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GERMANS ATTACK IN DENSE WAVES AT DAYBREAK

No German Gains are Reported While British Positions are Improved Some Extent

ROADS BEGUN IN MITCHELL

(Colorado Record)

Mr. O. Leonard, a state highway commissioner to build the Mitchell county road. Mr. Leonard is an expert in his line, and comes with the engineer has been employed by the highest recommendations from the Highway Commission. He is the man built the post road from Austin to Antonio, which is considered the best roads in the state. Leonard arrived in Colorado on Monday of this week and is now out with the commissioners, going over roads, getting his surveys and making blue prints, etc.

County Judge Butlock received of this week that the attorneys for bond buyers had approved the bonds and was ready to come and pick them up and pay the money as soon as the bonds were received from the printer at Austin, which will be in a few days.

The county already has in the treasury a considerable amount of automobile tax money, and work of hauling gravel was started out of this fund, on Thursday. It is the purpose of the engineer to put quite a number of teams at work at once hauling gravel. This comes at an opportune time as nearly all the teams in the county are now idle.

The court and Judge Butlock especially, are to be commended for their efforts in pushing this matter through. The bond election was held Feb. 23rd and work started April 1, just a little over five weeks.

COUNTY CONTESTS TO-DAY

The first day of the county contests are taking place in this city today. Supt. E. J. Woodward and a corps of number of contestants are over from Roscoe as well as many from other schools of the county. The athletics for today consist of Basketball and tennis. Two games of each are to be played for the boys and for the girls. The debate will take place at the First Christian church tonight. An admission of 25 cents is being charged to defray the expense of these contests. The remainder of the athletics and the contests in declamation will take place next Saturday and Saturday night.

HELP TO BUY L. L. BONDS

Frank A. White, manager of the West Texas Electric Co., stated this morning that all employees of the light company and of the Sweetwater Ice and Cold Storage Co., were allowed to buy all the Liberty Bonds they desired and pay for them monthly. The company will buy the bonds for them and allow the employees to pay for them at ten per cent per month until paid out. It is being done to encourage their employees in the purchasing of the bonds.

REVIEW OF AMERICA'S FIRST YEAR IN THE WAR

Washington, April 5.—The first anniversary of the entrance of the United States into the war finds the great resources of the country just coming into the struggle but rapidly being prepared.

The achievements of the first year are chiefly divided between the Army which has been supplying and training fighting forces; the Navy which has been hunting the submarine and conveying troops and supplies to Europe, the Shipping Board which has been building a merchant marine and the Treasury which has been advancing credits to the Allies.

In all other department of the government there has been a tremendous effort to bring all the force of the country's resources and power to the aid of the actual fighting machine.

For military reasons it is not permissible to state the exact number of American troops in France with General Pershing's expedition, but Secretary Baker, in recent testimony before the Senate Military Committee predicted half a million men would be there early this year and that another million would be ready to go during the year.

American troops have taken up several positions on the fighting line in France, have occupied a sector of their own northwest of Toul, and have had numerous encounters with the Germans. Official statements from British and German army headquarters have shown that certain American fighting forces were thrown into the battle brought on by the Great German offensive this spring. The British war office first reporting them as fighting shoulder to shoulder with the British and French troops in the vicinity of Roye.

By referring to the combined forces of the regular army and national guard a year ago, and comparing the strength of the regular army now, the National Guard mustered into Federal service, and the men of the first draft in cantonments, it is apparent that the total number of ready fight-

ing men has been increased from a meagre two hundred thousand to something like a million and a half, with about ten million men registered under the draft still available for calls to the colors.

Military experts have estimated that should the war be prolonged and it become necessary for the United States to assume the burden of carrying on the conflict an army of five million men would not be improbable. The immense and sudden expansion of the army has not been without criticism but, it is declared this was expected in the conversion into a fighting force of a nation traditionally welded to the pursuit of peace.

The expansion of the naval forces has been characterized in Congress by many as praiseworthy. The exact details, here too, are shrouded in secrecy as a military measure, but it is well known that an emergency war building program has been pushed with such rapidity that the United States is well on the way to place second only to Great Britain as a naval force, and that in destroyers alone—the most proved and deadly weapon of the submarine—the navy by next year will have the greatest fleet on the 7 seas. Since the United States went to war, the navy has placed contracts for practically a thousand vessels, and beside that took charge of repairing the seized German and Austrian ships damaged by their crews at the orders of the German government.

The case of the great liner Vaterland, now the United States Ship Levathian, is a fair example of the efficiency and speed with which the naval engineers conducted that work. When the Germans finished their work of destruction the Vaterland's commander remarked he would take his hat off to the Americans who could put the ship in shape in time to be of any service.

Within six months from the time his words were spoken the Vaterland

SENTENCE IS COMMUTED

By Associated Press: Washington, April 6.—President Wilson has commuted expiration of the prison term of Frank Ryan, formerly president of the International Structure of Iron Workers, who was convicted in the "dynamite conspiracy."

SEVERAL POINTS GET RAIN

R. T. Hunter of the Southwestern Telephone Co., informs us that some rain fell at several points in this vicinity yesterday and last night. The fall at this place amounted to one-fifth of an inch. Reports received at telephone office are: Anson, 2 inches; Abilene, one inch; Stamford, one half inch; Albany, three-quarters inch; Cisco, one and one-half inches; Strawn, about one inch; Merkel, Roscoe Hamlin, Snyder and Sylvester received only a sprinkle; San Angelo had a light rain; Lubbock, Rotan, Blackwell and Maryneal had no rain at all.

FIVE I. W. W. ARE INDICTED

By Associated Press: Sacramento, Cal., April 6.—The United States grand jury has indicted five alleged industrial workers of the World with conspiracy to hamper prosecution of the war and to encourage a campaign of treason and sabotage.

REFUSE ISSUE WARRANTS

By Associated Press: Collinsville, Ill., April 6.—A Madison County Coroner today applied for warrants for the arrest of five men he believed were in the mob that lynched Robert Prager, Friday four justices of the peace refused to issue the warrants saying "they didn't care to get mixed up in the matter."

DRAFT COMING THIS MONTH

By Associated Press: Austin, April 6.—Seven thousand eight hundred seventeen Texas draftmen will be sent to Camp Travis during a five day period, ending April 28. Four thousand three hundred thirty of these will be white men.

PRESIDENT HAS SIGNED BILL

By Associated Press: Washington, April 6.—President Wilson has signed the Government corporation bill with a capital of five hundred million dollars and authority to issue three billion dollars in bonds for assistance of essential war industries.

THIRD LIBERTY LOAN OPENS

By Associated Press: Washington, April 6.—Machinery for gathering and reporting the millions of subscriptions to the Third Liberty Loan was in smooth working order when the campaign opened today on the anniversary of the nation's entrance into the war. Campaign organizers have perfected a system by which subscriptions today will be tabulated in each federal reserve bank tonight, reported to Washington and made public there tomorrow. Delays and approximations of the first and second loans will be avoided, so that the nation may know daily the exact progress of its big money drive the day before.

National and state banks are the principal original collectors of subscription reports, since soliciting committees in most localities send their signed applications of subscribers to banks. At the end of the day each bank, or group of local banks will telegraph its reports to the Liberty Loan branch of the district federal reserve bank, and these in turn will report their tabulations to Washington.

As an example of the tremendous task involved, loan directors point out that the New York federal reserve bank has rented two entire floors in a big office building to accommodate the accountants and clerks required to manage Liberty Loan reports.

This work accounts for a large part of the expense of gathering the big national credit. Another large item of expense is the printing of advertising posters and pamphlets, and the engraving of the bonds, which has been under way at the government bureau of engraving and printing for months. In addition, there is a multitude of minor expenditures connected with national and district headquarters, despite the liberal donations of service and materials by thousands of patriotic workers.

As compared with the usual 3 or 4 percent expense of floating most private securities issues, the appropriation for selling the first Liberty Loan was 1-10 of one per cent or \$2,000,000 and the allowance for the second was 1-5 of one per cent or a little more than \$7,000,000. All bills of the past loans have not yet been tabulated.

About 250 workers of the campaign are paid, and others of the 800,000 volunteer bond salesmen give their time free. More than 3,500 public speakers have been engaged to preach the merit of the Third Loan. Five hundred are routed out of Washington, and the others are directed by the speakers' bureau of each of the twelve federal reserve districts.

The donations of services and materials for promotion of the loan runs in to millions of dollars' value, campaign directors estimate. Printing companies have discounted heavily their accounts for loan posters and pamphlets. Newspapers, press associations, sign board interests, music publishers, phonograph record manufacturers and a host of others have agreed to give their product to the government without cost, or at less than their own expenses.

The Post Office Department has instructed local offices to deliver advertising mail matter on the loan to farmers in every rural community. The Department of Agriculture also is using its hundreds of field agents as Liberty Loan boosters. War savings committees will continue to sell stamps and certificates since their cause is essentially the same as that of the Liberty Loan's and will cooperate in selling bonds.

Women throughout the nation have been organized under the leadership of the Central Woman's Liberty Loan Committee at Washington, headed by Mrs. William G. McAdoo, wife of the Secretary.

The active manager of the whole campaign is Lewis B. Franklin, the Treasury's director of war loan organization. Frank B. Wilson is director of publicity, and Charles F. Horner is manager of the speakers' bureau.

FURNISH GOV. WITH LEAD

By Associated Press: Washington, April 6.—An agreement has been made with the lead industry to furnish all Government requirements for lead products. Six million tons will be the minimum twelve million tons will be the maximum monthly requirements, at a price averaging seven cents per pound.

DECREASE IN SCHOLASTICS

The census rolls for the Sweetwater Independent School District have been completed by J. H. Fultz, who took the scholastic census for the Sweetwater Independent District, and the list shows a considerable falling off from last year. The rolls this year show only 832 scholastics. Of that number there are 26 negroes and 64 Mexicans. Last year the number stood at 1462, there being 46 negroes and 161 Mexicans. It can be seen therefore that Sweetwater district loses this year the revenue from 616 school children.

The county superintendent has received the returns from all of the schools of the county except one and the indications are that the county, including the city of Sweetwater, will lose something like 1100 scholastics. At Roscoe the decrease amounts to 104. Sweetwater is the heaviest loser as the number lost in this district is greater than those in all of the rest of the county combined.

Schools of County

Below is published the number enrolled in the various school districts of the county with the exception of one which has not yet come in:

Sweetwater	852
Roscoe	275
Blackwell	157
Maryneal	79
Weaver Springs	39
Brooks	40
Dora	94
Antelope	37
Summers	17
Fairview	21
Valley Creek	30
Wilson Creek	14
Mequite	34
Plum Creek	40
Rock Crossing	15
Goode	70
Blackland	45
Holin	19
Collins	26
Ada	30
Nolan	56
Stamper	11
Brownlee	50
Wastella	32
Bitter Creek	30
Cottonwood	36
Boatright	6
Champion	36
Hylton	67
White Flat	116
Barnett	19

The only school which had not reported today is Decker.

WILL ADDRESS REICHSTAG

By Associated Press: London, April 6.—Copenhagen dispatches say Chancellor Von Hertling intends addressing the Reichstag on its reopening April 16 on the alleged French peace offer to Austria. It is said he will give the details of proposals and demands with a view of showing the futility of further negotiations.

WANTED.—Clean rags at Reporter office.

WEATHER IMPROVES BUT AVIATORS' WORK IS HAMPERED; PARIS IS BOMBARDED AGAIN

INVESTIGATION COMPLETED

By Associated Press: Washington, April 6.—The Federal Trade Commission has completed its investigation of flour milling jobbing prices. The Food Administration will use their figures to determine basis of fair price for flour.

2 ASSISTANTS ARE APPOINTED

By Associated Press: Washington, April 6.—President Wilson has appointed Edward R. Settle as 2nd assistant secretary and Fred P. Keppel as 3rd assistant Secretary of War.

SWEETWATER'S OLDEST CITIZEN QUITE ILL

Grandma Wood who has been in an unconscious condition at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Jim Warren for nearly a week, is reported no better this morning.

Grandma Wood is the oldest living citizen of this city, being over ninety-six years old. She and her husband built the home in which she is now residing about forty years ago, when there were only about a dozen other houses here, when Indians and buffalo were a common every day sight and pasture fences were unknown.

SWISS MINISTER INQUIRES

By Associated Press: Washington, April 6.—Under instructions the Swiss minister inquired today of the State Department the reason for interning Dr. Karl Much the musician who is a Swiss citizen though of German birth.

SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELECTION IS IN PROGRESS TODAY

The election for four school trustees for the Sweetwater Independent District is taking place in the Justice Court room today. Not much interest is being manifested in the election and it is moving off quietly. Only 32 votes had been polled about 2 o'clock. M. L. Harp is holding the election, assisted by J. D. Sloan and Leslie W. Dorbandt.

PRESIDENT SPEAKS IN BEHALF LIBERTY LOAN

By Associated Press: Dallas, April 6.—Nine counties and parishes in Texas and Louisiana have reported completion of their entire quotas in the Third Liberty Loan Campaign. Larger cities reported had raised more than half their quotas.

AMERICA'S ENTRY INTO WAR IS CELEBRATED IN LONDON

By Associated Press: London, April 6.—Premier Lloyd George telegraphing today to Lord Mayor of London on the occasion of a luncheon given to celebrate America's entry into the war said: "During the next few weeks American troops will give the Prussian military junta the surprise of their lives."

London, April 6.—Germans at day break this morning attacked Corbie, in the Somme valley, the Reuters headquarters correspondent reports. The enemy attacked in dense waves. The outcome was unknown at the time of filing this report. The main German thrust appears to be west of the Vaire wood, toward the principal Amiens road.

The British improved their positions east of Fougny Villers in North Somme in their successful attack yesterday. The weather has improved but aviators are handicapped by poor visibility.

London, April 6.—British positions south of the Somme were improved to some extent by counter attacks in the neighborhood of Hanged late yesterday, says today's statement. Along the whole front below Alette, in the sector north of the Somme, the struggle continued violently until late yesterday evening. Although the Germans made incessant attacks they met with no further success than was attended their efforts in the morning.

Paris, April 6.—German attacks along the French sector front have ceased. Today's statement says there was violent artillery fighting north and south of Avre but that no infantry actions occurred.

Paris, April 6.—Long range bombardment of Paris was resumed at 11:40 this morning.

BOY SCOUTS HELD WEEK-LY MEETING LAST NIGHT

Raymond Lagow, Jack Griswold and J. W. Herndon were appointed as a committee to provide means for the shipment of books which were contributed for the soldiers' camps.

Each boy was given a Liberty Bond poster to put in some public place before eight o'clock Saturday morning. According to reports from the troop treasurers, troop No. 1 has \$2.50 and troop No. 2 has \$3.00 in the treasury.

Dr. Rosenbrough made a fine talk to the scouts on sanitary conditions. The scouts stood at attention for three minutes and were dismissed. Scout Scribe.

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pearing in this paper will be cheer-
fully corrected when called to the
attention of the publishers.

"OVER THE TOP, CIVILIANS"

The following telegram was received
this morning from J. W. Hoopes,
Deputy Governor of the Federal Re-
serve Bank at Dallas. It is relative
to the opening of the Third Liberty
Loan Campaign and is self explana-
tory:

"Dallas, April 5.—Over the top, Civ-
ilians, over the top with the Liberty
Loan Bonds. These are our orders.
They come from headquarters. They
are passed on to us by our officers.
The fiercest battle in all history is
now being fought. The situation is
critical. Success depends upon ev-
ery man and woman in Uncle Sam's
army carrying out instructions. The
man who argues, who hangs back, is a
traitor. The boys in the trenches
when ordered "over the top" do not
say, "I went last time," or "Let some
one else do it." The boys go!
Arguments and excuses by civilians
just now are as sensible and as patri-
otic as such things would be in the
trenches. The boys who have come
back from the trenches say that in-
action is their worst trial. The word
to go "over the top" finds them more
than willing. It should be so with ev-
ery red blooded civilian who cannot
serve at the front. The thought that
this great big man's job is being done
by others, should make every civilian
strain at the leashes that hold him.
Here is your chance. After months
of waiting the word has come, "over
the top, civilians, over the top with
the Liberty Loan." It is with the most
profound confidence that, as agents of
the government, we issue this appeal
and command. We know that the
Liberty Loan will be oversubscribed
but we want it done quickly. Let the
news go forth to the whole world
that the people of the Southwest were
the first to subscribe their quota. The
Government has given us thirty days
in which to raise the loan. The South
west does not want time; it wants the
opportunity.
As good soldiers let us spring for-
ward at the command which rings
sharp and clear in our ears; Over the
top, civilians, over the top with the
Liberty Loan.

Liggett's and Guth's bulk Chocolat-
es at Bowen's Drug Store. 20-4f

Neighborhood club
Mrs. J. V. W. Holmes was this
week's hostess for the regular weekly
meeting of the Neighborhood club.
With a congenial company busy
with needle and lace work, pleasant
conversation and an ideal hostess, it
was no wonder that this was one of
the most delightful meetings of the
spring season.

The only note to mar the afternoon's
pleasure was the fact that Mrs. Mc-
Lain and daughter, Miss Ione, who
were guests, would soon leave the
city for their new home in Palestine.
Both will be sorely missed in all the
social and church life of the city and
will take to their new home the best
wishes of a large circle of dear friends.
Mrs. Geo. T. Spears was also a special
guest.

Lovely salad plates were passed at
the conclusion of the party. Others
present were: Mesdames Fortner,
Berry Bower, John Perry, R. C.
Crane, Ellis Douthitt, C. A. Rosebrough,
Jim Dulaney and Graham Robertson
who assisted her mother in entertain-
ing her guests.

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PROF. C. D. EAVES ELECT.
ED SUPT. AT SNYDER

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CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Church of Christ—West Side
Bible lesson 10 o'clock.
Communion 11 o'clock.
Singing Service every Sunday and
Wednesday evening 7:15.

First Christian Church
Sunday School 10 o'clock a. m., J.
H. Bright, Supt.
Communion 11 o'clock.
Evening sermon by Rev. W. O. Dal-
las of Abilene at 8 o'clock. Subject of
sermon "The Cost of the War."
A very cordial invitation is extend-
ed to the public in general to be pres-
ent at the preaching service Sunday
night.
Rev. W. O. Dallas, Pastor.

Methodist Church
Sunday School 9:45. J. L. Ross,
Supt.
There will be no morning sermon on
account of the Sacramental service,
which will be preceded by a program
of special music which will be:
Anthem, in which Mrs. Charles Rob-
inson will sing the incidental solo.
Violin Offertory—Miss Lois Pettey.
Evening sermon 8 o'clock by the
pastor, Rev. G. S. Hardy.
Union prayer meeting Wednesday
evening.
Womans Missionary Society will
meet at the church Monday afternoon.

Presbyterian Church
Sunday School at 10 o'clock. J. G.
Whitten, Supt.
Morning service at 11 o'clock, preach-
ing by the pastor, Rev. C. A. Engle.
The evening service will begin at
8:30 o'clock.
There will be no midweek prayer
meeting in this church as the mem-
bers will join in the Union service at
the Methodist church.
The Ladies Aid will meet at the
church at four o'clock Monday after-
noon in their regular Bible study.

First Baptist Church
Sunday School 10 a. m.
Morning Service 11 a. m.
Evening service 8:00.
The choir will furnish special mus-
ic at the morning service.
We cordially invite the public and
especially visitors in the city to join
with us in all these services.
T. Y. ADAMS, Pastor.

Lamar Street Baptist Church
C. W. Clark, pastor.
Sunday School 10 a. m., John R.
Lewis, Supt.
Preaching 11 a. m. by Rev. G. W.
Butler of Roscoe.
Evening service 8 p. m. by the pas-
tor, Rev. C. W. Clark.
Public cordially invited to attend
these services.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following candidates authorize
us to announce them for the office un-
der which they are listed, subject to
the action of the Democratic Pri-
mary:

For District Clerk
DAN CHILDRESS, (re-election)
J. H. FULTZ

For County Judge
A. S. MAUZEY
HARRY R. BONDIES

For County Clerk
MRS. FAWN HOWELL
C. E. CAMERON

For Sheriff
JACK YARBROUGH, (re-election)
ED BARDWELL

For Tax Assessor
L. T. MANER
H. P. HARKINS
J. C. (Bud) MONTGOMERY, JR.

For Tax Collector
GEO. B. HOWELL, (re-election)

For County Treasurer
JNO. W. ROGERS
BEN F. ROBERTS, (re-election)
W. T. HIGHTOWER

For County Attorney
E. I. HILL, (re-election)

For County Superintendent
A. D. ELLIS, (re-election)

For Public Weigher of Nolan Co.
R. C. (Dock) SHEPPARD

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1
J. R. BRANNON
I. S. FOCHT, re-election.
S. GLENN

For Justice of the Peace Precinct No.
One
JOHN BRYAN, (re-election.)

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Dr. Beakley of Hylton is in the city
on business today.

S. R. Venable, a Colorado business
man, spent Friday here on business.

Miss Willie May Price of Roscoe
visited here yesterday.

J. D. McGowan and J. N. Donohoo of
Plainview are here on business today.

Clyde B. Payne and family left this
morning for Stamford to visit rela-
tives and friends for a couple of days.

R. I. Brownlee is spending a few
days with the home folks after a busi-
ness trip of three weeks in the east.

Charner Ramsey who has been out
of school two or three weeks on ac-
count of illness, is improving now.

Rev. J. C. Moore will preach for the
Gannon people Sunday morning at 11
o'clock.

Mrs. Lawrence Simpson and child-
ren left this morning to visit the fam-
ily of Dr. A. E. Lee at Lees.

Misses Josie and Mollie Moody are
hostess for the Triple A club girls
this afternoon at the home of their
aunt, Mrs. Dr. Archer.

The hike to the Santa Fe lake plan-
ned by the Camp Fire Girls for this af-
ternoon has been postponed till next
Saturday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lank-
ford a fine little nine pound son Fri-
day. Mother and babe resting well
today.

Mrs. Herman Burge has gone to
Fort Worth to visit her mother, Mrs.
J. K. Kendall, and family for a few
days.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Hunter of Win-
gate came into the city from Lamesa
this morning via Big Springs and they
reported all that section receiving
good heavy rains yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Freeman have
moved into the bungalow of W. A.
Perry's near the T. & P. railroad re-
cently occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Ben
H. Alden.

Mr. and Mrs. John Perry will leave
Monday morning for Fort Worth to
spend the week with Mr. and Mrs.
Tom Plack and attend the Grand Mil-
itary Review on the 11th.

Mrs. Tom Plack has gone to Fort
Worth where she will live in apart-
ments as long as Mr. Plack remains at
the aviation camp. She made the
trip in their car and will keep it there
for the pleasure they expect to derive
from it during the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Barry of Paris
are in the city for a few days visit-
ing the families of John and Will Hub-
bard. Mr. Barry is a old resident of
Lamar county and thinks that a fine
section of the state, all of which is
true.

B. L. McDonald, a former cotton
buyer of this city who has spent the
past season in Oklahoma City is in
the city for a few days on business.
He says Sweetwater is still home to
him and Mrs. McDonald and they ex-
pect to return when conditions im-
prove.

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REVIEW OF AMERICA'S
FIRST YEAR IN WAR

(Continued from page 1)

was in running order and since, the
navy has announced, has carried num-
bers of American troops and great
quantities of supplies to the fighting
lines in France.

By taking the ships and men of the
Coast Guard into its fleets, by the
merging of Naval Volunteers and Na-
val Militia, and with the growth of
the Marine Corps, the navy has ex-
panded its forces practically five times
since the country went to war.

In its immense task of conveying
troops there has been some losses,
notably the Tuscania and the Antilles,
but the losses of life have been
fortunately small in comparison with
the number of troops transported. At
the same time the American destroy-
ers, working with the British in the
submarine zone, have made them-
selves a terror to the undersea boats.
How many of these craft they have ac-
counted for remains a military secret.

The Treasury, concerned with financ-
ing the war, has raised from Liberty
Bonds and War Savings Stamp sales
more than \$8,000,000,000, and on this,
the first anniversary of the declaration
of war on Germany, is launching the
Third Liberty Loan. Treasury esti-
mates put the expense of the first
year of the war at about \$12,000,000,
exclusive of the advances to the
Allies.

These advances to all the Allies
have totaled up to the close of
March \$4,969,609,999. The United
States has been secured with the
bonds or obligations of the countries
to which the money was advanced.
More than \$125,000,000 of the sum
went to Russia before the debacle put
the country out of the war. What re-
turn, the United States will get, if
any, is considered doubtful.

Chairman Hurley of the Shipping
Board, in a recent speech in New
York at which he outlined the ship-
building program fully for the first
time, declared the great building pro-
gram which is to make the bridge of
ships to France is 28 per cent to
ward completion. He pointed out the
magnitude of the task by recalling
that the Shipping Board is building
in a year, a greater organization than
the Steel Corporation has been able
to build up in more than twenty years.
The recent disclosure by the British
Admiralty that German submarines ac-
tually are destroying the world's ship-
ping twice as fast as it is being built
is the spur which is expected to put
the force of the country at this vital
task.

Beside the work of the executive de-
partment of the government, the year
has seen tremendous strides in the
mobilization of labor, industry, science
and invention with the sole aim of
winning the war. Hundreds of busi-
ness and professional men have given
up private interests to serve the gov-
ernment at nominal pay. Business
and manufacture has given the best
of its secrets. Whatever criticism
has been made of the lack of co-op-
eration of all these tremendous re-
sources and power, none ever has
charged that private interest has held
them.

What is expected to be one of the
mightiest weapons toward winning
the war is the War Trade Board, creat-
ed for the purpose of cutting off sup-
plies to Germany through the adja-
cent neutrals. As the war goes on, of
fields say, the work of this organiza-
tion cannot be underestimated.

A year of war, all officials concede,
finds shortcomings and defects, but it
is contended no more than might have
been expected from a peaceful na-
tion suddenly reorganized to a war
basis.

President Wilson in a recent declar-
ation pronounced the present year the
vital one in the winning of the war.
As the resources of America now be-
ing gathered, get to the battlefronts
with a mighty rush, they are fully ex-
pected to carry the Allies through to
victory.

A MESSAGE

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

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RESOURCES

Loans .. \$229,293.54
Stocks and Bonds .. 6,000.00
Banking House, F. & F. .. 28,500.00
Interest in Guaranty Fund .. 3,000.00
Cash .. 271,041.44
Liberty Bonds .. 2,615.06

Total .. \$540,450.04

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock .. \$100,000.00
Surplus .. 75,000.00
Undivided Profits .. 402.01
Dividends Unpaid .. 2,625.00
DEPOSITS .. 362,413.03
Borrowed Money .. NONE

Total .. \$540,450.04

The above statement is correct

G. E. BRADFORD, Cashier.

Guaranty Fund Bank

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ONLY ENGLISH CAN BE TAUGHT HEREAFTER

By Associated Press: Austin, April 6.—Children in German settlements in Texas will have to study English when the schools open next fall. A law passed at the last special session of the legislature provides that only the English language shall be taught in the public schools, below the High Schools.

At present there are a number of schools in Texas where German is taught in the primary grades, in some of the primary towns the children learn Spanish in their first school years, while in some Bohemian settlements Bohemian is first taught.

The new law will not be effective in the present sessions. It carries a penalty for its violation. Teachers found guilty would be fined not less than \$25 nor more than \$200 for teaching any language other than English.

SINGLE SALOON IN TRAVIS COUNTY MUST CLOSE

Austin, April 6.—The lone cases in Travis county which has withstood local option elections and the more recent state ten mile zone law will fold its tent and steal away June 26 when the state wide prohibition law becomes effective.

This single saloon is located at Bee Cave and since the local option banished the saloons from this city has been the spot in the county where liquor was sold openly.

in as described received on deposit, or purchased by any dealer shall be sold or permitted to be redeemed, or removed from the place of business of such dealer for the space of thirty-six hours (36), after such purchase, loan or deposit.

License Article VI. That each and every dealer as defined in this Ordinance, shall obtain from the City Tax Collector an annual license to pursue his said business and shall pay therefor the sum of \$25.00, said license shall be granted for a period of one year, and shall be renewed each year.

Article VII. That each and every dealer as defined herein, shall upon this Ordinance going into effect, be required to enter into a bond in the sum of \$500.00 made payable to the City of Sweetwater, Texas, in said City and Nolan County conditional that such person shall faithfully comply with all the provisions of this Ordinance.

Purchases From Minors

Article VIII. That no such dealer as herein defined, shall purchase, receive in pledge or on deposit, for any purpose, in the course of his business, any goods, chattels or thing of value, and any junk of any kind or description whatever from any minor within the City, or any goods, articles or things of value, the ownership of which is in, or which is claimed by a minor, or which may be in the possession or under the control of any minor, or, unless said minors parents or guardians shall state in writing, that such transaction took place with the full knowledge and consent of such parents or guardians and it shall be the duty of such dealers to keep such written statements of file for reference.

Article IX. Any person violating any of the provisions or requirements of this ordinance, or who willfully falsifies any entry of any article, required to be preserved in a book, as required by this Ordinance, shall upon conviction in the Corporation Court of said City, be fined in any sum not exceeding \$100.00 and each day shall constitute a separate offense.

Passed and Approved After Being Read on Two Separate Meetings of the Commission of the City of Sweetwater Texas.

This 2nd day of April 1918.
Attest: J. S. GRISHAM, Mayor.
W. H. BARTLETT, City Secretary. 6-10r



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NINE MILLION DOLLARS EXP.

Washington, April 5.—Nine billion dollars is the approximate cost to the United States of one year of war. More than one-half has gone in loans to allies and will be repaid eventually; over one-third has been spent for the army and military establishments, one-tenth for the navy and one-fifteenth for shipbuilding.

Just one-sixth of this big war cost has been raised by taxation and other ordinary sources of revenue and the balance has come from sale of Liberty bonds and certificates of indebtedness.

Enormous as these war expenditures may seem to a country whose Government in peace times costs between \$700,000,000 and \$800,000,000, they are less than Great Britain's and are only about two-thirds of estimates made by officials less than a year ago. Slow programs of the ship-building program and the retarding of the outpouring of war supplies are regarded by officials as the chief reasons why expenses did not equal estimates.

Those boys who left home just a short time ago are carrying the flag—the Stars and Stripes with its message of liberty toward Berlin. It's not an easy journey for them. Some of them will never reach Berlin and some will never come back home again. Hunnish bullets may cut them down or maim them; poison gas may suffocate them and barb-wire entanglements mangle them. They must fight for days at a time hip-deep in mud and slime. But they are carrying forward the flag—ready to give up their lives that German autocracy may be crushed. They are glad to do it; they only ask to serve that they may save their folks back home in old Texas from the fate of Belgians.

What Are You Doing?
Just what are you doing to back up the boys who are giving up their all—life itself, if needed—to protect you here at home? Are you carrying the flag here in Texas or are you hiding behind it and letting the boys do all? Their shoulders can't bear all of the burdens. They can't do everything for you. If the Texas men in France are to beat the Boche and come back home, they must have the cartridges your Thrift Stamps will buy; they must have the guns, clothes and food your War Savings Stamps will get for them. Are you going to refuse to save your money, are you going to keep on using non-essentials, are you going to refuse to buy Thrift Stamps and War Savings Stamps when the Texas Sammie laddies are crying to you for the aid that only you can give? Remember that your boy or your neighbor's boy is over there or they soon will be. Don't they mean something to you? Prove it, then, by saving and buying War Savings Stamps. They save soldiers and sailors, and they make money for you.

Societies Will Save
For every company of soldiers in the field or training in the army camps there should be a War Savings Society here at home. War Savings Societies will save soldiers; they are made up of people who have taken the pledge to save their money and invest as they can in war-winning War Savings Stamps. War Savings Societies will aid those boys in getting to Berlin and they will make more certain their return to home and Texas. If you can't be in the khaki-colored ranks, at least be in the company of soldier savers here at home by joining or forming a War Savings Society. Are the boys over there asking you to do too much for them when they request that little favor of you?

Liberty Day -- April 6th BUY LIBERTY BONDS

We are called upon to subscribe to a third issue of Liberty Loan Bonds. April 6th has been set down as LIBERTY DAY and will mark the day upon which the sale of these bonds begins.

Let us be mindful of the task ahead of us which makes it necessary for us to lend our money to the Government.

Let us stand to the last penny behind our boys who are now being put into active service in France. They need our support and we must give it—freely—willingly.

Every Liberty Bond purchased puts guns and ammunition in the hands of our soldiers, puts food in his mouth and clothing on his back.

They are fighting for us—we MUST fight for them.

The way to do it is to eliminate the unnecessary things we buy and put our money to working for the Government.

When you are approached, give your utmost.

West Texas Electric Company

OIL PROMOTORS AT SNYDER WITHDRAW DEVELOPMENTS

At a meeting of the Snyder Oil and Development Company Thursday afternoon, a motion prevailed, and unanimously carried, that on account of the fact that land-owners declined to lease their land for development purposes, being under the impression that the organization would develop oil without leases, and all the money advanced for prospective purposes was refunded to stockholders. No action will be taken until leases are obtained to an extent to induce oil prospectors to come here and develop the local field.—Snyder Signal.

GOOD FAMILY LEAVES THE CITY

Mrs. C. M. McLain and daughter, Miss Ione McLain, will leave tonight to join Mr. McLain in Palestine to make their home in the future. Mr. McLain preceded them several months ago and holds a splendid position in the I. & G. N. Railroad office in that city.

This excellent family have been identified with the best social and church activities of our city for the past eight or nine years and they will be greatly missed. Sweetwater's loss will certainly be Palestine's gain in the best sense of the word.

WINTERS FARMER MAKES BOND AND IS RELEASED

San Angelo, April 5.—A bond of \$2,500, signed by F. Bradamer, Ben Spill and Otto Turk, all of Winters, has secured the release of Richard Gottschalk from the Tom Green county jail. Gottschalk was arraigned in federal court here the first of the week under a complaint charging him with violation of Section 3 of the espionage act. He waived an examining trial and was granted bond in the sum of \$2,500.

Gottschalk's alleged seditious and traitorous remarks were made on the streets of Winters while a crowd was reading bulletins telling of the drive by the Germans on the west front. His case will be on the docket for the April term of federal court here.

NOTICE

The Red Cross ladies will organize a Tuesday night squad of Red Cross workers who will work every Tuesday night at the Red Cross rooms at the court house.

This is done for the benefit of ladies whose day time duties make it impossible for them to work during the present Red Cross work hours. If you are interested and want to join the night squad, please phone 472.



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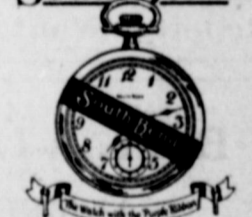
NOTICE

The Royal Neighbors will hold their regular monthly meeting Monday evening at 8 o'clock at the I. O. O. F. hall. Every member and visiting member of this lodge is cordially invited to attend.



APRIL

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DIAMOND MONTH

And the proper birthstone for April and the one everyone can point to with pride when they have one.

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JUNK DEALERS

An Ordinance Regulating Junk Dealers
Be it Ordained by the City Commission of the City of Sweetwater, Texas:

Article I. That any and all dealers in junk or keepers of junkshops doing business or offering to do business with the city of Sweetwater, Texas, shall keep books and separate blanks to be furnished by the City of Sweetwater, free of charge in which shall be fairly and legibly written in ink, at the time of the purchase or deposit of any goods in pledge for any purpose, with such dealer, an accurate account and description, in the English language of the goods or articles or things purchased or deposited, the amount of money paid for same, or loaned on same, and the time of purchase, deposit or loan, on same or of same, the name and residence and nationality of the person selling or depositing the goods, articles or things, and a description of such person, which shall include the approximate size, the age of the person, the sex and color of hair and description of clothes worn by such person. And no entry made in such books shall be obliterated, erased or defaced.

Article II. The said books as well as anything of value, sold or deposited, shall at all times be opened to the inspection of the Police Force and all other peace officers, and it shall be the duty of every such dealer as provided for in this ordinance to make and deliver to the City Secretary every day before 10 o'clock a. m. a legible and correct copy from the said books, as provided in this Ordinance, a correct account and description in the English language of the goods and articles or other things purchased or deposited during the preceding day, together with the time, naming the hour when said purchase or deposit was made and a description of the person by whom the same were made or from whom purchased as required by this Ordinance.

Junk Defined
Article III. That by the term junk as used in this Ordinance is defined to mean and shall include, old scrap iron, scrap tin, or scrap brass, or scrap copper, scrap lead, scrap zinc and all odds and ends, and all other scrap metals and their alloys, and bones and old rags, cloth or rubber, rope, tin-foil, old bottles, old cotton, mechanical and garden tools, utensils, fixtures electrical appliances, and supplies, gas fittings, pipes and supplies, and water fittings, pipes and supplies, lawn hose and harness and all other things generally known and described as being junk.

Junk Dealers
Article IV. That the word dealer in junk and keepers of junk shop as used in this Ordinance is defined to mean and shall include any person or persons, partnerships or corporations, buying, selling, receiving for storage, retaining as pledge for the payment of moneys loaned, or in any other way acquiring or dealing in junk as defined in this Ordinance, for profit or gain.

When Redeemed
Article V. That no property here-

Condensed Statement of

Continental State Bank

of Sweetwater, Texas
Close of Business March 4, 1918

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts..... \$130,966.72	Capital Stock..... \$ 50,000.00
Certificates and Thrift	Surplus..... 8,000.00
Stamps..... 1,725.91	Other Liabilities..... 2,823.32
Real Estate..... 14,401.86	
Furniture and Fixtures..... 1,973.09	DEPOSITS..... 177,009.44
Bills of Exchange..... 35,150.53	
Int. in Guaranty Fund..... 1,287.37	
Cash and Exchange..... 62,327.37	
Total..... \$237,832.76	Total..... \$237,832.76

The above statement is correct
ED. J. HAMNER, Vice-Pres. N. B. BOWIE, Cashier.

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