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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE
First National Bank of Sonora, at Sonora,
in the State of Texas at the close of business May 12, 1919.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts (except those shown on b and c)	\$435,567.98
Total loans	445,67.98
Deduct:	
Note and bills rediscounted (other than bank acceptances sold) (see Item 5 a)	50,517.25
Overdrafts, secured	20,517.25
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation (par value)	1,239.32
U. S. Bonds and certificates of indebtedness pledged as collateral or State or other deposits or bills payable	\$70,000.00
U. S. Bonds and certificates of indebtedness owned and unpledged	5,000.00
a Liberty Bonds, 3 1/2, 4, and 4 1/2 per cent, unpledged	1,470.50
b Liberty Loan Bonds, 3 1/2, 4, and 4 1/2 per cent pledged to secure U. S. deposits	19,300.00
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription)	20,670.50
10. a Value of Banking House	2,500.00
b Equity in banking house	2,500.00
Furniture and fixtures	2,300.00
Real estate owned other than banking house	2,400.00
Legal reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	23,106.69
Cash in vault and net amounts due from national banks	67,210.20
Net amounts due from banks and bankers and trust companies	
a U. S. Bonds 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, and 18	73,258.17
Total of Items 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18	6,957.87
Checks on banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank and other cash items	131.93
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	4,000.00
Interest earned but not collected—approximate—on notes and bills receivable not past due	988.85
War Savings Certificates and Thrift Stamps actually owned	183.89
23. If final payment of 10 per cent on \$1,000.00 Victory Liberty Bonds	100.00
Total	\$596,132.08

LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$100,000.00
Surplus fund	70,000.00
Undivided profits	\$25,033.18
Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid	6,802.36
Interest and discount collected or credited, in advance of maturity and not earned [approximate]	3.53
Circulating notes outstanding	70,000.00
Net amounts due to National Banks	1,381.12
Cashier's checks on own bank outstanding	16,216.94
Total of Items 32, 33, 34 and 35	17,598.03
Individual deposits subject to check	270,203.69
Total demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, Items 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40 and 41	270,303.60
45. Other time deposits	9,173.48
Total of time deposits subject to Reserve, Items 42, 43, 44 and 45	9,173.48
a War I and deposit accounts	\$1,000.00
c Other United States deposits, including deposits of U. S. disbursing officers	6,750.00
50. Bills payable, other than with Federal Reserve Bank, including all obligations representing money borrowed, other than rediscounts	20,000.00
Total	\$596,132.08
57. Liabilities for rediscounts, including those with Federal Reserve Bank [see Item 1d]	50,517.25
Total contingent liabilities [57 a, b, and c]	50,517.25

I, W. L. Aldwell, President of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
W. L. Aldwell, Pres dent.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of May 1919.
[Seal] Frank Decker, Notary Public, Sutton County, Texas.
Correct-Attest:
W. L. Aldwell,
E. C. Sawyer,
Geo. S. Allison,
E. F. Va der stueken, Directors.

Recapitulation.

Loans and discounts	\$426,807.20
U. S. Bonds	70,000.00
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	5,100.00
Liberty Bonds	20,770.50
Furniture, Fixtures and Other real estate	7,200.00
Cash in Banks and Vault	97,097.96
Revenue and War Saving Stamps	185.89
Five per cent fund	3,500.00
U. S. Certificates of Indebtedness	5,000.00
Total	\$645,661.65

LIABILITIES.	
Capital Stock	\$100,000.00
Surplus Fund and Undivided Profits	91,337.05
Circulation	70,000.00
Deposits	312,289.16
United States	14,910.00
Banks	1,381.12
Individual	295,998.04
Bills payable	20,000.00
Re-discounts	50,517.25
Reserved for taxes	1,518.10
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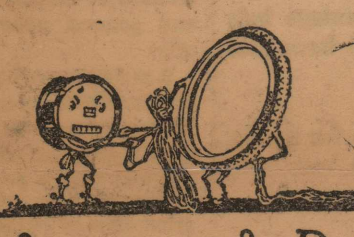
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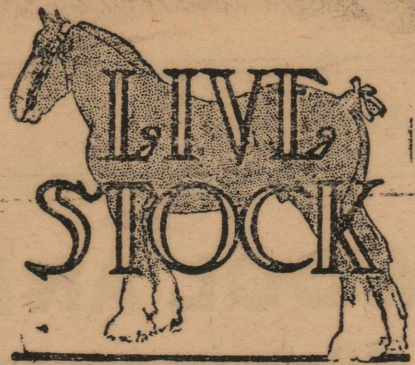
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VOTE TO KEEP SONORA ON THE MAP

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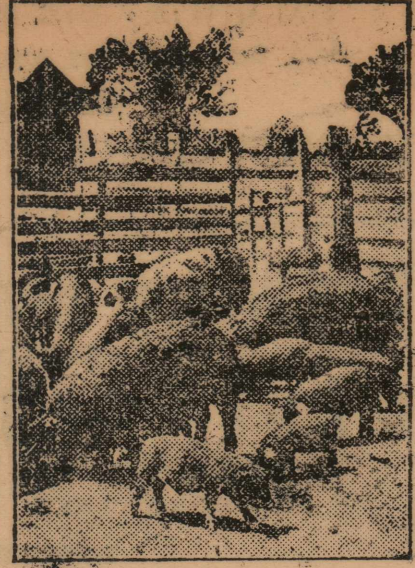


LIVE STOCK

LOCATIONS FOR HOG RAISING
 Well-Drained Farm Possessing Rich Soil That Will Produce Forage Is Desirable.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

An ideal location is on a well-drained farm possessing a rich soil that will produce grasses and other forage as well as the grains needed for fattening the hogs. This does not mean, however, that only those farmers holding rich, level lands should raise hogs, for as a matter of fact hogs are most easily fattened on farms that are somewhat rolling. For the production of forage crops the rolling farm is often as good as the level one, and it often has the added advantage of shade and



INCREASE THE MEAT SUPPLY OF THE NATION BY FINISHING THE HOG CROP.

A better water supply. The hill farmer does not have the best situation in all things, but in many instances he has certain advantages which he does not appreciate.

It is an advantage to locate in a hog-raising community. There are many small problems in management which may be learned through actual experience in one's own community. In such cases the older breeders have for a long time been in contact with local conditions, and a new man may profit by their experiences without spending several years acquiring one of his own. Then, too, if a whole community works for a certain grade or breed of hog, it can obtain a reputation for its product as a community such as an individual never could hope to win. When the buyers learn that a type or breed of hog which they desire is to be obtained in unlimited numbers in a certain locality, they will naturally turn there first to buy the animals. All of which tends to increase the difficulties of growing and marketing for the small breeder.

The question of a market must always be considered, especially the facilities for reaching it and the type of hog it demands. Most communities have been successfully connected with the large central markets by the railroads, but these will be of little avail if the roads to the stations are poor. Good roads are of inestimable importance, for, among other things, they enable the farmer to market his products at any and all times, thus taking advantage of any favorable fluctuation in the market prices. As to the type of hog the market demands, that must be determined by local inquiry, but in order to bring the highest market prices hogs must be well finished and fat. The greatest demand is for 200 to 300 pounds hogs, and farmers generally obtain the most profit by marketing their hogs at weights ranging from 250 to 300 pounds.

MARTIN'S SCREW WORM KILLER
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R. Walter Davis bought two yearling Hereford bulls from J. Will Wilson of Sonora at \$100 each.

Harry Sharp raised 760 kids out of 770 on the Savell ranch this spring. But then he had the assistance of his son John.

B. W. Hutcherson bought from T. B. Adams' 900 yearling, shor lambs, at \$9.50. These were the Glasgow lambs.

T. B. Adams, Sonora Rambouillet sheep breeder, received Saturday six yearling and two year old rams bred by A. Orth of McGuffey, Ohio. They are fine animals and selected for the density of fleece. He sold them to Wyatt & Allison for \$250.

Dr. D. H. Bennett, the veterinarian at the Sonora Experiment Station expects to be at the Station next July and while in this locality the Doctor will make calls in emergency cases and experimentally would like to have cases of big head or timber leg or other diseases brought to him at the Station. Ranch people should avail themselves of Dr. Bennett's knowledge while he is here.

BUCKS FOR SALE.
 I have 100 Merino Bucks for sale, yearling up, can be seen at my ranch 1 mile south of Sonora. M. K. MURPHY.

For some time there has been increasing interest among the wool and mohair growers of the Sonora Country in the advisability of organizing and erecting a warehouse for the consolidating of the clips of this country. The movement has the endorsement and encouragement of the business men of Sonora and it would not be surprising to learn that organization will be undertaken at an early date. The sheep and goat raisers of the Sonora Country correctly estimate their products of wool and mohair to be of sufficient volume and individual character to warrant their obtaining the price the quality of their product should bring. The stockmen of the Sonora Country more universally strive to breed and grow the best and, in this particular the cattle, wool and mohair are known and recognized as a class in the markets and by buyers.

LIVE STOCK NOTES

It is a well and quite generally known and recognized fact that the serum treatment properly administered will immunize cattle against blackleg.

Keep an eye open for those fat, plump, young pigs that do not come out of their nest for exercise. They are the ones that are apt to have the thumps.

To feed the pigs from the trough, arrange a creep so the pigs can go to the trough to eat without being interfered with by the sows.

No cow's color has ever caused her to produce one pound more of milk or one pound more of butterfat.

Animals should have enough room in barns and under sheds so they will be comfortable.

Keep plenty of clean, fresh water before the brood sows at all times.

Good pasture lands are the basis of successful dairy farming.

The water supply is of paramount importance in raising animals.

DISCRIMINATION.

"It isn't fair the advantage lady candidates for office will have over us men after July."

"What is that?"

"They can offer a kiss for a vote, and we can't even come back with the offer of a drink."

AGE LIMIT.

"Don't you think I am too old to dance these new jazz steps?"

"No," replied the man who expresses himself positively. "Anybody is young enough to dance 'em who isn't old enough to know better."

NO BOLSHEVIKI.

"I hope I shall never see the day—"

"What now?"

"When it will be considered a disgrace to have money."

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MUCH REVEALED BY UNIFORM

Opportunity Just Now Given to Study the Legs of American Manhood Should Be Seized.

We trust that the inquiring scientists will make use of the opportunity granted them by the present styles in army uniforms to study the legs of American manhood. Such another opportunity may not come again in generations.

Variety, we have casually observed, is the keynote of our national underpinnings—or "should" we say keystone? The prevailing order seems to be the stanch, heavily muscled, capable-looking legs which sculptors place under the bodies of William Penn and Benjamin Franklin. But we have noted legs which flared out like wishbones; legs that interfered; legs that must have made trouble in the necessary establishment of support for puttees; legs which suggested vaguely the fluted columns of Florentine architecture. We recall the sight of one amazing youngster whose trunk was of the thinness of a crane and whose legs, far out of proportion to their required labor, were as thick and straight and unbroken of line as a poplar tree fairly along in years.

And there was a truck driver who must constantly have felt the impulse to fold his legs up under him; one saw plainly that he had been trained to an occupation wherein the oriental method of sitting is tradition and law.—Exchange.

TRUE TO FORM TO THE END

Hun Spies in Switzerland Fall Over Each Other to Get Away From Sinking Ship.

I visited Switzerland at a critical time, observes Isaac F. Marcossin on the Saturday Evening Post. The Kaiser was about to pass into eclipse, and with him the myth of Germanic power. I saw Germans everywhere; heard their language spoken on all sides; and again stood on the banks of the Rhine and looked over into that land of the deepening shadow.

In some respects it was like being in Germany itself. The solicitude of the German spies for my baggage, and more especially the papers that it contained, continued. Those Swiss who had backed the wrong horse in the early days of the war were piling up on the band wagon of the winners.

At Bern, for example, a German secret service agent masquerading as head waiter in a leading hotel leaned over me as he served my luncheon and said: "At last we've got them, sir."

There was humor as well as significance in the swift turn around of the rats who scuttled fast from the sinking ship.

PAINT PROTECTION AND ITS ECONOMY.

The preservation of structural materials, which may be obtained through the application of paint, constitutes a most vital means of furthering the conservation of our natural resources. It is, moreover, the most economical method of sustaining the appearance and general upkeep of any community.

A structure coated with sheets of Indiarubber would not be as well protected from decay as a structure coated with a good oil paint. This is due to the fact that a sheet of rubber is not so durable or as waterproof as a thin dried film of paint. The latter material when applied dries to a continuous elastic film containing finely divided particles of metallic, wear resisting pigments. A square foot of such a film upon a wooden surface costs less than a penny, yet it will beautify and protect a dollar's worth of surface for many years. This is a low rate of insurance.

Dwellings, barns, outbuildings, sheds, posts, fences, stock enclosures, wagons, implements, windmills and other structures, whether of wood, iron or cement, should be preserved, through the use of paint, from rapid decay. High grade paint may be used successfully for all such purposes. Colored paints will be found the most serviceable, the coloring matter in the paint adding from two to three years to the life of the coating.

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HOW CLEOPATRA'S NEEDLE WAS SAVED

New Process Invented to Preserve Surface of Monolith in Central Park.

HIEROGLYPHS OBLITERATED.

Rigors of Western Climate Caused Khedive's Gift to Disintegrate. Painting Ancient Obelisk With Special Preparation Stopped Decay—Ruined Portions Restored.

New Yorkers awoke one morning to find in their breakfast headlines the news that a zealous park employee had discovered signs of disintegration on the surface of the city's most treasured antique—Cleopatra's Needle. Photographs revealed that the monolith was peeling, large pieces of sandstone having fallen from the tall shaft, carrying with them part of the prized hieroglyphs.

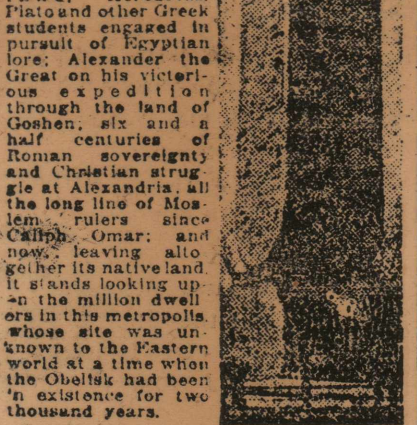
London's twin sister of Cleopatra's Needle was reported as resting comfortably and enduringly on the banks of the Thames, and the rival park workers found whether a preparation would be found to stay the attacks of their harsher climate.

THE OBELISK

The Obelisk was presented to the City of New York by the Khedive of Egypt, Lieutenant Commander Corning, U. S. N., after a three years' stay in London, and was placed in possession of it and moved to its present position at an expense of nearly \$100,000. It was finally swung into position at noon, Jan. 22, 1881.

The height of this monument from base to tip is 218 feet, 2 inches. The measurements of the square through its axis is 1 foot, 5 1/2 inches. The entire weight of the monolith is 215 tons.

Since it was quarried near the torrid zone, it has traversed the entire length of the Mediterranean Sea and the Atlantic Ocean—a distance of 8,400 miles—proving to be a great rate traveler for one whose age has exceeded a thirty-five centuries in the course of its existence. It has seen the fall of the Roman Empire, the rise of the Mohammedans, the conquest of Jerusalem, the Crusades, the fall of the Holy Land, Herodotus, Ptolemy and other Greek students engaged in pursuit of Egyptian lore. Alexander the Great on his victorious expedition through the land of Goshen, six and a half centuries before the birth of Christ, and the Roman sovereignty and Christian struggle at Alexandria, all the long line of Mohammedan rulers since Caliph Omar; and now leaving its native land to stand looking up at the million dwellers in this metropolis whose site was unknown to the Eastern world at a time when the Obelisk had been in existence for two thousand years.



by Dr. William Kuckro, chemist of the Metropolitan Museum of Art. Many years previous coating with paraffin had been tried, but the application had not entirely accomplished its purpose. The new painting process, however, proved a success. Disintegration was halted and the damaged parts restored. New York breathed easily again.

BE CAREFUL

Max—They say that a real gentleman can be told by the way he sits down.

Dax—Sits down on the ice, do you suppose it means?

WHY PUBLISH IN GERMAN?

Writer Makes Plea for Dissemination of Scientific Literature in the English Language.

It has been the habit of most of our English and American scientists, as well as those in other countries, to publish their discoveries first in German and then (if they get to it) to publish in their own language, writes Frank A. Spragg in Science.

A few years ago, when desiring an English translation of a German four-volume work on the breeding of fish-crops, the present writer located translators, took up the matter with the publisher and looked for an English publisher. The American publishing houses agreed that the data should be in English, but considered that they would not sell enough copies to pay for the undertaking.

It is not about time that the English-speaking people see to it that the scientific literature be published in English? Germany has furnished public funds when the publisher of technical data was not able to sell enough copies to make a profit. Can't the English-speaking people do as well?

CONGRESS OF VIENNA, 1814—FIRST SESSION.

Europe, One Hundred Years Ago, Tried to Piece the World Together Again After Napoleon's Exile to Elba, but His Plans Were Broken in the Making by the Return of the One-Time Emperor of France.

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FAMOUS PEACE TREATIES

By H. IRVING KING

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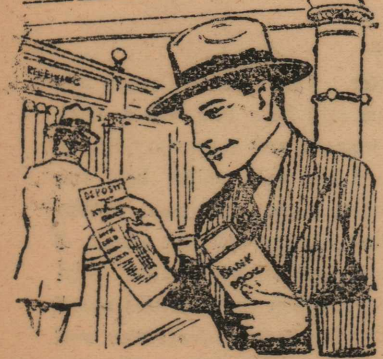
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THE METHODISTS OVER SUBSCRIBE QUOTA.

The Sonora Methodist Church went over the top Monday morning in the campaign to raise \$25,000.00 by the Methodist Episcopal Church South, known as the Missionary Centenary. The quota for the Sonora Methodists based on membership was \$4,455 and this amount was exceeded by over \$100. Presiding Elder Perry at San Angelo when notified Monday morning stated that Sonora was the first church in the district to go over the top but stated that it was in keeping with Sonora's record in commercial as well as church affairs. The quota was raised exclusively by the Methodist members and no assistance was asked of out siders. This was as it should be as the fund is strictly a denominational affair.

LOYALTY ACT IS UPHOLD IN THE CASE OF R. E. MECKEL.

Austin, May 21.—The Texas loyalty act, which declared disloyal speech while the United States is at war a felony, was upheld by the court of criminal appeals today in the habeas corpus proceedings of Ben F. Meckel of Sutton county. The court says the law observes the recognized limitations of the right of free speech.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bryson visited in San Angelo this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo Savell and daughter Miss Velma Savell were visitors in San Angelo this week.

Mrs. Cusenberry and daughter Miss Hattie B. Cusenberry are in town for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Holland of Blackwell are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Benson.

Mrs. J. H. McDonald of Center Point is here on a visit to her son Addison McDonald of the Sonora Mercantile Co.

Miss Maggie Rees of Center Point is visiting her aunt Mrs. R. J. Ridley on the ranch seven miles east of Sonora.

Miss Estelle McDonald returned this week from a most enjoyable visit to her brother Dr. J. A. McDonald of Del Rio.

M. F. Bardwell, the cattle tick eradication inspector in charge of the work in Sutton and Schleicher counties was in Sonora this week. He says the work is going to be satisfactory this season.

Dr. and Mrs. H. K. Hinde of San Angelo are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Keene on the ranch 25 miles east of Sonora. Dr. Hinde has recently returned from overseas service.

The report of the condition of the First National Bank of Sonora should be read as it is the best index to the commercial standing of the community. It will be noticed that the loans and discounts are \$436,000 while the capital, surplus and undivided profits are \$190,000, and deposits \$312,000. The resources of the bank being \$645,000.

SPUD IN NEAR UVALDE.

W. D. Chiles of Espanola, N.M., treasurer of the Century Oil Co., of Santa Fe, N.M., was in town Monday. Mr. Chiles stated that his company would spud in on the Houston ranch near Uvalde on May 25. Mrs. Chiles accompanied him to Sonora.

HOME MADE ICE CREAM.

Will be in operation about Tuesday May 20. First class in all respects. Call at the Drug Store and Horse Palace and try it. Patrons: Home industry. Chas. E. Davidson, prominent lawyer, ranchman and Judge of Crockett county, was over from Ozona Monday on business. There are eight oil drilling contracts in Crockett county and they are so placed that the county will receive a good test.

Sallow complexion is due to a torpid liver. BERBINE purifies and strengthens the liver and bowels and restores the rosy bloom of health to the cheek. Sold by the Sonora Drug Co.—Adv.

Jess T. Evans while in Sonora this week bought a lot in East Sonora and has placed an order for a \$4,000 home to be erected thereon. Mr. and Mrs. Evans had visited Del Rio and Uvalde looking for a location but finally selected Sonora in preference.

RECRUITING.

The Commanding Officer of troops stationed at Del Rio or instructions from the War Department has inaugurated an intensive campaign for recruits for the United States Army. This campaign will cover the territory within a radius of one hundred miles of Del Rio, and will be additional to, and a separate campaign from that instituted locally some time ago. The recruiting drive here will continue enlistments as heretofore.

An officer has been detailed to conduct the campaign for towns within the hundred mile limit. He will take a recruiting party with him and will establish headquarters at each town on certain dates to be advertised in advance where prospective recruits may get the information they desire regarding just what the Army offers. A preliminary tour of the territory named, will be made during the current week for the purpose of making proper arrangements at the various towns for bringing to the attention of all the exceptional opportunities offered by the Army just at this time. The towns of Rock Springs, Sonora and Ozona will be visited by this advanced party between the dates of May 19 and 22. The following week the same towns will be visited by the recruiting party proper.

Space is not available to mention all the exceptional opportunities that the NEW ARMY offers the men of the country. The Army has always been one of the Nation's noblest institutions. But the experience of the late great war has broadened its field of usefulness. "Uncle Sam" does not intend to make of the "New Peace Army" a fighting machine only; he intends to do that, and to do more. He intends to make it a high school that will educate, broaden, and improve, those who have the honor of wearing the uniform, so that when their periods of enlistment shall have expired, they will be fitted to re-enter civil life with skilled training in their chosen work.

And while he trains them, he will pay them, subsidize them, clothe them, quarter them, and broaden them by introducing them to the wonders of the world thru travel. The pay of a soldier, including allowances, exceeds the average pay of the average man in civil life. An examination of statistics proves that. The life of a soldier, aside from being useful, is fascinating, satisfying, and highly attractive.

The campaign for recruits above mentioned is primarily to obtain recruits for the Army generally. Incidentally an attempt will be made to obtain recruits for assignment to the 3rd U.S. Infantry, the oldest regiment in the Army, with a glorious history, which is now stationed on the border. That regiment has been assigned to the Texas Division whose permanent station will be at San Antonio. Texans will be at home in it.

Men between the ages of 18 and 40 will do well to watch for the arrival of the recruiting party, and obtain first hand information as to just what the United States Army—"The Nation's Greatest Father"—has to offer the youth of the land.

The recruiting party will be in Sonora Monday and Tuesday May 26 and 27. When the recruiting officers visit Sonora Monday and Tuesday there will be ten men in the party.

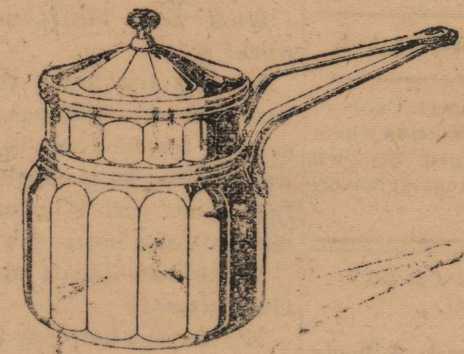
Joe Trainer moved to the ranch this week.

Mrs. J. A. Cope has received word from her sister Mrs. Stoke Williams of Menard that Stoke Williams sailed for home from France on May 15.

Elton Smith returned home Friday having been discharged from the service. After two months training in the Auto mechanics school at Austin, he was sent to France and transferred to the 143rd Infantry and then to the 53 Pioneer and was with that organization when discharged.

In the whole field of medicine there is not a healing remedy that will repair damage to the flesh more quickly than BALLARD'S CREAM. In wounds, cuts, sprains, burns, scalds and rheumatism, its healing and penetrating power is extraordinary. Sold by the Sonora Drug Co.—Adv.

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Every Mirro article is a finished product through and through and is absolutely guaranteed against any defect in material or workmanship.

Please note illustration of this Sauce Pan a beautiful Colonial design six quart size.

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ANOTHER "HEN" PARTY.

On the eve of May 17th, 1919, a jolly crowd of "pullets" were joyously entertained at the home of Miss Evelyn Trainer. Many amusements were enjoyed consisting of music on the Victrola, piano, guitar, mandolin and other musical instruments, many games such as forty-two, dominoes and many comic and jolly games were played.

At first there were no "roosters" at the party but about 10 o'clock five or six roosters came to the party. They furnished the pullets with much laughter. They left about 11 and would not wait until refreshments were served. About 11:30 refreshments consisting of home made candy, cakes and lemonade were served. The party broke about 12 o'clock and perhaps it would have lasted longer if Frank Eaton had not got sleepy and turned off the lights.

Those present were: Misses Rita Merck, Mabel Evans, Edith Cooper, Bonnie Glasscock, Rita Ross, Kathleen Cooke, Jewel Eaton, Grace and Evelyn Trainer and Mrs. George Trainer. The roosters who came to the party asked the pullets not to tell who they were.

Little time will be lost if you wash out the wound with BORO-ZONE ANTI-SEPTIC LIQUID and dress it with BORO-ZONE POWDER. It purifies the wound and heals quickly. Use it on your stock for screw-worms, dehorned cattle or any kind of cut or bruise. For man or beast. Sold by the Sonora Drug Co.

Francis Froese, Dead.

Mrs. Fred Berger is in receipt of a letter from Mrs. Froese of Hoboken, N.J., stating that her husband Francis Froese died at their home in that city April 14 from pneumonia. Mr. Froese was a resident of Sonora for about two years during which time he conducted the Happy Hour Theatre.

Notice To The Public.

From April 1st the price of milk will be 124 cents a quart, 50 cents a gallon. Make your own butter. Checks will be issued May 1st. Phone 101. Families taking two or more quarts a day a liberal discount will be made. 80-4 G. W. Puckett.

NOTICE TO PUBLIC.

Will positively not draw ice on Sunday. If you want ice for Sunday we will deliver it to you any time Saturday. 91-4 SONORA LIGHT & WATER CO.

PREMIUMS FOR SHEEP AT STATE FAIR.

M. Jones, sheep husbandman for the Experiment Station in Sonora Tuesday furnished the News with a list of premiums to be offered sheep exhibitors at the State Fair at Dallas. He stated that similar premiums would be offered for the Angora Goat exhibit but that he had neglected to bring the list with him but would send it to the News on his return to College Station.

The premium classification fine wool breeds of sheep is divided into American Merino B. type; Delaine Merino C. type; Ram bouillet B and C type.

In this classification the B type is to include fine wool sheep carrying heavy folds on neck, some of which might encircle this part of the body to a greater or lesser degree and in addition individuals carry from one to several folds or wrinkles back of the shoulders and from one to several at the tail, head and on the thighs.

The C type is to include fine wool sheep either entirely free from folds on the body or those individuals carrying from one to several folds or wrinkles on the neck with no perceptible folds on other portions of the body. There are five prizes in each type \$12 to first; \$10 to second; \$8 to third; \$6 to fourth and \$4 to fifth. These amounts are offered for the ram 2 years and over; ram 1 year and under two; ram lamb; ewe 2 years and over; ewe 1 year and under 2; ewe lamb; with \$12 for Champion ewe. And for groups, Pen of 3 lambs either sex, bred by exhibitor; 12, 10, 7 and \$5. Block consisting of 1 ram one year old or over, 1 ewe two years old, 1 yearling ewe and 2 ewe lambs, 12, 10, 7 and \$5.

The breeders of the Sonora Country should endeavor to exhibit at the State Fair as there is no doubt they would be winners.

When the baby takes too much food the stomach turns; the result is indigestion, sourness and vomiting. Frequently the bowels are involved and there is colic pain and diarrhoea. McGEHEE'S BABY ELIXIR is a grand corrective remedy for the stomach and bowel disorders of babies. It is pure, wholesome and pleasant to take. Sold by the Sonora Drug Co.—Adv.

BUYING AT HOME HELPS

DELVIN'S RIVER NEWS.

PUBLISHED WEEKLY. MIKE MURPHY, Proprietor. ST. V. MURPHY, Publisher.

Entered at the Postoffice at Sonora as second-class matter. Subscription \$2 a year in advance. SATURDAY, MAY 24, 1919.

\$32,000 Edifice for Methodists.

The Methodists of Sonora contemplate erecting a modern church building at a cost of between \$20,000 and \$30,000. It is understood that as many as ten of the prisoners, have voluntarily signified their willingness to donate \$1,000 each to a fund for this purpose. The matter has not as yet taken definite plans but this will be done in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Holman were visiting in town this week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Elliott visited on the J. M. Puckett ranch this week.

Sam L. Merck will receive subscriptions for the building of the Cemetery fence.

Mrs. Berry Baker was in town Monday from the ranch in the North Llano country, visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Sol Kelley were in town Monday from the ranch visiting.

Frank Decker, Notary Public Sutton County, Texas, office with T. L. Benson Agency.

Mrs. C. R. Carver was here from Eldorado Saturday for a few days visit with her husband Dr. Carver.

Mrs. W. T. O. Holman and daughter Miss Irma Holman were visitors in Sonora this week from the ranch in Edwards county.

Dan Cauthorn was in town Monday for supplies for the A. R. Cauthorn ranch 16 miles south west of Sonora.

Mrs. Edward Robbins returned Saturday from a visit to Dallas and Fort Worth and left for the ranch near Overville that evening.

MARTIN'S EGG PRODUCER Starts Baby Chicks Right and Makes Hens Lay More Eggs—Your Money back if not perfectly satisfied. Ask your Dealer. 88 6m.

H. M. Cummings of Boston, a wool buyer accompanied by H. P. Eodde and Jack Winfrey of Brady was in Sonora Tuesday looking over the condition of the wool and sheep. They went to Del Rio Wednesday.

For Sale Or Trade A PLAYER PIANO

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BASE BALL.

Sonora played and won her second base ball game with Eldorado on the latter home diamond Saturday. The score was 5 to 4 in favor of Sonora and was a good game for one, so early in the season. Grady Lowrey as umpire was impartial and satisfactory to both teams. The score was 4 to 0 up to the 6th in favor of Sonora when Eldorado came alive and made four runs to Sonora one.

The following was the line up: Sonora—Hamilton 3b; Fields lf; Grimland c; Archer p; Keese lb; White cf; Trainer rf; Gilbert 2b; Stokes ss.

Eldorado—Smith p; Robinson lb; Stephenson c; Williams ss; Braunan 3b; Bouie cf; Hext lf; Fred Smith 2b.

TED AT LAST.

The play of "Ted Came Back" given by the young people at the school auditorium Friday night for the benefit of the Sonora School Annual, was well attended and the proceeds amounted to more than \$96. The performance was postponed twice because of unavoidable absence of members of the company. Mrs. Addison McDonald took the part of the widow as a substitute for Mrs. Williams, and carried this important roll most acceptably. The entertainment was thoroughly enjoyed.

E. F. Vander Stucken returned Sunday from a visit to his family in San Antonio.

Mrs. J. A. Cope returned Sunday from a visit to her sister Mrs. A. H. Nathan in San Antonio.

August Meckel of San Angelo accompanied by his son Fritz was in Sonora Wednesday visiting.

Ed Fowler was in town Thursday from his farm and ranch on the North Llano.

Misses June and Louise Perner of Ozona were the guests of Miss Mae North Saturday.

KILL THE BLUE BUGS By Feeding "Martin's Wonderful Blue Bug Killer to your chickens. Your money back if not absolutely satisfied. Ask your Dealer. 88 6m.

R. H. Martin was in from the ranch seven miles east of Juno Wednesday. He was accompanied by his son Ben.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Evans and daughter Miss Elna and son Wirt were in Sonora several days this week from the ranch in Edwards county.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Baker and Miss Dorothy Baker were in town Tuesday. Their ranch is in the eastern part of Sutton county and all that country has had abundance of rain.

Dr. Chapman the dentist will be in Sonora to do dental work from June 16 to July 6th. He will give special attention to Pyorrhea and diseased gums. 84

Concrete cones, weighing 500 pounds are to be placed at intersections of the streets and there after the traffic regulations will be strictly enforced.

Lieutenant Roy E. Aldwell Arrives Home.

Lieutenant Roy E. Aldwell, Personal Officer, Headquarters Seventh Division U.S. Army, arrived home from France Tuesday. Lieutenant Aldwell has received his discharge and will probably devote all his time to the large ranch owned by himself and brother Geo. L. Aldwell. He is in the picture of health and was not sea sick going or coming across the ocean. Before he entered the Officers Training school at Camp Stanley Mr. Aldwell was Cashier of the First National Bank of Sonora and on being commissioned was assigned to the 64th Infantry and saw service on the Mexican border. The Seventh Division was selected and arranging for the investment of Metz when the war was brought to a close by the signing of the armistice. He was met at San Angelo by his wife and son and having come from New York by way of Galveston saw his mother there and was accompanied home by his sister Mrs. T. A. Williams.

SURVEY AIR ROUTES.

Lieutenant John M. Keech and W. Peterson of the Corps of Engineers of Fort Sam Houston, were in Sonora Tuesday. Their duties are ground surveying for the making of aerial maps of the road from San Antonio to El Paso. Various routes are being run but as the route via Keriville, Junction, Sonora, Ozona to Stockton is the most direct and a recognized and designated highway it will be the accepted route. The flyers will come later and photograph the country and the land survey is intended to place these photos correctly for the making of maps.

"JUST US."

A crowd of girls assembled for the purpose of organizing a club May 22nd 1919, at the home of Miss Rita Ross.

The object of this club is to learn something about fancy needle work. The officers were elected as follows: Miss Myrtle Eaton president; Miss Rita Ross vice president; Miss Winnie Wyatt secretary; Miss Guida Lowrey treasurer and Kathleen Cooke press reporter. It was decided that we name the club "Just Us." The bylaws and constitution were also read and voted upon.

This club is to meet every 2nd and 4th Saturday afternoon in the month. There being no further business we adjourned to meet again May 24th 1919 at the home of Miss Kathleen Cooke.

Mr. and Mrs. Mat Adams of Comstock were visitors here on Thursday.

J. C. Morrow the druggist made a business trip to San Angelo this week.

W. J. Wilkison died at his home in Menard, Thursday May 15th in his 91st year. He was a pioneer and well-known West Texas stockman. The News extends its sympathy to the family and his son Will Wilkison of the T half circle ranch of Sonora.

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All Resolutions of Respect, Cards of Thanks, Notices of Entailments where an admission fee is charged, Etc., will be charged for at our regular advertising rates.

KEEP YOUR DOLLARS WORKING.

"Holders of Second Liberty Loan Bonds can make no better use of the interest payment they will receive May 15 than to turn it into Thrift and War Savings Stamps," W. L. Aldwell, cashier of the First National Bank said the other day. "By so doing, they can make their interest keep on making more interest for them and they will be investing the proceeds of their patriotism."

"There were more than \$250,000 persons or corporations in the Eleventh Federal Reserve District, who invested in the Second Liberty Loan, 250,206 to be exact. Each one of these will reap an interest crop May 15th. By sowing it back into War Savings Stamps, that interest is kept growing. If occasion arises and you need what you have invested, War savings stamps are always cashable at the post office on ten days written notice."

"The Treasury Department is urging that all persons who possibly can, reinvest their interest coupons in thrift and war savings stamps. Second Liberty Loan Bond coupons may be exchanged for thrift or war savings stamps at this bank or at the postoffice. Keep your dollars working."

Dizziness, vertigo, (bird staggering) sallow complexion, flatulence are symptoms of a torpid liver. No one can feel well while the liver is inactive. **HERBINE** is a powerful liver stimulant. A dose or two will cause all bilious symptoms to disappear. Try it. Sold by the Sonora Drug Co.—Adv.

On Sunday evening, in San Antonio, Lou L. Willis and Mrs. Ethel Miers were quietly married in the presence of a few friends. The contracting parties have many friends in Del Rio and Val Verde county who wish them a long and blissful journey through life.—Del Rio News.

PHONE 101 for cream at 50 cents per quart. A quart of this cream will make a pound of butter. Phone 101. 85

THE MAN WHO SAVES.

What does he gain by Thrift? He builds a bridge to a better job; he sets up a ladder to climb in the world; he gives his family a better chance; he develops self reliance; he is ready for sickness or hard luck, if it comes.

What does Thrift mean in his work? He has too much respect for time to waste it; he has too much respect for his tools to injure or waste them; he is capable of handling other men's business; he is marked for a better job.

What does Thrift mean to the Government? His savings help pay the cost of victory; his investment in war savings stamps makes him a part of his Government; his savings help to protect every American home; his savings help add to the national resources which make America invincible.

What does his Thrift mean to the community? He helps industry by the avoidance of waste in time, energy, materials and money; he is a steady force among his fellows; he acquires good judgment and helps promote the general welfare; he gets into the class of those who do things.

The U. S. airplanes attempting to cross the Atlantic carry a message of good will from Harold Braddock, Director of American War Savings, to Sir Robert Kindersley, Chairman of the British War Savings Committee, London, England.

Have you bought your Thrift Stamp today?

Notice to Trespassers.

Notice is hereby given that all trespassers on my ranch 21 miles south of Sonora for the purpose of cutting timber, hauling wood, working live stock, hunting hogs or injuring fences, without my permission, will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

D. B. CUSENBARY, 58-11 Sonora, Texas.

Notice to Trespassers.

Notice is hereby given that all trespassers on my ranch known as the Lost Lake ranch 12 miles south east of Sonora, and other ranches owned and controlled by me for the purpose of cutting timber, hauling wood or hunting hogs without my permission, will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

A. F. CLARKSON, 54 Sonora, Texas.

Notice to Trespassers

Notice is hereby given that all trespassers on my ranch east of Sonora for the purpose of cutting timber, hauling wood or hunting hogs without my permission, will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

W. J. FIELDS, Sonora, Texas.

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DENTAL NOTICE.

I expect to make Sonora every other month and spend a week or more.
 Dr. J. A. McDonald,
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Have your eyes tested and old lenses changed or glasses fitted throughout. Ask me for the new style shatter frame.

T. L. MILLER, Jeweler,
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NO TRESPASS.

Notice is hereby given that trespassers on my farm and pasture adjoining Sonora on the east, will be prosecuted according to law. Please tell your friends and relatives of this notice and they will avoid prosecution.

T. L. B. NSON,
 Sonora, Texas, Dec. 1, 1918.

COUNTY TREASURER'S QUARTERLY REPORT.

In the matter of County finances in the hands of E. W. Hardgrave, Treasurer of Sutton County, Texas. Commissioners' Court Sutton County, Texas, in regular Quarterly Session, May term, 1919.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, as County Commissioners within and for said Sutton County, and the Hon. W. E. Hodges County Judge of said Sutton County, constituting the entire Commissioners' Court of said County, and each one of us, do hereby certify that on this, the 13th day of May A. D. 1919, at a regular quarterly term of our said Court, we have compared and examined the quarterly report of E. W. Hardgrave, Treasurer of Sutton County, Texas, for the quarter beginning on the 10th day of Feb 1919, and ending on the 12th day of May 1919, and finding the same correct have caused an order to be entered upon the minutes of the Commissioners' Court of Sutton County, stating the approval of said Treasurer's Report by our said Court, which said order recites separately the amount received and paid out of each fund by said County Treasurer since his last report to this Court and for and during the time covered by his present report, and the balance of each fund remaining in said Treasurer's hands on the said 12th day of May A. D. 1919, and have ordered the proper credits to be made in the accounts of said County Treasurer, in accordance with said order as required by Article 867 Chapter 1, Title XXV, of the Revised Statutes of Texas, as amended by an Act of the Twenty fifth Legislature of Texas, at its regular session, approved March 20, 1897.

And we, each of us, further certify that we have actually and fully inspected and counted all the actual cash and assets in hands of the said Treasurer belonging to Sutton County at the close of the examination of said Treasurer's Report, on this the 13th day of May A. D. 1919 and find the same to be as follows, to wit:

JURY FUND 1st Class	Dr	Cr
Balance on hand, Feb. 10 1919	419 90	
To amount received since said date	6 09	
By amount disbursed since said date		340 62
By amount to balance		79 37
Total	419 98	419 90
To balance in fund		79 37
Road and Bridge Fund 2nd Class	Dr	Cr
Balance on hand, Feb. 10 1919	33 40	
To amount received since said date	4 45	
By amount disbursed since said date		3156 36
By amount to balance		188 51
Total	3 44 87	3344 87
To balance in fund		188 51
GENERAL FUND 3rd Class	Dr	Cr
Balance on hand, Feb. 10 1919	12603 87	
To amount received since said date	473 22	
By amount disbursed since said date		3129 12
By amount to balance		10042 88
Total	13172 00	13172 00
To balance in fund		10042 88
Court House and Jail Fund 4th Class	Dr	Cr
Balance on hand, Feb. 10 1919	2189 45	
To amount received since said date	8 84	
By amount disbursed since said date		7 0 56
By amount to balance		1482 73
Total	2193 29	2193 29
To balance in fund		1482 73
Road Fund 5th Class	Dr	Cr
Balance on hand, Feb. 10 1919	11581 93	
To amount received since said date	103 93	
By amount disbursed since said date		4727 49
By amount to balance		6951 39
Total	11688 88	11688 88
To balance in fund		6951 39
Highway Fund 6th Class	Dr	Cr
Balance on hand, Feb. 10 1919	2254 39	
To amount received since said date	591 20	
By amount disbursed since said date		4 43
By amount to balance		2841 16
Total	2845 59	2845 59
To balance in fund		2841 16
TRICK FUND 7th Class	Dr	Cr
Balance on hand, Feb. 10 1919	3758 42	
To amount received since said date	12 61	
By amount disbursed since said date		1339 88
By amount to balance		2461 15
Total	3801 03	3801 03
To balance in fund		2461 15
RECAPITULATION	Date	Amount
May 12 Balance Jury Fund on this day		79 37
May 12 Balance to R & B Fund on this day		188 51
May 12 Balance to credit of General Fund on this day		10042 88
May 12 Balance to credit Court House and Jail Fund this day		1482 73
May 12 Balance to Road Fund on this day		6951 39
May 12 Balance to credit of Highway Maintenance Fund		2841 16
May 12 Balance to the credit of Trick Special Fund this day		2461 15
Total Cash on hand belonging to Sutton County in the hands of said Treasurer as actually counted by us		24057 19
ASSETS		
In addition to the actual cash as above, we find the following assets belonging to the said County, and to the credit of the following funds, which is also in the possession and custody of the said Treasurer, to-wit: 10 Sonora Independent School District School House Bonds \$5000.00 each—\$5000.00.		
BONDED INDEBTEDNESS		
The bonded indebtedness of said County we find to be as follows to-wit:		
29 Court House and Jail Bonds (1000.00).....	\$20000 00	
Total.....	\$20000 00	
Witness our hands, officially, this 13th day of May 1919, W. E. Hodges, County Judge, E. S. Long, Commissioner Precinct No. 1; J. W. Wilson, Commissioner Precinct No. 2; D. Q. Adams, Commissioner Precinct No. 3; W. H. Kiley, Commissioner Precinct No. 4.		
Sword to and subscribed before me, by W. E. Hodges County Judge, and E. Long, and J. W. Wilson and D. Q. Adams, and W. H. Kiley, County Commissioners of said Sutton County, each respectively, on this the 13th day of May A. D. 1919.		
(Seal) J. D. LOAREY, County Clerk, Sutton County, Texas.		

CALLED HER FAMILY TO HER BEDSIDE

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

Royce City, Tex.—Mrs. Mary Kilman, of this place, says: "After the birth of my little girl...my side commenced to hurt me. I had to go back to bed. We called the doctor. He treated me...but I got no better. I got worse and worse until the misery was unbearable...I was in bed for three months and suffered such agony that I was just drawn up in a knot... I told my husband if he would get me a bottle of Cardui I would try it... I commenced taking it, however, that evening I called my family about me... for I knew I could not last many days unless I had a change for the better. That was six years ago and I am still here and am a well, strong woman, and I owe my life to Cardui. I had only taken half the bottle when I began to feel better. The misery in my side got less... I continued right on taking the Cardui 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, backache, pains in sides, or other discomforts, each month? Or do you feel weak, nervous and flustered? If so, give Cardui, the woman's tonic, a trial.

SAVE THE SURFACE.

Save the surface and you save all Disintegration and decay are conditions which usually start at the surface of any material. Protection against deterioration or rot of substances, therefore, should begin with care of the exterior. Provided a material does not carry within itself the element of sure decay, proper surface protection will undoubtedly lengthen its life.

NATURAL EXCUSE.

"I wonder why a growing girl is so hard to manage?" "Well, naturally, as long as she is a girl, her deeds are all misdoings."

EFFECT OF COLOR UPON THE DURABILITY OF PAINT.

Property owners who may have under consideration the painting of dwellings and other structures should remember that more durable results are obtained when tinted paints are used. Permanent coloring materials which have been ground by machine into a high grade white paint base have the effect of preventing "chalking" and "checking," two defects which are often observed when white paints are used.

PRETTY COLOR COMBINATIONS.

Ground Coat	Stipple Coat	Stencil Color
White	Light Rose	Medium, Light Gray
White	Light Gray	Dull Blue, Gray-Green
White	Light Warm Yellow	Blue, Neutral Light Drab
Light Gray	Same Gray, a little darker	Gray, Green or Light Cobalt Blue
Light Gray	Light Blue	Blue or Light Orange Yellow
Light Gray	Green	Light Gray, Neutral Drab
Ivory	Olive Green	Ivory or Grayish Light Green
Light Colonial Yellow	Light Blue	Gray, Ivory
Gold Bronze	Dark Green	Light Warm Drab, Medium Olive, Warm Gray, Cream
Aluminum Bronze	Blue	Delit Blue, Light Ivory, Light Neutral Gray
Ivory	Tan	Burnt Umber, Cream
Ivory	Dark Brown	Light Tan, Cream, Light Gray Drab

WHAT HE WANTED TO KNOW.

"Following the peace conference closely?" "Very." "Perhaps you can tell me then the date of opening day for the league of nations."

UNSYMPATHY.

"Do you think we ought to feed the Germans?" "Oh, yes," replied Miss Cayenne; "although if they are in the least sensitive, I don't see how they can have any appetite left."

400,000 IN STOCKHOLM.

The city of Stockholm has a population of about 400,000 and is generally prosperous. It is the industrial center as well as the capital of the kingdom.

THE PAINTER'S BEST FRIEND

Of all the many liquid substances which can be used for the binding of paint or dry substances when dissolved in water are used as vehicles for pigments none fulfills necessary conditions so well as linseed oil, the king of the fixed oil, and, what is of enormous importance, does it as cheaply. It is the painter's best friend because it makes his work satisfactory.

FRANCE LEADS IN COURTESY

Only Government That Has Thanked, in a Personal Way, Those Who Aided It.

The French have a deep-grounded sense of fine manners, the New York Tribune states. Their instinct of politeness crops out often in ways which take the rest of the world by surprise.

Capt. Andre Tardieu has announced that a commemorative medal is to be given by the French government to every American who took part in the war. Every American soldier who was in France is to receive a souvenir card bearing his name and the signature of President Poincare and Premier Clemenceau. Also a pamphlet expressing France's gratitude for his services.

Every subscriber to a French war loan was presented with an engraved certificate of honor signed by President Poincare. What other government would have thought of taking the pains to recognize its obligation in this felicitous personal way? Attentions of this sort humanize the relations between governments and individuals. They warm the heart. France has given the rest of the world an inspiring lesson in the practice of official tact and courtesy.

TO UNITE NORTH AND SOUTH

United States Citizen Formulating Plans Which May Mean Much to South American Republics.

One American could have a crown for the asking, says B. C. Forbes in his "Men Who Are Making America." He is the uncrowned king of the tropics, the Cecil Rhodes of Central America, a demigod in the eyes of half a dozen republics. He sits daily in an unpretentious office at Battery place, New York, a silent Hercules transforming the American tropics from a jungle to a fruit garden; creating prosperity, health and peace where only poverty, disease and revolution formerly luxuriated; steel rails linking one republic to another as a necessary preliminary to their union in one powerful commonwealth. He is planning also to make it possible to travel by rail all the way from New York or Chicago to Rio Janeiro or Buenos Aires.

Minor F. Keith believes a firm union of the Central American republics is bound to come when railroads have knit them together, and although fruit is his business, the building of these railroads and a line that will unite North and South America, is his dream.

THIS FROM A GERMAN!

"To treat prisoners the way the United States treats them is typical of the humanity of the Americans." This was the tribute paid by a German prisoner at La Rochelle when one of his comrades from Germany was buried with military honors.

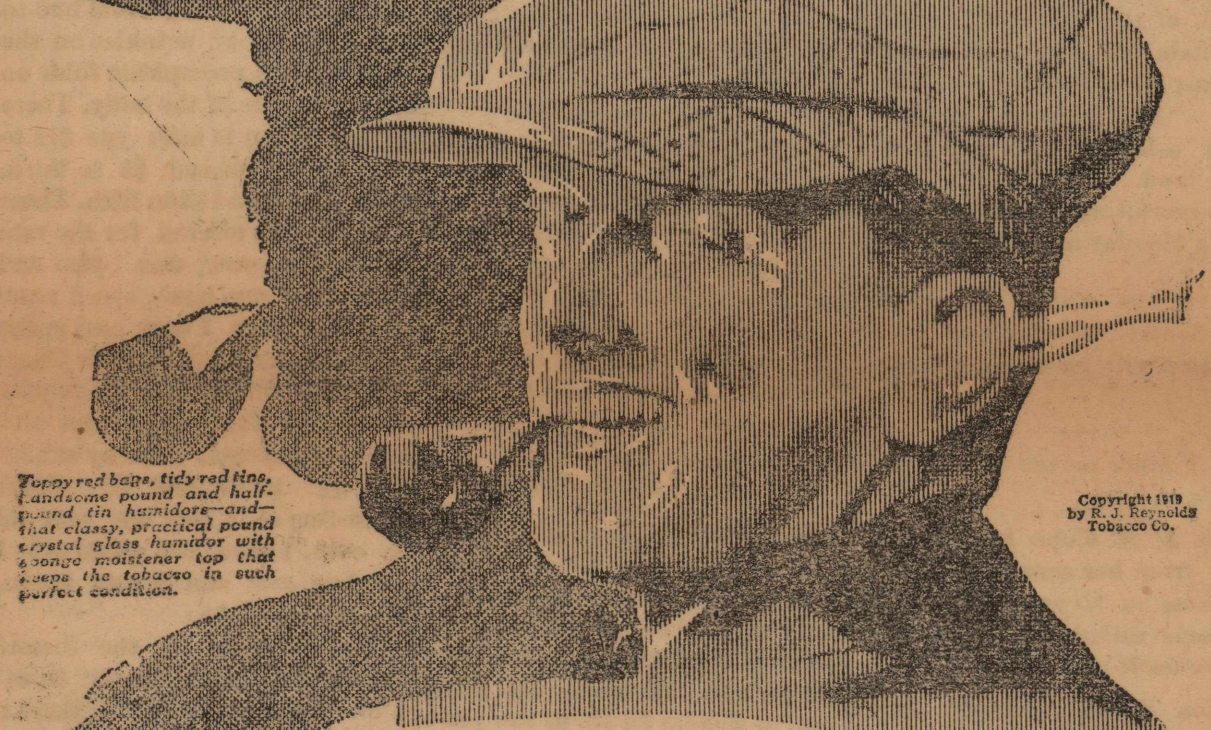
The dead prisoner of war was helping in the race to Berlin when his death occurred from pneumonia. The camp commander gave orders that the funeral should be military. An American chaplain participated in the ceremonies. His address was followed by that of a comrade of the dead man, who paid the above tribute.—Stars and Stripes, Paris.

MAY OVERSLEEP.

"We must be easy with the boys who have been to war and come back to their jobs," said the boss. "In what way?" "If some of them are a little late coming to work in the morning we must remember that they have been accustomed to being called out of bed by a bugler."

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