Lee, \$50; T. E. Durham, \$500; M. J. B. Saul, \$100; Walter Darling, \$1000; T. I. Fulfer, \$50; Miss Patton, \$50; Miss Claudia E. \$50; Tom Pursley, \$50; Ben B. \$50; Mrs. Ada Rodgers, \$50; F. Coffee, \$50; Mrs. J. W. Wells, \$50; N. Hamilton, \$500; K. Wilks, \$50; Aubrey Clay, \$50; Gladys Clay, \$100; Lewis Whit, \$50; C. M. McAfee, \$2,500; M. \$50; Mrs. M. L. Gunn, \$50; Gus Severson, \$100; S. E. Fitz, \$50; W. F. Patton, \$100; R. \$50; J. R. Durrett, \$150; W. F. Patton, \$50; C. P. Pursley, \$50; L. G. Christopher, \$100; Thos. \$50; J. V. Coffee, \$50; \$50; P. W. Wade, \$50; H. J. Mc \$50; Lula Lyons, \$50; W. \$50; \$500; Mrs. W. E. Stocker, \$50; Melba Stocker, \$100; G. B. \$50; W. L. Brown, \$500; \$50; O. C. Elliott, \$250; \$50; George Mathers, \$50; \$50; Ollie Coffee, \$50; Oliver El \$50; Geo. W. Bennett, \$50;

Important Influenza Regulations

The City Council has issued some special orders regarding the influenza epidemic and have instructed the City Marshal and Health officers to see that they are followed. They are as follows:

All persons with the disease, and all persons exposed to same are warned to stay away from all public places until released by their physician.

Your doctor has been instructed to take proper steps to prevent the spreading of the disease, and you should consult him. The City Marshal has been instructed to see that the rules are followed under the direction of the physician.

We must keep the disease down as much as possible, and the general public does not wish to scatter it, although some appear careless. If it is dangerous enough to stop the Churches and Public schools of the United States, it is important enough for every individual to help stamp it out. We cannot listen to the general public for rules, and must depend upon our doctors. When they say it is dangerous for patients to be on the streets, it becomes the duty of the City Marshal to see that their instructions are obeyed.

Follow the general directions laid down by the Red Cross

W. A. Dyer, Mayor.
City Council concurring.

W. E. Lutz, \$100; Tom Pursley, \$100; H. E. Baird, \$100; Mrs. H. E. Baird, \$50; Mrs. R. L. Simmons, \$50; R. L. Simmons, \$50; W. D. Christopher, \$200; H. C. Allen, \$100; W. L. Mathers, \$1000; Roy L. Christopher, \$50; B. F. Jackson, \$500; Olive Dixon, \$50; Mrs. W. R. Ewing, \$100; W. J. Kuhn, \$50; J. K. McKenzie, \$50; N. F. Locke, \$400; R. L. Morrison, \$1000; Tillie Kuhn, \$50; Myrtle Kuhn, \$50; S. E. Robbins, \$200; Locke Bros, \$500; C. E. Harris, \$100; H. L. Ledrick, \$500; P. C. Ledrick, \$500; L. P. Yoder, \$150; W. G. Lyons, \$200; E. W. Hogan, \$100; Wade Eller, \$50; C. L. Thomas, \$200; E. M. Gossett, \$50; Miami Cattle Co., \$1000; C. B. Cozart Gr. Co., \$100; Anna Bell Stocker, \$50; Ross Crawford, \$100; Clara Black, \$50; J. L. Seiber, \$500; H. McClusky, \$50; G. C. Walstad, \$500; Claud Shoap, \$50; J. G. Roberts, \$150; First State Bank, \$1000; U. S. Strader Gr. Co., \$100; W. I. Whitsett, \$1000; J. W. Philpott, \$500; Virgie Richardson, \$50; Tas Crossan, \$50; A. W. Gill, \$200; A. K. Wilks, \$50; C. R. Cowan, \$1000; W. Coffee, \$1,000; Byron Williams, \$1000; J. E. George, \$1000; J. A. Meade, \$500; Erentha Pulaski, \$50; D. S. Christopher, \$50; Mrs. J. J. Kuhn, \$50; L. G. Howell, \$50; D. B. Stribling, \$500; J. O. Burnett, \$100; C. B. Price, \$1000; E. G. Gordon, \$50; M. W. O'Loughlin, \$500; Mrs. C. L. Broadus, \$150; W. W. Davis, \$1000; L. E. Craig, \$50; L. B. Cross, \$500; W. R. Parker, \$150; C. H. Clark, \$1000; J. L. Davis, \$250; Sue Davis, \$250; W. I. Gum, \$500; Arch Chester, \$50; J. C. Farrington, \$100; N. A. Gray, \$50; Mrs. B. F. Jackson, \$50; Theodore Staus, \$100; Mrs. A. B. Wilson, \$50; W. H. Dial, \$500; C. S. Seiber, \$500; T. J. McEntyre, \$50; Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Smith, \$200; H. T. Gill, \$1000; Geo. Hodges, \$100; J. W. Morrison, \$200; J. F. Rasor, \$700; J. Foreman, \$500; Mrs. M. G. Ramsay, \$50; Porter Pennington, \$500; D. S. Christopher, \$50; A. S. Casey, \$50; H. A. Talley, \$200; R. S. Depew, \$50; L. C. Williams, \$50; W. F. Patton, \$100; J. M. Gill, \$50; O. C. Elliott, \$300; L. L. Caldwell, \$50; J. D. Clay, \$100; B. F. Talley, \$500; T. R. Saxon, \$500; Harley Swagerty, \$100; White Deer Land Co., \$1000; G. C. Springer, \$50; H. P. Chisum, \$50; Mayerdith and Turner \$100.

RED CROSS COLUMN

THE RED CROSS CHRISTMAS COMMITTEE.

In order that this Christmas season may be as merry as conditions overseas will permit; the war department Post Office department and the Red Cross have made arrangements, whereby relatives and friends of the men in the service abroad may send to them a Christmas parcel.

To avoid any duplications of parcels and to make sure that each parcel will be correctly addressed, a Christmas parcel label is now being issued to the men in the army abroad. Relatives in this country will begin to receive these labels from the men overseas about the 1st of Nov. On receiving your label take it to the surgical dressing room at the court house where you will receive from the Red Cross, without charge a pasteboard carton 3 x 9 x 4 inches in size. This carton may be filled with any combination of articles which will fit in it and which are not barred by the Post Office Department. When completely packed, but unrapped and untied, the weight of the carton must not exceed 2 lbs and 15 oz.

When the package has been packed take it (unwrapped and unsealed) together with label and sufficient stamps for postage to the surgical dressing rooms, an then after the package has passed the inspection of the Red Cross Representative as to contents and weight and been wrapped in a stout wrapping paper, the Christmas label bearing the address of the man for whom it is intended is placed on it. The person sending the package in the presence of the Red Cross worker is required to offer stamps sufficient to carry it to Hoboken, New Jersey. The postal charges are to be at the rate of fourth class or parcel post rates. Another label certifying that the inspection has been completed by the Red Cross is placed on package, which is left in the custody of the Red Cross until delivered to the postal authorities. No parcel will be accepted after Nov. 20th.

If the event a Christmas label is lost, no duplicate can be issued—this rule cannot be altered.

Bear these facts in mind:

(a) Articles barred by the post-office department cannot be sent.
(b) Nothing should go in a Christmas parcel which will not keep fresh from the time of packing until Christmas.
(c) Dried fruits and other food products should be packed in small tin or wooden boxes, one-quarter to one half pound size.
(d) Hard candy including chocolate would probably be safe in tinfoil or heavy card board, but no soft chocolate or anything that could possibly be crushed should be used as the remaining contents of the package might be spoiled thereby.
(e) Several dainties packed in an oblong tin box holding each a quarter of pound will provide a better variety for a packet than a larger quantity of a single confectionary.
(f) No fluids nor articles packed in glass should be placed in the package.
(g) For wrapping the gifts use Khaki colored handkerchiefs, 27 in. square.
(h) No written message can be sent in a package.

The Red Cross Christmas Parcel committee will assist you all they can.

Mrs. W. A. Dyer
Mrs. C. E. Pitts
Mrs. John Newman
Mrs. Ada Rodgers.
Committee.

Quotas of hospital garments and surgical dressings for the Roberts county Chapter A. R. C. have been received, but on account of the influenza the work rooms will not be opened till permitted by the health board. Then every woman in Roberts county will be expected to do her part in this work that our quotas may be completed on time. Many of the hospital garments may be made in the homes.

Woman's work Committee.

BABY DIES OF PNEUMONIA.
J. B., the sixteen month old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Sewell died Thursday of last week at 8:30 p. m., after several days attack of pneumonia. It was buried in the Miami cemetery Friday afternoon.

The remains of Vern Wiselley, whose death we mentioned in last week's Chief, occurring at Carrs Travis after an attack of influenza was shipped to Miami and arrived here Friday of last week and carried to Mobeetie for interment.

Bountiful Moisture.

Total Rainfall 2:73 Inches

One of the most glorious rains that ever visited this part of the state has been falling this week. To say welcome would not be half sweet enough. The earth was getting dry in this section and wheat was needing it in badly. Monday morning the dew was started, and it started in just as though it was going to continue a long time. Almost a steady rain fell all day Monday, Monday night, Tuesday and Tuesday night. A little more than two inches of rain fell the first twenty four hours, but fell in such a manner that it was equal to four inches of a hard dashing rain.

The entire Panhandle and New Mexico has been visited this week with generous rains, and at many points over the state good rains are reported. All parts of the Panhandle have received from two to seven inches of rain at each point reported on.

The wheat that was planted in the dust will now come in a hurry, and that which was already up was needing moisture very bad. Near White Deer it is reported that a small worm had damaged thousands of acres of wheat, and the grasshoppers were also eating in on it very heavy, and it is thought that the rain will sweep all insects from bothering the wheat this fall. There is now plenty of time to plant and there will be several thousand acres planted as soon as the ground again gets dry enough.

The total rainfall up to this morning had reached 2:73 inches and the weather indicates that there is more to come.

Lobarrers are Needed

The local Labor Committee, J. L. Seiber and J. M. Smith received the following letter this morning regarding labor which is self explanatory.

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR.

Amarillo, Texas, Oct. 23, 1918.

The recruiting of labor throughout the Panhandle will start in full blast in a few days. C. T. Wynn and Dr. Bailey, Examiners of the U. S. Employment Service, San Antonio, Texas, will visit every town in West Texas. The securing of Texas' quota of skilled and unskilled men will depend largely upon the co-operation of the Community Labor Boards and Enrollment Officers. They are urged in a telegram received by C. T. Wynn from H. W. Lewis, Federal State Director, to comb their county for every man available, as the most valuable contribution to the winning of the War that is possible to make at present is the recruiting of this labor. We must not fail.

Wages offered by the various war projects in the East are unusually good for skilled and unskilled labor, and each day finds living conditions much improved. There is no more sickness at these Industrial centers, for which the U. S. Employment Service is now recruiting labor, than in your own town.

Transportation and expenses are advanced and if a man repairs on the job 60 days his transportation will be free. The man in non-essential work is urged to make investigation of the various jobs in war work, as he was never needed more by his country than at the present time. For further particulars address the Examiner in Charge, U. S. Employment Service, Amarillo, Texas, or see J. L. Seiber and J. M. Smith at Miami.

POSTMASTER EXAMINATION

At the request of the Postmaster General, the United States Civil Service Commission has announced an examination to be held at Canadian, Texas on Nov. 13th for the position of Postmaster at Miami, Texas. This office now has an annual compensation of \$1500.00.

To be eligible for this examination an applicant must be a citizen of the United States, must actually reside within the delivery of the office and have so resided at the time the present vacancy occurred.

Applicants must have reached their 21st, but not their 65th birthday on the date of the examination.

Application Form 304 and full information and all arrangements of the examination may be secured from the postmaster at the place of vacancy or from the Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C. Applications should be promptly executed and filed with the Commission at Washington, D. C., in time to arrange for the examination of the applicant.

A Good Combination

Most people have a choice in the store at which they buy their groceries, some making the choice upon price, not regarding very much the quality, while others make quality alone the principal consideration. Most people, however, seek the store that gives the best deal on quality and price, and we believe in this combination. We lead all other stores, a belief borne out by growing list of satisfied customers. In the first place, quality is never sacrificed, neither is profit paramount to all other considerations. We serve you with the goods just as good as any, and then make you a cash price a little better.

BUY LIBERTY BONDS.

LET US BE YOUR GROCER

MIAMI PRODUCE CO.

J. H. DIAL, PROP.

Influenza Situation.

Miami up to date has only nine cases of the influenza, and all of them are getting along nicely. The situation appears to be well in hand by the local health board, and its spread is not likely now. The first few cases came almost of a sudden last week, and since that time there has been no new cases developed. It has not been severe as yet, and it is very probable that we will escape the disease in its violent form.

It appears probable that the rain will stop the spread of the flu very much. Washington report, the situation over the United States much improved over last week.

New Office Boy.

The Chief office has just put a new "Office Devil" on the force. His name is Mickie. He has agreed to work for us if we will print his picture and a little message every week, so we hired him. He may be a little radical on some subjects, so always remember that he is just the office boy and not the editor.

MICKIE SAYS

IF THERE'S ONE OF THESE IN YOUR WINDOW, WHY JUST REMEMBER THAT YOUR SOLDIER BOYS GOT SOME SPARE TIME WHEN HE SITS 'ROUND AND WONDERS WHAT IS GOIN' ON BACK HOME. WHY DONTCHA SEND HIM THE OLD HOME PAPER? WE DONT CHARGE ANYTHING EXTRA 'T SEND IT TO FRANCE



MAY GET RED DEER BRIDGE

The following letter regarding the Red Deer bridge in the north edge of town is self explanatory.

Hon. J. E. Kinney, Miami, Texas.

Dear Sir:- Answering your letter of October 14th, beg to advise that we have promise of shipment of the lumber for the bridge this week, and if so, we will be ready to start this erection now in about two weeks. We assure you that we have done everything possible to get this lumber out, and in fact, it has been cut more than once, ready to ship, but has been taken by the government and in such cases there is nothing for us to say or do but to just try again. If for any reason we are further delayed on this job we will be glad to advise you a little later, giving full explanation.

Yours very truly,
Austin Bros. Bridge Co.

Large size tracing sheets of carbon paper at the Chief.



IT IS NOT HOW OFTEN YOU FACE THE PAYMASTER IT'S WHAT YOU SAVE THAT COUNTS WE LIVE, WE GROW OLD, AND THE LAST YEARS SHOULD BE FREE FROM CARE, INSTEAD OF BURDENED WITH THE WEIGHT OF HAVING TO PROVIDE. THIS SHOULD HAVE BEEN DONE IN YOUTH BY THE PRACTICE OF FRUGALITY AND A LIVE BANK ACCOUNT.

THE FIRST STATE BANK



VACATION TIME IS HERE

Have you any vacation money put aside or will you be forced to take a vacation on HALF RATIONS? WHY NOT OPEN AN ACCOUNT WITH US?

Add a little to it each week and when the time comes you can enjoy a real vacation.

SETTLE THAT VACATION PROBLEM AND IN THE MEANTIME FORM A GOOD HABIT—THAT OF SAVING.

THE BANK OF MIAMI

(unincorporated)
Roberts County Depository



NS, cool supplies, de of goods, ke satisfac, cool supplies, cash, fully, UG, laker, to give you, ine good, eful atten, treet from, In, DE, P'S PHY, ch sympo, that mes, bird, e thing bette, you like to tell, his is our, business. We, are buying ma, me a pleasure, re in a practi, of customers, d and quantity, with by our, essary require, y. To be right, HOUSE, CO, cal Mgr., ER, BUILDING, G AND POSTS, ach, cate your food, rom meat for a, cases the sou, If it does not, plain's Tablets, per. Red meat, se sour stomach, best to cut them

Kodaks DEVELOPING and PRINTING... Send for Catalogue and Finishing Price List.

Wichita Directory ALFALFA and PRAIRIE HAY BOUGHT and SOLD BALE TIES

FURS, HIDES Pelts, Wool, Etc. We pay top prices—Send prompt cash returns.

State Champion School will train you for the best at no higher cost. Write for circular.

Complete Line Trucks, Tractors, Trailers, AUTOMOBILES and ACCESSORIES

Wichita Auto Wrecking Co. Cheapest place to buy your Auto Parts and Supplies

JUNK Old Metal, Rubber Tires, Paper, Rags, Sacks

Agents Wanted in every town to represent our liberal commissions.

COSTUMES for THEATRICALS and all accessories.

Welding—Radiators Repaired and Rebuilt

KODAK DEVELOPED FREE Prints 24x36, 36x48, 48x60, up to 4x5.

AUTO REPAIRING WELDING BROOKS MACHINE CO.

Smyser's Dentists WICHITA & HUTCHINSON Gold Crowns Gold Bridges

Don't Plant Dirty Seed Don't sell dirty grain—Buy a Watkins Grain Grader

WATKINS MFG. CO. 250 S. Wichita St. Wichita, Kans.

Want HAY Alfalfa Timothy Prairie

RAIN and HAY SHIP TO FOWLER COMMISSION CO.

Who Do I Give These Cars To? YOU?

I am Going to Give Away Two Automobiles On December 14, 1918

THE REWARD MAN 333 Philadelphia, Pa. P. O. Box 1632

Was Told He Couldn't Live Six Months

But Doan's Brought Mr. Clayton Health and Strength.

C. T. Clayton, 78 N. Broad St., Woodbury, N. J., says: "I had about the worst case of kidney complaint a man could have."

Get Doan's at Any Store, 60c a Box DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

Renews Furniture and Floors COL-O-VAR

Calf Enemies WHITE SCOURS BLACKLEG

The Cutter Laboratory Berkeley, Cal., or Chicago, Ill.

PARKER'S HAIR BLSAM A toilet preparation of merit.

ARTIFICIAL LIMBS RICE ARTIFICIAL COMPANY

Tobacco—Natural Leaf

When You Use TARKIO You Run No Risk.

Delusions. "What curious mistakes men make sometimes."

Giving advice sometimes prevents another man from making a fool of himself—by not heeding it.

LIVE STOCK SHEEP RAISING IS PATRIOTIC



War has given the sheep and wool industry a stupendous task.

For the present season wool has about trebled in price and the price of lambs has about doubled.

For more than 200 years, Haarlem Oil, the famous national remedy of Holland,

Leave to Print. "What's the objection to my printing what I like in the Congressional Record?"

Her Status. "Is she a member of the divorce colony?"

Reputation is a bubble that man blows and then punctures.

High-Class Flock of Southdown Ewes on a Vermont Farm.

much of their nourishment from rough permanent pasture, and at the same time they keep down the weeds,

SHEEP FOR "SLACKER" ACRES Labor-Saving Value of Animals is Important, for They Are Effective Grass Cutters.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

In the winning of this war guns and bullets are no more important than bread and meat.

It is the latest model. One of the cars I am going to give away is an Overland.

One of the cars I am going to give away is a Ford, and will also be given to some one.

As soon as I receive the coupon I'll send you full details of my offer.

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I am Going to Give Away Two Automobiles

On December 14, 1918

LIFT OFF CORNS!

Doesn't hurt at all and costs only a few cents

Magic! Just drop a little Freezone on that touchy corn, instantly it stops aching,



Try Freezone! Your druggist sells a tiny bottle for a few cents.

The Individual and the State. "Do you think satisfactory arrangements can eventually be made with Germany concerning armament and trade?"

"Well," answered Broncho Bob, "I don't pretend to be any international statesman."

For the present season wool has about trebled in price and the price of lambs has about doubled.

Lives 200 Years! For more than 200 years, Haarlem Oil, the famous national remedy of Holland,

If you are troubled with pains or aches in the back, feel tired in the morning, headaches, indigestion, insomnia, or too frequent passage of urine,

It is imported direct from Holland laboratories, and you can get it at any drug store.

What's the objection to my printing what I like in the Congressional Record?"

"You've got to suffer for the general good, son," replied Senator Sorghum, soothingly.

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Next Day. It chanced, in the days before the war, that an Englishman in Berlin became acquainted with a young German officer.

The officer got up and said, "I will give you a toast." Raising his well-filled glass, he added: "I drink to 'The Day'!"

His companion, the Englishman, looked at him quietly.

"Indeed, Herr Lieutenant!" he said: "let me follow your toast with one of my own: 'Here's to 'The Day After'!"

Are Your Hands Idle? Patriotism has rarely had so many practical ways of manifesting itself as in the present time.

A horse isn't any heavier when he is led.

Shipping Fever Influenza, Pink Eye, Epidemic Distemper, and all other, no matter how "Exposed," keep from having any of these diseases.

Carter's Little Liver Pills A Remedy That Makes Life Worth Living

ABSENCE of Iron in the Blood is the reason for many colorless faces but CARTER'S IRON PILLS will greatly help most pale-faced people

It's Acid-Stomach That Makes Millions Sick and Suffer

Life is dark—not worth much to the man or woman with an acid-stomach.

Millions of people are weak and unfit, suffering all the time, in one way or another, from superacidity or acid-stomach.

Begin using RAYONIC right now—today—and get on the road to bounding, vigorous, vibrant health.

RAYONIC is fully guaranteed. Your druggist will give you a big box for only 50 cents.

Children Cry For Fletcher's CASTORIA

What is CASTORIA Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups.

GENUINE CASTORIA ALWAYS Bears the Signature of

Chas. H. Fletcher In Use For Over 30 Years

The Kind You Have Always Bought

THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

BOYS Clear Your Skin With Cuticura

Every Woman Wants Pastine ANTISEPTIC POWDER

FOR PERSONAL HYGIENE Disinfects in water for douches stops pelvic catarrh, ulceration and inflammation.

Where Are You Selling Your CREAM?

Have you considered the possibilities of the MERIDEN market? Our price for butter fat is generally higher than your local market affords.

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J. K. McKENZIE
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Protect your property against fire and theft.
AGENT FOR leading fire insurance Companies.
Phone 135

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THURSDAY, OCT. 27, 1916

SOME RAIN WE ARE HAVING.

For the first time in the history of the city we are having some rain.

The first rain fell on the 26th and it was a good one.

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THE FAIR PRICE LIST

The following County Fair price schedule is the Food Administration's fair price schedule for the County Fair, which will be held at the fair grounds, Miami, Fla., from October 27th to November 1st, 1916.

Table with 2 columns: Item Name and Price. Items include Wheat, Corn, Beans, etc.

This is the first meeting of the fair since the outbreak of the war. The public is asked to cooperate with the Food Administration in securing fair prices for all commodities.

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JEWELRY, MODAMS AND SUPPLIES
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The HEART of COFFEE LAND



Street Scene in Sao Paulo.

SAO PAULO, or, to use the English equivalent, St. Paul, is the capital and business metropolis of one of Brazil's greatest states. Of the 20 states, one territory and one federal district into which the great southern republic is divided, the state of Sao Paulo and its splendid capital stand among the most progressive units of the entire nation.

The state, says the Bulletin of the Pan-American Union, in territory is larger than the five New England states of North America, with Pennsylvania added, or an area of 112,300 square miles, embracing undulating plain and valley with several low mountain ranges extending across the country. More than three-fourths of the state lie within the region of the tropic of Capricorn, and about one-eighth of Brazil's 24,000,000 people reside within its boundaries. Nature has divided this territory into two distinct regions—that bordering the Atlantic ocean for nearly 400 miles, where the temperature is hot and moist and where bananas, coconuts, cacao, oranges and other tropical products grow in abundance. This coastal plain is narrow in the north, but gradually broadens to 80 miles or more near the southern boundary of the state. Westward from the low mountains bordering the coastal plain the country is higher and well suited to agricultural crops, of which coffee growing is the most important. In recent years various other crops have been introduced more generally and are now additional important industries, which, together with stock raising, are greatly increasing private and public revenues.

Climbing the Coast range or the Serra do Mar (at some places 3,000 feet high) by the railroad between the sea at Santos and Sao Paulo city, a distance of 50 miles, we perceive changes in temperature and note how the country gradually and in places precipitously rises as the train moves westward. At Sao Paulo the altitude is about 2,500 feet, while the state as a whole averages 2,000 feet above the level of the sea. There are many higher elevations along the mountain ranges. The streams flowing to the Atlantic are short, while those which carry their waters northward, following the "lay of the land," are of considerable size, the largest being the Tiete river, which has been harnessed to supply the city of Sao Paulo with electric power, and also with water for domestic uses. This river traverses almost the entire length of the state, flowing in a northwesterly direction.

One of Brazil's Oldest Cities.
Sao Paulo, the state capital, is one of Brazil's oldest cities, its fragmentary history dating from 1500, when the Portuguese discovered the country. Passing over many eventful periods, Sao Paul has outgrown its youthful years and stands today as a great city—the third in commercial importance of the South American continent. Surrounding the city we find a fertile rolling country, devoted largely to coffee and other crops. The state is credited with 2,000,000 acres devoted to coffee growing, representing an outlay of \$500,000,000, and producing annually about 60 per cent of the world's coffee, the bulk of which trade centers in the capital. Furthermore, the network of 7,000 miles of railroads connecting the city with adjoining states is responsible for making Sao Paul an interstate rather than a local outlet and trading mart.

The area of the city proper covers about 14 square miles, and its population of nearly 500,000 inhabitants has quadrupled during the last 30 years. About 35 per cent of the people are foreigners, the Italians being greatest in number, followed by Germans, Portuguese, Spaniards, French,

and English. There is a sprinkling of North Americans, who represent something like 50 different commercial interests in the United States. The city's birth rate growth of 40.80 per 1,000 inhabitants has been largely augmented by a constant flow of European immigration, while the death rate of 20.505 per 1,000 indicates the healthy condition of the people.

Streets Afford Broad Contrasts.
Sao Paulo's streets are both ancient and modern. The narrow and often congested business thoroughfares contrast strikingly with the broad avenues that cross the city and extend through the newer suburban sections. In the latter we find such an abundance of shade trees that one is reminded of Washington, while the large number of detached private residences suggest Denver or Buffalo. In Sao Paulo, too, we find types of the chalet, the Moorish palace, the French Renaissance, and other features of architecture more or less modified to suit local conditions. The Tiete river, passing through the northern suburbs of Sao Paulo, is an extremely crooked stream, and numerous affluent flowing through the city in various directions seem to have influenced the early builders and some of the oldest streets are crooked or winding.

The business heart of the city, often referred to as the triangle, is served by active streets locally known as Ruas. Thus Rua Sao Preto, Rua Quinze de Novembro, and Rua Direita are among the most important in the so-called triangle district. Overlooking the Largo do Palaco, also in the midst of business life, stands the government palace. From this point streets and avenues radiate to all parts of the city and suburbs. In this business area the city blocks are not so regular or uniform as are the newer sections of Sao Paulo. The Avenida Tiradentes extends northward to the Tiete; from the center of the city the Avenida Rangel Pestana opens a direct course to the eastward, passing one of the leading markets. Three thoroughfares leading to the southward, Ruas Liberdade, Santo Amaro, and Consolacao, provide direct access to the magnificent Avenida Paulista, by far the most beautiful boulevard of the capital. The principal business streets of the city are paved with asphalt and other materials, a feature that has encouraged the use of motor vehicles of all descriptions. (Last year Sao Paulo imported more automobiles than any other city of the country.)

The numerous parks of the city reflect large sums of money that have been expended in making them attractive. In numerous cases artificial lakes, natural streams, rustic bridges, statues, fine shade trees, and blooming flowers offer attractions to citizen and stranger alike.

Sao Paulo is a city of wealth, individual as well as official. Agriculture and industry have made many private fortunes, and these fortunes are reflected in the unusual number of palatial homes in the city proper and in the suburbs. No stranger can drive about the city without noticing the vast amount of capital and the diversified architectural talent that has been called to provide for Sao Paulo's wealthy residents.

Writing Paper for Soldiers.
Three hundred million sheets of writing paper have been ordered for the free use of American soldiers at home and abroad. The Y. M. C. A. has ordered 200,000,000 letterheads for immediate distribution to the camps and cantonments in this country and 100,000,000 letterheads to be sent to the American expeditionary forces within the next three or four months

WHERE YANKEES ENTER FRANCE

Vivid Word Picture of Port of Debarkation for American Troops.

HUMAN SIDE IS DESCRIBED

Miracles Worked Here in a Year by American Energy—Mystery Surrounds Flight and Return of Allied Sea Craft.

By GERTRUDE LYNCH.

A French Port.—This is not only a port of debarkation for our troops, it is a port where many men are permanently stationed in various military and naval duties. It is a center of aviation and seaplane stations, for welfare and hospital activities. Dock work is done by labor battalions, numbering many men. Here the shore days of men of the patrol and convoy fleets are spent. How is this port to care for such an influx? American energy can answer the question. American energy does. Cinemas and vaudeville are plentiful, a theater leased by the Y. M. C. A. providing the best entertainment the town can boast.

The principal street is lined with shops where Parisian products are sold to suit provincial tastes. To these have been added a multiplicity of goods to tempt the keesake and souvenir wants of the strangers.

Along the streets that lead from the gates to the suburbs are "barraques," or covered pushcarts, extending for a mile or more, where gunnocks are sold to sailors, free with their money and not too well-endowed with the powers of selection.

Along the streets, the ever-varying never changing war procession! Officers of the army and navy, marines, English Tommies, men and women of the Y. M. C. A., and the Red Cross, convalescents, casuals, Moroccans, Algerians, Senegalese, sitting in rows with nodding fezzes and flashing teeth, peasants from many provinces, each with a distinctive dress, fighters and monks.

Over the sea wall is always a curious crowd of onlookers. In less than a year they have seen first a few shiploads, then more and still more, until now the weekly debarkation of thousands causes little comment.

Let Heinie Look Out.

Hear the conversation of two, an American soldier and a French Polu who lean over the wall and look down to the landing places where a smart naphtha launch is bringing to shore an admiral and his staff. The American speaks:

"Suppose the Heinies do get Paris, what of that? If they get London, what of that? Hope they don't, for I'd like to see the old burbs before I'd go back to the farm, but that won't make any difference; so long as we have a foothold in the harbor, that's all we ask. Let Heinie look out. Paris and London—they aren't the war. Not on your tintype."

The French Polu who understands all the English but the tintype allusion, looks amazed, then relieved. He had the provincial idea that Paris and London were the war.

Over the seawall the onserver looks down on the harbor town. The way leads by winding stairways of stone and slanting roofs. From it rises the tang of brine mingled with the odors of warehouses, oil and naphtha—those thousand and one smells that are as much a part of the port as are storage warehouses, docks and quays, basins and breakwaters. Beyond, the eye travels far to "the beauty and mystery of the ships and the magic of the sea."

Descend by one of these many routes. You find yourself overwhelmed with dirt and confusions. Here thousands of negro stevedores work like a colony of big, black ants. There are squads of Ammannites and Portuguese. Sailors' oaths strike the ear. It is a babel of foreign sounds. Every inch of this water front is covered with energy, docking, construction, loading and unloading, transportation, repairs. America has worked miracles here in a year.

Inside and outside the breakwaters

are fleets of ocean traffic, transports, convoys, torpedo destroyers, patrol and fishing boats, sail-steam auxiliaries—craft of every possible relation to the sea. One day you may count scores of ships, and the next hundreds. Mystery covers the flight and return of these interlarded shuttles of steam and steel.

Follow the splendid roads to Brittany, by fragrant pasture lands. You will find air stations where American flyers are hidden, guarding the entrance of the English channel, helping with convoy and patrol to make the U-boat menace a nullity.

Welfare Work.

On the way back, stop at one of the clearing houses of the troops. Let us choose "The Barracks," familiarly called. There are 12,000 men here. It has housed troops since Napoleon's day and before.

As you stand at the door of the Y. M. C. A. canteen, your view takes in a vast field, all in monotonous, brown earth, brown tents, brown men against a background of green, under a box of silvery blue.

The American flags are flying free over the French casernes. Men, glad to stretch their sea legs, are drilling, playing ball, running, walking. The hands play gay melodies. So great is the rush for the canteen supplies that the doors have to be closed frequently to facilitate the waiting.

A bugle note sounds high and clear. Instantly every man on that immense parade ground is at attention while "La Marseillaise" and "The Star-Spangled Banner" are played.

Fathers and mothers ask what welfare work is being done at this port for their sons. The Y. M. C. A. is busy. It aims first to attract and then hold the boy until corrupt influences are nullified.

GIANT WOULD SERVE



There isn't a trench deep enough on the battlefield to conceal all of the eight feet one-inch of Bernard Coyne, the twenty-one-year-old giant seen in the photo. Of course young Coyne is not worried overmuch about it, because he figures there will be no more trench fighting anyway. If he ever gets a wallop at "Jerry," or if he ever lays eyes on the kniser himself, oh, boy! there is going to be a funeral in Germany due to the strength displayed by the youngster. Young Coyne has just registered at Des Moines, Ia. In the picture are E. D. Van Meter at the left of the giant, and Samuel Wymer of the United States revenue office directly under the outstretched hand. Young Coyne has been growing rapidly for several years. He was over six feet tall when he was seven years old. His greatest year's growth was 4 1/4 inches. He added 2 1/2 inches during the past year. Coyne wears No. 23 shoes, and other articles of apparel equally as large.

WILL GET MAIL IN THREE WEEKS

Washington.—Improper or inadequate addressing is the main cause for delay in the delivery of mail to soldiers in France, according to Capt. Frank E. Frazier, assistant director of the A. E. F. postal service in France.

Captain Frazier suggests that every person writing to a soldier in France follow the following model:

Return to _____ Stamp.
Mrs. Walter Smith, _____
— Street, _____
Boston, Mass. _____
Private John Walter Smith, Jr., _____
Co. I, 102d Infantry, _____
Via N. Y. _____ American E. F.

The mail of more than 50,000 soldiers in France is delayed and perhaps can never be delivered because of incorrect addressing. While delays due to this cause and to the fact that the military authorities have objected in some cases to furnishing civilian postal authorities with information as to the location of troops have been numerous and disagreeable, nevertheless Captain Frazier maintains they have constituted a small part of the service, which amounts to the delivery of 1,000,000 letters a day to the troops abroad.

Three Weeks the Average Now.

"Delays caused by military objection to furnishing location of troops are now being cured in a measure by giving such information to army officers directing the mail service. Military mail officials are now provided with transportation facilities that were denied to the civilian service. Only in exceptional cases does it take more than three weeks for a properly addressed letter to reach a soldier in France who is attached to an organized unit of the army. The great mass of letters to and from the expeditionary forces come and go on time."

One of the causes of delay has been duplication of names. Another has been that hundreds of thousands of

letters sent to some training camp or other in this country were forwarded to the great central A. E. F. post office in France, at Tours, and there held until the addressee could be located in France. It is estimated that 300,000 letters a month were delayed on this account. Captain Frazier points out that it is necessary that every soldier should notify his correspondents at once when he is assigned to a definite unit in France.

"Delays in the delivery of mail which cannot be avoided are likely to occur at any time during a period of great activity and secret movement of troops," Captain Frazier explains. "Where the success of a troop movement on the front depends upon secrecy mail cannot be sent to members of a mobile force until the troops are established at the selected destination. Whether the delay be of hours or several days it must be accepted as a military necessity."

Some Letters Just Miss Ships.

"Every care is taken to expedite the mail for wounded men in hospitals. The only delay is that which is absolutely unavoidable. A wounded man may be sent from one hospital to another, and even to several before reaching a permanent base hospital. There is no delay whatever in mail sent home by or for wounded men.

"Only two causes of delay have occurred at the port of embarkation in this country. One is the posting of the letter just too late to make the transport and with a week ensuing before the sailing of another transport. The other cause is the limitation placed upon ocean transportation facilities and lack of information as to the destination of ships.

"Unless the military port officer at the port of embarkation knows where a steamship is going to land, mail cannot be sent by that steamship. This defect has been cured by a war department order which directs that the information as to destination be furnished to the military port officer. One of the most puzzling things to the public has been the frequency with which letters were received in France of a later date than letters that came after the postmaster of the port of embarkation has been assigned a definite limited cargo space. If 2,000 bags were ready for shipment and he could get space for only 800, 1,200 bags would lie over, and these might include letters written previously to letters in the 800 bags."

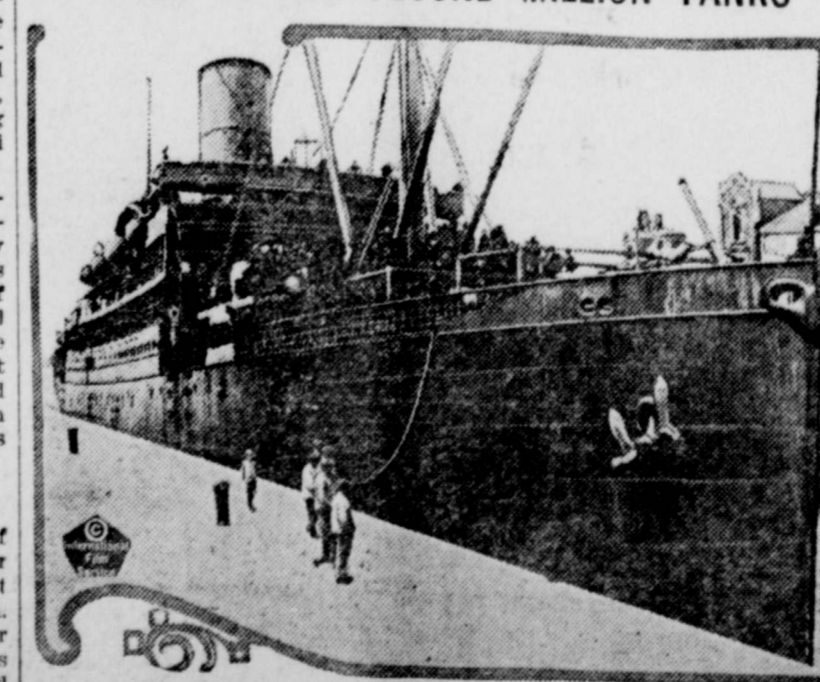
All in all, Captain Frazier sees a great improvement in the service and predicts a constant betterment—if the people at home will use care.

HUNS TAKE POLISH TIMBER

Germany Is Devastating Forests of Poland for Its Own War Needs.

Copenhagen.—Germany is devastating Polish forests for her own war needs. In a protest printed in the Glas Narodu, Prof. J. Morozowicz stated that of 210,000 acres of national forests in Russian Poland prior to German occupation more than one-third has been consumed by Germany largely in rebuilding that part of Germany invaded by Russia in 1914.

SOME OF THE SECOND MILLION YANKS



The American transport Monius arriving at a French port with its quota of the second million of Yankee soldiers being sent across.

Home Town Helps

ENJOY LIFE IN SMALL

Residents There Escape the Forts That Are Inevitable in Paniments to Crowded

"Americans do not yet know to live." Is the constant cry of Europeans. The spectacle of wealth and culture enduring dignities and discomforts of life in hired quarters in a crowded to them the proof of this, see in New York Sun.

But we are learning. The from the city to the suburbs gradually created the things needed to make life livable. clial as well as from a material point, and now life in any suburban locality is as full and complete as in the most favored

Take my own locality. The golf, tennis and squash clubs have literary, musical and art societies. We have churches of the denominations. We have rooms for public and semipublic entertainments. During the year there are numerous public entertainments, lectures, amateur theatricals, where the audiences are like a far-flung gathering, and for the things we have the inevitable picture house. We are 12 miles from the subway station at Central, the heart of the amusement district of New York get trains in or out every day during the busy hours—less than 15 minutes but still sufficient to make the rent which we pay to our landlord (and we insist upon ourselves 6 per cent on an investment) less than one-half what we would pay for the same space in the city, in addition we have light, air, space and freedom which money cannot purchase in the city.

DULUTH SUBURB IS A

Carefully Planned and Laid Out. Furnishes an Object Lesson in Other Communities.

In Morgan Park, a suburb of Duluth, Minn., owned and operated by a subsidiary of the United States Steel corporation, the use and benefit of employment has been found in a housing program with respect to town planning. It is analyzed by L. H. Munnison, a housing expert of the U. S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, in the monthly review, wherein Morgan Park is described as "an example of an industrial suburb intended to be a nucleus of a permanent town. It has been developed," it is an orderly and systematic town-planning principles have been served in its layout, education, recreational facilities have been provided, and houses of a permanent substantial character erected.

The latter, indeed, are of a variety that has been seen in the usual monotony of company housing. There is more than an average range in the number and character of dwellings provided, and the different designs in order of high and low paid labor are commensurate.

In addition to the variety of houses for the unmarried employees, also the taking of roomers and in private families is permitted to a limited extent. No land has been sold, the title to the townsite remaining in a corporation, maintenance company organized for the purpose. Special blocks have been set aside for business purposes, as for recreation and public school site.

Landscape Gardener Needs

There is agitation in many of our public landscape gardeners to date with the county surveying, planting out trees and shrubbery, to fertile gardens, giving help to gardeners and tree growing, to insects, securing black fly, mold, fertilizer and good soil. The average yard is a business. A shade tree is often the center of the back yard, ruins all prospects for a vegetable garden. Fruit trees should be at least the back yard in preference to the front yard.

People don't know just what they want when they do lay out a yard; hence they ought to have the services of a public landscape architect. The side and front yards are worse.

Liberty Gardens.

War gardens are now called Liberty Gardens, a more fitting term, is freedom, and a good garden is liberation from store vegetable free use of fresh food right in the garden, easily worth double the cost of store stuff to a particular person. Work in the garden means freedom from God's sunlight and pure air, of fresh vegetables and exercises, open air mean freedom from the necessary toil incident to refreshing sleep. If it is a good garden, surely it is a good garden, without consideration of food it may save to all the people are giving their life for the

Women as well as men are made miserable by kidney and bladder trouble. Thousands recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. At drug stores in large cities. At drug stores in large cities. At drug stores in large cities.

Stamp Abortion Out and Keep It Out for FREE BOOKLET. "Questions and Answers" pertaining to "ABORTION IN COWS". Answers every question. Treat your own cattle at small expense. Send for booklet now. State number of cattle in your herd.

CALL FOR AUNT MARY to Save Chicken, Though Bread Dough Was Thing of the Past.

entertaining city friends at her country home. Anxious event as nearly perfect as she had served dinner to her and his visiting cousin, Bill, in the kitchen first and then banquets to the back yard. But she gave apparently undivided attention to her guests' conversation, nevertheless conscious of the opening and closing of doors, of boys' footsteps, of men's yawning and, finally, of a distressed face peeping in at the door. But she did not until too late that she had covered some bread dough on the one place in the kitchen that was just right—on the form under the stove. At her head bobbed far enough in to look at one guest said: "Here, little boy, to see me, Billy," encouraged. "I don't tell Aunt Mary that one is about to get into her and another one can hardly get out."

Deafness Cannot Be Cured as they cannot reach portion of the ear. There is a way to cure Catarrhal Deafness. CATARRH MEDICINE acts on the Mucous Surfaces. Catarrhal Deafness is an inflamed condition of the lining of the Eustachian Tube. If this tube is inflamed you have a sound or imperfect hearing, and entirely closed. Deafness is the result of this inflammation can be restored to its normal hearing may be destroyed. Many cases of Deafness are cured. CATARRH MEDICINE. HUNDRED DOLLARS for any Catarrhal Deafness that cannot be cured. Write to HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE Co., Circulars free. 125 E. 12th St., Toledo, Ohio.

Not a Customer. visiting in the city and went to a relative to the city. The relative, who wished to see some books in the reference room, decided to leave him to be entertained in the children's room. When she returned she asked about in charge how he had done and was told, "He's all right at first I couldn't get him to do a thing." Rather surprised, she is generally fond of books, and to the youngster. "Why, didn't you want to look at the books?" he said gruffly, "I didn't know I wanted me to look at them; she wanted to sell me one, wasn't going to buy any. I'm going money for a soldier's belt!"

Repatriate in France. and Jetsam, our rapid fire team, noticed a couple of flapping their original hats. Under if those are the latest from Paris," said Flotsam. "Expensive so," replied Jetsam. "The hat."—Piano News.

When Baby Is Teething. The baby's little MILK TEETH will correct his bowels and stomach troubles. Perfectly harmless on the bottle.

Home Product. oriental prayer rug is a great thing," said the suave dealer. "It is in the home of a wealthy banker of Constantinople." "That you say is true, this is a traveled rug and has crossed an at least twice."

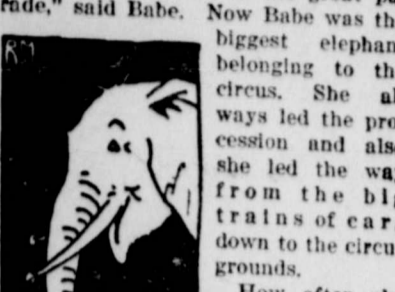
Just for Two Minutes! black scrapper saw his first in a camp of prisoners. From them over incredulously, with great amazement on his face, he told me they meanly his Germans?" he demanded. "I'll show you, man, and let me show you for two minutes."

After the Movies, Moistening of Goggles. After the Movies, Moistening of Goggles. After the Movies, Moistening of Goggles.

Wholesome, Cleansing, Refreshing and Beautifying. Lotion—Mullein for Redness, Soreness, Granulation, Itching and Burning of the Eyes or Eyelids. It is a most effective eye remedy. After the Movies, Moistening of Goggles. After the Movies, Moistening of Goggles.

DADDY'S EVENING FAIRY TALE BY MARY GRAHAM BONNER.

CIRCUS ELEPHANTS.



"You're Right, Old Boy."

"I am the leader of the great parade," said Babe. Now Babe was the biggest elephant belonging to the circus. She always led the procession and also she led the way from the big trains of cars down to the circus grounds.

How often she had been in the circus performances and sometimes she would think to herself: "I don't believe anyone will come to see our performance today."

She would sometimes say this aloud, swinging her trunk as she spoke, and Matty, another elephant, would say: "What makes you think that?"

"Well," said Babe, "I've been in the circus business for years and years and years. We are the members of a very big, three-ringed circus, and we travel to big cities as well as to small towns."

(In the cities Babe led the way through streets down to the circus building. She also would lead the way from one small place to another if the distance was not so very great.)

"What has all of that got to do with your speech about thinking there won't be many coming to the circus today?"

"Just this," said Babe. "It seems to me that every single man, woman and child in the whole world has seen my tricks. They have seen us all put our front feet upon each other and stand over the keeper who would lie on the ground. We would do it just so, and would never step on the keeper. Oh no, we could never make such a mistake. And the people would hold their breath and say: 'How does that man dare do that? Just suppose that an elephant should step on him!'"

"But we wouldn't step on our nice, kind keeper, Oh no! Oh no!"

And Matty swung her trunk high up in the air and said, "Oh no! Oh no!"

"Well," continued Babe, "I don't see why folks all over the world aren't through seeing the circus. We have done our tricks for years and years, beautiful ladies have ridden bareback on white horses, bears have ridden bicycles or skated on roller skates, gnomes have cracked jokes and laughed and gone around with painted faces."

"Girls and men have swung way up in the air on trapezes, ladies have walked along narrow ropes, carrying parasols. Men have swung by their hair, ladies by their teeth."

"Some folks have sung, others have worn snakes, some have ridden in chariots. Yes, all sorts of tricks have been performed and as long as I can remember elephants have always been a part of the circus. I have always led the parade of this circus and have always known the way from town to town, from station to circus ground."

"They say elephants are famous for their memories," said Matty, "and you certainly live up to that saying for you have a wonderful memory, all right."

"It's just as easy to remember things as to forget them," said Babe modestly.

"Every one doesn't feel that way about it," said Matty. "Most creatures find it easier to forget."

"But really," continued Babe, "I don't believe anyone will come to the circus today. We've performed for such crowds that we must have performed for every living person. And I think perhaps we'll find that no one will come for a time because every one has seen us so many years."

"We'll have to begin again in a few years, for those who are babies now will be children later on and they will want to see the circus. But I have my doubts about anyone coming today."

"Ah Babe," said Matty, "you are a very wise elephant and your memory and your tricks make you very fine and wonderful, but one thing you don't know which I do—and that is that folks don't come to see a circus once—they come again and again and again."

"For a circus is a circus and there is nothing else like it, so you need never worry about people not coming because they've all seen the circus before."

"People will always come to a circus as long as there are grownups and children, and as long as there is a circus to come to."

And as Babe looked around the curtain and saw the people going in crowds to their seats he nodded his trunk and said: "You're right, old boy, you're right."

Your Whole Heart. A half-hearted way of doing things means that you are only half living, and the poorest half at that. Put your whole heart into what you do, if you want all the good that belongs to you.—Girls' Companion.

The KITCHEN CABINET

In good society a woman is known not by the company she keeps but by the salads she serves. Instinctively, the accomplished hostess puts forth her best effort in the preparation of a salad.

MORE SALADS.

AI.A.D which is a little different is the following: Cut small ripe tomatoes which have been peeled into quarters without separating them from the stem end, so the tomato lies on the salad plate like an open flower.

Lettuce may be used or not for a nest for the tomato. Heap over the tomato finely chopped apple and celery which has been well mixed with a highly seasoned dressing. Garnish with shredded bits of green pepper.

Golden Chestnut Salad.—Shell, blanch and boil until tender one pint of chestnuts. Drain and dust and set aside to cool. Arrange in a salad bowl on a bed of water cress or of lettuce and sift over them lightly the yolks of two hard-cooked eggs. Hold the egg yolks in a sieve over the nuts and rub them through. Serve with a good flavored dressing.

Tomato Salad.—Scald, peel and chill six firm tomatoes and cut in halves. To one cupful of whipped cream add two tablespoonfuls of lemon juice and the same of grated fresh horseradish, season with paprika, mustard and salt. Place the tomatoes on lettuce, heap on the dressing and sprinkle with a bit of chopped red pepper.

Bacon Salad.—Cut six slices of tender bacon into squares and fry until brown; drain on paper; heat six tablespoonfuls of this fat and two tablespoonfuls of vinegar; beat the yolks of three eggs and one-fourth of a teaspoonful each of paprika and mustard and cook in the fat until thick. When the dressing is cold, toss the bacon over crisp head lettuce and mix with the dressing.

Brussels Sprouts Salad.—Boil a quart of brussels sprouts with a piece of ham or salt pork. When cool cut each head into halves, arrange on cress or lettuce, sprinkle with a little chopped ham and serve with a good salad dressing.

Sweetbread and Celery Salad.—Mix equal parts of cooked sweetbreads, diced, with celery, also diced. Add a nicely seasoned dressing and serve. The dressing and seasoning is the important point in a good salad.

All vegetables served fresh should be crisp and free from moisture. Nuts of various kinds add to the flavor and nutritive value of any salad. Corn oil used with the yolk of egg and vinegar as mayonnaise makes a most tasty salad.

Within the husk the harvest lies unfolded. The chaff lies dead; But the sweet life the summer months have molded. Becomes our bread.

THE CANNING OF MEATS.

HE canning of meats is not so common but that the inexperienced housewife approaches the task with fear of losing it by spoilage. Meat may be canned as successfully as any other food, if the proper care is taken to be sure that the cans are perfectly sealed and sterile.

Those who live near lakes or streams where fish abound will find canned fish a most savory dish to serve on short notice.

The housewife who has her fruit cellar well stocked with canned fish, meat, soups as well as vegetables, has no fears when an unexpected onslaught of company drops in on her on a busy day, for she knows but a few minutes are needed to prepare a good meal from the good things canned.

Tough meats may be cooked a half hour before packing. Fish should be soaked in salt brine a half hour before packing. All meats as well as fish should be in perfect condition for canning.

Chicken fried, canned in the late fall, preserves the meat at the most delicious stage and we avoid the expense of carrying them over the winter.

Game and fish may be canned to serve at a time when both are out of season.

Canned Chicken.—A fowl weighing two pounds when dressed should make a pint of solid meat and a pint of stock thick enough to jelly. A four-pound fowl will fill a quart can. Sear the meat in hot fat, or in boiling water, then remove the bones and pack, filling the space with the stock which has been saved from the cooking of the meat and bones. Add one teaspoonful of salt to a quart of meat with other seasonings, if liked. Seal the jar then turn back one quarter way round if a Mason jar; if one with a clamp, leave the lower one unadjusted. Place in the boiler and boil with water to cover three hours. Take out, seal tightly at once. The meat may be packed uncooked, but it does not have as good a flavor as when browned and lightly seasoned while cooking.

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SAW SMALL CHANCE TO SAVE

Enlisted Man Evidently Had the Spending Instinct Developed to a Remarkable Degree.

Difficulties of soldiers who formerly were successful business men, in paying last year's income tax on this year's pay are illustrated by a story brought to Washington by an officer serving at one of the Southern cantonments.

Last February, the officer said, he explained to the men of his command that all married men would have to pay a tax on all their last year's earnings over \$2,000, while unmarried men would have to pay on all incomes over \$1,000.

Coming to him later one of the men, a private, said: "I guess I won't be able to pay that income tax. I haven't any money."

"Oh, that's all right," replied the officer, "you'll have until June to pay it and you can save it out of your pay by that time."

"I am afraid I couldn't," responded the private. "I made \$35,000 last year and I blew it all when I was called into the army."

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Wouldn't Be Left Behind. A certain livery stable keeper never lets a horse out without requesting the hirer not to drive fast.

The other day a young man called to get a turnout to attend a funeral. "Certainly," said the stableman. "But," he added, forgetting the solemn purpose for which the young man requested the horse, "don't drive fast."

"Why, just look here, old fellow," said the somewhat excited young man; "I want you to understand that I shall keep up with the procession if it kills the horse."

Pimpily Rash Skins. Quickly soothed and healed by Cuticura often when all else fails. The Soap to cleanse and purify, the Ointment to soothe and heal. For free samples address, "Cuticura, Dept. X, Boston." At druggists and by mail. Soap 25, Ointment 25 and 50.—Adv.

A New Sentry. A lieutenant at Camp Grant was riding past a guard the other night, and at the usual command to halt he stopped his horse and stood there. However, the guard didn't say another word, and after a short time the lieutenant burst out with: "Well, what are you making me stand here for? Expect me to stay here all night?"

The guard answered: "Well, I didn't know what to say next. I've only been here for a week."

No Worms in a Healthy Child. All children troubled with worms have an unhealthy color, which indicates poor blood, and as a rule, there is more or less stomach disturbance. Give the child WORM EXPELLER given regularly for two or three weeks will enrich the blood, improve the digestion, and act as a general strengthening tonic to the whole system. Nature will then throw off or digest the worms, and the child will be in perfect health. Pleasant to take. 50c per bottle.

Superdodging. In New York a draft dodger in his questionnaire listed more than 20 occupations, saying he had worked at them for certain stated periods totaling 213 years. Among these jobs were accountant, blacksmith, bookkeeper, machinist, engineer, typewriter, student, clerk, teacher, ship designer, factory hand, foundry man, draughtsman, auto repairer, patternmaker and painter. The government decided that he would be a handy man to have around in spite of his estimated age.

A Very Woman. He (rapturously)—"You accept me? Then it's a bargain!" She (calmly)—"Certainly! I shouldn't consider it if it wasn't!"

Naturally. "She's just ripping." "Who is?" "The seamstress."

To Be Expected. Bob—"Don't you weigh more than you did?" Belle—"A bit. I started at nine and one-half pounds."

WRIGLEY'S For Victory Buy Liberty Bonds We will win this war— Nothing else really matters until we do! The Flavor Lasts

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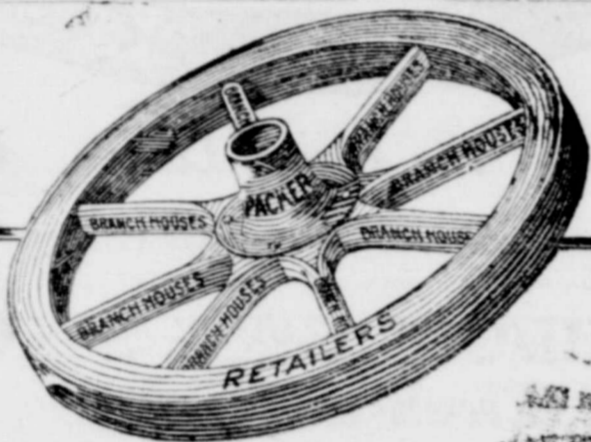
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"Spokes"—and the Swift "Wheel"

What would you consumers think of a wheel without spokes?

What would you think of a man who would take any or all of the spokes out of a wheel to make it run better?

Swift & Company's business of getting fresh meat to you is a wheel, of which the packing plant is only the hub. Retail dealers are the rim—and Swift & Company Branch Houses are the spokes.

The hub wouldn't do the wheel much good and you wouldn't have much use for hub or rim if it weren't for the spokes that fit them all together to make a wheel of it.

Swift & Company Branch Houses are placed, after thorough investigation, in centers where they can be successfully operated and do the most good for the most people at the least possible cost.

Each "spoke" is in charge of a man who knows that he is there to keep you supplied at all times with meat, sweet and fresh; and who knows that if he doesn't do it, his competitor will.

How much good would the hub and the rim of the Swift "wheel" do you if the spokes were done away with?



Swift & Company, U. S. A.



EDUCATION OF OUR CHILDREN

When I was a girl I spoke as a girl; I understood as a girl. I thought as a girl; but when I became a woman I put away girlish things. Did you? You did! And have you forgotten that you ever were a girl just like other girls are today? It is just about a quarter of a century since we mothers of the schoolgirls of today were in their places. Then, what is our most sacred duty as mothers of the girls today to the mothers of the girls of tomorrow?

There is scarcely a man or woman living today who even twenty-five years short ago saw the vision of the needs of the American mothers of this day. No farther back than your school days and your college days there were few women instructors in our higher institutions of learning. Through our entire university course there were only three women who ever called the roll in our classroom. Only one of them ever directed the affairs of a home. Neither of them had ever been a mother. Neither of them had any idea of the value of a child's life or what it cost a mother to bear and rear a child. We spent five of the best years of our life in that university and so far as we can remember we never heard one suggestion from any member of the faculty on how to create a happy home. Yet there were more homes being created in the minds and hearts of those students than any other one thing. But we did not dare mention it. It would have been the joke of the whole institution. There were just about as many boys in school as girls, all taking exactly the same courses—M. A., B. A. or B. S., which ever happened to not have the studies they disliked most. Every course leads toward some profession. So that was all we heard. They were laying the foundation for the boy's future work, men's work. We were trained by men. Our ideas were men's ideas of women's work. We were trained by men. We learned to think and study like men. For a few years we used our manly ideas and our manly education in another college for young women. We learned to think as a man to understand as a man, but when we became a woman, when we took up our real life of housekeeper, homemaker, wife and mother, the first thing we had to do was to put away our manly training, our manly notions of things, our manly education and begin alone, without teacher, a thousand miles from our mother, to learn the A B C's of a mother's education.

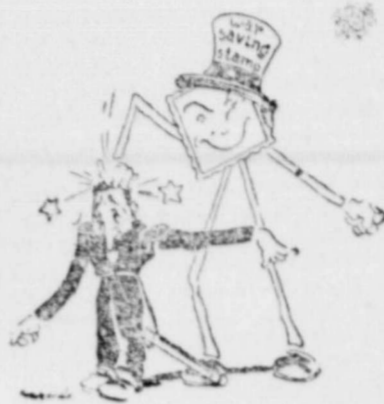
When we graduated we could conjugate every verb in the German, French and Latin lexicon. We could make all the algebraic signs and draw all the geometrical figures. But when we opened up a home of our own we couldn't make a pie, bake a loaf of bread fit to eat, set a table artlessly, or design a useful apron. We had to make a little money, but we did not know to spend it wisely in a home or for a home.—Mrs. Phoebe K. Warner, in Star-Telegram.

FOR SALE. A good heating stove in good condition. W. F. Patton.

1918 XMAS PRESENTS.

Uncle Sam wants folks to give a new kind of Christmas present this year. He urges that all presents, no matter how large or small is the amount to be spent by the giver, be made in the form of War Savings Stamps. Christmas presents of this kind will aid the Government, save labor and materials necessary in the production of the usual kind of presents, allow the giver the opportunity of assisting his country and make the recipient a saver and a Government bond owner. Do your Christmas shopping in War Savings Stamps, and buy them now. Be a real patriot and observe Uncle Sam's request.

"OVER THE TOP"



LIBERATE THE SOLDIERS

Over the counter means over the top. When you pay your War Savings Stamp Pledge you have sent a victorious Yank back his way through a Hun line. As long as your pledge remains unpaid you keep the American soldier chained in his trench where he can do no good. Liberate our soldiers and speed victory by liberating the dollars representing your pledge. The sooner you pay it the sooner that Yank will charge his way to Berlin and victory. Are you willing to put off paying your W.S.S. Pledge when you are tying a soldier's hands by your delay?



Keep Your W.S.S. Pledge
Make the machine guns chatter the song of Victory
W.S.S. means ammunition

CALL MADE FOR LIQUIDATION OF W.S.S. PLEDGES THIS WEEK

Pledges for War Savings Stamps made by 1,107,356 Texans are due for payment before Oct. 31.

Pledges for November and December should, if possible, be paid during this eight-day period.

Every person in this county should make arrangements to completely liquidate his pledge during this week of Oct. 24-31, which has been officially designated as Pay W.S.S. Pledge Week.

War Savings Stamps equal to the present unliquidated portion of your pledge may be had at any bank, the postoffice or any sales agency.

Because of the immense amount of money needed now by the Government in connection with the vast military operations which are taking place, the War Savings Committee is calling for the complete liquidation of all War Savings Pledges.

To this end the eight-day period beginning Thursday, Oct. 24, and ending Thursday, Oct. 31, has been designated for the payment of the outstanding amounts of all pledges.

"There are some pledges or portions of pledges which call for liquidation in November and December, but in view of the extraordinary needs at this time every loyal pledger is most earnestly requested to make his payment during Pay W.S.S. Pledge Week, even though it may require close figuring and personal sacrifice upon the part of that patriotic person," Louis Lipsitz, State Director of War Savings, declares in the official announcement.

"Not only is it a solemn duty required of us for the Government, but at this time the complete payment of November and December pledges along with the portion due Oct. 31 will be of the utmost value to the Government in pushing to victorious conclusion the vast and vital operations on the fighting front."

"The full payment of the year's pledges may be just a bit hard to make on or before Oct. 31, but I know that the loyal Texas pledgers, thoroughly understanding what their action will achieve, will give full attention to the call and answer it as Texans have always answered their Government's requests."

Promises vs. Money

The Government can't spend promises. Your W.S.S. Pledge is of no value unless it's paid.

The soldier can't fight with an empty gun and a broken bayonet. He will have to do without gun or bayonet as long as you put off paying that W.S.S. Pledge. The Government can't buy cartridges and bayonets with promises.

The Government needs fuel to use in the engines of the transports that take the fighters to France. The Government can't buy coal and oil with your pledge. It must have the money. Are you willing to tie up the transports in harbor by failing to pay that W.S.S. Pledge promptly?

Every day you delay liquidating your pledge you delay the coming of victory.

YOU PASSED YOUR WORD

"My word is as good as my bond!" Have you ever heard that said about you or some other person? It means a whole lot, doesn't it?

When you made your War Savings Stamp Pledge you passed your word and gave your bond to the Government. That pledge is due now. The Government is calling for its payment. You pledged the United States Government and you told President Wilson and Secretary McAdoo they could depend on you. Is your word as good as your bond? Prove it by liquidating that pledge speedily.

A man or woman is known by the clarity and willingness with which he or she does what the Government asks.



NOTICE

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MAIL ORDERS

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RED PEP'S PHILOSOPHY



"There isn't much philosophy for the worm that dies the early bird."

When you know one thing than another, then you like to know some one about it. This is the position in the lumber business. We have spent so many years buying materials that it has become a habit to apply our knowledge in a practical way. The problem of lumber in buying just the kind and quantity are often dispensed with the knowledge of the necessary elements. You are always welcome to the service in every way. To get your lumber here.



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Sour Stomach

Eat, slowly, masticate your food thoroughly, abstain from eating a few days and in most cases the stomach will disappear. If it does not take one of Chamberlain's immediately after supper. It is most likely to cause some trouble and you may find it best to get out.