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GOVERNMENT WILL LOOK AFTER CRIPPLED SOLDIERS

Camp Travis, Texas, March 20.—Any soldier who has been honorably discharged since October 6, 1917, for disability occurred in line of duty, and whose present condition is reactivation of that disability or as consequent upon it, is entitled to hospital or sanatorium care under the provisions of the War Risk Insurance Act, either in military hospital, if there be room for him, or in local civilian institution. This information is contained in a circular just received at Camp Travis, Texas, from the Secretary of War.

If the case is one of emergency, the Chief Medical Advisor of the Bureau of War Risk Insurance should be informed by telegraph of the case, giving the name, rank and organization from which the man was discharged, the character of the disability and suggestions as to the treatment needed. The nearest representative of the United States Public Health Service should also be notified, as these officials are authorized to take action in such cases. If there be no representative of the Public Health Service in the vicinity, arrangements will be made with local physicians or institutions to take temporary charge of the case. If the case is not one of emergency, the information called for should be furnished by letter to the Chief Medical Advisor of the Bureau of War Risk Insurance, Washington, D. C.

Open New Farm North of Millett.

Witherspoon & Nagle have opened up a new farm two miles North of Millett, just East of the railroad. Joe Nagle Sr., and family are living on the place and have just completed a modern two story home, large barns, garage, bath house, etc. They have about two hundred acres cleared and broke for planting this spring. In fact most of it has already been planted. Mr. Nagle and family are from Corsicana. His work in opening up this farm is evidence of his progressiveness, and when the country fills up with such farmers then dry farming will be a success.



COMING!

We will soon have a Clock on exhibition that has no wheels or cogs; does not have to be set or wound up, yet it keeps perfect time. If you can tell what makes it run you get one like it; if you can't we will sell you a good Clock or Watch.

Gaddis Pharmacy.

Letter From John Wildenthal, in France.

Espineul Yonne, France, Jany. 17th, 1919.
Mr. Hobson Wildenthal,
Cotulla, Texas.

"Dear Hobson: Your letter of Dec. 18th was received on the 15th inst. Was very glad to hear from home again. It was the first letter I've received in quite awhile, if the folks wrote me letters between Dec. 6th and 18th I did not get them, in one letter from Mamie written some time in November, she mentioned that that was the fifth letter she had written to me since I've been in France, and it was only the third that I ever received.

You asked me what I was doing, well, not much of anything; we were not put into the third army corps. We were in the French Army while in action at the front, but after we moved over to the Verdun sector we were transferred to the First American Army Corps, and we are still with them. All we have to do is take one hour hike each day and two hours school, the rest of the time including Saturday's and Sunday's, we are free to run around town or do whatever we please.

I received a card from Walter Manly last night. He is in Germany, it took the card 6 days to get to me. He, Walter asked me to pay him a visit, but I'm unable to, as I had one furlough lately and it would be impossible for me to get off again to visit him. I'm going to answer his card tonight. I sure would like to go over in that sector, that is in the summer time, but it is too cold there now. The weather don't seem to get very cold in this part of France. When I was at the front the ground and water holes would be frozen most every morning, and I have not seen but very little ice in this town, but when I was at La-Bour Boule, there was enough snow and ice to do me for a whole winter.

You mentioned something about having him a fiancée over here. Well, for me, I'll take the American girl every time. Altho I've only met a few French girls, and every person has his own ideal, mine are of the true loving American girl. I've seen lots of French beauties, but still when I see one of our Y. M. C. A. girls in town, it sure makes a fellow happy to get to talk with her. I am a fellow who has not got a sweet-heart anywhere, Mary Louise will not be bothered with a step-mother, but this part is getting off the subject. What I was leading to, was a clipping from Armour & Co's News bulliten, where it said that a French newspaper had asked the American soldier which he preferred most, the French or the American girl. Some of the boys of the A. E. F. that is three or four of the A. E. F. boys answered, saying: That they preferred the French girl, because she seemed to be more attentive to the soldier boys than the American girls. Well, I can't say that, because while I was at Camp Bowie in 1917 and 18, the first month that I was there I was an absolute stranger to the people in Ft. Worth, and there was not a Sunday passed when I was in town that there wasn't some of the Ft. Worth people who would pick me up in their auto, take me for a ride, then they would take me to their homes and there I'd have supper, after supper they would insist on me staying for a visit. That was the way all the good

CASUALTIES IN AIR SERVICE TOTAL 554.

Washington, D. C. March 21.—Casualties in the United States Air Service during the war totalled 554, the war Department announced today. This covers only the flying personnel with the American, British, French and Italian armies. The casualties are classified as follows: Killed in combat, 171; prisoners, 135; wounded, 129; missing, 73; killed in accident, 42; miscellaneous, 4.

ladies of Ft. Worth and all other cities and towns worked to show their attention to the soldier boys. Now of course I've not seen all the girls in France, but I've traveled over a lot of the country, have been in lots of large cities and villages, and I am sure that I've not seen over three or four girls or families who would invite me to their home. Of course the French girls are very nice and are beautiful, but their customs do not seem to me to be what I'd call an ideal in comparison with the American girl.

Misses Ruth Draper, Harriett Marple and Mr. Proffeter of the American Y. M. C. A. gave an entertainment for us night before last. Miss Marple sang some old English, Irish and Scotch songs. I don't believe I ever heard singing to be compared with hers. It carried a fellow way back to the U. S. A. to listen to her, Miss Draper did some of the best impersonating I have heard in a long time; she impersonated the French dress-maker, who was trying to speak English and sell a dress to an American woman. I never heard anyone impersonate a French woman as good as she did, she also impersonated the "Scotch girl", the "American girl down by the 'bowery' at New York," also the "Southern girl at a Northern dinner party" She, Miss Draper, is certainly an artist at impersonating. Believe me when a fellow sees the smile of an American girl, when he is this far from home, it sure cheers him.

Today completes my first six months foreign service. We have our gold stripe and shoulder insignia, which is a blue arrow head and a kaki T in the center. I am also entitled to two silver stripes for the time I served in the States, and if I leave here before I complete six months more service, I heard we would get a lavender stripe. I hope we will leave before I get another gold one.

Last night I got a Mexican out of the 143 Ambulance to play some Mexican pieces on the piano. Gee! but it sure sounded fine. He played "La Noche Blanca," "Avelita" "No Me Olvida" and a lot of other old waltzes. He sure could play fine. He is one of the San Diego Mexicans, and is well educated in mind and English schooling.

Say, I sure wish I could have been with you when you killed that big back, Gee, but it made me homesick when I read your letter. I guess it'll be next winter before I'll get to go on another hunt.

Be sure and write me often as I'm always looking for a letter from home.

Love and kisses to all, from your brother,

John Wildenthal,

The weather recently has been fine on the onion crop.

METHODISTS ARE INSTRUCTED IN CENTENARY WORK

From eight hundred to one thousand meetings are now in progress all over the South and Southwest—every meeting having one predominating object, that of instructing Methodist leaders in the work and development of the Centenary Campaign of the church. These meetings represent a unity of effort by the active workers in the M. E. Church, South, and mean that literally hundreds of thousands of men and women are receiving practical training in the best method of handling a huge campaign.

The magnitude of these group meetings now being held throughout the South and Southwest may be seen from the fact that nearly one thousand cities and towns are being host to them. In every group meeting the pastors of all Methodist churches, the presiding elder of the district, the active heads of all departments of the church and organizations affiliated with it, all departments, the program lasting one day.

These group meetings are held for the purpose of instructing the active leaders of the church in all communities in the cultural side of the church's plan to develop its Centenary program. From the meetings those who attend will go out to, in turn, inspire those about them to take an active interest in the Centenary.

Local Board Winding Up Affairs.

The Local Board, comprised of John W. Willson, Chairman, Harry W. Hamilton, Secretary, and Dr. R. L. Graham will soon wind up its affairs in this county. The last touches will be put on Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock March 26th, when the Secretary of the Board will sell at auction the highest bidder for cash, at the office of the Board in Cotulla, all of the fixtures and furniture, consisting of typewriter, filing cabinets, etc.

These articles that will be auctioned may be inspected any day between the hours of 10 a. m. and 6 p. m. at the office of the Secretary, and information given specifically as to bids.

Broom Corn Prices Not Favorable.

Quite a few farmers contemplated planting broom corn this spring, but from the following letter, it is possible the price will not be very satisfactory: This letter is in response to an inquiry as to present situation and probable market for the coming crop.

Oklahoma City, Okla., January 22nd, 1919.

Mr. Edwin Roebuck,
Cotulla, Texas.

Dear Sir:

Replying to your letter of December 31:

The present situation in the broom-corn market is not such as to make it advisable to place a very large dependence in this crop for next season. A great deal of last year's crop is unsold and there is no assurance as to profitable prices for the 1919 crop.

Faithfully yours,
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Report of the Condition of the Stockmens National Bank at Cotulla in the State of Texas, at the Close of Business, March 4, 1919.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts, including rediscounts. (except those shown in b and c)	\$299,354.84	
Total loans	299,354.84	
Notes and bills rediscounted (other than bank exceptances sold) see Item 57a	74,040.77	\$225,314.07
U. S. Bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	60,000.00	
U. S. bonds and certificates of indebtedness pledged to secure U. S. deposits (par value)	15,000.00	
U. S. Bonds and certificates of indebtedness pledged as collateral for State or other deposits or bills payable	25,000.00	\$100,000.00
Liberty Loan Bonds, 3 1-2, 4 and 4 1-4 per cent, unpledged	3,650.00	
Liberty Loan Bonds, 3 1-2, 4 and 4 1-4 per cent, pledged to secure State or other deposits or bills payable	15,000.00	\$18,650.00
Bonds (other than U. S. bonds) pledged to secure U. S. deposits	13,000.00	
Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks) owned unpledged	30,547.26	\$43,547.26
Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription)	4,500.00	
Value of banking house, owned and unincumbered	6,536.01	\$6,536.01
Furniture and fixture	2,813.41	
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	12,359.85	
Cash in vault and net amounts due from national banks	38,196.36	
Net amounts due from banks, bankers and trust companies other than included in Items 13, 14 or 15	3,988.91	
Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than Item 17)	36.96	
Total of Items, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18	47,222.23	
Checks on banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank and other cash items	747.41	
Redemption Fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	3,000.00	
Total	\$464,690.24	

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock paid in	\$75,000.00	
Surplus fund	75,000.00	
Undivided profits	\$7,958.91	
Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	4,134.37	3,824.54
Circulating notes outstanding	40,000.00	
Net amount due to National banks	19,627.16	
Certified checks outstanding	72.25	
Cashier's checks on own bank outstanding	421.00	
Total of Items 32, 33, 34 and 35	20,120.35	
Individual deposits subject to check	174,715.35	
Dividends unpaid	30.00	
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, Items 36, to 41 inclusive	174,745.35	
War loan deposit account	6,000.00	6,000.00
U. S. Bonds borrowed, including Liberty Loan and certificates of indebtedness, without furnishing collateral security for same	10,000.00	10,000.00
Bills payable with Federal Reserve Bank	40,000.00	
Total	\$464,690.24	
Liabilities for rediscounts, including those with Federal Reserve Bank	74,040.77	
Total contingent liabilities (67 a, b and c)	74,040.77	

State of Texas, County of La Salle: I, B. Wildenthal, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

B. WILDENTHAL, Cashier:

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 15th day of March, 1919.

B. WILDENTHAL, Jr., Notary Public.

Correct-Attest:

T. R. KECK,
L. W. GADDIS,
C. F. BINKLEY.

"Nervous Breakdown!"

When your nerves fail your whole body suffers—headaches, stomach disorders, sleepless nights, make you miserable indeed. The experience of Mrs. H. G. Redman, of New Haven, Conn., is an example. Read what she says:

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SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS (M-4)

Battles Fought During Two Years of the Mexican War

The Mexican war of 1846 lasted nearly two years. The first actual collision and bloodshed was on April 25, 1846, between a band of Mexican troops that had crossed the Rio Grande and a company of American soldiers. On May 17, 1846, President Polk sent a special message to congress reciting the facts and grievances, and said: "As war exists, and notwithstanding all our efforts to avoid it, exists by the act of Mexico herself, we are called upon by every consideration of duty and patriotism to vindicate with decision the honor, the rights and the interests of our country." During 1846 the battle of Palo Alto was fought, May 8; battle of Monterrey, September 21. In 1847 the battle of Buena Vista, February 22, battle of Cerro Gordo, April 17; City of Mexico captured September 14; the Stars and Stripes were placed on the national palace and a treaty of peace was signed February 2, 1848.

Secret of Concentration.

One reason for the remarkable powers of concentration possessed by some is the intense love of their work, into which they throw themselves with such ardor as to forget everything else about them. And this, after all, is the secret of all success—to forget oneself in one's work and to become a part of that work itself and so achieve "forgetting and forgot" of all about except the one task to which force, physical and mental, has been brought.

Plant Changes.

Some remarkable variations in plant structure and color from exposure to the sun at different hours of the day have been brought to the notice of the Royal Microscopical Society of England by Col. B. E. Dawson. In flowers of the common nasturtium—tropaecolum majus—the low sun of the early morning developed yellow coloring matter, the middle sun of mid-day stimulated the "violeta, blues and purples. The color of the foliage and lobing of the leaves also changed.

SAGE TEA IN LIFELESS, GRAY HAIR

Look young! Common garden Sage and Sulphur darkens so naturally nobody can tell

Grandmother kept her hair beautifully darkened, glossy and abundant with a few of Sage Tea and Sulphur. When her hair fell out she took on the same, faded or streaked appearance, this simple mixture was applied with wonderful effect. By asking at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy," you will get a large bottle of this old-time recipe, ready to use, for about 50 cents. This simple mixture can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair and splendid for dandruff, dry, itchy scalp and falling hair.

A well-known downtown druggist says everybody uses Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur, because it darkens so naturally and so gently that nobody can tell it has been applied—it's so easy to use, too. You simply dampen a comb or soft brush and draw it through your hair, taking one strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears; after another application or two, it is restored to its natural color and looks glossy, soft and abundant.

John W. Willson
Attorney at Law

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PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION

Prohibiting the Manufacture and Sale of Intoxicating Liquors.

House Joint Resolution No. 1.

A resolution proposing to amend the Constitution of the State of Texas, by amending Article 16, Section 20 thereof by striking out and repealing said section and substituting in lieu thereof a new Section 20, prohibiting the manufacture, sale, barter or exchange in the State of Texas of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors or medicated bitters capable of producing intoxication, or any other intoxicant whatever, except for medicinal, mechanical, scientific or sacramental purposes, and providing that the Legislature shall enact laws to enforce this section; providing that until the Legislature shall prescribe other or different regulations on the subject of the sale of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors or medicated bitters, capable of producing intoxication, or any other intoxicant whatever, for medicinal purposes shall be made only in cases of actual sickness, and then only upon prescription of a regular practicing physician, subject to certain regulations with reference to the same; providing that this amendment shall be self-operative, and until the Legislature shall provide other or different penalties, the violation of any part of this constitutional provision shall be deemed a felony punishable by confinement in the penitentiary for a term of years specified, without the benefit of any law providing for suspended sentence; conferring authority upon the District Courts and judges thereof under their equity powers, to issue upon suit of the Attorney General injunctions against infractions or threatened infractions of any part of this constitutional provision; providing that, without affecting the provisions herein, intoxicating liquors are declared to be subject to the general police power of this State; declaring that the Legislature shall have power to pass any additional prohibitory laws in aid thereof which it may deem advisable; fixing the time for the election for the adoption or rejection of said proposed constitutional amendment and prescribing certain rules and regulations with reference to the same; declaring that the provisions of the General Election Law shall govern in all respects as to qualification of electors and method of holding the election and in all other respects where applicable; directing proclamation for the election and making certain provisions for the election and ballots thereof and method of voting; prescribing certain duties for the Governor of the State; and making an appropriation to carry out this resolution.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by striking out and repealing Section 20 thereof and substituting in lieu of said Section 20 the following:

Sec. 20. (a) The manufacture, sale, barter and exchange in the State of Texas, of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors or medicated bitters capable of producing intoxication, or any other intoxicant whatever except for medicinal, mechanical, scientific or sacramental purposes, are each and all hereby prohibited.

The Legislature shall enact laws to enforce this section.

(b) Until the Legislature shall prescribe other or different regulations on the subject, the sale of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, or medicated bitters, capable of producing intoxication, or any other intoxicant whatever for medicinal purposes shall be made only in cases of actual sickness, and then only upon the prescription of a regular practicing physician, subject to the regulations applicable to sales under prescriptions in prohibited territory by virtue of Article 588, Chapter 7, Title 11, of the Penal Code of the State of Texas.

(c) This amendment is self-operative, and until the Legislature shall prescribe other or different penalties, any person, acting for himself or in behalf of another, or in behalf of any partnership, corporation or association of persons, who shall, after the adoption of this amendment, violate any part of this constitutional provision shall be deemed guilty of a felony, and shall, upon conviction in a prosecution commenced, carried on and concluded in the manner prescribed by law in cases of felonies, be punished by confinement in the penitentiary for a period of time not less than one year nor more than five years, without the benefit of any law providing for suspended sentence. And the district courts and the judges thereof, under their equity powers, shall have the authority to issue upon suit of the Attorney General, injunctions against infractions or threatened infractions of any part of this constitutional provision.

(d) Without affecting the provisions herein, intoxicating liquors are declared to be subject to the general police power of the State; and the Legislature shall have the power to pass any additional prohibitory laws, or laws in aid thereof, which it may deem advisable.

(e) Liability for violating any liquor laws in force at the time of the adoption of this amendment shall not be affected by this amendment, and all remedies, civil and criminal, for such violations shall be preserved.

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors for members of the Legislature at an election to be held throughout the State of Texas on the fourth Saturday in May, A. D. 1919. At said election, the vote shall be by official ballot, which shall have printed or written at the top thereof in plain letters the words, "Official Ballot." Said ballot shall have also written or printed thereon the words, "For Prohibition," and the words, "Against Prohibition."

All voters favoring said proposed amendment shall erase the words "Against Prohibition" by making a mark through the same, and those opposing it shall erase the words, "For Prohibition," by making a mark through the same.

If a majority of the votes cast at said election shall be "For Prohibition," said amendment shall be declared adopted. If a majority of the votes shall be "Against Prohibition," said amendment shall be lost, and so declared.

All the provisions of the General Election Laws as amended and in force at the time of said election shall hold shall govern in all respects as to the qualifications of the electors, the method of holding such election, and all other respects, so far as such election laws can be made applicable.

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and to have same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

Sec. 4. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to defray the expenses of such proclamation and election.

GEO. F. HOWARD, Secretary of State.

(A true copy.)

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION

Giving the Legislature Power to Give or Lend, or Authorize the Giving or Lending, of the Credit of the State for the Purpose of Assisting Citizens, Heads of Families, to Acquire or Improve Their Homes.

House Joint Resolution No. 19.

To amend Section 50, Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas to provide that the Legislature shall have power to give or lend, or authorize the giving or lending, of the credit of the State for the purpose of assisting citizens who are heads of families to acquire or improve their homes; authorizing the State to acquire, improve, sell or lease real estate or assist such citizens to acquire or improve their homes upon terms and conditions prescribed by the Legislature; authorizing the Legislature to create such agencies as may be necessary to carry out the purposes of this section; providing that obligations created under this section shall never be taxed; and providing that the Legislature shall have authority to provide a method of securing any deferred payments for lands purchased hereunder, and that such obligations shall be secured in addition to the usual liens by an annual assessment collected as a tax against the land; and providing that the Legislature shall have no power to relieve any person from any obligation entered into under this provision or any statute enacted thereunder; and providing for the classification of lands acquired under this Act, and limiting acreage sold to any one person where lands are classed as agricultural.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 50, of Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be so amended that the same will read and hereafter be as follows:

Sec. 50. The Legislature shall have no power to give or lend, or to authorize the giving or lending, of the credit of the State in aid of or to any person, association, or corporation, whether municipal or other, or to pledge the credit of the State in any manner whatsoever, for the payment of the liabilities, present or prospective, of any individual, association of individuals, municipal or other corporation, whatsoever, except that the Legislature shall have the power to give or lend, or to authorize the giving or lending, of the credit of the State for the purpose of assisting native born or naturalized citizens who are heads of families and who will become in good faith actual occupants to acquire or improve their homes; and for this purpose the State is authorized to acquire, improve, sell or lease real estate or assist such citizens to acquire or improve their homes upon such terms and conditions and in such manner and subject to such limitations as the Legislature may from time to time prescribe. Provided that no land shall be acquired by the State under the terms of this amendment to the Constitution until the said lands are examined, and the value of said lands is appraised and ascertained as to its actual value for agricultural purposes, by a commission hereinafter authorized, composed of the Governor, Attorney General, Land Commissioner, Comptroller of Public Accounts and the State Treasurer; and their report shall be available to all prospective land purchasers. The Legislature shall have authority to create by law such agencies as may be deemed necessary to effect the purposes of the Act. Obligations created under this section shall never be taxed, and the Legislature shall have authority to provide a method of securing deferred payments for lands purchased hereunder, and in addition to the usual liens may secure the same by an annual assessment collected as a tax against the land; provided, however, the Legislature shall have no power to relieve any person from any obligation entered into with the State under this provision or any statute enacted hereunder. The terms of this Act shall not apply, or be extended to any person who is not a bona fide resident citizen of the State of Texas and who has not been such citizen at least two years prior to the extension of such aid, nor shall the terms of this Act ever be applied to any lands outside of the State of Texas. Provided further that all land acquired by the State under the provisions of this section for which the State may lend its credit shall be classed as agricultural lands or otherwise, and if classed as agricultural lands, then no more than 200 acres shall be sold to any one person under the provisions hereof.

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the State of Texas at an election to be held throughout the State on the 24th day of May, A. D. 1919, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words: "For the amendment to Section 50, Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing that the Legislature shall have power to give or lend or

authorize the giving or lending of the credit of the State for the purpose of assisting citizens who are heads of families to acquire or improve their homes," and all those opposed shall write or have printed on their ballots the words: "Against the amendment to Section 50, Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing that the Legislature shall have power to give or lend or authorize the giving or lending of the credit of the State for the purpose of assisting citizens who are heads of families to acquire or improve their homes."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and to have same published as required by the Constitution and existing laws of the State.

Sec. 4. That the sum of \$5000.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, if hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of such proclamation and election.

GEO. F. HOWARD, Secretary of State.

(Attest: A true copy.)

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION PROVIDING FOR AND RELATING TO EQUAL SUFFRAGE.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 7.

Proposing to amend Section 3, Article 6, of the Constitution of the State of Texas so that it shall hereafter, in substance, provide that every person, male or female, subject to no constitutional disqualifications, who shall have attained the age of twenty-one years, and who shall be a citizen of the United States, and who shall reside in this State one year next preceding an election and the last six months within the district or county in which he offers to vote, shall be deemed a qualified elector; provided electors shall vote in the election precinct of their residence; declaring that the electors living in any unorganized county may vote at any election precinct in the county to which such county is attached for judicial purposes; providing that any voter who is subject to pay a poll tax under the laws of the State of Texas shall have paid said tax before he or she shall offer to vote at any election in this State and hold a receipt showing that poll tax has been paid before the first day of February next preceding such election; declaring that if said voter shall have lost or misplaced such tax receipt, he or she shall be entitled to vote, upon making affidavit that such tax receipt has been lost and left with the judge of the election. And declaring that all laws now on the statutes relating to qualified voters and governing and regulating elections shall apply to male and female voters alike; and all laws relating to elections shall remain in full force and effect until changed or modified by the Legislature, and declaring that this amendment to the Constitution shall be self-enacting.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 2, of Article 6, of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so that hereafter, said section shall read as follows, to-wit:

Section 2. Every person, male or female, subject to none of the foregoing disqualifications, who shall have attained the age of twenty-one years, and who shall be a citizen of the United States, and who shall have resided in this State one year next preceding an election, and the last six months within the district or county in which he offers to vote, shall be deemed a qualified elector; and all electors shall vote in the election precinct of their residence; provided that electors living in any unorganized county may vote at any election precinct in the county to which such county is attached for judicial purposes; and provided further, that any voter who is subject to pay a poll tax under the laws of the State of Texas shall have paid said tax before he or she offers to vote at any election in this State and hold a receipt showing such poll tax paid before the first day of February next preceding such election. Or if said voter shall have lost or misplaced said tax receipt, he or she shall be entitled to vote upon making affidavit before any officer authorized to administer oaths that such tax receipt has been lost. Such affidavit shall be made in writing and left with the judge of the election. All laws now on the statutes relating to qualified voters in both primary and general elections shall apply to and govern and regulate both male and female voters, and shall be in effect until such statutes are changed or amended by the Legislature. And this amendment to the Constitution shall be self-enacting without the necessity of further legislation.

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to the vote of the qualified electors for members of the Legislature at an election to be held for such purpose on the fourth Saturday in May, A. D. 1919, the same being the twenty-fourth day of said month; at said election, the votes shall be placed on an official ballot which shall have printed, or written, thereon the words, "For the amendment to Section 2, Article 6, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing qualifications for male and female voters." All voters favoring this proposed constitutional amendment shall erase the words "Against the amendment to Section 2, Article 6, of the Constitution of the State of Texas," and those opposing it shall erase the words, "For the amendment to Section 2, Article 6, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing qualification for male and female voters," which said erasures shall be made by making a mark with a pencil, or pen through said words. All ballots cast, as above provided, shall be counted as cast for or against a proposed amendment, and if a majority shall be for the amendment it shall be declared adopted; if a majority of the votes cast shall be

against the amendment, said amendment shall be lost. All provisions of the general election laws, as amended and in force at the time said election is held, shall govern in all respects as to the qualifications of the electors, the method of holding such elections, and all other respects so far as such election laws can be made applicable.

Sec. 3. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for such election and have same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

Sec. 4. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00) or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to defray the expenses of such proclamation, publication and election.

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CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 13.

A resolution to amend Section 5 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas as follows: Strike out the words "Four Thousand," found in the third line of Section 5, and insert in lieu thereof the words "Ten Thousand," and adding after the word "furniture" the words, "and this clause shall be self-enacting," and making an appropriation to pay necessary expenses hereof.

Be it Resolved, by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section No. 5 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas be so amended as hereafter to read as follows:

Section 5. ARTICLE IV. GOVERNOR'S SALARY AND MANSION.

He shall at stated times receive as compensation for his service an annual salary of ten thousand dollars, and no more, and shall have the use and occupation of the Governor's Mansion, fixtures and furniture, and this clause shall be self-enacting.

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors for members of the Legislature at an election to be held throughout the State of Texas on the fourth Saturday in May, A. D. 1919, same being the twenty-fourth day of May, A. D. 1919, and the Governor of this State is hereby directed to make the necessary proclamation for said election and to have the same duly published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State. Said election shall be held under and in accordance with the general election laws of the State and the official ballot shall have printed or written thereon in plain letters the words, "OFFICIAL BALLOT," and also the words, "For the amendment to Section 5 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas in regard to the salary of the Governor of the State of Texas," and also the words, "Against the amendment to Section 5 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas in regard to the salary of the Governor of the State of Texas."

All voters favoring such amendment shall erase, by making a mark through the words "Against the amendment to Section 5 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas in regard to the salary of the Governor of the State of Texas," and all voters opposing such amendment shall erase by making a mark through the words "For the amendment to Section 5 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas in regard to the salary of the Governor of the State of Texas," said amendment shall be declared adopted if a majority of the votes cast shall be "For the amendment to Section 5 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas in regard to the salary of the Governor of the State of Texas," said amendment shall be lost and shall be so declared.

Sec. 3. There is hereby appropriated out of the funds in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00) or so much thereof as may be necessary to cover the necessary expenses attached to the proclamation and publication of this amendment, and the Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation and cause the same to be duly published.

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Rumor.

The character of that sort of information that is generally known as news is changing with vertiginous rapidity. Once news was generally supposed to be a narration of something that had happened or was possibly going to happen, with, of course, due allowances for errors and mistaken judgments. Now, however, news seems to be made up of reporting what somebody alleges might have happened. Rumor, of itself, has a news value. The fact that a rumor existed is sufficient of itself, aside from the truth or falsity of the rumor, its probability or its possibility.

WOOD—On account of having to pay more for labor, will have to raise price of wood. Effective Monday, Jan. 6th, price will be \$4.50 per cord for mesquite; \$5.50 for oak. Leave orders with H. B. Miller. —Andreas Sauseda.

ESTABLISHES PUBLIC INFORMATION BUREAU

STATE TUBERCULOSIS SANATORIUM HAS CORRESPONDENCE COURSE OF INSTRUCTION.

SERVICE OPEN TO ALL ALIKE

Estimates Economic Loss to State at Ninety Million Dollars Per Year From This One Cause.

For the benefit of those who have tuberculosis, and for agencies interested in the stamping out of the disease the State Tuberculosis Sanatorium, located at Carlsbad, Tom Green County, Texas, maintains a Bureau of Correspondence and Information for the dissemination of knowledge on the prevention and treatment of tuberculosis. The matter is primarily one of education and, recognizing this, the Thirty-Fifth Legislature made an appropriation of \$20,000.00 to be used by the Sanatorium. For lecturing in colleges, schools and public gatherings, publishing pamphlets, books, and literature to be circulated, including general work to educate the public, and prevent as much as possible the spread of tuberculosis.

Service to the Tuberculous.

The Bureau obtains names of the tuberculous from physicians, anti-tuberculosis societies, ex-patients of the Sanatorium and others. To the tuberculous, and others interested, are mailed pamphlets bearing on the treatment and prevention of tuberculosis. A special effort has been made to get in contact with Texas soldiers discharged from army camps on account of tuberculosis.

Service to the Physician.

Once each month a carefully selected article on methods and treatment is mailed out to all the physicians of the State and it is believed this service is appreciated. Tuberculosis is one of the most curable of diseases provided treatment is begun in time if this was not true half of the population or more would die from it.

Importance of Instructing Children.

It has been said that if all children could be protected from infectious tuberculosis would be stamped out in a decade. This somewhat exaggerates the truth, but it is now believed by competent authorities that tuberculosis is rarely, if ever, contracted in adult life. The infection takes place in childhood and later usually in young manhood at a time when the system is weakened either through disease, excesses, mental or physical strain, the breakdown comes.

Fortunately, it is not a difficult matter to protect the young. To do so requires only that those who have active cases of tuberculosis be required to avoid infecting others. Practically the only way of spreading infection is through the sputum, therefore if the sputum of consumptives was carefully collected and destroyed one of the main sources would have been controlled. These consumptives who fail to protect the public in this way should be placed in special institutions just as ar-finites or criminals. Other common ways of infecting others are: through kissing, and coughing and sneezing without covering the face. Where children are exposed to infection in the home the consumptive should be isolated from them as much as possible. Separate utensils should be provided—or at any rate all dishes used by the consumptive should be boiled after use.

No Danger to Others.

A careful consumptive is not a danger to anyone and if this fact could be borne in mind much mental anguish, much persecution of those who can least stand it would be avoided. This unreasoning fear of the consumptive is known as phthisiophobia.

Service of the Bureau Open to All Alike.

If, as has been estimated, the economic loss to the State from tuberculosis is Ninety Million Dollars per year, this alone should prove a cogent reason for active steps being taken to control the disease. It was for the purpose of arousing the people of the State to action, so that a more active combatting of the disease might be entered into, that the Bureau was established. There was no thought of supplanting or hindering well established agencies and the Bureau's service is open to all; to physicians, anti-tuberculosis societies and others, and particularly to the tuberculous. The main function of the Bureau will be to encourage the establishment of county sanatoria and preventoria, to furnish sputum cups and supplies to the tuberculous at cost, and to give information on the subject of tuberculosis, its prevention and treatment, to anyone who will receive it. To obtain such service address R. E. Luhn, Jr., Director, Bureau of Correspondence and Information, State Sanatorium, Carlsbad, Texas.

Little Thrift Stamps and War Savings Stamps helped win the war. After all, patriotism isn't measured in millions nor thousands of dollars. It's doing for your country to your very utmost that makes a patriot of you. To you that utmost may seem rather small as compared with the large amount of Government securities purchased by your neighbor whose income may triple your own.

Your Thrift Stamps and War Savings Stamps did their part in the preparation for war and the victory won in just the same measure as men and cannon and guns. The bullet from a sniper's rifle and a Thrift Stamp are little things to consider, yet they went quite a long way toward beating the German army.

And Your War Savings Are Going to Finish the Job.

The war is over, yes. And just like any other great undertaking it took a lot of money to put it across. The noise of battle has ceased and the glamour that hung about the heroic deeds will soon become history. But the bills are still coming in. War Savings are going to pay them.

The dead have paid to the utmost. It's up to the living to finish the job. In France and Germany today the survivors of Chateau Thierry, Argonne Forest, St. Mihiel, are marching on with no thought of letting down on the task they took up when this country went to war. For them the job is not finished until there is definite peace and the last American soldier comes home. Your job is not finished—you have to go on war-saving.

The United States Government still has work to do. Even now plans are in the making for bringing back the slain for burial in their native land. Disabled soldiers will be trained to "carry on" in the battle of life in spite of their disabilities, and the training will be financed by the Government without cost to the disabled. The Government feels duty bound to share the burden taken up by these men who made possible the security of this country. The United States Government is going to finish the job with a steady stream of War Savings.

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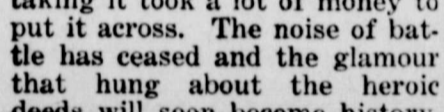
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Patriotism must pay the price. And patriotism is not something that can be laid away on a shelf and brought out and unfurled for some special ceremony; it doesn't mean cheering while the band plays the "Star Spangled Banner", and slipping out the back door while the collection is being taken. To be a sure-enough-honest-to-goodness patriot you have to stay until the program is finished. Keep on war-saving.

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"Woolens they used to make before the War!" That's what the Royal Tailors Chicago and New York, have stored up in their Warehouses for the very times as these, when war conditions have forced mountains of adulterated fabrics into the clothes world.

All Royal Spring Woolens are peace time wool-

ens made before the war—and of enduring quality. It is for this reason that Royal Tailored Clothes can be sold at such phenomenally low prices. Think of being able to buy a genuine all wool made to measure suit of clothes at \$16.50 now after four years of War and War prices; You can do it come in and see. Price \$16 to \$40 for suit or overcoat.

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FOLKS WE ALL KNOW



The Roughneck is telling about what a Tough Guy he is, and how he is known around home as Bad Bill. In reality, he isn't Bad so much as he is Dirty and Lazy, and if he lived in a Big City with the real Wild Ones, his Name would be Sweet William. This Guy impresses Nobody but the Kids.

Ice Cream and Cold Drinks at Holmans.

Lee Henrichson was in town from Artesia Wells yesterday.

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R. O. Gouger has been down at Laredo for the past two or three weeks dealing in Mexican cattle.

Lee Keithley is back from a trip in the Rio Grande country where he has been receiving some cattle for J. M. Dobie.

Tim Conlan was up from the ranch Thursday. Said the botquets were plentiful and beautiful all over his part of the county.

Merchant's Lunch 11 a. m. to 2 p. m., at Holman's Cafe.

Miss Mary Holman was over from Asherton last Saturday.

J. W. Martin, stockman of Fowlerton, was in the city during the week. Mr. Martin says there is quite a bit of oil excitement down in McMullen county.

J. T. Pugh and family left this week for Safford, Ariz., where they expect to make their future home. They went by San Antonio where they expect to be a week or more.

A nice shower would be gladly received just now. In some parts of the county weeds have begun to wilt and will mature quickly unless a shower falls soon.

John Dillard, erstwhile ranchman of this county, but who has been ranching in Webb for several years past was in the city shaking hands with his old time friends yesterday. Mr. Dillard also has a place in this county below Artesia Wells, on which he is planting about one hundred acres in cotton and feed stuffs this season.

Notice.

I have re-opened my Blacksmith Shop and if you have any work of this class bring it around. Watch for further announcement.

Jack T. Johns.

Baptist Church.

Sunday School, 10 a. m.; Sermon, 11 a. m.; Junior Union, 4 p. m.; Sermon, 7:30. Welcome to all.

W. L. Skinner.

Clock That Does Not Need Winding.

Gaddis Pharmacy is expecting a clock in a few days that does not have to be wound up or set; it has no wheels nor cogs—nothing except dial and figures, but it keeps perfect time day in and day out. You can examine this clock all over, and if you can tell what makes it run you can win a clock.

Catarrhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrhal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a running sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Catarrhal Deafness that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Medicine. Circulars free. All Druggists. 75c. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.



The fact can not will be disputed that the degree of comfort and satisfaction to be derived from your homes, depends very largely on the style and thoroughness of its furnishings.

The furnishings and decorations make a home what it is, just as features and complexion make a countenance.

See that the features and complexion of your homes are attractive and up-to-date.

See us for the furniture it needs, which we can supply to your satisfaction as to style, quality and price.

JUST IN—Fibre-Reed Rockers, Porch Swings Pro Linoleum, Large Assortment of Pitcairn Varnish.

MAKES OLD FURNITURE LOOK NEW.



Carrizo Springs

Boys Lose Again.

Carrizo Springs Baseball team played the locals yesterday afternoon for the second game this season, and met defeat for the second time. The score yesterday was 19 to 3. In the first game which was played at Carrizo Springs last Friday, the score was 9 to 5 in favor of Cotulla.

Vol Sutton, who was stricken dangerously ill with the flu ten days ago, and taken to his home in Pearsall, is reported out of danger and much better.

The San Antonio Weather Bureau predicts rain within the next twenty four hours. We hope this will be one time in a thousand that Major Buell calls the turn.

C. F. Binkley went up to San Antonio during the week.

Simon Cotulla went up to San Antonio last Sunday.

Election for School Trustees.

The State of Texas, County of La Salle. To all whom this may concern: Notice is hereby given that there will be held an Election on Saturday, the 5 day of April, 1919, in Common School District No. One, at Cotulla High School Building in compliance with an order of the Board of Trustees of said School District, and the polls in said District shall be opened at 8 o'clock a. m. and shall not be closed before 6 o'clock p. m. on said day, for the purpose of electing three Common School District Trustees for said School District.

B. J. Pate, Mrs. J. H. Gailman, Mrs. J. T. Maltzberger Trustees of Cotulla Common School District No. One.

GUNTER HOTEL

SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.

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THE HOME OF ALL TEXAS.

PERCY TYRRELL, Manager

CLASSIFIED.

Manly Agency handles best Health and Accident policies. Investigate.

TRUCKFORD to trade for cattle, horses or mules. See W. A. Kerr, Cotulla, Texas.

FOR SALE—10 to 15 bushels Spanish Peanuts for planting; Pure bred Black Minorca Eggs for setting \$1.50 for 15, prices reduced for Incubator lots; 30 or 40 bushels corn in ear, \$1.75 bushel. R. O. WILLIAMS, Millett, Texas.

FOR SALE—One small team mules and chain harness. Can use good fresh Milch cow. J. W. Lacey.

FOR SALE—8 lbs. Mission Bell Canteloupe Seed, at \$1.75. See H. B. Miller.

WANTED to sell, 10 acres of and in Section 22 of Altito lands. What will you give? Address, P. O. Monsey, 401 Wilson, St., Tyler, Texas.

WANTED TO BUY—Some short-haired goats. State price and number in first letter—Southern Pine Lumber Co., Diboll, Texas.

The State of Texas.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of La Salle County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to

cause to be published once each week for a period of twenty days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said La Salle County, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS. To all persons interested in the estate of John Hoepfner, deceased. M. L. Rone, administrator has filed in the County Court of La Salle county an application for an order to sell the following property of said estate, situated in La Salle County Texas, to-wit:

One 10 acre tract of land known as tract No. 34 in Section 773A of what is known as the Subdivision of the Altito ranch lands, also one 10 acre tract No. 97 in Section No. 769 of what is known as the subdivision of the Altito ranch lands, also Lot 34 in Block No. 2 and Lot No. 97 in Block No. 5 of the Altito townsite as per map of said townsite recorded in the Deed Records of La Salle County, Texas.

Which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the second Monday in April, A. D. 1919, the same being the 14th day of April, A. D. 1919, at the Court House thereof, in Cotulla, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said estate are required to appear and show cause why such sale should not be made, should they choose to do so.

Herein Fail Not, but have you before said Court on the said first day of the next term thereof this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court at office in Cotulla, Texas, this 14th day of March, A. D. 1919.

G. H. KNAGGS, Clerk County Court, La Salle County, Texas.

A true copy I hereby certify. T. H. Poole, Sheriff, G. O. Hill, Deputy.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT

OF THE

Financial Condition of The

FIRST STATE BANK OF FOWLERTON, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS 4 OF MARCH, 1919.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral \$18,978.36
Overdrafts 2,677.64
Bonds and Stocks 195.00
Real Estate (banking house) 2,500.00
Other Real Estate 1,240.00
Furniture and Fixtures 1,500.00
Due from other banks and Bankers, subject to check 4,728.52
Cash Items 446.74
Currency 381.59
Specie 652.16
Interest and Assment Depositors Guaranty Fund 942.83
Other resources, War Saving stamps 21.66
Expense 860.34

Total 35,124.84

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Capital Stock paid in \$10,000.00
Surplus Fund 1,731.58
Individual deposits, subject to check 21,878.48
Demand Certificates of Deposit 6.15
Cashiers Checks 1,508.63

Total 35,124.84

State of Texas:

County of La Salle

We, Mary A. Patton, as President, and Eva Mae Shannon, as Cashier of said bank, each of us do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Mary A. Patton, President
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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of March A. D. 1919.

W. B. Patton
Notary Public, La Salle County, Texas.

Correct Attest:

W. F. Sponseller
M. H. Martin jr.
W. B. Patton,
Directors.

QUIT MEAT IF YOUR KIDNEYS ACT BADLY

Take tablespoonful of Salts if Back hurts or Bladder bothers—Drink lots of water

We are a nation of meat eaters and our blood is filled with uric acid, says a well-known authority, who warns us to be constantly on guard against kidney trouble.

The kidneys do their utmost to trace the blood of this irritating acid, but become weak from the overwork; they get sluggish; the eliminative tissues clog and thus the waste is retained in the blood to poison the entire system.

When your kidneys ache and feel like lumps of lead, and you have stinging pains in the back or the urine is cloudy, full of sediment, or the bladder is irritable, obliging you to seek relief during the night; when you have severe headaches, nervous and dizzy spells, sleeplessness, acid stomach or rheumatism in bad weather, get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast each morning and in a few days your kidneys will act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate clogged kidneys, to neutralize the acids in urine so it is no longer a source of irritation, thus ending urinary and bladder disorders. Jad Salts is inexpensive and cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink, and nobody can make a mistake by taking a little occasionally to keep the kidneys clean and active.

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Lee Keithley is back from a trip in the Rio Grande country where he has been receiving some cattle for J. M. Dobie.

Tim Conlan was up from the ranch Thursday. Said the boquets were plentiful and beautiful all over his part of the county.

Merchant's Lunch 11 a. m. to 2 p. m., at Holman's Cafe.

Miss Mary Holman was over from Asherton last Saturday.

J. W. Martin, stockman of Fowlerston, was in the city during the week. Mr. Martin says there is quite a bit of oil excitement down in McMullen county.

J. T. Pugh and family left this week for Safford, Ariz., where they expect to make their future home. They went by San Antonio where they expect to be a week or more.

A nice shower would be gladly received just now. In some parts of the county weeds have begun to wilt and will mature quickly unless a shower falls soon.

John Dillard, erstwhile ranchman of this county, but who has been ranching in Webb for several years past was in the city shaking hands with his old time friends yesterday. Mr. Dillard also has a place in this county below Artesia Wells, on which he is planting about one hundred acres in cotton and feed stuffs this season.

Notice.

I have re-opened my Blacksmith Shop and if you have any work of this class bring it around. Watch for further announcement.

Jack T. Johns.

Baptist Church.

Sunday School, 10 a. m.; Sermon, 11 a. m.; Junior Union, 4 p. m.; Sermon, 7:30. Welcome to all.

W. L. Skinner.

Clock That Does Not Need Winding.

Gaddis Pharmacy is expecting a clock in a few days that does not have to be wound up or set; it has no wheels nor cogs--nothing except dial and figures, but it keeps perfect time day in and day out. You can examine this clock all over, and if you can tell what makes it run you can win a clock.

Catarrhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrhal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Catarrhal Deafness that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Medicine. Circulars free. All Druggists. 7c. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.



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JUST IN--Fibre-Reed Rockers, Porch Swings Pro Linoleum, Large Assortment of Pitcairn Varnish.

MAKES OLD FURNITURE LOOK NEW.



Carrizo Springs Boys Lose Again.

Carrizo Springs Baseball team played the locals yesterday afternoon for the second game this season, and met defeat for the second time. The score yesterday was 19 to 3. In the first game which was played at Carrizo Springs last Friday, the score was 9 to 5 in favor of Cotulla.

Vol Sutton, who was stricken dangerously ill with the flu ten days ago, and taken to his home in Pearsall, is reported out of danger and much better.

The San Antonio Weather Bureau predicts rain within the next twenty four hours. We hope this will be one time in a thousand that Major Buell calls the turn.

C. F. Binkley went up to San Antonio during the week.

Simon Cotulla went up to San Antonio last Sunday.

Election for School Trustees.

To all whom this may concern: Notice is hereby given that there will be held an Election on Saturday, the 5 day of April, 1919, in Common School District No. One, at Cotulla High School Building in compliance with an order of the Board of Trustees of said School District, and the polls in said District shall be opened at 8 o'clock a. m. and shall not be closed before 6 o'clock p. m. on said day, for the purpose of electing three Common School District Trustees for said School District.

B. J. Pate, Mrs. J. H. Gailman, Mrs. J. T. Maltzberger Trustees of Cotulla Common School District No. One.

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FOR SALE--10 to 15 bushels Spanish Peanuts for planting; Pure bred Black Minorca Eggs for setting \$1.50 for 15, prices reduced for Incubator lots; 30 or 40 bushels corn in ear, \$1.75 bushel. R. O. WILLIAMS, Millett, Texas.

FOR SALE--One small team mules and chain harness. Can use good fresh Milch cow. J. W. Lacey.

FOR SALE--8 lbs. Mission Bell Canteloupe Seed, at \$1.75. See H. B. Miller.

WANTED to sell, 10 acres of and in Section 22 of Altito lands. What will you give? Address, P. O. Monsey, 401 Wilson, St., Tyler, Texas.

WANTED TO BUY--Some short-haired goats. State price and number in first letter--Southern Pine Lumber Co., Diboll, Texas.

The State of Texas.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of La Salle County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of twenty days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said La Salle County, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS. To all persons interested in the estate of John Hoepfner, deceased. M. L. Rone, administrator has filed in the County Court of La Salle county an application for an order to sell the following property of said estate, situated in La Salle County Texas, to-wit:

One 10 acre tract of land known as tract No. 34 in Section 773A of what is known as the Subdivision of the Altito ranch lands, also one 10 acre tract No. 97 in Section No. 769 of what is known as the subdivision of the Altito ranch lands, also Lot 34 in Block No. 2 and Lot No. 97 in Block No. 5 of the Altito townsite as per map of said townsite recorded in the Deed Records of La Salle County, Texas.

Which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the second Monday in April, A. D. 1919, the same being the 14th day of April, A. D. 1919, at the Court House thereof, in Cotulla, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said estate are required to appear and show cause why such sale should not be made, should they choose to do so.

Herein Fail Not, but have you before said Court on the said first day of the next term thereof of this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court at office in Cotulla, Texas, this 14th day of March, A. D. 1919.

G. H. KNAGGS, Clerk County Court, La Salle County, Texas.

A true copy I hereby certify. T. H. Poole, Sheriff. G. O. Hill, Deputy.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT

OF THE
Financial Condition of The
FIRST STATE BANK OF FOWLERSTON, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS 4 OF MARCH, 1919.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts,	personal or collateral \$18,978.36
Overdrafts	2,677.64
Bonds and Stocks	195.00
Real Estate (banking house)	2,500.00
Other Real Estate	1,240.00
Furniture and Fixtures	1,500.00
Due from other banks and Bankers, subject to check	4,728.52
Cash Items	446.74
Currency	381.59
Specie	652.16
Interest and Assment Depositors Guaranty Fund	942.83
Other resources, War Saving stamps	21.66
Expense	860.34
Total	35,124.84

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Capital Stock paid in	\$10,000.00
Surplus Fund	1,731.58
Individual deposits, subject to check	21,878.48
Demand Certificates of Deposit	6.15
Cashiers Checks	1,508.63
Total	35,124.84

State of Texas:

County of La Salle
We, Mary A. Patton, as President, and Eva Mae Shannon, as Cashier of said bank, each of us do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Mary A. Patton, President
Eva Mae Shannon, Asst. Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of March A. D. 1919.

W. B. Patton
Notary Public, La Salle County, Texas.

Correct Attest:
W. F. Sponseller
M. H. Martin jr.
W. B. Patton,
Directors.

QUIT MEAT IF YOUR KIDNEYS ACT BADLY

Take tablespoonful of Salts if Back hurts or Bladder bothers--Drink lots of water

We are a nation of meat eaters and our blood is filled with uric acid, says a well-known authority, who warns us to be constantly on guard against kidney trouble.

The kidneys do their utmost to treat the blood of this irritating acid, but become weak from the overwork; they get sluggish; the eliminative tissues clog and thus the waste is retained in the blood to poison the entire system.

When your kidneys ache and feel like lumps of lead, and you have stinging pains in the back or the urine is cloudy, full of sediment, or the bladder is irritable, obliging you to seek relief during the night; when you have severe headaches, nervous and dizzy spells, sleeplessness, acid stomach or rheumatism in bad weather, get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast each morning and in a few days your kidneys will act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate clogged kidneys, to neutralize the acids in urine so it is no longer a source of irritation, thus ending urinary and bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink, and nobody can make a mistake by taking a little occasionally to keep the kidneys clean and active.