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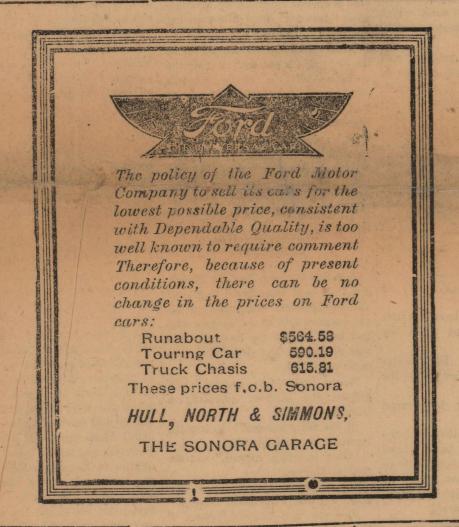
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Roads an Indispensable Asset.

The time has come when we must consider the roads an asset, indispensable to the well-being of the farmer and his family. This being true, is it not every man's danty to do all he he has only to file notice with his world. War avings Stamps bear can to keep the roads in good condition? The individual as well as the county is responsible.

Advantages of Good Roads. cial opportunities as the life of towns, for people are not so numerous, but of communication, wil first help the people already living on the land, and second attract more people to the land thus favored.

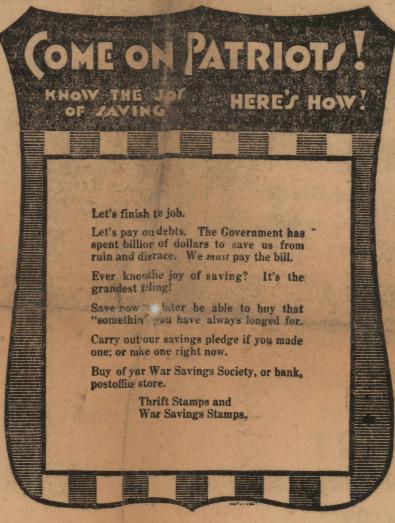
Neglect is Poor Foremy.

To build roads and then permit them to deteriorate is very poor economy and thus a reflection upon the people.

UTILIZING WASTE.

Two striking illustrations of the manner in which large industries are learning to utilize waste materials are to be found in the activities of a large beet-sugar concern. The beet pulp which formerly was thrown away is now made into an excellent cattle food, the net receipts from which in the last year were sufficient to pay the dividend on the preferred stock of the com-

At a cost of \$123,000 a plant has been erected which is to extract potash, ammunia, etc., from the water heretafare allowed to flow into the ocean as waste. It is expected the plant will pay for itself the first



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POSTAL DEPARTMENT RULINGS

United States Government post- morey. master has authority under the As a result of regulations passed

voided by recemption of the War disability. Savings Certificate Stampsat post "Postmasters are further instruct

Carter Glass Secretary,

U S. Treasury. Farm life cannot give as many so- In view of the Government's great GUARANTEEL BY THE GOVgood roads, by providing easy means ally appear that no atroiticAmeri BUY W.S.S! can will consider cashing his War

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"My attenion bes bed directed "Postmasers are directed not to the numerous offers made by cash War savings Certificates UNSORUPILOUs persons thru which the names of the owners advertisements and in other ways have not been entered or have to buy War Savings Certificate been erased or changed, since, Stamps At a result of such offers, under the regulations, WarSavings I am informed that owners of such | Certificates are not transerable and securities have suffered meterial are payable only to the original losses which could have been a lowners, except in case of death or

offices as PROVIDED BY LAW ed not to cash any War Savings "In order that the intrests of Certificates presented by persons the owners of War Savings Certi- or firms known to be buying, or ficate Stamps of either seres (918 publicly offering to buy, War Savor 1919) may be sefegiarded, I ings Stamps or Certificates from hereby notify all persons to refrain the owners unless positive evifrom offers to buy War Savings dence is submitted that the Certi Stamps or accept the same in cates were originally issued to the persons of firms presenting them for payment."

Save and have! The new 1919 A US postolice is the only War Saying Stamps are on sale at agency designated by law to cash the postoffic. Invest your money War Savings Stamps. If a person in War Savings Stamps. Buy the has urgent necessity of his money. safest and test security in the postmaster to cashhis WarSavings four per cent interest, compounded Stamps and the noney will be quarterly-they INCREASE CON paid over to him a the expiration STANTLY INVALUE, and this of ten days, as privided by law. CONSTANT INCREASE IS need of money nowit would natur ERNMENT. SIVE AND HAVE

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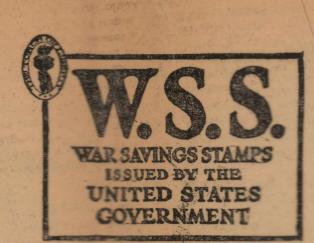
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Som ra, 'lex .s. - February 15, 1 1

Ben Cusenbary made a nusines. trip to San Argelo Monday.

Mr. Sam Hull is visiting friends and relatives in Menard and Brad this week

Will and Frank Eston made s business trip to San Angelo this week.

Mr and Mrs Russell Martin and in San Argelo Monday

Dance at the Ciub House Friday night Feb 21. Good music. Re freehments will be served by the Womans Club

Mrs. L J Warldaw and children left this week for San Angelo and probably Dallas where N J and Roswell will be put in bearding

Among the Sonora visitors in San Angelo this week were Mre W D Martin, Mrs Lawrence Steen. Miss Rita Ross, Mr and Mrs S I Gilmore, Mr and Mr. J A Leach, Mrs W J Adams. Dred Martin and Jack Wardlaw. They all stopped at the St. Angelus -Standard.

WASHINGTON HO The Cub Ha Friday 21st

Refreshments.

Respectivily,

G. W. Puckett. Sonora, Texas. Jan. 10, 1919.

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YOU ARE INVITED TO THE

Monday, February 24th, 1919 AT THE

The relatives and friends of the contracting parties, and many distin- and leagth of which the United States when, in fact, the proper film surguished personages will be present

The District School and Old Maids the cure value \$1.7 per pound | cold storage awaiting shipment to Miss Willis Martin were shopping Convention are ancient history compar. Into bridge the price in the great Europe. ed with this event.

Proceeds for Court House Park Admission 20 and 35 c.

WOMANS

United States Government pos - morey.

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obliged to sell milk at 10 cents a . In order that the interests of Cert finites seconted by persons pint and 20 cents a quart. I in the owners of War Savings Certi- or firms known to be buying, or deavor to keep the cost as low as ficate Stamps of either series (918 publicity firing to buy, War bar- About 2000 ceder posts firesle.

Carter Glass, Secretary,

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Beware of the unscrupa ous per- S. viog-stamp- unless his francial value \$1.55 620 per pounc; it in since each one regards himself as an sons who offers to buy your War condition is such that he his most L mais 114 bags, sorrowage 62 authority on heat units, hostilities Savings Stamps. No one but a orgent and compelling need of his per cent. scourse value \$1.75 are liable to begin at any moment."

master has authority under the As a result of regulations passed 263 bags, sarrikage 67 per cont. aw to cash War Savinga Stamps by the Pastoffice Department the somed value \$1 7 555 T. All persons or films off-ring to un-crupulous persons who accepts woods from Clenural, Paipa, B in buy, exchange, accept WarSavinge War Savings Stamps on occount or larger and Kiliten were heav, everyday mode of conveyance the Stamps on account, or take them in payment of debt or be scalper shrinkage 67 to 60 per cent as. in trade are violating Government who buys War savings stimps the price ranged from 52 to 54 1 2 Steer clear of the W S.S. scalped on them The regulations which A : of these were 12 month. w.o. The following official notice has make it impossible forthe unsoru- with the empire of the one lot. been lesued by the Secretary of the pulcus sca per to carr on his an- 551 bags, from Tvalle and the

scrupulous trade follows:

Savings Cert firste Stamps at post "Postmasters re fu ther instruct get reports on their olips Owing to the price of feed I am offices as PROVIDED by LAW ed not to can any war Savings or 1919) may be safeguarded, I logs Stamps or Certificates from seven feet. 30 cents. See hereby notify all persons to refrain the owners unless positive even 37 J E Grimland Sonors. from offers to buy War Savings dence is submitted that the Carti Stamps or accept the same in cates was originally issued to the persons or fi ms presenting them

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May hurray, Postmaster

TEXAS WOOLS.

The average Taxan is probably none the better off for it but it will, of wood, running from \$1.81 per twenty years in breeding up their was he must profi able in history! for the wood grower and it is prob able that the prices secured will ot bedupicated igno potit the fi leatiff to justify it. Onto soo grade of wood inc using Non Y rk Penneylouis, West Viginia Ke Jereev. Jeieware. Maryland am wire is but get, the average pines to London.

ver has kedly lumines Iba work of the on tree wares should command the ttention of the fl ck masters not day in Texas but in ther States "There are many isciors." said he. "which en er tate the succe-fu production of wool but if Isbou d be asked to ummanz then I would say they are clim ite, gererar conditions ar d the soil. As prices obtained for Pexas wood I der Government ply in New Zealand, according to control last year, may not soon, f authentic information received at and nterest on arganes until the carried, on a low estimate, 350,000 means or shutter and the meter. wood reached Buston vas the only rabbits. charge that the grovers bad to potats to the State and you will alto note the Wide off ance in the oup, 200 bage from Comemo c a - ing the last year. A large number ty the sure kings was 71 per cent, of rabbits are also being placed in lown to 50cents per loure. Tuest herp sheared ejevén p i de pe nesa. From Sanderson 293 nage, va us \$13) 57 3 4: per bound; war." 7:30 o'clock from Georgetown, 253 tags, start a "You are mistaken. Each is try-65 3 40 perp u "; fr. u U vaide, 75 better furnace." bage, shrintage 60 per cout, scou ed value a 75. be per pour ; about?" from Uvalde 551 bar (8 m oun) 66 1 26 per poque; fom Bertram will be unable to obtain his money one little lot bringing only 43 1-4: prices cover the raige of prices "My attention has been directed Postmasters are dreded not to obtained for fast lears' Texas wo

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RABBITS HURT WOOL SUPPLY Pests Said to Cause Enormous Loss to Raisers of Sheep in New

Rabbits keep down the wool supver, be seen and by the present Philadelphia. At a discussion of

CASUS BELLI.

surrukage 65 per cant resure ing a warm argument about the had been sent to the hospital. He

age 64 per sent secures viou \$1.73 ing to convince the other he has the

"Is that anything to quarrel

"It wouldn't be if they had the surrousage to per not, see used same make, but they haven't, and -Birmingham Age-Herald.

ADVANTAGE OF WEALTH.

"When 'airplanes become the cards in the deck!" gentleman with a jag is going to get into trouble."

"Not necessarily." "No?"

"For a long time, at any rate, a person who can afford an aerial limousine will also be able to hire a dependable aviator to drive it."-Birmingham Age-Ferald.

THE LESSONS OF WAR.

The Airman-So you're saving Stamps As a result of such offers, under the regulations, Wardavings 300 and the popular av rage of 8 up to buy an airship? You're quite an ambitious litle boy.

"Yes, sir; I want to fly over Jimmie Mack's bæk yard and drop bricks on him."

CASHED IN.

"What became of the village belle whose face was her fortune?" "She casher in."

"Married a millionaire." MARD TO DO.

Now wille, draw me up a list of the large of Europe in alphabetical croer." -Bat our searly all of them are

NO TRESPASS.

The second given that trespasswill be prosecuted Please rell your they will and I prosecution.

LL S NSON. as, Dec. 1, 1918.

DEMOCRACY NOW IN SADDLE

Autocrats Have Diminished Rapidly as the Result of Events of the Last Fifty Years.

During the last 50 years, particubound for the best down to \$1 (3 England who have been engaged in larly since the dawn of the twentieth war work in America, it must be century, autocracy has been hard confessed, were not so much im- hit, and the rule of "the people, by pressed by the business methods and for the people," as Abraham

can's heart and the virility in his list should be the king of Portugal, and peat moss. though he was a parliamentary

FOR CORRECT METER READING

Device That Instantaneously Photo-Zealand. graphs the Exact Figures and Has Other Advantages. perimenter, is especially intended generation. I su quoting price or what to do in order to eliminate or for use by gas and electric meter stitute for jute, cotton and other a number of our consigned to reduce the rabbit pest in New Zea- readers. For the purpose of instan- fibers, says the English Board of

land, a member of the New Zea- taneously photographing the exact Trade Journal. Boton. These prices were fixed land council of agriculture men- reading of the meter it aims to proby the Government Valuation Com tioned an area in the Auckland dis- vide a special interlocking arrange- fiber is not made by spinning long miliee up there are the rough trict of some 70,000 acres which ment between the film-exposing strips of paper run off reels through Illumination lamps are placed in Inasmuch as ten rabbits will the front of the camera. During the

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SURE OF IT.

A rookie at Camp Zachary Taylor, Ky., had been transferred to one of the headquarters companies to fill "I fear these two citizens are have the vacancy left by an orderly who was sitting at the desk when the captain entered.

"Good morning, general," he greeted the captain, executing a semaphore salute.

"I am not a general," the captain

replied as he took his seat. "Good morning, colonel," was the

next salutation. "I am not a colonel, I'm a captain," explained the officer frigidly.

"I knew it, I knew it," chortled the rookie. "I was sure by your looks that you were one of the face

THE SUGGESTION.

Miss Caustie-These men who criticize so severely the wearing of overalls and trousers by women at work, amuse me.

Mr. Curious—Why so? Miss Caustic-Because the men who are the loudest in denunciation are sure to be the ones whose wives wear the breeches at home.

CRUEL WORDS.

He (rapturously)-You accept me. Then it's a bargain. She (calmly)—Certainly! should not consider it if it wasn't.

NOTHING WRONG.

"I hear that you said at the club last night I was a crook and liar." "Oh, that's nothing! Only a few of your personal friends were pres-

DEFINING THE AGONY.

"How does it feel to be gassed?" "Why, haven't you ever had to listen to a long-winded bore who wouldn't let anybody else get in a word edgeways"

Not e to Trespassers.

Notice is hereby given that all trespanses on my ranch known as the Last Lake ranch 12 miles pasture adjoining south said Souara, and other ranches were and controlled by ne for the parents of cutting tim es of this netice and her ar hunting home without my permission, will be resembed to the full extent of the lew

A. F. CLARKSON. Sopera, Texas. ADAPTED TO ITS PURPOSE

Hebrides Abode Must Not Re Condemned Because It is, According to Most Views, Unsanitary.

Houses with neither windows or chimneys are being lived in by the people of the Scottish islands, the Hebrides. The peat fire is kept burning day and night, and is, in spite of they found in New York as in other | Lincoln said nearly sixty years ago, the smoke, the savior of the houseparts of the country; as, for ex- has spread and is spreading through- hold; the straw roof does not keep out the rain, and thus almost neces-Washington and the various busy When, in 1870, after the battle of sitates "box-beds;" there is often cities of the middle West, Frank Sedan, Napoleon III capitulated to more than propinquity of the cows Dilnot writes in the Saturday Eve- the German emperor, neither of and their manure. The "black ning Post. There was a certain them foresaw that the French re- houses" are, of course, deplorable leisureliness in New York that was public would be the result. Neither and deteriorative; but that is not piquant. The work was carried foresaw that that republic would their scientific description. The fact through, but nobody was in any fight another battle of Sedan in is that, in point after point, these hurry. A lively open-mindedness 1918 and that a German republic | "black houses" are like organisms here, as elsewhere, was a motive would follow. A historian says that built up under difficult conditions, force; but in everyday executive de- "Sedan gave the final blow to the meagerly perhaps, but with remarktucky, tguia, Miciigan. New tail I have heard more than one French empire." So will some fu- able adaptiveness. The stones are English business man remark that | ture historian write that "Sedan also | from the moor; timber is from the the New ag and States grow ny there was a slowness alien to the gave the final blow to the German sea; lime mortar is expensive; the roof must be molded every year and The triumphal march of democ- therefore the walls must be low; That hustling New York should racy in this last half century began, moreover, the gales are high. At give this impression is indeed says the Brooklyn Eagle, in Septem-levery point the house is adapted to Coldwell? mer of this city to strange; but the fact remains. It ber, 1870, with the fall of "Bona- its fundamental purposes, and what representative of Jareman Wi - was part of the unexpectedness parte the Little" or Napoleon III. the doctrinaire student or the caretom & Co. o Boston, and who which is one of the uplifting things Since that day five other empires less visitor dismisses as unworthy of was on in- committee words fixed in America to the European. There have given way to republics, or are savages, the product of laziness or has, however, not been one, whether fast on the road to become repub- perversity, turns out to be a product he be banker, ship constructor, mu- lics; Dom Pedro of Brazil, the em- of long labor and sacrifice, a funda-Express will a umm ry of the nition expert or organizer, who has peror of China, the ezar of all the mental part of the only system of not spoken privately with enthusi- Russias, the German kaiser and the agriculture formerly found possible asm of the cordiality in the Ameri- Austrian kaiser. And added to this in this island of gneiss rock, clay

WOOD PULP FIBER PUZZLES

Recent German Invention Is Acknowledged of Value, but Rivals Have Not Fathemed Its Production.

There has been much discussion in the German press during recent An electrically operated film cam- weeks concerning a wood pulp fiber era, described in the Electrical Ex- named "Cellulon," for which large claims are made as an efficient sub-

> It appears to be certain that the water in the manner which German paper textile substitutes have made familiar. The accounts agree in de-

> The British consul general at Zurich, who has presented a report to

WOMAN INVENTED TANKS?

There is another claimant to the credit of having originated the tanks, says the London Daily Chronicle. Mrs. E. C. Capron, the wife of a British officer, who possesses the old Highland gift of "second sight," was informed in a vision as long ago as February, 1915, of the need for movable forts in France, and the actual character of the machines required was revealed to her in some detail. With the aid of Capt. K. R. Paterson, now of the school of aeronauties in Egypt, she gave exhaustive expression to the idea in blue prints, which were bandied about between the war office, the almiralty and some technical officers finally getting lost. Mrs. Capron supported her claim with much letail of names and dates, and it is said that

Mr. Lloyd George is looking into it. A MAN OF INSIGHT.

Mrs. Blank-John, I spoke to papa about taking you into the business, but he says you have too many

vague ideas. John-That's very clever of him. My first wife's father used to say I had no ideas at all.—Boston Transcript.

BACK TO THE OLD HABITS.

"I suppose you'll be glad who peace is declared."

"Yes indeed. Won't it seem god to get back to talking about our neighbors and finding fault with the minister again?"

THE PREFERENCE.

"Is there anything you would rether have in the house thin a fireless cooker?"

"Certainly; a smokeless husband." INTELLECTUAL FOOD.

"When I went hone last night I found my wife devorting a novel." "That's nothing. I discovered my wife this morning eating a cereal."

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Those who have not paid their 1919 utomobile license tax are not in y matte for a penalty airendy but are subject to cr.minat prosecu troe and heavy punterment. This law will be etricity enterced, and all delicquents arrested and tried. Even it you have paid your heense tax you are warned to display the 1919 blue seal on your car as pro-Vided by saw, or else you will be entj of to arrest and prosecution

> B W Hatcherson, Sher ff and Tax Calector.

Mrs House of Austin is visiting her daugnier Miss Pearl House a the school faculty

National Bank examiner, was it

Bouers Monday. Mr and Mrs Bud Blis of Mes nard, were vielding reintione in So.

nora Sunday.

of the Womans Club. was to Smora Monday prospecting not to exceed \$900 per year

wi h a view to locating here. B B Bunbar who ranches 12

miles south of Sopora was in town Boone Kilpstrick of Sanderson,

Da Rio on business.

bome from Del Riv. Mrs R B. Maddox and son Gariand were in Ponora Saturday

lly

from the ranch visiting were in from the ranch Saturday debtedness = \$23 000.

Mr Huda, e b is slowly recove. iog from a severe illuees. Dr J S Hixon of San Ang lo, in Sonora Puesdey

was in Sonora Sunday in consultation with Dr. C R Carver in at- rai chmar was in Sonora caturday visit relatives at Barobart and San tendance on R H Casik.

Aogelo Saturday. Mrs. Gribert somes bet better Wednesday. eyed beauty

of supplies that has been must be a better and bound for two weeks.

was in Sonora Monday, spreading the Done Weedly. The former sunshine Dutch save the week the Style Shop and grave are coming up fire and the second will visit her all classes of stock are cotted week or

denghters Mis os Cyde and I am Holman and Mre Homer Bank were in Sonora Saturday from ranch in E . wards county.

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At Clarkson's Carage, Sonora

COMMISSIONERS COURT.

The Commencer Court was it eguiar session Monday with W. ing and E & Ling, J w william being present

mooth.

without is in be paid \$2.25 per priog. toy for 8 hours work

The exoffino salaries of the Jounty Jucgo, County and Distric The Womanless Wedding Mon Cerk and ther if to him alo at \$900 grounds what would be your day night Reb 24 n for the benefit per year. Ins County Treasurer mough? The proceeds of the their skill ad their victories the Dr W L Langiord of Menard, appoints received and paid out, will be used by the Womans Club Allies and on countrymed

The bid of the First National grounds Bank as County depository of 4 per cent on daiy balances was accepted and Bold approved.

was in bonora Monday curoute to Precinct 1 L I. Thorp and C. D people traded with him just be-Arthur J Bisel of San Angelo and don Kelley Precinc 3 J T buy Lie the same as to counties. was in Sonora Sunday, entoute Eubank and O to Thiers. Precent towns and homes. Make them at-

on assessing axes for 1919. There is nore than \$36 (00 to Wedging Feb. 24 h Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hudspeth the treasury and the bonded to

O car Appelt the ranchman was

W L Aldwell, president of the Angelo.

Kanneth B Cox of San Angelo. First National bank of Sonora and agent for the Didge car, was in D J. Wyatt one of the directors, Socora Monday, showing a new attended the District, Biokers conventional San Angelo Thursday

D H Mitchell dry goods man | Wade Grim and, who is attendfor E F. Vander Stucken left for ing the Howard-Payne college, at reported on da y with his Com- not know it I will get any medse Dallas and at Louis Wednesday, Brownwood, was taken ill with pneumonia last week Mrs. J. E Havder G. bert accompanied his Grimlend who left immediately to mother Mrs S O. Gi best to San attend her son writes that he is for the State Highway Commission caught up with me yet and the art

will visit her daugher Mrs Curt 8 T Gim re of the Moris- sailed was County Judge Hodges tion but there is one thing that is Allison for a lew days. Uncle Gilmore Hardware Co, returned and will resure at a later date, sure to please you and that it that Hayden says his neice is a b.u- worth Wednesday ac- He was a Lorado and attended no one west as sinher thanyour Gus Wheat the Edwards county and and Ted are maried and meane Monday and it is for many others and the same rancoman went to san Argeno Mon a set to attend A & V understand to a Commissioners So you were specting my home day to bring home his truck loss as the Gas e has come to make have the date for a road bond for Christian I do not blok we

Mass Tarab Smith and Mice E -Crawford B. Wardlaw of DelR

> Farme See I for honest loads of any word of wood Having and and a secondary. 51

COMMISSINNERS EEFUSE ASSISTANCE.

Houges, County Judge presid. Club at peared before the Commis victory was wu doners Court Tuesday and request 2. The Second division played a and W H Kelley commissioners and assistance in the matter of beau part of great m stary and bistoric of precincts 1, 2 and 4 respectively tifying the Court House grounds, importance inthis tremendicus en-The Court gave the ladies a courte | gag ment I fought five pitched The reports of the various of the various of the bearing and seemed location outles, alway defeating the enemy | The embargo is lifted and freight | Martin in Sustan county and 2. about 40000 feet of piping is now sele were X mined and approved to acquess in their wishes, and and it has we the right to have is sgain moving over the can Ao- 243 acres from D K McMullania at Del Rio waiting for the roads to 3 L Merck was at pointed count | they eft feeling assured that at inscribed on its bauber the names get o road. neep scab inspector at \$125 per last the County grounds would be of the buillat victories woo cy i Mrs. Jap Holman of Edwards Heger of Tutes, Os a, the noted location. The equipment is star. Wednesday the Woman's Cub flioers, 236, m-n, total 24 355 Dr C R C rver was appointed o nametre was no fied that the Pois was abut 10 per cent of the Have that home built now tests that will be made by Mr the fuel oil and supplied from the Ordered that road men and team 3 ub will keep up its work and ou 12 0.6 proders, over one quar- place than Sonora be paid \$5.5) per day and men concessor to start the work this 'er of the ttal number captured Hugh W Allen a photographer.

and made not effort to improve the to be allowed 21-2 per cent on Womaniess Wedding February 24 admiration ad graticade of our to start work on the Court House.

If a merchant had a large stock of goods and cobwebs were over E ection Jurges for the entuing the deors and windows you would (w) years were named as follows: Roow no did not advertise and that Wyatt. Precion 2 J M. Plokett cause they had no where else to 4 J A Sykes and J P Revey Pre tractive and beautiful The Wo cinc 5 A T Stort and E E Steen mans Club are out to make the Geo J Traner was ahowed \$5(A) C urt Bouse Park a green spot to the lown. Attend the Womaniese

Mr and Mr. M H Hearn and were in Sonora Tuesday. Or and arrive in the papers as we were at culture in tick eradication. It is W T lay the Edwards county nix. A izona, and Mrs. Rawie will At present there are quite a few sen of Ozona will represent the

> previously reported missing in so and 71 men, which is a record me tion Nov 4 h. was on January 17 other samy can come under. I o

A F Sayer of Pecos, engineer through. My records have for was in Sazora Saturday. He con- two battles have not come to aten by his wife Their the means of the County Com- son. However that is not abound election for an 1-sue of \$125,000.

DENTAL NOTICE.

Mrs. W. T. O. House and Design for the last here some more and a few fater Whe date.

McDonald, Del Ric, Texas.

THE MARINES GIVE GOOD then will be appreciated ACCOUNT OF THEMSELVES.

An Interesting Letter F.om Waltace Keenee.

Walfenasher, Geimily, Jan. 3. W B Keesse, Monora, Texas Dear Fainer and Mother: - R - by is a member perved rester from you toney of Nov 15 a it is and but am mighty gad to get them any way they ma corre to reach of death of Jin Bryung he was a mi niy fi e

he you say the ban is lifted on ettire out they still have by pass the coor. I would like the best in i ary michine At one time h the world to write and tell you! omening of faterest that I do and show that is would be

of two egiments of Mannes, 5 h definance of all established author and 6 had two of infatry 9 h rivy and the Americans should and 23rd has just received tom have at once run sway as so in as Maj. Gon L june, combanding they found they and how h ve a theer Zud avision an ores which parily in nees on post in he was as follow : General older No 1: To the Officers and Mea of the en by a Prustan force 37 per cen

The year that her just ended has been the most momen usus I the the Agrerious kept right on at the enemy was in e to mass a them such mineral stupidity is on muct. In Mach, April 200 and it is no wonder but they de way no struck powerful addvices caned to fight any torget with the with consumate ekili and charac Los Angeles limes. ter zer by a continuous battie of opparatied solviny and violence, A committee of the Weman's the enemy we deleated and the sutton County, Texas, office with prominent oil man has seased from name of the firm that has 170 ecc-

victor have arned by their vator the school building.

That the low Year may be a nappy one to all members of the myiston, ther ismines and their riends is my most earnest wish. (ignet) John A LeJeune,

Mrs. J. ff B. wie of San A. touto. I never read any account of the charge for the Department of Agri years with option of buying Mrs Hearn are on a trip to Proc- the front un the eleventa hour querstood that Inspector McSpar H. S orms, Pacoita, Color do. gade of Mariaes, was were possibly dection work. The War Department potified in more battles that any of the Mrs Josie McD mais by wire Tuse American troops, and 70 prisoners dey that her son Ger. M McD nad token by the cormy, the officer WARDLAW & ELLIOTT

or not I was clied at Chateu Thierry but do not think it wast

will leave bere before June and in a case like that I will be uckey to spend the next with you, but I have less than one more year to do in the Marses Tax X nas 1920 DR. C.R. CARVER, I we will the the sail.

We extend to get come liberty Physician & Curgeon. as February I will let you know mailes from Come a and are on the Weid river The montains here are like Describe Ever Be sure and give my megarde to all and say was seen and

Pgt. Wallace B. Keesea. 66 Co , 5th Reg U S M C

The 9th Infauiry mento ed in the Citation above of the 2:d I iv. ton is the regiment of which Geo furdoch McD insid another busins

AGAINST THE RULES.

Sim: German offi era have ag il got him briot over their criste smof the American so olers Prey s mpt would not fight in secor-The 2-3 revision which consists or white. This is in complete grimm pre-ene Os aroberos Ton Americana Ignomic lousiv greater to cumbers. In their cri annal ignorance of the rules of wal Century A vest ago toopitus- thesing the Germ us, charing the non was imposs. Ruser and bers of them 1000 their treaches R umania had been cou-bel and land taking their gins away from greatly experior tone on the west- pan'ul to the Prussan in I tariets. us blows in Phardy, Belgiomand Americans. "What aj yment i on the Chemi des Dimes Achie hera to fighting with a massive critica: bour its American fones gent who bever above then be is was p c did be he betse mes nekeo?" they would ere sim-is and on November Him, after in they could speak hogast, so they this week from Fort Woth and in Sonora Monday to business. flesive compaign by the Athe threw down their tools of terror C mmander i Caset, conducted and hised back toward Berlin,-

L Brason Agency

B. B. Hail, president of the Vest Texas Lumber Co. was in Senera Toursday from San Angelo

made to look attractive and at at Chatesti hierry, Solssons, St county is to rown this week the geologist who increas the famou dard to every way and four dril-County tick respector at \$125 per pie and visitors. However on wears The caustites was 732

County hearth officer at \$25 per Court had charged its views and countries of the American Phere is no apparent prospect of Lester in the development of here is no apparent prospect of would not a sist. The Woman's E pedemoury Forces It cap'ut ower prices and there is no better eases.

> oy the Am & Force. Is captured who has his office at the C-nual 3.3 cannon capent one quarter of Drug Store, San Argeio, is in fown If a man owned a \$50 000 home | ne total oppired by the A E F. | and will remain for a few days. The officer and men of the Di He came down to take viewe of Sutron. Schleicher and Crockett the wrk to etop and Mr Cart-

Mr. and Mrs R. E Billings, editors and publishers of the Menar! Messenger and Tesas Sheep and Grat Journal, were in Monoral Acqueeday enroute home from a visit to Del Rio

Fred G. Smith, the garage and A Miere a. 30 and \$40 Maj. Gen. U . M. C. C. mm anding rater man of Eldorado was in So-I waste the first and test battles ore Thursday. He says Eldorado R Cauthorn 75 coming two year or cerie which is beiter) for we has organ z d a business club with old beifers at \$40. went wer the top twice at each 8 mambers and Schleicher county place. I was myeel to three but Da joined the West Texas Chamare an succeeded to gathing the ne of Commerce. He says the if jettle each of the three times prepecte for a good year is most In the last (the Argonne-Mouse, enouraging and that the people of 30 mins from Argoone to the Me- the Divide intend making the very Wilson seven section ranch on the uer) de Corpe Commander toid us best use of the favorable seasons | South Divide for \$8 per sore

we aid accomplished what had B B Byrne, who has been cat neverdone before to history, that the ick inspector for the past two was that we had cut off and sur- years, has been ordered to Fred | rounded an eartie Germon Army enikaburg, where he will have tion improved ranch One to bree officers and men being a corated Fovernment in the finishing of Sonora Mercantile Co. Torought the entire was the Bri Spitton and Crockett counties ere-

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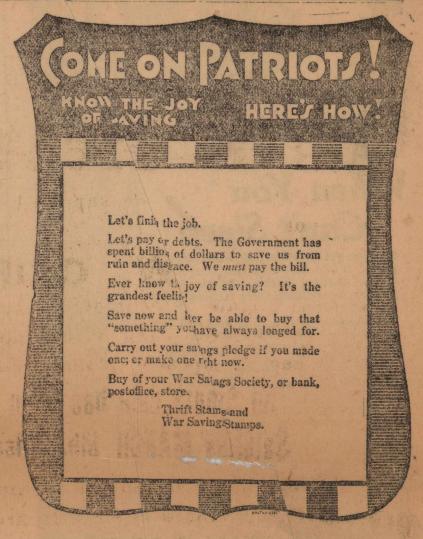
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OIL LEASES.

L. J. Wardlew of the hw fi m of Wardlew & E ion, rugmed G C. Cartwingh of Terrell, was they are bury rendering opnions deep test well to be drifted on the Frank Decker. Notray Public burgh Lester of Wichita, K. mas a The Cash O : Co . is the present county. 19 500 scres from Ocar poses Appelt in cutton and Edwards The detrick is up on the location

ACRES.

STOUR NEWS.

W E Hodges sold 75 coming ne and two year old steers to W

W. E Hodges bought from A

Sam McKee.

W. A Miers bought the Henry

WANT, TO LEASE.

Want to lease three to fiverec-

Reference Addison McDonald.

DRILLING ON THE WHITE. MEAD RANCH.

dan Aig lo. Judge Wardleweny. Mr Carcarignt is in charge of the in abstracts for oil leases me in Whitehear ranch in Val Verde this connection reports that Van- c unty 30 miles south of Songa. wyatt & Allisoo 17.80 scree. (he lions of land leased from the Whie Vander Sincken renet) in Suton beads for oil development pur-

counties, 6500 seres from J A for the test and the machinery and V. Verde county and that Dorsey dry sufficiently to be moved to the SOL MAYER LEASES 70,000 out rome soullow wells that gave from we five barrels of oil a day thinking to get sufficient for drill-So! Mayer of Balmorbes and log purposes in that way but the wher of the T haif circle ranch in dry weather and the war caused conducts is in Senera. Mr. Mayer wrigotwho was to charge then as has lessed his large holdings, 70000 now swe the C mpany has decid acres for oil development purposes ed to buy their fuel. The war made ir Cartwright a first lieu tenant and he was instructor in machin gunuerv at Campfuncton. Kana, then the armistice was sign ed and he obtained his discharge.

James Devine of Fort Worth who he been in the oil business from Pitteburg to Texas, was in Mrs E W Wall sold 100 ewes Sonom Tuesday. Mr Device was at \$42 50 and 50 mutions at \$8 to just out for his health and on his way to San Autoni'.

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RED CROSS ILETS.

The Executive Committee of the Sonora Chapter of the Red Cross meets on the first londay in every mooth.

RED CHOSS NURSES.

Eurolled Red Cross Nurses are desired for instructors in the Red Cross Course in Home Hygiene and tare of the Sick.

to oganize and conduct classes over the whole territory. The compunities where there are no restrent nurses will be taken care is sail, the hay-and-tar covering is in and for Sutton County, Texas, of by "Visiting Instructore"

Narses who are willing to act in this capacity will find a large field CLEAN ROADSIDES ARE BEST copy of An Order made by the open to them. a very interesting and worth while piece of work to Makes Road Look Much Prettier and County Fexas, on the 22nd day of be secomplished and will thus bable to extend their Red Cross

work will kind y communicate No it doesn't matter that you may re- Given under my band and seal with the Headquarters of the D.vi cere no cash payment for this service. of office, this the 2200 day of Janu mon, Frison Building, St Louis, Missouri, directing communications m. do our bit in many ways aside from sm. L. J. D. Lowrey, desting cash to worthy causes. Clerk of the District Court of Sutton to Department of Narsing.

Over Amost Pure Sand Roads in Wisconsin.

in passing over them either in dry vote decide cherwise weather & in wet weather. Numerous It is further ordered by the Court make then passable, the most promising of wich at present appears to be itehed for our consecutive weeks a covering of hay and tar. Last sum in the Davi's River News, a news. The Division Office is preparing treated with this combination. After a few weeks of usage it was found to Texas. have wthstood the wear of traffic and THE STATE OF TEXAS. a streth over a mile in length was given similar application. So far, it vearing in a very astisfactory manner.

Takes Very Little Time-Payment Not in Cash.

Why not mow the weeds along the Any name interested in this willook. It only takes a few minutes. pages 129 and 130. fiel the world a bit is pay. And we ary A.D., 1919.

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SUBSCRIPT ON \$2 A YEAR IN ADVANCE

r ex s. - February 15, 1:19.

LOGAL OPTION ELECTION

ORDE 4. THE STATE OF TEXAS. County of Sutton.

Be it remembered that on this the 22nd day of January, A D 1919 at a Special Session of the Commissioners' Court of Sutton County, Texas, colled for the pur pose of cinvassing the returns f the Lucai Option Election hereb fore ordered by this Court, and held on the 11th day of Jarury, A D. 1919, at the several voing places in Sutton County, Texas. for the purpose of determing whether or not the sale of intoxicating liquors shall be probibited within said Sutton County, Texas under the provisions of Title 88 Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas. Articles 5715 to 5730 in-

And the Court having canvassed said returns, find that 149 votes were cast at said election, and that 114 votes were polled "For Prohibition", and 35 votes were polled "Against Prohibition", and that a m-jority of said votes were in favor of Probibition.

It is therefore ordered by the Court that the sale of intoxicating liquors within said Sutton County, l'exas, shall be absolutely probibited, except or the purposes USE TAR AND HAY COVERING and under the regulations specified in said Title88, Revised Statu-Found to Wear Quite Satisfactoril) tes of State of Texas. Articles 5715 to 5730 melusife, until such time as the qualified voters of said In Wisconsin there are several long stretches of almost pure sand roads Considerable difficulty is experienced held for that jurpose by a m jurity

County of Sutton.

1. J. D Lowrey, County Cierk do bereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct Commissioners' Court of Sutton January, A D , 1919, as the same appears of record in the Micutes roaside? How much prettier the road of said Court, in Volume 2, or

County, Texas.

Hun Ships Should Replace Vessels Sunk by U-Boats.

Strlen Machinery Being Used by the German Factories, Together With Destroyed Property, Must

Be Replaced.

By WRIGHT A. PATTERSON. might help fight the battle of civilization and defeat the selfish ambitions zation for which we were fightin,; I reached a naximum of 100 mibs an the depredations of Germany. hour; I say them die of exposire as bodies consgned to the water of the broad Atlatic; in the convy with! which I crosed one of the slips went down in the storm, carrying with it nearly five hundred of these American soldies.

And thee things happened because the Germin people lad run amuck, driven tolt by a selish ambition for world domination and loot.

Are thee people to escape a just

Mist Pay for Many Crimes. Should the people who were respon- ish, wanton war is unprofitable.

rebuilding the destroyed cities and towns and villages so far as that can be done. Germany was able to do without the constructive labor of millions of her men while they were engaged in destroying these cities, towns and villages, and now let her continue to do without this constructive labor while her men rebuild that which they MUST PAY AND PAY AND PAY have so wantonly destroyed. Germany's men have been satisfied to work at the destructive trade of the soldier for the meager pay of a German soldier, and now let them be emploved at constructive work in the sections they have destroyed, for the same neager pay, and this to be paid

by Gemany. The German people have stolen from More than two million American sol- Belgum and France much of the madiers crossed the Atlantic that they chiery and other valuable and portabe property they found in the invaded districts. Much of the stolen maof the people of the German nation. clinery is running today in German I crossed the ocean in a convoy which actories, and with it the German peocarried some thirty thousand of these ple are earning a livelihood while the men, and for nearly fourteen days it people of Belgium and northern France was my privilege to share with them are idle because of a lack of opporthe dangers of the sea and the dar tunity. German employers are progers of the German submarines. I say pared to reap a trade harvest as soon these men crowded into the hold of as they are again allowed to enter the small ships that they might the mee field of world trade because they have quickly go to the rescue of that citlithis machinery. With it they can capsaw them is they were tossed sout by the French and Belgian employers, ture the markets that have been held by the terrile seas driven by gale that who have been put out of business by

the seas bea in upon them; I say their machinery and other property should The immediate return of this stolen be forced, and where its return is not possible it should be replaced with equivalent machinery from German factories, and the machinery and property destroyed should be replaced in the same way just so far as that is

Force Payment for All Damage.

These methods will pay but a small part of the debt of the Geramn peoretributio? Are they to escape pay- ple to the world, but they will aid in BUILD SPLIT-LOG ROAD DRAG some degree in undoing what the Huns I saw n Europe the mourning rel- have so ruthlessly done. Along with Main Point to Remember is That Deatives of women and chiliren who these should be a money compensation had perished in the Irish sea because for the nations that have suffered so of the depredations of a German U- cruelly at the hands of the German boat. Tlese womer and children were nation and the German people. A montraveling in a merciant ship on peace- ey compensation the payment of which ful errands, but hey were sent to should be extended over a period of their daths without warning, and many, many years, that not only the without any opportunity of being present, but future generations of the German people may learn, from the effort that is needed to pay, that self-

sible or these deaths of women and Judging from the German prisoners not believe that the Germans are today That civilization which defeated the a repentant people. They feel that



Yankee Doughboys, Mopping Up Ground Captured From Germans in the Forest of Argonne, huse for Rest Among Shattered Stumps of Once Beautiful Grove.

But how shall Germany pay? She on the people of the world. ible property she has stolen.

should be given to the neutral nathus profitable. to replace those the German U-bats destroyed. Germany should be fored STEEL DRUM REMOVES BARK to recompense these nations ton or ton so far as her merchant marine will accomplish that. Germany's ship yards and German labor should be forced to build more ships with which to replace the merchant vessels of both neutral

the haards of their reclamation.

Let te German youth, paid by Ger- carries them away.

for the crimes committed on sea and ple, but many of them expressed the lard. She must pay for the lives and thought that there would come a time the ships lost at sea, and sie must pay of reckoning for the world when Gerfo the terrible destruction of lives and many would come into her own and poperty she caused on land. German "kultur" would be forced up

hs not the money now with which to It will take many, many years to pplace the ships or rebuild the Fench | breed out of the German people their nd Belgian cities and towns o re- present ideas of world conquest, and lace the machinery and other alu- this can only be accomplished by making the generations yet to come pay But Germany has ships and pop- and pay until they, too, have learned erty and labor, and with these she that war for selfish purposes, war to can pay a part. Germany's slips gratify selfish ambitions, can never be

Labor-Saving Device That Does the Work of Many Men, and Does It Rapidly and Well.

and allied rations sunk by German by a pulp manufacturer is a big re-A new labor-saving device employed volving drum in which a number of German later should be put to work logs are placed and tumbled about uninder guard of allied troops in the til all the bark has been removed, prefelds of France and of Belgium that paratory to grinding them up for pulp. tlese fields nay again be put under This method of handling, says Eleccultivation. Germany has for genera- trical Experimener, does away with tions called her youth to the colors the task of removing the bark with fortraining as soldiers, and with these knives. The drun is 30 feet long and soldiers she las attempted to destroy about 10 feet in dimeter, and is comthe reedom of the world. Let her con- posed of angle-iron strips fastened intinu to call ler youth to the colors, side metal hoops, me edge of each but instead of having gaus put in strip projecting inward and throwing theirhands let them be put behind the the logs about. Net only does the plowin Belgiun and France that they drum dispense with he labor of sevmay emove the unexploded shells with eral men, but it saves a considerable which these once fertile fields are amount of wood which is wasted by resown. Germany is responsible for the moving the bark in the old way. The condition of these fields, and the Ger- labor involved in handling the logs is man pople should be forced to accept further reduced by using a conveyor which brings them to the drum and

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Notice to Trespassers.

Notice is bereby given that all responses on my ranch east of

w s will be Sopore, Texas,

Six Years Ago, Thinking She Might Die, Says Texas Lady, But Now She La Well Strong Woman and Praises Cardui For Her Recovery.

birth of my little girl ... my side commenced to hurt me. I had to go back was unbearable... I was in bed for three months and suffered such agoly that I was just drawn up in a knot ..

I told my husband if he would get me a bottle of Cardui I would tryit... sche, pains in sides, or other discom-I commenced taking it, however, that forts, each month? Or do you feel many days unless I had a chinge for trial.

Royse City, Tel.-Mrs. Mary Kil- | the letter. That was six years and man, of this place, says; "After the and am still here and are a well. string woman, and I owe my life to Cardui, I had only taken half the pttle when I began to feel better. to bed. We called the doctor. He he misery in my side got less... I treated me...but I got no better. I continued right on taking the Cardul got worse and worse until the miser, until I had taken three bottles and I did not need any more for I was well and never felt better in my life ... I have never had any trouble from that day to this."

Do you suffer from headache, backevening I called my family about weak, nervous and fagged-out? If so, me... for I knew I could not last give Cardui, the woman's tonic, a

vice Should Be Faced With a Strip of Old Iron.

Everybody knows about the splitlog road drag and the cut here shown is so clear that it needs little explanation. The main points to be remembered are that a part of the front portion of the drag should be ficed with a strip of iron (an old wagor tire will do) and the hitch so arranged that the drag will move along at in anglechilden escape withou punishment with whom I talked in France, I do always pushing the loose drt toward



the center of the road. The occasional use of this drag on any road will certainly improve it and no farmer will make a mistake in constructing one and using it on the highways that pass through his farm.

FARMER NEEDS GOOD ROADS

Motor Has Extended His Sphere of Operation Until 100 Miles Doesn't Worry Him.

There is a reason for American tardiness in road building. We need not be utterly downcast when we hear our highways unfavorably compared with the fine, smooth roads of Europe. We must remember that European highways were hundreds of years in the making and in periods when roads were the sole means of transportation, both civil and military. There were no railroads, no electric lines, no wire communication. Road building was the essence of commercial life and communication.

America started almost with the railroad and the steamboat. Comparatively a few years later we had the telegraph. Our roads were neglected because they were only loal in character. Our railroads and telegraph enabled us to leap the cenuries. But now we are confronted by a new need. It is the need for better local transportation, says Chicago Tribune Where formerly the farner was content with a few miles of lirt roads for his local traffic, he now requires hundreds of miles, for his area has ex panded with the advent of gasoline.

A few years back here was the protest that good roads was merely the argument of the attomobilist, a species restricted chiefly to metropolitan districts. A part of that argument still obtains—that rood roads is the demand of the auomobilist: but the automobilist is the farmer The motor has extended his sphere of operation until 100 miles is d no more concern to him than was ten before.

FOR GOOD SPRING HIGIWAYS

One Big Item in Preparednes Pro gram is to Clean Outside Diches During Autumn.

Winter weathering may be grat for the farmers' flelds, but it's hard or the road.

The best way to prevent exreme weathering of the road is to clear out the side ditches before freezing wath er sets in and to keep the road sur face in condition so that it will fleeze up in a well-dragged condition.

Cleaning the side ditches will allow the water to run off and avoid the possibility of the road freezing in a saturated condition. Dragging the road to a smooth surface will elim inate possible water pockets and al low the water to escape in the side ditches

Notice to Trespassers.

Notice is hereby given that al trespasserson my ranch 21 miles south of Somrs for the purpose of Somers for the purpose of cutting cutting timbe, hauling wood, worktimber, busing wood or hunting ing live stock, hunting hogs or toge without my permission, will injurying fences, without my perbe prosecuted to the full extent o' mission, will be prosecuted to the full extens of the ave.

SPECIAL SATES.



GOOD ROADS FOR MILITARY

Smooth Highways Imperative in Proper Movement of Army Equipment Along Coasts.

It is generally recognized by goverament officials, especially those of the army, that one of the most important phases of real military preparedness that can possibly be undertaken in this country is that which is going on under the impetus of the good roads movement. The federal aid road act which was signed by President Wilson last summer will probably play an important part in this same interest. An appropriation of \$75,000,000 has been provided for in this act for use in constructing rural post-roads, while the various states are to co-operate in providing a like fund.

It is planned thus for an expenditure of \$150,000,000 on such reads within the next five years. Although the roads are intended primarily for the purpose of developing the re sources of the national forests, and in the interest of agriculture and other peaceful enterprises, some study is now being made of their practical use in the interest of military prepared

A good road, well built, well surfaced and well drained may be, it is pointed out, of immense value from a military point of view. In the location of roads, particularly along the shore, special attention to military require ments in the laving out and planning of a highway may prove of inestimabl value at some time in the future when that highway becomes a military road.

From an economic standpoint it is estimated that it costs 23 cents to haul a ton a mile on the average country road under present conditions, while under proper conditions the cost would be but 13 cents. While these figures measure a direct cost, there is an even greater indirect cost to consider with bad roads when the farmer must pian his operations according to the

It is a matter of special interest that at the present time roads on the Pacific coast and those in some of the important Atlantic states which



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would be of particular use for effective military purposes in defending our coasts are already in very good condition. There is one trunk road which runs all the way from southern California up through Oregon, with many smaller reads branching from it, that is said to be in the best of condition.

Yet it is a matter of regret that the unsurfaced roads of the United States if laid out in a straight line would, it is estimated, girdle the earth at the equator more than eighty times, while the surfaced roads would reach but one-fourth that distance. However, there has been greatly increased expenditures for road building and maintenance in the last decade and there is now a more hopeful outlook with the five-year construction program provided under the federal aid act.



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