

RED CROSS DRIVE FOR \$10,000 CLOSES APRIL 8

TRADES DAY AND RED CROSS RALLY EVENTS FOR 2nd MONDAY

Tuesday was a big day in the Red Cross Drive for the \$10,000 needed for the Randall County chapter.

Men went out from Canyon to practically every section of the county and with men from the various school districts made a canvass to obtain twelve checks from each person to support the work of the Red Cross for the year 1918.

The canvassers were received very well in all sections. They were refused by only a very few people during the campaign.

Of course, there are many men and women who have not yet been seen by the canvassers. It would be impossible to make a canvass of Randall county and not miss a large number of our citizens. To these citizens, the executive committee urges that they ask at once for a check book and make their subscriptions before the campaign closes. A check will be made of the names during the coming week and it hoped that every family in Randall county will have signed up on the honor roll.

To read the stirring war news of the past few days, and not want to have some part in it—the man or woman who doesn't want a part in it must have a heart of stone and a hide like a rhinoceros.

Certainly no one can read of those thousands of brave English—150,000 of them up to yesterday—who have given up their lives that our country, our nation might live, and yet refuse to give anything to provide for their

suffering families, to restore to health the crippled and wounded, to help restore the towns and villages that are being swept from the face of the globe by the shells of the Huns.

Surely there are no one in Randall county who can look calmly day after day at the long list of our boys who are the dead and wounded lists of the daily newspapers, and turn his back saying it means nothing to him. Such a person—if there is one in this county—ought to be in Germany. We don't need him in Randall county, in America, or ever on the Western Hemisphere.

The Red Cross demands are going to be greater than ever before this summer. The biggest battle in the history of the world is now going on. The Red Cross will have thousands of more people to look after when the battle is over than they now have. A few dollars will help materially in caring for these needy people. The people of Randall county are blessed with prosperity. We have given nothing so far. Get busy now with your check books. Make the checks large. Don't take all your patriotism out in street talk. Do something that will help the fellows who are actually doing the fighting.

The Randall County drive will close on April 8th. The three Aberdeen Angus heifers will be given away on that date. Let every person in Randall County plan to be in Canyon on that day. It will be a great day. It is the regular monthly Trades Day in Canyon.

BIG SHIPMENT OF CLOTHES BEING MADE TO BELGIUMS

The clothes for the sufferers in Belgium and France being collected and packed this week brought together a roomful of articles in the court house this week.

People from all over the country contributed from their surplus clothing and the amount gathered was up to and beyond the expectation of the Red Cross workers.

The quality of the clothing, generally, was much better than would naturally be expected. A large percent of the garments brought in were in good state of repair and were of the durable material that the nation was asked to send to the sufferers in Belgium and France.

The boxes, barrels and sacks of clothing are being prepared for shipment by the Red Cross workers at the court house.

The total shipment consisted of 2329 garments; which weighed about 1500 pounds.

BAPTIST REVIVAL CONTINUES WITH GOOD ATTENDANCE

The revival meeting which started last week at the Baptist church continues and interest is growing daily.

Rev. Fronabarger states that the attendance has been good all through this week. Meetings are held every night at the church and all of the people of Canyon are urged to come to the services.

Two College Plays.

On Monday night, April 1, in the Normal Auditorium the Dramatic Club will present two one act plays; "The Golden Doom" by Lord Dunsany, and "Fennel" a translation from the French of Francois Copper by Jerome K. Jerome. The latter will be presented by members of the Fourth Year Expression Class, while the former will consist of students of all Expression classes. The two plays present interesting examples of two distinct periods in the drama, with a point of resemblance in the poetic qualities, though neither is poetic in form. Time 8:30 Admission 25c-15c

Farmers Union Meeting

The quarterly meeting of the Farmers Union will be held on April 6. M. A. BINAGMAN, Secy.

THIRD LIBERTY BONDS APRIL 6-4 1/2 PER CENT INTEREST

The third issue of the Liberty Bonds will be offered on April 6. The government will ask for three billion of dollars at 4 1/2 per cent, and offer to exchange the 3 1/2 and 4 per cent bonds for the new issue.

Randall county should be ready to start our campaign on the opening day of the subscription.

INCOME TAX MAN HERE TODAY AND FRIDAY—FILE REPORTS

All income tax reports must be filed before April 1st.

In order to assist those who have not yet made their income tax reports, a man has been sent to Canyon for today and tomorrow. He will be found at the banks.

Change of Date for M. E. Meeting

The beginning of our meeting has been changed from the 1st Sunday in April to the second Sunday.

We hope our people will attend and cooperate with our Baptist brethren in their meeting now in progress to the fullest extent possible. Any opportunity for winning souls we should consider ours.

R. A. STEWART, Pastor.

Four Boys to Artillery

Four boys left this week for Ft. Logan, Colo., where they will join the coast artillery. They are Lewis and Harry Upfold, Mase Whitman and W. E. McKinney.

Visits by the Stock

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. M. Austin King yesterday morning.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Grayson Bell this morning.

Press Association in May

The Panhandle Press Association is to hold its annual meeting in Amarillo on May 24 and 25.

President R. B. Cousins of the West Texas State Normal College will address the meeting on the subject "Our Patriotic Duty to the American Government."

C. W. Warwick leads in the discussion of job work.

See me about land loans. S. B. McClure.

MORNING WAR BULLETIN

The following bulletin was received this morning from the Dallas News just before noon.

British stop Germans all points between Ancre and Somme. Make small advances. Proxart recovered. West of Roye French fall back slightly. Enemy unable to make progress from Albert. Terian favoring the British. Whole line now reinforced. Reported this morning American sector attacked.

Message Received 12:50 New attack developing east of Arras. Dunkirk bombarded. Fighting continues both banks Somme. Haig reports all attacks repulsed. French tenaciously hold Oise Valley. First British counter attack nets three miles. Battle far from over.

GREATEST BATTLE OF THE WORLD IS NOW BEING FOUGHT

The greatest battle in the world's history is now being fought between the Allies, principally the English, and the Germans.

The News has arranged to get bulletins from the Dallas News during the day containing the important events that are taking place. The number of bulletins received will be in accordance with the activity on the battlefield.

Allenby, on the road to Jericho, fell among thieves—and the thieves had the surprise of their lives. — Wall Street Journal.

Uncle Sam is in a race against Germany for ships and food—Are you with him?

CONSOLIDATION OF TWO CANYON BANKS

An important deal was closed this week whereby there will be a consolidation of the Citizens Bank of Canyon, and the First State Bank, the organization retaining the name of the First State Bank. The business of the banks was moved to the First State Bank building on the southeast corner, but the building occupied by the Citizens will be the home of the institution after Monday, April 8th. The Citizens Bank as an institution will cease to be after the consolidation is completed.

The consolidation was accomplished when the stockholders of the Citizens Bank bought controlling interest in the First State Bank of W. D. Morrel who was recently elected president of the First State. By the sale of this stock Mr. Morrel severs banking relations in Canyon. Mr. Morrel states that he does not know just yet where he will locate, but will take a short vacation, visiting with relatives at Sherman, and will probably return to Canyon within a few weeks to look after some cattle which he has south of the city. The people of Canyon regret very much to think of having the Morrel family leave this community, and trust that they may yet decide to live here.

The officers of the re-organized First State Bank are as follows: J. M. Black, President J. W. Reid, L. A. Pierce, D. A. Park, R. H. Wright, Vice Presidents. Grady Oldham, Cashier Miss Quilla Warren, Assistant Cashier.

The consolidation of the two banks will strengthen the organizations and make a splendid institution for looking after the business which both of the banks have enjoyed.

Good sugar Cured ham for Easter, 33 cents per pound. Vetesk Market, phone 12.

FEED MEETING CALLED SATURDAY AT 3 P. M.

Tuesday night there was called a meeting at the court house of the business men for the purpose of discussing with the Kafir committee of the Panhandle ways and means of increasing the kafir production this year. Only a few were present at the meeting.

Dr. Cunningham of Amarillo, Judge Hamlin of Farwell and County Demonstrator Holland were here on this mission. The work outlined was highly beneficial to the business men and farmers, but owing to the small attendance, it was thought advisable for them to come back to Canyon Saturday afternoon at three o'clock when another meeting will be held.

These men have a message to the

farmers and business men of Canyon. They are giving their time and paying their own expenses that this county may be benefited.

The people of Randall county owe them a large and intelligent hearing. Let every business man come to the meeting.

Every farmer is expected to come. More food and more feed must be raised this year in the Panhandle. These men represent an organization which is trying to solve the problem of increasing the acreage and production.

They have a message that ought to go to every producer as well as every consumer.

Hear them Saturday afternoon at three o'clock at the court house!

EASTER SERVICE SUNDAY MORNING BY Y. W. C. A.

Sunday morning at 8 o'clock the Y. W. C. A. will give an Easter program on the lawn at the Miss Hudspeth home to which is extended a cordial invitation to all of the women of Canyon.

The following will be the program: Lord's Prayer Hymn—Son of My Soul Music—Quartet Scripture reading Music—Quartet Talk—Mrs. Cousins Solo—Mrs. Luke Hymn—Onward Christian Soldiers Prayer—Miss Word

Morrel Resigns from Local Board

W. D. Morrel has resigned as a member of the Randall County Local Exemption Board on account of the probability of leaving Canyon within a very short while. He has been secretary of the board since the Draft Law went into effect and has been faithful in the discharge of his duties. No man has yet been selected to take his place, but the other two members, Clyde McElroy and Dr. D. M. Stewart will make such recommendations at once.

Mr. Morrel has also resigned as county chairman of the War Saving Stamps Committee, and another man will be selected soon.

Mr. Morrel left Saturday for Sherman where he will join Mrs. Morrel in visiting relatives.

Gamble Graduates in Aviation

Henry Gamble has completed his course in the technical school at Atlanta, Ga., and is not awaiting entry into the aviation corps. He passed the examinations this week and went to his home in Tennessee to visit his mother for a few days. He will be in the aviation corps after the first of April.

Wayne Cousins will complete his course at the school this week, having started one week later than Henry.

Both of the boys were highly pleased with the work of the school.

Young Hogs Bring \$19.60

M. J. Holloway states that he brought to Canyon Monday five hogs which were only 5 1-2 old, but which brought him \$19.60 each. This record of Mr. Holloway's is among the top-notchers of the year which have been reported to the News.

NEW TRIAL GRANTED LESLIE NOBLES—CASE TO AMARILLO

Judge Hugh L. Umphres granted a new trial Saturday afternoon to Leslie Nobles, who was convicted in the district court a week ago Sunday of rape and sentenced to the penitentiary for a term of 35 years.

The defense argued that Nobles did not receive a fair and impartial trial in Randall county, and that public opinion was against the defendant.

The case has been set for the last week in April in the Potter county district court.

Nobles did not ask for bond, and is confined in the jail in Amarillo awaiting the trial.

Lofton for Commissioner

To the voters of precinct number one, Randall, county, Texas.

In presenting my candidacy for the office of Commissioner Precinct No. One, I wish to thank the citizenship for past favors and courtesies extended to me. I have lived in Randall county for the past 17 years and have always in my humble way taken an interest in the things which serve to promote its welfare.

I believe that my past experience as Commissioner Precinct No. One, Randall County, and four years' experience as County and District Clerk in Swisher Co., makes me better able to discharge the duties incumbent upon that officer than ever before.

The duties of County Commissioner are many and varied, and a proper discharge thereof requires not only a man of integrity and sobriety, but also one of good "hoss sense," and as to whether or not I possess those requisites is for you to say.

To win the war I am for more rain and bigger crops.

S. B. LOFTON.

Pie Super a Success.

The pie social given at the Meyers School March 23 netted the sum of \$51.00 from the sale of pies. The proceeds will be divided equally and used for Red Cross work and for the school. The program rendered by Miss Brown's class was greatly enjoyed by all. Prof. Reid gave a short talk on Red Cross work and auctioned the sale of pies, at which he was a great success and voted by all as the best auctioneer in the county.

MISS MARGARET JONES, Teacher

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. May and daughter returned Tuesday from a short visit in Missouri.

We bank on you banking with us

The Citizens Bank of Canyon (unincorporated) and The First State Bank of Canyon—a Guaranty Fund Bank—are now perfecting a consolidation and will retain the name of The First State Bank, with officers now elected as follows:

- J. M. BLACK, President J. W. REID, Vice President L. A. PIERCE, Vice President D. A. PARK, Vice President R. H. WRIGHT, Vice President GRADY OLDHAM, Cashier QUILLA WARREN, Asst. Cashier

On Monday, April 8th the First State Bank will move from its present location and will occupy the building formerly occupied by the Citizens Bank.

"We want you to make our bank your bank"

The First State Bank Canyon Texas The Only Guaranty Fund Bank in Randall County

LISTEN Every man should own his own home, because it is the most valued earthly treasure in existence. Besides being a good investment, it is nature's obligation, a man's solemn duty. Come and see us. BUILD YOU A HOME Rockwell Bros. & Co. (CANYON LUMBER COMPANY)

To The American People

There is no foundation for the alleged violations of law attributed to our Company by agents of the Federal Trade Commission and I want to say emphatically that Swift & Company is not a party to any conspiracy to defraud the Government. Nor has Swift & Company been guilty of improperly storing foods or of making false entries or reports.

Conferences of packers, where prices have been discussed, have been held at the urgent request and in the presence of representatives of either the Food Administration or the Council of National Defense. And yet the packers have been accused of committing a felony by acting in collusion on Government bids!

We have done our best, with other packers, large and small, to comply with the directions of the United States Food Administration in all particulars, including the furnishing of food supplies for the U. S. Army and Navy and the Allies, now being handled through the Food Administration.

We will continue to do our utmost, under Government direction, to increase our production and assist the Food Administration. We consider that the opportunity to co-operate whole-heartedly and to our fullest powers with this branch of the Government is our plain and most pressing duty.

The Trade Commission Attorney has, by false inference and misplaced emphasis, given to disconnected portions of the correspondence taken from our private files and read into the Record, a false and sinister meaning with the plain purpose of creating antagonistic public opinion.

The services of the packers of the United States are most urgently needed, and I regret exceedingly that we should at this time have to spend our efforts in defending ourselves against unfounded, unproved, and unfair assertions such as are being daily made public.

L. I. Swift, President

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Boys and Girls Club Work

The following is a list of the prize winners and prizes won in the boys and girls club work in Potter, Randall, Armstrong and Oldham counties for 1917:

- Baby Beef, Senior Class.**
1st, Wallace Hutchinson, Tulja, \$30.00
2nd, Willie Bennett, Amarillo, \$25.00
3rd, B. A. Conner Jr., Claude, \$20.00
4th, Ruth Bennett, Amarillo, \$15.00
5th, Malcomb Bennett, Claude, \$12.50
6th, Geo. Colling, Amarillo, \$10.00
7th, Haskell Pavillard, Amar., \$7.50
- Baby Beef, Junior Class**
1st, Amey Bennett, Amarillo, \$30.00
2nd, B. H. Conner, Claude, \$25.00
3rd, Cleve Bennett, Claude, \$20.00
4th, Howard Todd, Amarillo, \$15.00
5th, Delbert Forsythe, Happy, \$12.50
6th, Elizabeth Pavillard, Amar., \$10.00
7th, Albert Meyers, Canyon, \$7.50
- Baby Pork, Senior Class**
1st Ernest Duke, Claude, \$25.00
- Baby Pork, Junior Class**
1st Albert Meyers, Canyon, \$25.00
2nd, Forrest Gruner, Amarillo, \$20.00
3rd, Benton King, Amarillo, \$15.00
4th, Raymond Thompson, Wildorado, \$12.50
5th, Caleb Fuqua, Wildorado, \$10.00
Kafir, Milo and Feterita Club
- 1st Ernest Duke, Claude, \$15.00**
2nd, Albert Meyers, Canyon, \$12.50
3rd, Delbert Forsythe, Happy, \$10.00
4th, Mettie Moore, Tascosa, \$9.50
5th, Joseph Stoker, Washburn, \$9.00
6th, Thomas Watson, Washburn \$8.50
7th, Otto Myers, Happy, \$8.00
8th John Watson, Washburn, \$7.50
9th, Forrest Gruner, Amarillo, \$7.00
10th, Russell McFadden, Bushland, \$6.50
11th, Otto Friemel, Umbarger, \$6.00
12th, Clarence Lovelady, Claude, \$5.50
13th, Ernest Hollerstein, Umbarger, \$5.00
14th, John Jennings, Canyon, \$4.50
15th, Mervin Ford, Amarillo, \$4.00
16th Caleb Fuqua, Wildorado, \$3.50
17th, Lester Brumette, Claude, \$3.00
18th, James Jennings, Canyon, \$2.50
19th, Henry Beckman, Umbarger, \$2.00
20th, Floyd Jennings, Canyon, \$1.50
21st, Fred Oberst, Canyon, \$1.00
- These prizes were all-cash prizes and were paid by the Commercial Clubs of Canyon and Claude and the Board of City Development of Amarillo. This year we will have just as good as prizes and more of them, as we are offering some livestock as prizes this year. Get that boy of yours into this work, it is his chance to help those boys at the front, and when you keep him from doing it you are making a slacker out of him, and that is something you don't want to be yourself. Get the boy into the work and give him chance.
B. B. HOLLAND,
County Agent.

COURAGE AS WELL AS CAPITAL.

A farmer friend who handles his business with nerve and energy writes us that he is tired of having his neighbors tell him all the time that the reason he gets along is because he has "the capital." He says the fact that he has the courage to use his capital when economy demands is worth more to him than the capital. "For instance," he says, "I bought last fall nine tons of oil meal. Because the price was high, \$55 a ton, they did not have the pluck to go ahead and close a good bargain." In that way he got his protein for less cost per pound than he could in any other form of feed on the market.

He cites the case of one of his neighbors who has \$2,000 loaned out on mortgages, but who hasn't the courage to make a favorable investment in feed for his cows. It often happens that way. It takes as much decision of character and courage to do the right thing in dairy farming as in any other business. It is a good thing to have plenty of capital in the bank to do business with but what is the use of capital if we are afraid to use it?

A farmer once told us that he calculated he had lost over \$1,000 in delaying putting up a silo for twenty years just because he was afraid the investment wouldn't turn out all right. Colonel Crockett said: "Be sure you are right; then go ahead." It is in that "go ahead" part where we often lack profitable courage.—Hoard's Dairyman.

Water Drowned the Fish.

The recent small rise in the river seems to have killed most all the fish. Hundreds of fish could be seen floating on the water. The two years drouth was the cause as the fish had acquired the habit of doing without water so when it did come they drowned.—Colorado Record.

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I WANT TO SEE OR HEAR FROM OWNERS OF ALL LAND THAT IS FOR SALE IN THIS AND ADJOINING COUNTIES.

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A NERVOUS WRECK

From Three Years' Suffering. Says Cardui Made Her Well.

Texas City, Tex.—In an interesting statement, Mrs. G. H. Schill, of this town, says: "For three years I suffered untold agony with my head. I was unable to do any of my work."

I just wanted to sleep all the time, for that was the only case I could get, when I was asleep. I became a nervous wreck just from the awful suffering with my head.

I was so nervous that the least noise would make me jump out of my bed. I had no energy, and was unable to do anything. My son, a young boy, had to do all my household duties.

I was not able to do anything until I took Cardui. I took three bottles in all, and it surely cured me of those awful headaches. That has been three years ago, and I know the cure is permanent, for I have never had any headache since taking Cardui.

Nothing relieved me until I took Cardui. It did wonders for me."

Try Cardui for your troubles—made from medicinal ingredients recommended in medical books as being of benefit in female troubles, and 40 years of use has proven that the books are right. Begin taking Cardui today. NC-134

FOR YOUR WAR COOK BOOK.

Oyster Jambalaya.
Put a tablespoon of drippings in a pot. Heat and add a large onion chopped fine; brown and add a tablespoon of flour; brown, then add two or three tomatoes or their equivalent in canned tomatoes; stir carefully to keep the flour from thickening in lumps. Now add the hot liquor from 50 oysters with enough boiling water to make one and one-half quarts. Boil until the ingredients are well combined and add one cup of washed rice. Boil until the rice is tender, stirring often. Season as desired with cloves, parsley, bay leaf and celery, chopped fine; pepper, salt and a pinch of cayenne.

Potato Corn Meal Muffins.
2 tablespoons fat.
1 tablespoon sugar.
1 egg, well beaten.
1 cup milk.
1 cup mashed potatoes.
1 cup corn meal.
4 teaspoons baking powder.
1 teaspoon salt.
Mix in order given. Bake 40 minutes in hot oven. This makes 12 muffins. They are delicious.

Pickled Rabbit.
Boil the rabbit, cut in small pieces, in sweetened vinegar with a bag of spices composed of mace, spice, cinnamon, cayenne pepper, and fill in enamel cans or glass jars. Cover with the liquid, and pour over this a tablespoonful of cooking or peanut oil, cap, tip, and boil 30 minutes in steam canner under 15 pounds pressure.

Pumpkin Pudding
2 cups stewed pumpkin.
1-2 cup brown sugar.
1-2 cup honey or maple syrup.
2 eggs.
1 tablespoon flour.
1 teaspoon cinnamon.
1-2 teaspoon nutmeg.
1-8 teaspoon cloves.
1-8 teaspoon ginger.
1 teaspoon vanilla.
1 pinch of salt.
2 cups milk.
Mix all ingredients and bake in greased pudding dish. Serve hot or cold.

the women at a rate that must almost be embarrassing. They are now eligible to membership in Tammany Hall.—Rochester Democrat and Chronicle.

Reduction. Production—the 1918 watchwords.

BAKED POTATO

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Give Heed to the Warning. Pimples on the face and other parts of the body are warnings from Nature that your blood is sluggish and impoverished. Sometimes they foretell eczema, boils, blisters, scaly eruptions and other skin disorders that burn like flames of fire. They mean that your blood needs S. S. S. to purify it and cleanse it of these impure accumulations that can cause unlimited trouble. This remedy is the greatest vegetable blood purifier known, and contains no minerals or chemicals to injure the most delicate skin.

Go to your drugstore, and get a bottle of S. S. S. today, and get rid of those unsightly and disfiguring pimples, and other skin irritations. And it will cleanse your blood thoroughly. If you wish special medical advice, you can obtain it without charge by writing to Medical Director, 29 Swift Laboratory, Atlanta, Georgia.

Fire Burned Chickens.

Fire in a brooder in the chicken house of Albert Spinnhine one morning last week burned 90 young chicks 32 hens and two roosters, one of the last a \$5 bird he could ill afford to lose at this time. While he places his loss at \$100, it really amounts to much more as the young chicks would have been ready to eat by the last of next month and sold at a fancy price. When burned they were five weeks old.

Instead of letting up on poultry raising Mr. Spinnhine bought another incubator while in town and is going after things more determinedly than ever. He will build another chicken house for his chicks, keeping them separate from the grown fowls. — Vega Sentinel.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect the Head Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness nor ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE, Jr.

France Again Tightens Her Belt.

New French food regulations effective February 25 contain these restrictions necessary to conserve the limited supply of food. Public eating places are forbidden to serve sugar, but customers may bring their own supply. The making of pastries, biscuits and confectionery is prohibited. All grain which may be used for making bread is reserved for human food. Bread served at meals in public eating places is limited to about 3½ ounces per meal.

There are severe restrictions on the consumption of dairy products of all kinds, especially butter, cheese and cream.

Save O r S tarve.

Another compensation of war: Two hundred and seventeen enemy aliens janitors are among our interned prisoners in Federal jails. — New York Morning Telegraph.

RED CROSS MONEY AIDS 350,000 MEN IN THE SOUTHWEST

REPORT ON WORK IN CAMPS AND CANTONMENTS SHOWS HOW CASH IS SPENT.

PROMPT WORK SAVES LIVES

Twenty Thousand Blankets Rushed to Camp Bowie When Men Suffered for Lack of Bedding —No Red Tape Here.

Sweaters worth \$1,250,000 have been given to soldiers in Southwestern camps and cantonments by the Red Cross since the mobilization of the National army was begun.

This information is contained in a report made to the Washington headquarters of the American Red Cross by Stanley Stoner, director of military relief for the Southwestern division of the organization.

Stoner's report is proof positive of the support the Red Cross is giving the War Department in fitting American soldiery for winning the war. That no other agency outside the War Department itself is so potent a factor to that end is recognized and admitted generally. Every supporter of the Red Cross well may feel that he or she actually is helping to save the world for democracy and to crush the unspeakable house of Hohenzollern.

The report made by Director Stoner shows that 230,000 sweaters were distributed up to Feb. 1 to soldiers in eight large camps and cantonments, several smaller camps and to the army which constantly is on guard on the Mexican border. But sweaters was only one of 200 items provided. It was impossible for the War Department to foresee many requirements of the soldiers, and in many instances, when necessity arose for supplies of different kinds, it was impossible to get army requisitions through fast enough to handle the situation. Field directors in the different camps, always on the alert for such emergencies and armed with authority to spend money freely when necessity arose, stepped in and provided whatever was needed for the comfort and well-being of the men.

From Spoons to Automobiles.

In addition to the sweaters, 44,370 mufflers were distributed. Other items were as follows: Socks, 56,373; blankets, 1,160; wristlets, 27,854; helmets, 5,109; Christmas packages, 116,657; automobiles, 4; comforts, 7,339. The automobiles were touring cars necessary for the proper transportation of sick soldiers from their quarters to hospitals. Nearly 600,000 items, 671,925 to be exact, were distributed. Their diversity is illustrated by the following list taken from Director Stoner's report: Towels, pajamas, comfort-kits, playing cards, tooth brushes, tooth paste, condensed milk, oil heaters, drugs, bed sheets, pillow cases, rubber gloves, soap, foot powder, shoes, magazines, books, slippers, wash cloths, bath robes, hot-water bottles, window curtains, bath rags, ice picks, egg beaters, spoons, gowns, apples, oranges, lemons, nuts, foot warmers, rubber sheets, ice bags, boilers, bedroom slippers, gloves, ear muffs, dominoes, rubber sheets, cots, auto trucks, fly swatters, soup strainers, pneumonia jackets, chickens, dish rags, combs, Victrola, quilts.

And wherever the Red Cross is at work in these camps, which means all of them, soldiers are praising it. They call it "Uncle Sam's right-hand man," which tells the story well enough and true.

Service Which Saves Lives.

Nothing illustrates better what the Red Cross means to the soldiers in the Southwestern camps and cantonments than an occurrence at Camp Bowie, Fort Worth, Tex. When the December blizzard struck the camp it found the men unprepared for it. One thousand soldiers fell ill in 24 hours. More than 2,000 were ill 72 hours after the blizzard hit. Many of them were threatened with pneumonia. Many had pneumonia. There was insufficient bedding. The government was unable to take care of the situation. Charles W. Conner, field director for the Red Cross at Camp Bowie, bought every blanket he could get in Fort Worth and other Texas cities and wired Red Cross headquarters at St. Louis for more. Within 48 hours after the blizzard struck, Conner turned over 20,000 blankets to the commandant of the camp, without any cost to the government whatever. Undoubtedly this quick work saved the lives of many soldiers.

That is the sort of work the Red Cross is doing for 350,000 American soldiers in the Southwestern camps and cantonments, likewise in every camp and cantonment in the United States. That is how money given to the Red Cross is spent in military relief.

Shopping Personally Conducted.

The American soldier in France is a good fighting man. But when he faces the French shopkeeper—that quick-tongued, sharp-eyed little woman who keeps the till full as she can while her husband fights, he is glad enough to have an American woman beside him. So the Red Cross women at the line-of-communication canteens have a new job. They take the boys out shopping.

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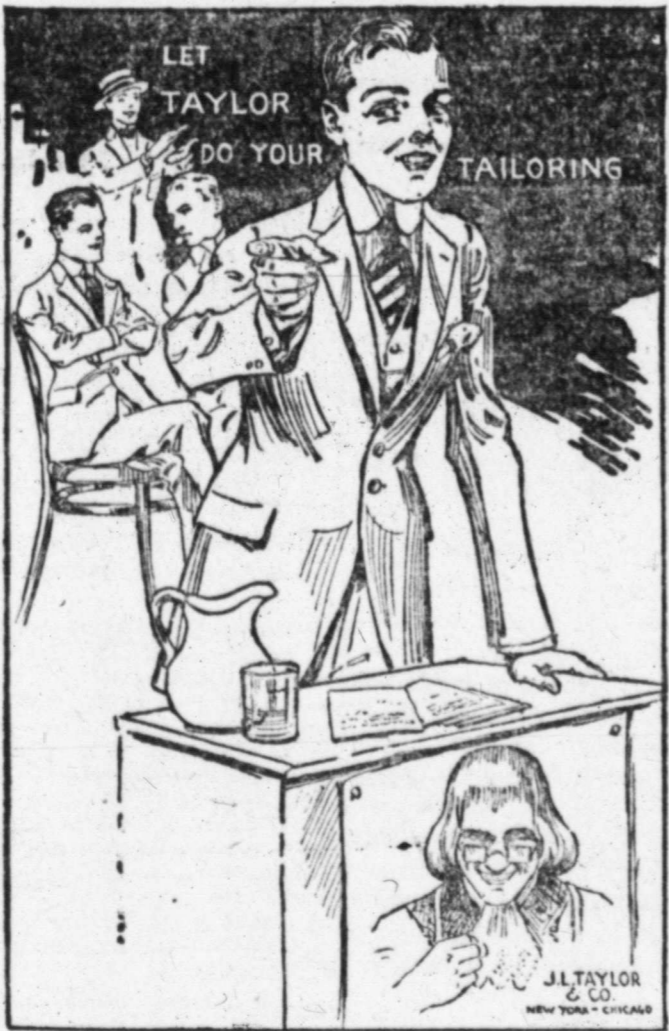
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CANYON, TEXAS

Found a Skeleton.

Squire Matlock went out to Red river Friday morning, about twenty miles northwest of town. A young man by the name of Hayden Watson had discovered the skeleton of a man there, and it was up to the coroner to determine whether a crime had been committed or not.

Mr. Matlock found the body along side the road through the sandhills. The sand had been blown away there, and uncovered the bones of a good sized man, evidently middle-aged from the worn condition of the teeth.

The burial must have taken place many years ago for the bones were bleached and not a sign left of clothes or shoes. No mark was found upon skull or bones showing that the man had met with a violent death. The bones were carried to town.—Quanah Tribune-Chief.

Kill a Dog and Raise a Hog.

John Greenwald of Socorro, N. M., was born in Prussia. He and his sons own and operate the Crown Grist Mill. They are doing their bit to help lick the Kaiser in a novel way.

With typical German thrift, Mr. Greenwald revolts at the waste of feeding useless dogs. He is raising a great number of little pigs and offers to give a pig to anyone in his community who destroys a dog and raises the pig on the food that the dog would have eaten. This is practical patriotism and will make his community rich in time.

More land is being plowed up in Hardeman county this spring than ever before. Even the right-of-way of the railroads near town is going to be put in cultivation.—Quanah Tribune-Chief.

Mr. Hays, the new national chairman of the Republican party, seems to have adopted as his policy regarding the unfortunate split in the party in 1912, peace without indemnities or annexations.—Columbus Dispatch.

President should ask some politicians the same question as the carpenters, "Will you cooperate or will you obstruct?"—Wall Street Journal. Not "Bit" but "Utmost"—the end is worth our "All".

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The News has reserved an opinion at a matter of choice in the gubernatorial race, awaiting to see Hobby's action after taking the reigns of government after the middle Ferguson had fixed up for him to solve, and Hobby's actions in the special session of the legislature. He has been all that we had hoped for. He has handled the situation wonderfully well and Hobby shall be our candidate for governor. The solution of the prohibition question will put out of the race the other pro candidates. They cannot hope to overcome the tremendous lead Hobby has made by putting over the needed prohibition measures. Hobby will be elected by the biggest majority Texas has ever given any candidate with three or four opponents, should they be so foolish as to remain in the race, and will give the state a clean and efficient administration.

Governor Hobby has signed the state wide prohibition bill, and Texas will be dry after June 28. The war and its necessities are largely responsible for this. The legislature has been sufficiently pro for some time to put over statutory prohibition, but it was a matter that many so-called pros were deathly afraid of. Texas is to be dry many years sooner than the most ardent pros had hoped for.

Governor Hobby has again done the right thing by signing the bill allowing the women to vote in the coming primaries. Woman suffrage in Texas is another reform that was not generally expected to come without many year's struggle.

An appeal has been made by the food administration to not use eggs on Heaster and do away with Easter Egg Hunts, or use substitute for eggs. The food condition is too serious to permit such a waste of one of the best foods on earth.

Mr. Gerard is probably another man who will not want to go back to Germany after the war—in view of the things he is now writing about that country.

It has been discovered that aviator goggles turned out by a certain firm with a German name are defective to the extent of 18 percent. Put the whole bunch facing a firing squad!

Turn your clock one hour ahead Saturday night before you retire, or you will be one hour out of joint with the world Sunday morning.

Mr. Candidate, you will not see the lady of the house, as well as the man of the house, or get your name scratched in the July primary.

Another argument in favor of Sec'y Baker—he made Texas dry, by calling the attention of Governor Hobby to the necessity.

WHO'S THE PRACTICAL FARMER?
There are a lot of farmers very fond of calling themselves "practical." Now the foundation of that word means practice, wise practice. Those who watch their course on their farms cannot see where their practice is so much superior to other men. Farm wisdom, doing things in the best and most profitable way possible, is the true meaning of "practical." These men differ in no way from the rest of the men about them. If any improvement in methods comes, you will never find them to be the first to catch on. On the contrary,

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you will hear them sneering at the enterprising ones, saying that they are "not practical".

Last fall there was a lot of soft corn. Every farmer was troubled with it. Along in September we read of an Illinois farmer who had dealt very successfully with this trouble in years past by salting his corn and spreading it out under sheds about 8 inches deep and sprinkling on about 10 lbs. of common salt to the load of husked ears. He said the salt would bring the water out of the cobs and kernels rapidly if it was clean of husks and silks and shoveled over frequently. Over half of our corn on the Hoard's Dairyman Farm was too soft to safely crib, so we tried the salt cure. It proved to be a big success. We fattened and sold over seven hundred dollars' worth of live hogs from that soft corn that went to the crib in a couple of weeks or so after salting it.

We tried to get some of our neighbors to try it but they turned us down with the withering remark that they did not believe it "practical". Well, we suppose we ought to be willing to let them learn their lesson in the hardest and most expensive way. They have met every improvement in farm practice with the same verdict and then had to take it back. It was so with the silo, with the pure-bred sire, with the better construction of stables, with ventilation, with the balanced ration. All these good things that they are now practicing had to run the gauntlet of their verdict. "It isn't practical." What is the matter with their reasoning powers? Why can't they learn by looking ahead as well as always looking behind? Is that the way to be practical?
—Hoard's Dairyman.

14-Year-Old Boy Loses Foot.

Little Jake Williams, the fourteen year old son of Jim Williams of Hereford, will be a cripple for life as the result of a most unfortunate accident last Wednesday. The little fellow was on his father's ranch in New Mexico oiling an engine when his foot slipped and his foot was caught in a cog wheel. His foot was severely mashed and he was rushed to Hereford at once, where Dr. Gabbert amputated three-fourths of the foot, removing all the toes with the exception of the big toe.—Hereford Brand.

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Doubling the Farmer's Wheat Dollar
By Charles W. Holman (In the Country Gentleman)

OUR delay in getting this wheat started across the world was occasioned by the uncertain judgment of the manager. He sent a sample on to the St. Louis zone agent for test, which verified his judgment as to grade. He then went about his usual duties, cleaning the grain, filling his bins, and shipping out as regularly as he could in maximum carload quantities. In order to economize the use of cars in time of congestion. He was careful to keep his records very straight as to dates and quantities of wheat purchased, on hand, and shipped out, for the Grain Corporation requires weekly reports and full details of transactions.

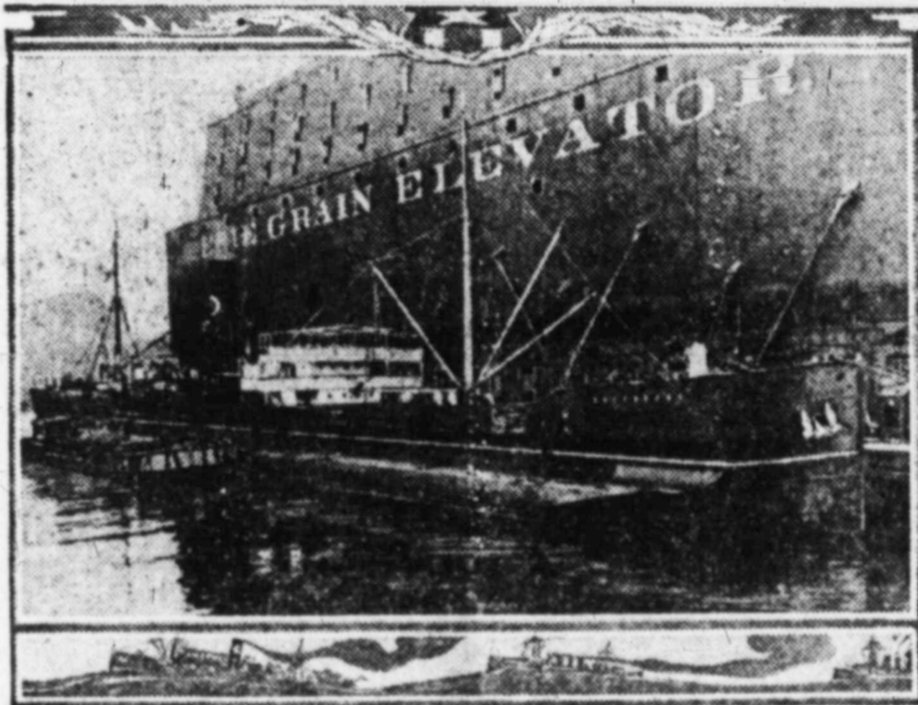
Selling Wheat to Government.

ABOUT 29 days after the farmer brought in his wheat there came a request to this elevator for a carload to be purchased by the Grain Corporation. So one of our wheat bushels was poured into a car which miraculously had appeared on the siding at a time when car shortage was troubling the entire commercial world. Inquiry might have shown that

direct supervision. The corporation charges each miller 1 per cent of the value of the wheat he grinds to cover the costs of administering the corporation; for the \$50,000,000 capital is to be returned to the United States Treasury, unimpaired.

The agreement has its compensation, however, for the policy of Uncle Sam is to provide each mill with all wheat possible. To do so, every mill signing up was required to furnish an estimate of its possible milling capacity for the season. This nationwide survey of milling capacities, when balanced against the available supply of wheat, enables the Grain Corporation to equalize supplies in a way never done before. In fact, the schedule of prices arranged for the primary markets had for an object this equalization. For instance, if the proprietor of an elevator at Maryville, Mo., 40 miles northeast of St. Joseph, and 450 miles from Chicago, desires to market wheat he has available these markets: St. Joseph, Mo.; Kansas City, Mo.; St. Louis, Mo.; Chicago, Ill.; and New York City, N. Y. To ascertain the most advantageous price for him, he would work it out on the basis of the following table:

From this table you can see what



Loading Wheat at an Atlantic Port for the Allies.

The Grain Corporation was making a large purchase for the Allies and was utilizing its knowledge of available stocks by having on the job a transportation strategist—Edward Chambers, vice president of the Santa Fe. Mr. Chambers was assisting the Food Administration and has a remarkable "way with him." Even before he was called to assist Mr. McAdoo, the Director General, his suggestions to the railroads had a wonderful effect in discouraging their hesitancy as to finding available cars and in clearing up congestions that looked as though they never could be uncongested.

How Uncle Sam Keeps the Whip

Ease in getting the needed cars was one of the advantages enjoyed by this particular elevator after signing the voluntary agreement which ceded to the Grain Corporation the right to control storage and direct shipments and sales of all wheat bought by the proprietor.

While voluntary, this agreement is almost compulsory since railroads give priority recognition to Grain Corporation requests for cars; and elevators or mills outside the official fold must "rustle" for themselves. In return the Government guarantees the elevator proprietor against losses and protects him in every way as to price and pays him rentals for all storage space requisitioned by it.

All elevators, local and terminal, must take out licenses or face a shutdown. What is the power of the license? It requires the operator to lay all cards on the table as to his business dealings. For the time of the war the elevator becomes a public utility and its proprietor must furnish information as to his business at any time when required by the Grain Corporation. Each week he must make and mail reports showing the amount of wheat, rye, or their derivatives, purchased, stored, and shipped.

Under present license terms, the licensee can keep on hand for only 30 days, unless he obtains a special permit, any stocks of these grains or their derivatives. He is also forbidden to contract for the sale of any product which can not be delivered within 30 days after the contract is made.

How the Wheat Was Milled.

Away went our bushel of wheat on its journey to the terminal, where it met other bushels of wheat from all parts of the territory that fed this market. There it was regarded for special requirements, marked for immediate milling and rolled on to a large mill in Illinois. The miller bought the wheat from the Grain Corporation, for each miller in the United States is under license also, and most of them have filled out another voluntary agreement which binds them either to purchase all supplies from the Grain Corporation or under its di-

wheat would bring at five different markets if shipped from Maryville, Mo.:

F. A. G. C. markets.	St. Joseph, Mo.	Kansas City, Mo.	St. Louis, Mo.
Base price	\$2.15	\$2.15	\$2.18
Rate per 100 pounds	.655	.655	.1175
Rate per bushel	.039	.055	.0705
Net price	2.111	2.095	2.1095

F. A. G. C. markets.	Chicago, Ill.	New York City, N. Y.
Base price	\$2.20	\$2.28
Rate per 100 pounds	.1475	.2005
Rate per bushel	.0885	.1305
Net price	2.1115	2.0997

Under these conditions the proprietor would probably sell at St. Joseph or Chicago, according to his inclination.

The table further illustrates the equalization of prices and indicates to what extent the miller is protected when buying wheat in any territory. Through this plan discriminations against the producer, the miller, and the consumer are eliminated so far as it seems humanly possible under a plan of such tremendous proportions.



THESE schedules arranged for the various markets are veritable "price dams" to prevent the overflowing of the stream of wheat at any single market. They also tend to correct many abuses prevalent in the past, such as cutthroat methods adopted by mills to secure supplies and indiscriminate moving of wheat to terminals.

For all practical purposes the wheat business of the country is apportioned, and whenever possible mills are supplied from wheat in the territory nearest them. This policy has for an object the saving of waste in transportation. In another way saving is made: Formerly large quantities of undergrade wheats have been difficult to dispose of on account of unco-ordinated purchase of the competing mills; but under Uncle Sam's domination each bushel of wheat must now go somewhere and the poorer wheat will move just as freely as the more desirable grades.

Limiting Millers' Profits.

The Illinois miller who received the carload containing our bushel of wheat milled it promptly and shipped its flour to a port for exportation. The miller was permitted by the Food Administration to make a fair profit, not exceeding a maximum of 25 cents per barrel on the flour and a maximum profit of 50 cents per ton on the feedstuffs left over.—All mills, however, must furnish at regular intervals to the Milling Division full statements of manufacturing costs, which are scrutinized carefully. The derivatives of this wheat the miller sold for domestic consumption, as the policy of the Government is to keep in the United States all available feedstuffs in order to encourage live-stock production.

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Remember you can obtain PERUNA in tablet form for your convenience. Carry it with you and be fortified against sudden attacks.
The Peruna Company, Columbus, Ohio

Umberger News.

We are having real spring weather and the wind has quit blowing for the present.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Friemel went to Schulenburg Friday. They went to the funeral of their sister who died in the Molton hospital Thursday.

Mr. Simms and Mr. Utz don't know when they will leave Texas, but they think it will be soon.

Charles Beckman is butchering cattle for market instead of his father, Joe Beckman, who has not returned from Illinois.

Miss Laura Barend returned from Wichita Falls Tuesday where she spent several weeks with her mother. John Bedenk and wife and Ernest Weynand drove to Wildorado Sunday. Joe Bedenk visited in Umberger Sunday.

Joe Friemel has the measles this week.

Clemens Friemel and family and Leo Stocker were business callers in Amarillo Friday.

The E. J. Friemel children are staying with Mrs. P. Friemel, their grandmother, while their parents are at Schulenburg.

P. Friemel sold a horse to Jos. Grosch last week.

(Received too late for last week)

Mrs. Nick Hollenstein, Otto Potzmann and Mrs. Clem Friemel were on the sick list last week. They all had the measles.

Joe Beckman left for Illinois Tuesday where he will visit relatives for awhile.

Henry Weidman from Ohio, visited John Bedenk Monday and Tuesday. John Bedenk and Ernest Weynand drove to Wildorado Sunday.

Joe and Frank Bedenk of Wildorado visited their brother, John, Monday.

Meinrad Hollenstein and family and John Bedenk and wife were in Amarillo Friday.

Otto Skarke has returned from his visit in Chicago.

Mrs. Joe Beckman and son were business callers in Canyon Monday.

E. J. Friemel is making a tank on his place.

A large circle of friends and relatives visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Friemel Sunday. A surprise party was given in honor of Mrs. Joe Friemel's birthday. Her guests spent a very pleasant afternoon and wished her much joy on her birthday.

Mr. Hugo Skarke and brother, Otto went 30 miles beyond Amarillo Sunday to get Otto Skarke's car which broke down Saturday on his way home from Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Simms who have been at Colorado, the last week look-

ing at land, came back Monday not having found a place that they wished to buy.

Mr. Gilland, and family, who have been managing the Umberger Elevator for the past year, left Friday for Kansas City.

Mr. John Batenhorst Sr., returned from his visit at San Antonio Texas some time last week.

Clarence Williams was sick last Tuesday.

John Bedenk attended the Saunders sale last week.

John Bedenk was a business caller in Amarillo Tuesday.

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Improving His Farm.

J. C. Wright, of the Halfway community was in Tulia this week and hauled out lumber for the construction of a residence on his farm. Mr. Wright has recently moved to Swisher County, and is proving his faith in the country by making substantial improvements.—Tulia Herald.

SAYS LEMON JUICE WILL REMOVE FRECKLES

Girls! Make this cheap beauty lotion to clear and whiten your skin.

Squeeze the juice of two lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white, shake well, and you have a quarter pint of the best freckle and tan lotion, and complexion beautifier, at very, very small cost.

Your grocer has the lemons and any drug store or toilet counter will supply three ounces of orchard white for a few cents. Massage this sweetly fragrant lotion into the face, neck, arms and hands each day and see how freckles and blemishes disappear and how clear, soft and white the skin becomes. Yes! it is harmless.

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You can do your share in effecting this saving and really help to win the war by omitting white bread from one meal today and baking in its place muffins or corn bread made according to this recipe:

Corn Meal Muffins

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| 3/4 cup corn meal | 2 tablespoons sugar |
| 1 1/2 cups flour | No eggs |
| 1/2 teaspoon salt | 1 cup milk |
| 4 teaspoons Dr. Price's Baking Powder | 2 tablespoons shortening |

Sift dry ingredients together into bowl; add milk and melted shortening and beat well. Bake in greased muffin tins in hot oven about 20 minutes. Same batter may be baked as corn bread in greased shallow pan.

New Red, White and Blue booklet, "Best War Time Recipes," containing many other recipes for making delicious and wholesome wheat saving foods mailed free.

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FOOD WILL WIN THE WAR

LOCAL NEWS

P. H. Young returned yesterday to Ft. Worth.

Mrs. D. M. Stewart was in Amarillo yesterday.

Buy fresh bread from Atkins Vegetable wagon every day. 51p2

Jim Coffee has been confined to his home for the past week on account of illness.

Mrs. E. H. Powell and son went to Clarendon Tuesday to visit relatives.

Phone 270 THE B. & H. MARKET, for fresh and cured meats. Free delivery to any part of the city. We buy your hides. tf

Mrs. R. A. Terrill went to Amarillo Wednesday.

Mrs. John Rusk leaves tomorrow for Bellevue where she will visit with relatives.

Paint, Glass and Wall Paper—a full and complete line of each. Prices are right. Call upon S. V. WIRT. tf

Louis Fletcher is very sick with pneumonia.

Henry Bradford returned Monday from Mineral Wells. He reports that J. D. Gamble and J. M. Redfearn are recovering very nicely from their attack of rheumatism. Mr. Redfearn will probably return home about the first of next week.

Clean your carpets the electric way. We have a Hotpoint vacuum cleaner that we rent at 50c per day. CANYON POWER CO.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Maloney and daughters passed through the city Tuesday on their way from Artisia to Memphis where Mr. Maloney has accepted a position with a large dry goods store. The Maloney family will be remembered to have lived in Canyon until two years ago.

Atkins is selling god apples from wagon and B. & H. Market, at \$2.10 per box. 51p2

The Eastern Star will meet in regular session next Thursday night, March 28, at the Masonic hall.

The First State Monday moves to the corner by the postoffice on Monday, April 8th. tf

Admire Babies?



Every normal woman's heart thrills with the thought of possessing a baby. What man can fully perceive the sympathetic understanding and the love that glows in a woman's eyes at the sight of her flesh and blood represented in the tiny infant. Every woman in the joy of coming motherhood should prepare her system for the crisis and the unusual strain. Three generations have found the tried and reliable external application, "Mother's Friend" of the greatest help at such a time. By its daily use throughout the period, the skin of the abdomen is made soft and elastic, the expanding muscles relax naturally and with ease, when baby arrives, and the inflammation of breast glands is soothed.

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LOCAL NEWS

Attend the plays at the Normal on next Monday night. tf

A beautiful line of coats, suits, dresses, and millinery at the Variety Store. tf

Mrs. S. B. Lofton went to Childress Tuesday on account of the illness of her sister. Mr. Lofton took her to Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McElroy drove to Amarillo Friday.

The First State Bank will occupy the building now occupied by the Citizens Bank on Monday, April 8th. tf

Mr. and Mrs. D. Steen are home from a visit in Oklahoma and South Texas, where they have been spending the winter. They will leave in about a month for California where they will remain for some time.

Quick Service Hauling—Baggage, freight, express. Care in handling pianos. J. F. Hughes. Phone 6

Miss Nell Johnson left last week for her home in Jefferson, Iowa, after spending the winter at the home of her sister, Mrs. Clyde McElroy.

Miss Emma Bryson of Amarillo spent Sunday at the D. A. Park home.

See our beautiful line of millinery before buying elsewhere. Variety Store. tf

M. M. Perry left this week for Idaho where he is looking for a new location.

The many friends of Miss Willie Mills will be pleased to know that she was voted to be the prettiest girl in the Junior Class at Baylor University by the members of the class. Miss Mills was formerly a resident of Canyon and a student in the Normal.

For general auction work, figure with A. A. Price, Auctioneer and Salesman. My chief aim is satisfaction to everyone concerned. Canyon. 48p10

T. C. Thompson was in Amarillo Sunday.

Lieut. Wayne Bentley returned to Camp Travis Tuesday morning, after having spent a week's furlough. He was just recovering from a severe attack of the mumps, and was allowed to come home to recuperate.

Mrs. A. B. Haynes and sister went to Quanah Tuesday to visit at the parental home.

Soap grease for sale. Vetesk Market, phone 12. tf

Mrs. C. E. Coss and son left Friday for Deming, N. M., where they will join Mr. Coss who recently went there.

Sheriff W. A. Jennings was in Amarillo Friday.

See our beautiful line of millinery before buying elsewhere. Variety Store. tf

Dr. S. L. Ingham was in Amarillo Friday.

O. N. Gamble was in Artisia Friday.

Mrs. N. E. McIntire went to Hereford Friday to visit at the home of her parents.

FARM LOANS
Do not require school land patent. Also buy Vendors Lien notes. Z. G. FOGERSON, Canyon, Texas

LOCAL NEWS

The location of the First State Bank after Monday, April 8, is the building by the postoffice, now occupied by the Citizens Bank. tf

Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Reeves were in Amarillo Friday.

Miss Nannie Johnson was in Amarillo Saturday evening.

A beautiful line of coats, suits, dresses, and millinery at the Variety Store. tf

Mr. and Mrs. R. McGee were in Amarillo Saturday evening.

Walter Black and Bone Moreland were in Amarillo Friday.

Lieut. Wayne Bentley went to Muleshoe Thursday.

Fresh cat fish and pickled white fish, round shore herring, white mackerel, rolled herring, for your meatless days. Vetesk Market, phone 12 tf

Miss Cooper was in Amarillo Saturday evening. tf

Mrs. R. A. Terrill and Miss Kathleen Stewart were in Amarillo Saturday evening.

Two plays at the Normal will be given Monday night. tf

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days
Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of itching, bleeding, or protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. The first application gives Ease and Rest. 50c.

Methodist Church Announcement. Sunday School at 9:45.

Preaching at 11.

Junior League at 4 p. m.

Senior League at 7 p. m.

We will worship at the evening hour with our Baptist brethren in their revival meeting.

Next Sunday will be the last Sunday of the Sunday School contest with Hereford. We hope every Methodist in the community will be present. The epidemic of diseases among the children has hindered us much and we hope the older pupils will make up for the loss among the little fellows.

To our young people—

We urgently request all our young people to meet with us at the League hour 7 p. m. Sunday. Whether you are a member of the League or not, we want to talk over some plans for our young people and want you to help us.

R. A. STEWART, Pastor.

Whatever the sins of the packers, they are entitled to pity, since Frank Walsh and Francis J. Henry are both on their trail.—St. Louis Globe Democrat.

WONDERFUL STUFF!

LIFT OUT YOUR CORNS

Apply a few drops then lift corns or calluses off with fingers—no pain.

No humbug! Any corn, whether hard, soft or between the toes, will loosen right up and lift out, without a pang of pain or soreness.

This drug is called freezezone and is a compound of ether discovered by a Cincinnati man.

Ask at any drug store for a small bottle of freezezone, which will cost but a trifle, but is sufficient to rid one's feet of every corn or callus.

Put a few drops directly upon any tender, aching corn or callus. Instantly the soreness disappears and shortly the corn or callus will loosen and can be lifted off with the fingers.

This drug freezezone doesn't eat out the corns or calluses but shrivels them without even irritating the surrounding skin. Just think! No pain at all; no soreness or smarting when applying it or afterwards. If your druggist don't have freezezone have him order it for you.

The Wayside News.

Two weeks of nightly prayer-meetings have merged into a revival, Rev. G. B. Firtle, Methodist, and Rev. Joseph Jacobs, Baptist, agreed to preach alternately day and night. We are expecting a good meeting. Fairly good crowds in attendance.

After a 2 weeks visit in Oklahoma, and as far as Belview, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Walters returned home last Sunday.

Mrs. W. I. Lane is still on the sick list. Mrs. L. J. McGehee has been quite sick for a few days.

Mother Bradford has been quite ailing for some days, suffering very much at times with her head.

Willis Fisher, Misses Kate Carter and Ruby Payne made a trip to Amarillo Friday, returning Saturday.

We regret very much to hear that Mother Millhoss' injuries are giving her a great deal of trouble. She can't rest day nor night.

R. E. and C. Brooks and Boley Mayo left Thursday on a prospecting trip. A phone message received Sunday from Stratford they had not purchased land.

J. M. McGehee and Edward Wilson left Sunday on a prospecting trip to Arizona. Mr. and Mrs. Younce have charge of Mr. McGehee's affairs at home.

Farmers Meeting March 30

A meeting of the Farmers' Institute will be held on Saturday afternoon, March 30. Harman Benton, formerly county demonstrator, B. B. Holland, the present demonstrator, and R. L. Marquis, of the Normal, will address the meeting.

R. A. Campbell, president of the Institute hopes to see every farmer in the county present at this meeting.

Notice to Taxpayers

All property in Canyon City Independent School District on which taxes are due for 1917, will be reported delinquent soon after April 1, and I shall then proceed to advertise and sell the same to satisfy taxes, penalties and cost.

Why not pay now and save additional expense.

A. N. HENSON, Collector

Carbon paper—the best on the market, at the News office. Try some of it. Guaranteed to please. tf

A single front, a single army, a single people.

War Kills Men

And Blackleg kills the calf that should grow to feed our fighting Sammies

You Merchants

Can help check the blackleg ravages by ordering Germ Free Vaccine, made by the Purity Biological Laboratories, for your farmer trade from

Holland Drug Co.

Phone 90

Canyon, Texas

Biggest Barn in Texas Burned.

What was probably, the biggest barn in Texas was burned on the W. L. Willeford place at Stamps in Upshur county, last week. The origin of the fire is unknown and the loss entailed was around \$5,000 with no insurance.

The barn was built by Hon. W. O. Stamps and was so constructed that a four-mule team could be driven into the second story and turn around. It contained between 475 and 500 bushels of corn, a large amount of hay, an auto and considerable farm machinery. It is estimated that the shingles alone at present prices, would cost \$1,000.

Finds Bones of Mastodon.

F. T. Emert and son unearthed the jaw bone of a mastodon on the cap rock east of Floydada last week, and Mr. Emert was showing the prehisto-

ric relic at Brown Bros. Grocery Monday. The bones would indicate that they are from the skeleton of an animal larger than an elephant.—Floydada Hesperian.

The most courageous slacker was the fellow who married his mother-in-law in order to evade military service.—Newark News.

THE LAST RESTING PLACE

should be marked by a suitable monument; one that will stand the test of time and retain its beauty. It is the last service we can render our loved ones; therefore it should be done with the utmost care.

GEORGIA MONUMENTS are guaranteed as to workmanship and price. I can suit you. Consult with me when you need a monument.

J. B. GRADY, Canyon, Texas

American Fence



Combine the Fence and the Hog and get the Dollars

American Dollars

Complete Line of FENCING

WE HAVE A COMPLETE STOCK OF HOG, FIELD, POULTRY AND RABBIT FENCE, AND WE ARE INCLINED TO BELIEVE THAT NOW IS THE PROPER TIME TO BUY FOR REASON THAT WE BELIEVE IT WILL BE HIGHER SOON. WE HAVE ALL HEIGHTS FROM 26 INCHES TO 49 INCHES.

ALSO A COMPLETE LINE OF BOTH PAINTED AND GALVANIZED BARBED WIRE. LET US FIGURE WITH YOU, WHILE OUR STOCK IS COMPLETE.

THOMPSON Hardware Company

War and Women

We hear much these days of what the women are doing on the battle-line. How few American women are strong enough to go to the front and endure the hardships of the men!

Help is offered, and is freely given to every nervous, delicate woman, by Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription. Remember ingredients on label. No alcohol. In tablet or liquid form. All druggists. Tablets sell for 60 cents.

In "female complaint," irregularity, or weakness, and in every exhausted condition of the female system, the "Prescription" seldom fails to benefit or cure. Pains, internal inflammation and ulceration, weak back, and kindred ailments are cured by it, ask your neighbor. It's a marvelous remedy for nervous and general debility, insomnia, or sleeplessness.

Write Dr. Pierce, President Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., for confidential advice and you will receive the medical attention of a specialist, wholly without fee—no charge whatever. Send 10 cts. for trial package "Favorite Prescription Tablets."

BEAUMONT, TEXAS.—"I have used Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and think it is fine medicine. I was sick in bed. I took the 'Prescription' and have not been sick since. That was over a year ago. I would advise any lady who is in delicate health to use 'Favorite Prescription' and I know she will always praise it to others."—Mrs. JOE ESCLAYON, 285 Buford Street.



Tulia Gets Commission Government.

Report from the election held Thursday to decide as to whether or not Tulia shall operate under a Commission form of Government, carried by a vote of 84 to 14. This favorable vote carries with it the election of Messrs. A. W. Sternberg and J. O. Bass as Commissioners.—Tulia Herald.

County Meet Postponed.

The County Interscholastic League committee at the request of several teachers has postponed the date for the county meet until April 12-13. This will give the schools a better opportunity to prepare for all events and the committee time to prepare a program of events. The district meet is set for April 19-20. —Floydada Hesperian.

The Kaiser says the sword has opened the way to peace. And the sort of peace he has in mind would quickly open a way to the sword.—Chicago Herald.

GALOMEL SALIVATES AND MAKES YOU SICK

Acts like dynamite on a sluggish liver and you lose a day's work.

There's no reason why a person should take sickening, salivating calomel when a few cents buys a large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone—a perfect substitute for calomel.

It is a pleasant, vegetable liquid which will start your liver just as surely as calomel, but it doesn't make you sick and can not salivate.

Children and grown folks can take Dodson's Liver Tone, because it is perfectly harmless.

Calomel is a dangerous drug. It is mercury and attacks your bones. Take a dose of nasty calomel today and you will feel weak, sick and nauseated tomorrow. Don't lose a day's work. Take a spoonful of Dodson's Liver Tone instead and you will wake up feeling great. No more biliousness, constipation, sluggishness, headache, coated tongue or sour stomach. Your druggist says if you don't find Dodson's Liver Tone acts better than horrible calomel your money is waiting for you.



Round Trip All-Year Tourist Fares to the following Texas Points:

Arkansas Pass, Brownsville, Corpus Christi, Freeport, Hubbard City, Laredo, Martin, Mineral Wells, Palacios, Port Lavaca, Port O'Conner, Riviera, Rockport, Seadrift.

Tickets on sale daily. Limit 90 days from date of sale. See or Phone me for further information.

R. McGEE, Agent
P. S. F. Ry. Co.

APRIL 1 LAST DAY FOR FEDERAL RETURNS

Penalties for Income Dodgers Are Severe—Get Your Return in if You Are Liable.

April 1, 1918, is the final day allowed under the federal income tax law for the filing of federal income tax returns. Persons who are required to file returns under the provisions of law and who fail to get their returns in on time are subject to severe penalties, as follows:

For making false or fraudulent return, not exceeding \$2,000 or not exceeding one year's imprisonment, or both, in the discretion of the court, and, in addition, 100 per cent. of the tax evaded.

For failing to make return on time, not less than \$20 nor more than \$1,000, and, in addition, 50 per cent. of the amount of tax due.

If on account of illness or absence from home you are unable to render your return within the time prescribed by law you may obtain an extension of 30 days if a request therefor is filed with the collector of your district before the due date of the return. In this request you must state the reason why the return cannot be filed within the time prescribed by law.

Collectors of internal revenue are not authorized to grant extensions of more than 30 days, but the commissioner of internal revenue has authority to grant a reasonable extension beyond 30 days in meritorious cases. If you desire an extension of more than 30 days your request should be addressed to the commissioner and should contain a detailed statement covering the reasons which make it impossible for you to file your return on or before April 1.

The internal revenue men are now completing their tour of the country, during which they were in touch with the people of every city and town. If you failed to get in touch with the deputy which visited your section it is not too late to get advice. Consult your postmaster as to where the nearest deputy is now. Get your blank form, study the directions and the requirements as shown thereon and make your return without fail if your income was sufficient to come within the bounds named in the law.

It is pointed out by Commissioner Roper that it is important that the people comply with the federal laws as fully as they are complying with the drafts for men and the conservation of foods and fuel. "The war must be paid for," says Commissioner Roper. "Congress has as much right to conscript a just portion of income as it has to conscript our boys. The tax for 1917 is designed to reach moderate as well as large incomes, so that all persons who are in financial position to bear a portion of the heavy government expenses can be assessed in proportion to their ability to pay."

"The man who is barely making a living or barely supporting a family is not affected by the 1917 law. But the man who is able to bear a share of the burden has been reached by the new law, and he should accept his responsibility in the same patriotic spirit that our young men have shown in offering themselves for this great purpose of the country to make the world safe for people of all kinds to live in and to govern themselves."

This tax is one which recognizes women as on an equal basis with men. The unmarried woman or the married woman with a salary must make tax return just the same as any man. Only the woman supporting her mother or other members of her family may take out \$2,000 exemption.

Under the law the head of the family is the one whose earning power contributes to the family's support.

Similarly a widow with small children to support can take out \$2,000 exemption and \$200 additional exemption for each of her children under eighteen. Thus it is intended that the law shall work no hardship to women having to struggle to get along. But each must file return if her income is \$1,000.

A man whose wife dies and who is left with small children to support upon a moderate income may also take full exemption under the new tax law and also claim \$200 exemption for each of his children under eighteen.

The widower under the law is a single man and must make tax return accordingly. Married men need not file returns unless they are earning \$2,000 or more.

"This is as much a national obligation as the reporting for duty of a man drafted for service with the colors," says D. C. Roper, commissioner of internal revenue. "As it stands, it is much a matter of the man or woman's own conscience. It is for him or for her to determine just how far he is liable to the tax. He must figure his own income and if it reaches the figures named in the law must make faithful report upon it to the proper authority."

"This tax is distinctly a war measure and will be in effect during the war."

"This is a people's tax—it reaches right down into the pockets of the small wage earner; it makes him a partner in the job of winning the war."

For Indigestion, Constipation or Biliousness

Just try one 50-cent bottle of LAX-FOSS WITH PEPSIN. A Liquid Digestive Laxative pleasant to take. Made and recommended to the public by Paris Medicine Co., manufacturers of Laxative Bromo Quinine and Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic.

PUBLIC SALE

I will sell at public sale at the T. C. Simms farm seven miles west of Canyon on

Thursday, April 11

commencing at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

17 HEAD OF CATTLE

- 7 good milk cows.
- 1 yearling White Face bull.
- 6 two-year-old heifers to bring calves.
- 3 cows with calf by side.

8 HEAD OF MULES

- 2 work mules, 5 years old this spring.
- 4 coming two-year-old mules.
- 2 coming yearling mules.

6 HEAD OF HORSES

- 4 yearling two-year-old horse colts.
- 1 saddle horse, 5 years old in spring.
- 1 brood mare, 7 years old, gentle for women to drive.

FARM IMPLEMENTS

- 1 Disc gang plow.
- 2 one-horse wheat drills.
- 1 go-devil.
- 1 smoothing harrow.
- 1 riding cultivator
- 1 disc harrow.
- 1 good set of leather harness.
- Some household goods.
- About 3 dozen chickens.
- 1 old buggy.

HOGS.

- 15 head of shoats.

FEED.

- 1600 bundles of good kafir well headed, if not sold before the sale.

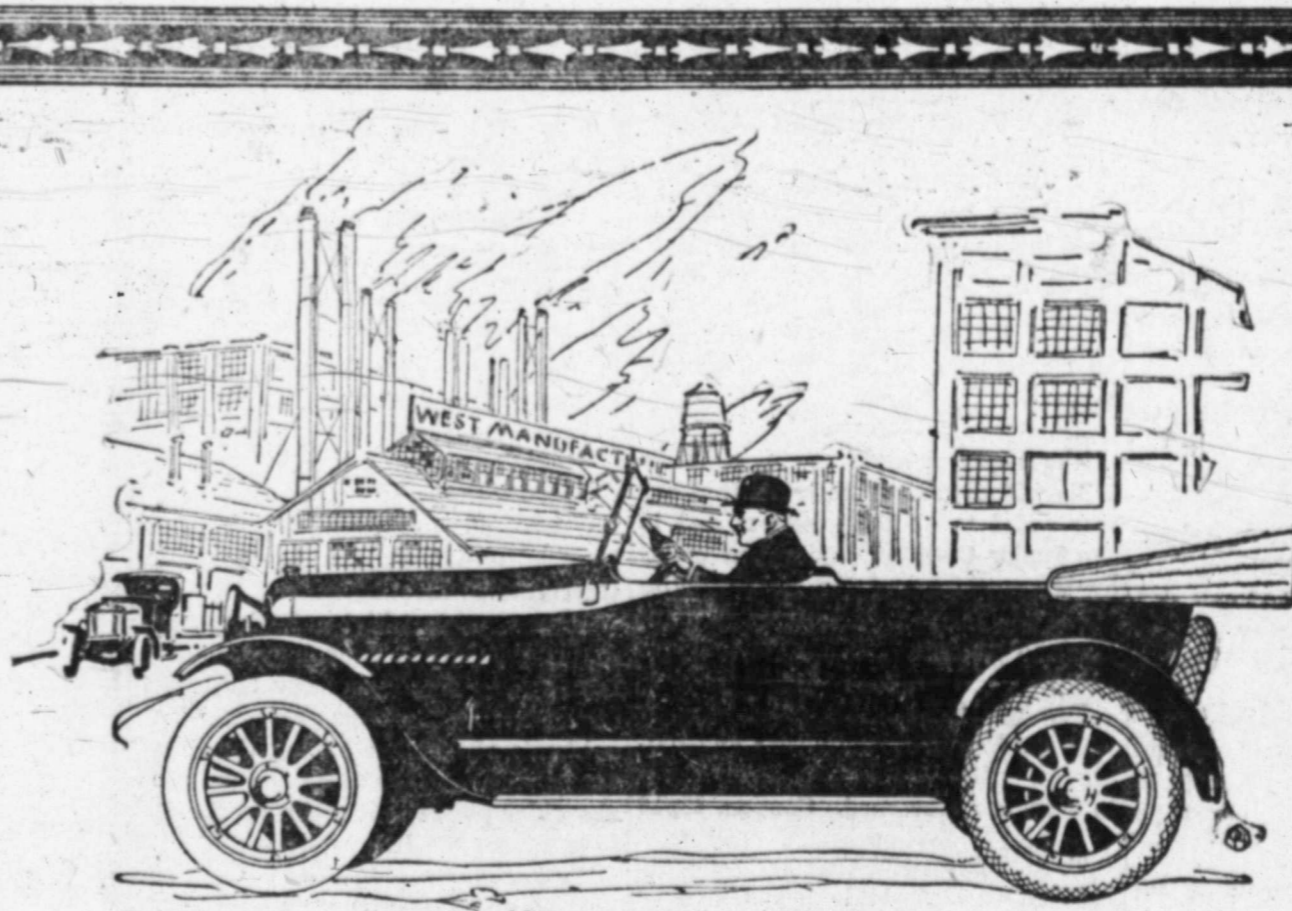
TERMS: All articles are strictly cash.

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

G. C. UTZ

McNEIL BROS, Canyon, Auctioneers

W. J. FLESHER, Clerk.



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The Most Beautiful Car in America

In these war times each of us must multiply his energy, his labor, his usefulness. Each of us must do more work, save more time and Cover More Ground.

There are fewer of us left to carry on the Big Business of the country and make it bigger, to organize the war work, to treat the sick, to raise the crops, to meet every need and situation. We've got our work cut out for us.

And the economic answer is the motor car. It isn't a recreation vehicle any longer. It is a Business Necessity. The motor car—almost as much as the motor truck—is helping to win the war.

YOU can increase your own effectiveness, you can conserve your own energy, time and health, by doing as thousands have already done, by buying a Paige Linwood "Six-39." It will help.

Essex "Six-55" 7-passenger \$1830; Coupe "Six-55" 4-passenger \$2850; Town Car "Six-55" 7-passenger \$3230; Limousine "Six-55" 7-passenger \$3230; Sedan "Six-55" 7-passenger \$2850; Larchmont "Six-55" 4-passenger \$1950; Linwood "Six-39" 5-passenger \$1395; Glendale "Six-39" Chummy Roadster \$1395; Cabriolet "Six-39" \$1690; Dartmoor "Six-39" 2 or 3-passenger \$1395; Sedan "Six-39" 5-passenger \$1925. All Prices f. o. b. Detroit

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CANYON, TEXAS

City Drug Co.

AMARILLO, TEXAS

Have opened up with a brand new line of

DRUGS, NOTIONS, WALL PAPER, PAINTS, BOOKS, RUBBER GOODS, ETC.

Since their big loss by fire, and are now in better shape than ever to give you the best and newest goods at lowest prices.

See us when in Amarillo. Send us your mail orders.

City Drug Co.

Phones: 450 - 1000 Amarillo, Tex.

BASIS FOR LOANS TO FARM OWNERS

Federal Board Issues Rules for the Guidance of Land Banks.

MANY MECHANICS ARE NEEDED

Ten Thousand Skilled Men Wanted for Service in the Aviation Section of the Signal Corps—New Kind of Bullets.

Washington.—The federal farm loan board has issued the following rules for the guidance of the land banks in determining what area constitutes a farm for loaning purposes: "First, Generally.—The farm must be of sufficient area to yield at the hands of an ordinarily capable farmer, putting it to the use to which it is generally adapted and using average methods, an income sufficient to maintain the family of the applicant and discharge the interest and amortization payments. "Second, Specially.—Where through intensive farming or the practice of a specialty a sufficient income has been regularly derived from a tract deficient in area for ordinary farming, or where the application of the prospective borrower shows that he is by experience capable of producing such an income from such a tract, such area may be accepted as sufficient, provided the land has a stable and permanent market value sufficient to warrant the loan applied for. This ruling does not apply to fruit and orchard lands which have already been the subjects of definite rulings by this board. Under the first paragraph of this ruling loans may be made to the ordinary farmer on the basis of average skill and efficiency, and no tract of land will be accepted as a farm eligible for a loan under the federal farm loan act unless it is large enough to support the family and take care of the loan under the average farm conditions of the neighborhood. But under the second paragraph of the ruling the intensive farmer or the man who practices a profitable specialty, or who shows himself able to do so, will be given financial support by the federal loan system, even though his farm may be too small for ordinary farming purposes, provided that the land quite apart from its use has a stable and permanent land value which will make the loan safe whether it is well operated, or badly operated, or not operated at all.

Qualified men registered under the selective service law may be inducted into service to fill the call for 10,000 skilled mechanics needed by the aviation section of the signal corps, by applying to their local boards. Men not registered may enlist at recruiting stations. The present call is particularly for machinists, auto mechanics, engine repairmen, gunsmiths, chauffeurs, carpenters, blacksmiths, tinsmiths, sheet-metal workers, propeller makers, wireless operators and constructors, tailors, tent-makers, sail-makers, truck masters, vulcanizers, welders, and experts on magnetos, ignition systems, cameras, watches, and clocks. Men will be sent to San Antonio, Tex., for segregation by trades, followed by a brief course of instruction in flying fields or factories, then organized into squadrons mostly for service overseas. Additional information may be secured by application to the air division, personnel department, Washington, D. C.

The present war has brought forth a new kind of ammunition for airplane use in the form of special cartridges containing bullets for armor-piercing, tracing, and incendiary purposes. All of these cartridges are of the small rifle calibers, according to a statement authorized by the war department. The three-tenths of an inch diameter and short length of the bullet left little space for the armor-piercing element or for tracer and incendiary composition, but such combinations have been made. The bullets developed by the United States ordnance department have been tested on land and from airplanes to see if there is any difference in their performance when fired from a quickly moving airplane in the upper atmosphere and when fired on land. These tests indicate that the United States has developed a class of special cartridges with a performance fully equal to or surpassing that attained abroad.

More than 1,600 tons of anthracite coal were condemned in Pennsylvania markets by representatives of the fuel administration recently in the campaign to compel the delivery of clean coal.

Following the plan adopted for California and Colorado, the food administration has appointed a commission to determine the cost of producing sugar beets in Nebraska. The commission has no power to fix prices, but it is expected that its figures will serve as the basis for voluntary price agreements between growers and purchasers of sugar beets.

All cheese now in storage must be marketed before June 15, unless special permission to hold is given by the food administration.

The use of gas in warfare dates back to about 400 B. C. The Spartans saturated wood with pitch and sulphur and burned it under the walls of cities which they were attacking. For several centuries gas has not been used in warfare, and The Hague convention definitely ruled against it. However, on April 22, 1915, the Germans liberated great clouds of gas against Canadian troops near Ypres. Terrible destruction and demoralization resulted from this first gas attack, and within a week England was making plans for gas warfare against the Germans.

Soon after the first German gas attack English and French women sent to the front hundreds of thousands of home-made gas masks. For the most part they were merely bandages impregnated with chemicals to wrap around the mouth and nose. These emergency masks saved many lives, but afforded only limited protection.

Commenting on the decision to regulate the consumption of bread in Paris by means of tickets, reference is made by some of the Paris newspapers to the success of the bread card in Switzerland, where the bread has been rationed for several months, resulting in an economy of 45 per cent of the amount consumed previously.

The average amount allotted per person per day is 250 grams (which will soon be reduced to 200 grams). Each individual card contains a certain number of coupons for 250, 100, 50 and 25 grams of bread, amounting in all to the total monthly allotment. These coupons may be used whenever the holder desires, either at the baker's or at a restaurant; in fact, guests in private families are expected to detach from their individual bread cards the coupons equivalent to the amount of bread consumed.

More than \$11,000,000.00 of war-risk insurance has so far been written, covering over 1,500,000 persons in the military and naval services. The average amount of insurance applied for is nearly \$9,000. The maximum permitted is \$10,000, and the minimum \$1,000.

Final figures show the United States army, both here and abroad, is well over 90 per cent insured. In many camps 99 per cent of the personnel is protected by government insurance. The insurance now on the books of the bureau is more than three times as great as the ordinary insurance held by the largest commercial company in the world.

All new persons joining the service may apply for insurance within 120 days after joining the colors. Automatic insurance ceased for all men, regardless of enlistment date, on February 12.

An ordnance base that will cost approximately \$25,000,000 is under construction in France. It will include a gun-repair plant equipped to reline more than 800 guns a month; a large-capacity carriage repair plant; a motor-vehicle repair plant capable of overhauling more than 1,200 vehicles a month; a small-arms repair plant to handle 58,000 rifles and machine guns a month; a large shop for the repair of horse and infantry equipment; a reloading plant capable of reloading about 100,000 artillery cartridges a day.

The ordnance base will include 20 large storehouses, 12 shop buildings, 100 smaller shops and magazines, and machine and tool equipment costing \$5,000,000. Approximately 450 officers and 16,000 men will be required for maintenance.

According to an announcement by Secretary Lane additional parks will be open to tourists this year on the following dates:

Yosemite, California, May 1 to November 1; Rocky Mountain National park, Colorado, May 1 to November 1; Sequoia National park, California, May 15 to October 10; General Grant National park, California, May 15 to October 10; Mesa Verde National park, Colorado, June 1 to September 30; Mount Ranier National park, Washington, June 1 to September 30; Glacier National park, Montana, June 15 to September 15; Crater Lake National park, Oregon, July 1 to September 30; Yellowstone National park, Wyoming, June 25 to September 15.

An illustrated catalogue of official war photographs and stereopticon slides has been issued by the division of pictures of the committee on public information. In it are listed about 1,000 pictures available to the public, including photographs taken by the signal corps, navy, marine corps and French and Belgian official photographers.

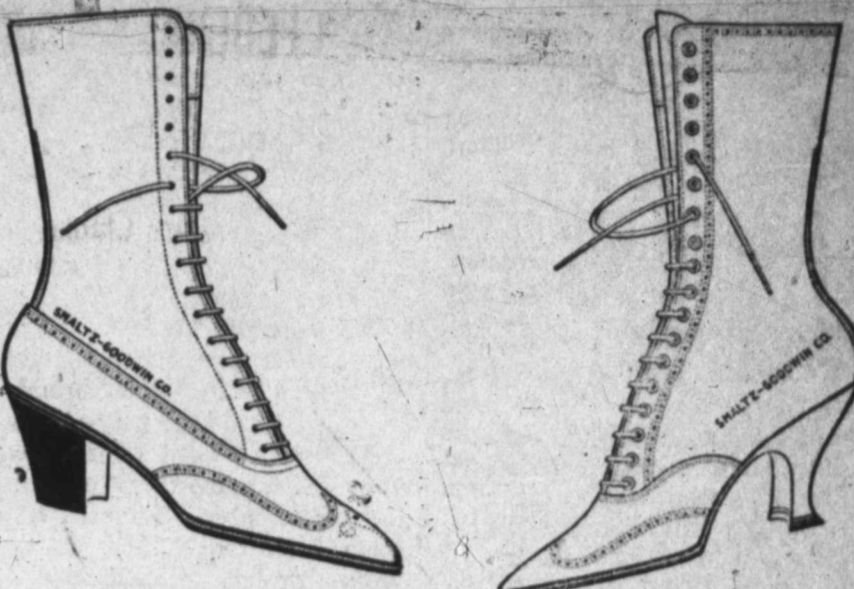
Each picture listed may be had either as a photographic print or as a stereopticon slide at a small price. The catalogue may be secured by sending five cents to the division of pictures, committee on public information, Washington, D. C.

About twenty English woman gardeners are going to France, where they will take up the duty tending to the graves of dead British soldiers.

The new "Mexican service badge" will soon be issued to officers and enlisted men who served under certain conditions in Mexico and on the border. Persons not now in the army who would have been entitled to the badge and whose separation from the service has been honorable may secure authority from the adjutant general to purchase and wear the service badge.

The mayor of a suburb of Antwerp has been ordered to deliver to the Germans forty fat cats.

ARTISTIC FOOTWEAR



New Military Walking Boots
9 Inch Top
Cocoa Brown Calf with
Imitation Wing Tip
Hand Welt Soles
AAA to D—\$9.50

A BROWN BEAUTY
10 Inch Top, Coco Brown
Glazed Kid, Hand Turned
Soles, 2-Inch Louis Heels.
Special Price—\$9.95
Worth \$12.50

OUR WOMEN'S SHOES ARE SHOES OF MERIT
Each shoe selected with care from the country's most expert makers of women's shoes.

We are keeping our prices down to the lowest point possible consistent with good shoe values.

SEND US YOUR REPAIR WORK
We have installed a Modern Electric Shoe Repairing Department. All shoes returned FREE by Parcel Post. Prices moderate—work guaranteed.

Regents Shoe Store
HOME OF GOOD SHOES

Notice of City Election.
Notice is hereby given that in accordance with an order passed at a regular meeting of the City Council, held on March 4th, 1918, and in compliance with the law in such cases made and provided, there will be an election held at the Court House in Canyon, Texas, on the first Tuesday in April, 1918, the same being the 2nd of April, 1918, for the purpose of

electing three aldermen to succeed J. W. Reid, J. M. Redfean and C. D. Lester, whose term of office expire. A. N. Henson is appointed to hold said election. This, March 8th, 1918. F. M. WILSON, Mayor W. J. FLESHER, City Sec'y See me about land loans. S. B. McClure.

Case Tractors Lead All Others
Case outfits are the most dependable. The Case is made for every sized farm, made in five different sizes. On account of the scarcity of farm labor this year it will be necessary for every farmer to own a tractor in order to keep up the production that the government expects from Randall county. I have the Case Tractor agency in Randall county and ask you to call upon me for further information and demonstration of this tractor before buying.
L. T. LESTER
CANYON, TEXAS

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IF YOU WANT TO SELL YOUR LAND IN A HURRY, SEE ME.

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School Election.
An election will be held in the Canyon City Independent School District on Saturday, the 6th day of April, under the provisions of the Terrell Election Law, at which time four trustees will be selected, the terms of the following having expired: J. T. Service, R. McGee, G. G. Foster, S. B. McClure.
C. R. BURROW, Sec'y

"Defense of the Fatherland," says von Hertling, "is our war-aim." And, he might have added, extension of the Fatherland, automatically calling for more defense.—New York Evening Sun.

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Mothers can rest easy after giving "California Syrup of Figs," because in a few hours all the clogged-up waste, sour bile and fermenting food gently moves out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. Sick children needn't be coaxed to take this harmless "fruit laxative." Millions of mothers keep it handy because they know its action on the stomach, liver and bowels is prompt and sure. Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which contains directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups.

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Normal Notes.

Miss Mary Hill of Moody, Texas, a sister of Mr. J. A. Hill, has arrived in Canyon, and will take Miss McGinley's place on the library staff.

Miss Susie McGinley, assistant librarian in the West Texas State Normal college has recently been appointed to library work in the War Department in Washington, D. C. Miss McGinley's resignation has been accepted and she will leave at once to take up her new duties.

Tom McClure, who has been teaching in Silverton, visited home folks in Canyon the past few days.

Mr. Clark and Mr. Guenther spent Monday in Amarillo.

The Freshman class will conduct the chapel exercises next week.

Everett Key has returned to school after a couple of weeks illness.

Vernon Parker sprained his ankle in the gymnasium last Friday.

Misses Hazelwood and Key who are teaching at Cuyler, visited in Canyon last Saturday and Sunday.

Henry Harrison is giving a "Mumpful Party" at his home in Plainview this week.

Miss Ruth Harrison won in the preliminary peace contest, which was held in the auditorium last Saturday afternoon. On next Saturday night the district contest will be held. The winner in this contest will speak in the state contest in Belton in April.

Miss Brown and her third year Ex-

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pression class gave a most delightful entertainment at the Meyer school house sixteen miles southeast of town last Saturday evening. Messrs Reid and McClure attended and spoke in behalf of the Red Cross. A large per cent of the proceeds of the pie supper, which followed the entertainment, went to the Red Cross.

Mr. Khleber Wells made a business trip to Amarillo Monday.

Misses Ivan Luce, Freda Denham and Jessie Williams made a trip to Amarillo last Monday.

The Dramatic Art Club will present two one-act plays Monday evening, April 1, at 8:30 in the Normal auditorium. The first play—"The Golden Doom" by Lord Dunsang will be given by the members of the club. The second play—"Fennel", a translation from the French of Francois Coppee, by Jerome K. Jerome, will be given by the Senior members.

The following is the Normal school attendance at the various Sunday School last Sunday:

Methodist—Girls 33, boys 10.
Baptist—Girls 32, boys 16.
Presbyterian—Girls 15, boys 8.
Church of Christ—Girls 9, boys 2.

Miss Bell's classes in Home Economics are making garments for the refugees in France and Belgium this week.

Mrs. Grace Lust of Hereford who was in school here the first two quarters visited her sister Miss Lois Brannon, the first of the week.

W. C. Buecher spent Monday with friends in Amarillo.

Bob Crudgington spent the week end at his home in Amarillo.

Mr. J. O. Bigby visited his daughter Vera, Tuesday.

Miss Cora Orr is absent from school this week on account of illness.

Miss Nannie Abbott who was called home on account of her father's illness has returned to school.

Mrs. M. A. Pool from Idalou spent the week end with her daughters, Misses Attie and Zora.

Miss Myrtle Reeves, Lottie Blount and Kate Reeves and E. C. Dodson of Lockney visited chapel Tuesday.

Miss Kathryn McLaughlin, who has been absent for two weeks on account of illness has returned to school.

Misses Fannie May Russel and Alta Joiner were Amarillo visitors Sunday and Monday.

Miss Ernee Colner visited chapel Tuesday.

Miss Stella Butterfield is visiting home folks now.

Next Sunday at two o'clock in room 105 the Y. M. C. A. will render the following program:

Special Music—Directed by J. O. Baker.

Address—Rev. H. Heath.

The following Y. W. C. A. program will be given at the Huntleigh Hall March 28, at 7:30:

Leader—Irene Angel.

Song—Association.

Scripture Reading—Chloe Weems.

The Desert of Waiting—Golda Gruver.

Solo—Mrs. Luke.

Announcements.

Song.

A WORD WITH WOMEN

Valuable Advice for Canyon Readers.

Many a woman endures with noble patience the daily misery of backache, pains about the hips, blue, nervous spells, dizziness and urinary disorders, hopeless of relief because she doesn't know what is the matter.

It is not true that every pain in the back or hips is trouble "peculiar to the sex." Often when the kidneys get congested and inflamed, such aches and pains follow. Help the weakened kidneys. Don't expect them to get well alone.

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Prayer—Kate Gatewood.
Canyon won the baseball game from Tullia, 12 to 5. The score is rather large, but the game was fast and close up to the 6th inning. The last three innings were decidedly in Canyon's favor.

There will be a baseball game here Saturday between the Normal and Amarillo High. This promises to be exciting, and your patronage will be appreciated.

Saturday afternoon the Red Cross room was full of workers. Two hundred gun wipers and four hundred compresses were made. The Red Cross shipped a box last week containing four thousand gauze wipers.

The Red Cross room is a busy place this week. A number of boys have enlisted in the work.

John Payne is absent from school this week on account of illness.

Burr Myers visited home folks Sunday and Monday.

Miss Maud Isabell, of Munday, entered school this week.

Mrs. Babcock and daughter of Amarillo visited Miss Rambo Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Byrd Mitchell was in Amarillo Monday.

Miss Brigham was in Amarillo Monday.

Mary Meadow and Francis Charles spent the week end at their homes in Amarillo.

Miss Lora Williams has returned to school.

Mr. Matt Ward made a business trip to Amarillo Monday.

Roscoe Wiseman spent the week end with home folks at Hartley.

Mrs. Jones of Abernathy spent Thursday and Friday among the Normal students.

Training School Notes.
Fairy Murphy has been absent this week with mumps.

Allura and Lucile Pearl have been enjoying a visit with their mother.

Sam Steen is back in school after being absent several days.

Tom Oatis has been absent several days working.

The fourth and fifth grades brought an abundant supply of old clothing for the Belgians last week.

Measles, mumps and whooping cough are still among us.

Miss Mildred Graves of Plainview entered the ninth grade Wednesday.

Misses Hibbits and Goodrich went to Amarillo Thursday to hear Miss Ida Tarbell.

Herman Glass will leave for the navy Friday.

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Attended Fat Stock Show.

For Sale—A limited amount of fetterita seed, hand threshed and cleaned. Also maize. Apply at once, Jeff Wallace.

Dabe Frost, of Lamesa, Dawson county, Texas, brought in a load of cattle during the Show week and spent the week here, taking back home with him a load of fine Hereford stocker cows.

For Sale—One Duroc Jersey male hog, subject to registration. Ready for service now. Jeff Wallace.

Mr. Frost is an old frontiersman and knows the ins and outs of the cow game. He says that while his country is dry, it does not scare him, and consoles himself with the idea that the drought now prevailing, as bad as it is, will serve as a good lesson to stock farmers and cattlemen, as it will teach them to prepare for these droughts.

For Sale—One 4 H. P. gas engine, 1 F. E. Meyers pump jack; 2 gas tanks; 1 125 gallon cooling tank; 1 air compressor; about 350 feet 2-1-2 inch galvanized pump pipe; about 350 feet of sucker rod; 1 100 barrel galvanized water tank; 1 20 foot tank stand. For further particulars see C. R. Flesher, County Judge, at office in court house.

Mr. Frost's plan is to get rid of all common cattle and supplant them with high-grade stuff. He believes that land is too high at present to graze common cattle.—Oklahoma Livestock News.

For Sale—Will sell 1916 Model Ford in good shape, fully equipped, at auction on Trades Day, if not sold before. Will sell on time with bankable note. D. Steen.

Bought Some Choice Heifers.

For Sale—Avery 40-80 Tractor, Avery separator 30-60, set of Emerson big engine plows, at the E. S. Saunders place west of Happy.

J. I. Wynn sold to Marvin O'Keefe 110 very choice heifers this week and the bunch was drove in from the Miami country Monday.—Panhandle Herald.

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FOR SALE—Thoroughbred Buff Orpington eggs, \$1.00 for 15. R. A. Campbell.

For Sale—Two large all purpose horses, gentle to work and ride. May be seen at J. A. Moore's place 7 miles west of Canyon. Call or see Silas Hart at Mrs. Wiggins'.

For Sale—Span of good work mules. Grant Belles.

Well Drilling—Complete outfit for shallow or deep drilling. J. A. Wilson.

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For Sale—Some shoats from 60 to 100 lbs. Also Alfalfa seed and a little alfalfa hay. John Knight.

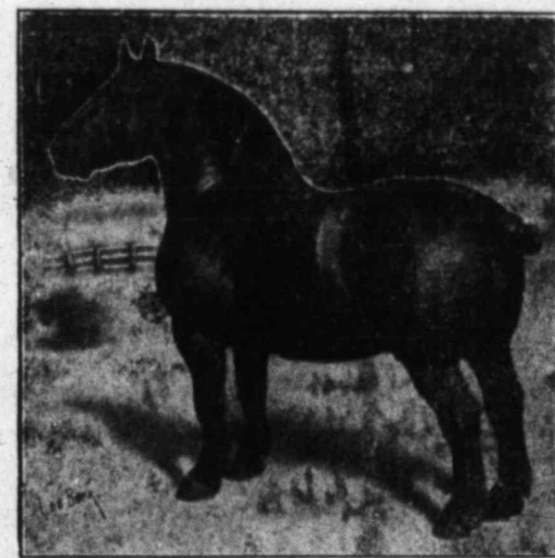
For Sale—Red Top Can Seed, hand selected. H. J. Weber, 5 1-2 miles north of the Canyon depot.

For Rent—400 acres of grass with running water and shade, from the 1st of May to 1st of August. Apply W. E. Bates.

LOOK OUT CUSTOMERS—I work Wednesday evening and all day Saturday each week at Umbarger. Terms cash on account of high cost of material. LEO STOCKER, Umbarger Blacksmith.

For Sale—2 registered Duroc Jersey boars, 6 months old; 3 gilts, same age. Also 3 yearling steers. John Knight.

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