

THE CROSS PLAINS REVIEW

CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS, FRIDAY, Feb. 28 1919

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For a few cents you can reach nearly 1000 families with a small want ad, cheaper than you could talk to them if you had them in one crowd. Try it.

Car Mebane and Rowden cotton seed. At 2.50 per bushel. See Higginbotham Bros. & Co.

I have a nice lot of seed peacut for sale.

J. H. Williamson.

The infant of Mr. and Mrs. Rolland Keller, who live one mile south of town, died and was buried on Sunday in the Cross Plains cemetery, the Rev. R. D. Carter conducting the services.

Car cottonseed meal and cake just arrived.

Higginbotham Bros. & Co.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Services at Presbyterian church next Sunday. Sunday School at 10 a. m. Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7:15 p. m. You are invited to these services.

J. W. Howell, pastor.

CAR OF FEED

A car of mixed feed just arrived.

Cross Plains Feed Co.

MY ITINERARY

First and 3rd Sundays: at Cross Plains Second Sunday at Dressy and Burnt Branch Fourth Sunday at Cottonwood.

C. C. Tyler

Farm for Rent

A McGraw place three miles west of Cross Plains at once. Reference Address 513 Rusk St Marshall, Tex

I can sell you royalty \$ a mile from Albin's in \$125 lots up, and worth the money. Some stock in a good oil company: chance for the small investor to get in.

See L. P. Henslee.

Plenty of De Laval cream separator oil in stock. Shackelford's Lumber Yard.

LIBERTY BONDS

I have a few oil leases and some royalty I can handle and take in Liberty bonds. If you are going to sell your bonds, I can handle them for you.

L. P. Henslee.

Come to me for the latest styles made to measure suits at reasonable prices; don't buy until you see the line. Tarrt the Tailor

For Sale

A few black Minorca roosters \$1.00 each.

John Abner

The party who took the 9-11 turning blow from the field of John Swafford's will please turn the same and no question will be asked. (ad.)

Clint Rutherford went to the first of the week on business.

Start Your Preparation For a Better Place in Life

continue what you are end you are and you are what whee you will always be. If you are satisfied don't read further. World of wage earners is a world of hopers, wishers, and hesitators down by foolish doubts and fears. Endless thousands of fine fellows whose wish where their back bone ought to be exclusively afraid, halting, clinging with the drowning grasp to their slender straws because they think business a mystery and they can never succeed in it. You must have more and do more in this or you will always be seeing men that are getting more life. more of this world's enjoyments and comforts than you. point you to hundreds of young men and women no smarter than you are now successfully and engaged in a business of their own because they attend our institute and secured a business training prepared themselves to go to business office and work alone, trained men and become masters of the art of doing business. Business is not a happy-go-lucky sort of a thing. You must understand it thoroughly, you must be trained for, it is all luck and guess work. Write for our catalogue to day and read unsolicited testimonials from our former students who are today demonstrating success and the value of our training. Opportunity never comes to who waits. It comes to him who goes after it with all there is with a burning intense iron in his inmost being. Read our catalogue carefully, why not you be one of the 3000 that will go out of our training this year into a business. Procrastination is a thief of time. Fill in the following blank and in by returning mail. It may be the turning point in your life. You cannot afford to be satisfied with your present position in life. You can do much better. Name..... Address..... Tyler Commercial College, Tyler, Tex.

Don't Speculate--Invest

The shrewd investor does not put his money into every scheme presented which promises large return; rather he is satisfied with the absolute security and liberal interest. Deposit with the Farmers Nat'l Bank

Farmers National Bank

HERE FROM ELLIS CO.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Stewart of Weatherford are visiting their son, D. C. Stewart, drayman and proprietor of the blacksmith shop. Mr. and Mrs. Stewart were among the fortunate in Ranger oil development there enabling them to retire to Weatherford where they could live in ease and security. They are to make an extended trip to Louisiana and other points, where they spent their early days, and are going to take their son with them.

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LOCAL OIL SITUATION

F. S. Henderson et al Childs No 1, J. Sayers, five miles north of town is again drilling at about 1800 feet.

L. P. Litzinger et al drilling regularly with good prospects.

Cordwens No. 1, nine miles north west of Cross Plains, in southeast corner of section 12, and Odom No 1 on P. H. Cummings survey, seven miles west of Cross Plains, are both temporarily shut down.

The Goss well three miles west of Sipe Springs came in Sunday morning at a depth of 3270 feet. Great crowds of oil men and others have been flocking to Sipe Springs. The well is estimated to be making from 100 to 509 barrels.

The Cathey well south of Putnam is estimated to be making from 100 to 1000 barrels. This well has put Callahan County on the map.

BUILDS GOOD HOME

Wm. Wright, who owns a mighty good farm on Board Flat two miles north of town, has just finished a nice five-room cottage that he and his family have good reason to be proud of. We are glad to see a good home on his place.

Easter is near, Pre-Prepare now. Come at once and give me an order for a new suit. I have styles to select from and is right.

PIONEER CITIZEN DEAD

Uncle John Henry Prater, pioneer citizen of the Cross Cut country, died at his home in Cross Cut on Thursday, Feb. 20, and was buried in the family cemetery there on Friday, the Rev. W. E. Anderson, pastor of the Methodist church, conducting the services. He was stricken with paralysis Feb. 16 from which he was not able to recover. The Masons participated in the funeral services, he being a member of that ancient order for thirty years. He was a consistent member of the Methodist church for twenty five years. A large crowd of relatives and friends attended the funeral. The deceased was born Jan. 16, 1845, in the State of Alabama, and was married to Miss Luisa M. Thompson Oct. 25, 1866. To them were born six children, three sons and three girls, five of whom and the mother survive.

A daughter, Mrs. Mattie M. Brooks, died Feb. 23, 1915. All the living children were present at his death. Mr. Prater moved to Collin County in 1868, and to Brown County, in December, 1876, and settled on the place they own, being one of the oldest settlers of the country. We offer our sincerest sympathy to the bereaved family.

The three boys, W. A. Dolphus, and Edgar live in the Cross Cut country. We are not informed as to their life.

WHY WE BELIEVE Rexall MEDICINAL PREPARATIONS ARE THE BEST YOU CAN EMPLOY

FIRST—they are not "Cure-all". There is one made for each ordinary ailment. SECOND—Their efficacy has been demonstrated by thousands of satisfied users for the past fifteen years. THIRD—Every drug and Chemical entering into them is of known purity and potency.

We not only recommend these preparations to you but will cheerfully refund the full purchase price if not satisfactory.

THE CITY DRUG STORE THE REXALL STORE

SEED FOR SALE

See us for all kinds of seed, such as feterita, caffir corn, seed corn, milo maize, etc.

The Cross Plains Feed Store.

Boys Overalls, 65c

THE RACKET STORE

Plant Red Triumph Seed Potatoes, Boyles sells them Adv.

Star Brand Shoes for men that work.

THE RACKET STORE.

Lots For Sale. Two business lots near the Stewart blacksmith shop for sale at the right price. Buy before the boom.

L. P. Henslee.

The Review for less in a club.

LISTEN!

What Pride and Joy, where you can truly say
"MY HOME!"

"HOME" is the most cherished word in the English language. A "Home" owner has a **STAKE** in the community and a **PERSONAL STANDING** and a **REPUTATION** that mere money cannot purchase.

BUILD A HOME FIRST!

We are equipped to help you solve all your building problems. Our business is to Help You Get What You Want in a HOME or Any Other Kind of Building.

Call on our Service Department--it's Free.

JOE. H. SHACKELFORD
Cross Plains LUMBER STORE Texas

We Meet Competition

We are expecting a car of feed and seed, oats, bran and Light Crust flour and are in a position to meet competition with a cheap line of merchandise with the very best money can buy.

Get our prices on dry goods, groceries and Federal casings.

SEED POTATOES IN STOCK

Gross Plains Merc. Co.

THE CROSS PLAINS REVIEW

Review Printing Company

\$1.50 for one year
75c for 6 months
40c for 3 months

All clubbing propositions will be figured on the above prices.

Entered at postoffice at Cross Plains, Texas as second class mail matter

FOUR ISSUES CONSTITUTE A MONTH

CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS.

Building Paper, Window Glass and Floor Paints in stock.
J. H. Shackelford's, Lumber.

Interested in Business Course?

To the boys and girls who are interested in attending a good commercial college, we want to stress the fact that we have two brand new scholarships good for \$50.00 each, will sell at a discount or trade for Liberty bond. These two are in Tyler Commercial College. Also a scholarship in the National Business College good at Abilene, Brownwood or Fort Worth, to dispose of in a like manner. Might trade for anything good as money. The Review.

Flow tools, 2ndhand, for sale.
Freeman Blacksmith Shop.

STORY THIS WEEK

The 4th chapter of our new story, "Somewhere in France," appears in this issue. Read it and take the Review.

1 lb. Steel Cut coffee . . . 25c
Higginbotham Bros. & Co.

OIL STOCK For Sale

If you are looking for something good in oil stock, see me before you buy.

R. E. Wilson, Agt.

All kinds of candy at the
THE RACKET STORE.

L. P. HENSLEE
NOTARY PUBLIC
and Conveyancer
At The Review Office

Royalty for Sale

Have a party in 2 miles Albin will sell royalty in \$100 blocks at rate less than 10 for a \$.
Also 50 acres lease northwest of town trade for new Ford or bonds.
L. P. Henslee.

J. R. Erwin of Sabanno is a new reader of the Review, taking the same and this Dallas News in a club last week. Glad to add him to our growing list.

C. S. Boyles went to Ft. Worth Wednesday on business

Beware of Ointment Catarrh That Contains Mercury will cure of small and large intestines never be used from regular they will cure Catarrh of the Colon. Price 25c. Sold by Dealers. Take Mail's Post.

Grow Trees

If you need any kind of fruit or shade trees or other stock handled by a first-class nursery, see me. I can make immediate shipment, direct to purchaser. Satisfaction guaranteed.

R. D. Carter.
Agt.
Waxahachie
Nursery Co.

6 nice White
Leghorn Hens for sale.
Mrs. R. D. Carter

For immediate acceptance I offer royalty in small shares near Albin's and nothing less than a chance for a small investment.

Southland stock for sale; owner broke.

L. P. Heuslee.

You'll receive courteous treatment in our business office. We strive to please our customers.



Estimates on all kinds of job printing work cheerfully furnished. Drop in and see us.

For Weak Women

In use for over 40 years! Thousands of voluntary letters from women, telling of the good Cardui has done them. This is the best proof of the value of Cardui. It proves that Cardui is a good medicine for women.

TAKE
CARDUI
The Woman's Tonic

You can rely on Cardui. Surely it will do for you what it has done for so many thousands of other women! It should help. "I was taken sick," seemed to be . . . writes Mrs. Mary E. Veste, of Madison Heights, Va. "I got down so weak, could hardly walk . . . just staggered around. . . I read of Cardui, and after taking one bottle, or before taking quite all, I felt much better. I took 3 or 4 bottles at that time, and was able to do my work. I take it in the spring when run-down. I had no appetite, and I commenced eating. It is the best tonic I ever saw." Try Cardui.

All Druggists

For Anything in Lumber or Building see

Joe H. Shackelford
The Lumberman

Read his ad. on first page

Get a package of "More Food" from C. S. Boyles.

One lot good canned cans for only

Cross Plains Market

For Sale. An air-tight same as new.

Blanche D.

Pay your Review ahead

For every surplus is a human want

The business want ad is to buyer and seller to quickly.

Put the next that slips through mind into a practical toward obtaining desires, by investment want ad.

TAN-NO-MORE

The Skin Beautifier

Full facial preparation of the skin. It imparts to the skin softness and delicacy and gives it a healthy appearance and helps to its effect. Used during the day for protection from the sun and in the evening it is used to clear the complexion. All druggists, 50c, and \$1.00.

Baker-Wholesale Mfg. Co., Inc.

Scotch Short Horn Bulls

for sale. Reds and Roans bred-right and priced to sell.

J. Doss Miller & Son
De Leon, Texas.

L. W. GREEN
LAWYER

Office over The Home National Bank
Baird, Texas

Buy a Simplicity tractor

Beware of small expenses them with War Savings

Feed your cow "More Food" sold at C. S. Boyles.

For Royal small quantity.

See L. P. Henslee

Send the Review to . . .

COME ON PATRIOTS

KNOW THE JOY OF SAVING HERE'S HOW

Let's finish the job.

Let's pay our debts. The Government has spent billions of dollars to save us from ruin and disgrace. We must pay the bill.

Ever know the joy of saving? It's the grandest feeling!

Save now and later be able to buy that "something" you have always longed for. Carry out your savings pledge if you made one; or make one right now.

Buy of your War Savings Society, or bank, postoffice, store.

Thrift Stamps and War Savings Stamps.

NEAR MIRACLES ON SOUTH



GREATER HAY PRODUCTION BROOK



TYPICAL WHEAT FIELD OF TEXAS

MORE FOOD IN THE SOUTH.
Before the war the South annually imported about \$600,000,000 worth of corn, hay, wheat, mixed feed, flour, meat and poultry products, dairy products, poultry and poultry products, and canned goods. The emergency work of the United States department of agriculture has emphasized intensive farm production with the result that 15 Southern states produced 141,787,000 bushels more corn in 1918 than they harvested in 1918. The 11 states comprising the cotton belt produced 125 per cent more wheat in 1918 than in 1918. These same states during the same period increased their oats crop 133 per cent; their hay yield 128 per cent; Irish potatoes, 117 per cent; and sweet potatoes, 67 per cent.

(Prepared by the U. S. Department of Agriculture)

THE AGRICULTURAL SOUTH

Today is as different from the Dixieland of 1910 as the industrial and experienced hands of skilled agricultural workers can make it. A near miracle has been performed. Thousands of acres that were running wild and waste and fit for no productive purpose are now producing crops of corn, wheat, oats, hay, cotton, tobacco, potatoes, vegetables, and truck crops. Sections that formerly had never exported a carload of cattle, hogs, or sheep are now extensive producers of mutton, beef, pork, wool, and dairy products. Families which formerly lived a dreary existence are now not only enjoying the luxury of the staples but also many of the luxuries of country life.

How was that revolution effected? How was a change transformed into an actuality in the South? The war presented the opportunity for reconstruction along agricultural lines due to the unmet demand on the American food store. The second reason is because the United States department of agriculture and the state agricultural colleges, through the medium of 1,539 county agents located in the 15 states from Texas to Oklahoma and from Florida to Maryland, have been steadily urging farmers to increase crop production; to practice better farming methods to maintain more live stock; and to produce more of the staple crops. The South is now producing, utilizing cotton as the leading cash crop.

Before the South has been the Eden of the nation, one-negro cotton farming, corporation, have farmers have raised cotton largely to the exclusion of all other money crops. They have "about faced" and converted their cotton money into imported beans, bacon, and bread from the local supply stores. In view of this prevailing and traditional practice of buying instead of producing the bulk of food, the United States department of agriculture operated under severe handicaps when it began food work south of the Mason Dixon line.

Food credit is given to the county agents, who have not only shown Southern farmers in 15 states how to raise and produce vegetables, truck crops and meat products, but have succeeded in getting the farmers to raise crops on a large scale. Despite the fact that the record price of cotton has operated to the popularity of other crops, the average farmer has increased his production of potatoes, corn, beans, peas, pumpkins, velvet beans, and such crops, as well as eggs, milk and butter.

For example, during 1918 Alabama increased its production of potatoes 68 per cent; cotton, 30 per cent; sheep, 19 per cent; and sweet potatoes, 100 per cent, over the yields of 1917. The South has been a heavy buyer of hay, the services of the Southern states have increased the local hay production to the extent that Alabama produced with 100,000 tons in 1900. During the year 1918, Georgia increased hay production 355 per cent; North Carolina, 183 per cent; Florida, 362 per cent; and South Carolina, 100 per cent. According to recent crop estimates the total value of the farm crops of Alabama, Georgia, Mississippi, North Carolina and South Carolina, amounted to \$880,213,000 and \$2,100,200,000 in 1917, an increase of 100 per cent.

crop estimates, there are 65,000,000 in the United States, of which 29,651,000 animals per cent, are on farms in the six corn states of Iowa, Illinois, Nebraska, Missouri, Ohio, and Indiana. In 1917, 21,756,000 hogs are located in the 15 Southern states remaining 21.1 per cent are distributed in 27 states of the Union. The present conditions the South ranks second in corn belt as the leading pork-producing country. The remarkable fact growth of the hog business in the cotton belt that it has developed rapidly during the years as a direct result of the untiring county agents to popularize pork in the South. Clinically the South is the ideal location of this country and present indicate that it is en route to come into its own.

Indicative of the rapid rise of the pig industry, 17 counties of southern Alabama, they did not ship to market a single hog during the year 1912-1913, mark carloads of hogs during the period from 1917, to April 1, 1918. Mississippi exported hogs in 1914, while in 1917 she disposed of fat porkers, an increase of 1,224 per cent. The most part, the Southern hogs are inexpensive, on such forage crops as peanuts, cowpeas, chufas, potatoes, and clover, while corn is used as a finishing firm, compact and "bloomy" the flesh to a high market quality.

The hog supply has developed with the in corn production. In 1900 North Carolina produced 41,365,000 bushels of corn, while in 1918 she produced 143,365,000 bushels and fattened hogs. Georgia produced approximately 100,000,000 bushels more corn in 1918 than in 1910. The 1918 harvest yielded 2,507,000 hogs, similar to the other Southern states. Increase of corn and pork have been intimately while the exigencies of war-time production speeded up the farmers and, largely with high market values, have expedited manufacture. Similarly, as a result of hay production, more cattle have been kept in the South. In 1914 Mississippi marketed on fat cattle, while in 1916 it shipped 154,000 head to the St. Louis market, an increase of 232 per cent.

Reports show 1,470,408 women actively in regular and emergency war work in the Southern states during 1917, while 980,272 girls along similar lines; a total of 2,006,213 and girls worked to help win the war by buying, poultry production, canning and drying vegetables and meats, butter making and such. Their achievements are partitioned in 200,000,000 cans of fruits and vegetables now awaiting consumption in Southern rooms and pantries. Impartial opinion states during the last 12 months the Southern have canned and preserved 500 per cent of fruits and vegetables than in any similar period in the last half century.

The 62,227 women enrolled in 3,812 clubs recently have put up \$4,993,677 worth of vegetables and fruits worth over \$7,000,000. In addition they have prepared over 2,750 dried fruits and vegetables, and brined, and stored 500 additional tons of vegetables. The Southern girls engaged in regular war work raised and canned 8,882,000 cans of fruit worth \$1,500,000, as well as canned 1,901,000 containers of fruits and vegetables which they did not raise themselves. Boys' club work has also developed on a large scale because of the persevering and attention work of the county agents. During

Christmas in a Dugout

By Sergeant Arthur Guy Empey
Author of "Over the Top," "First Call," Etc.

Mr. Empey's Experiences During His Seventeen Months in the First Line Trenches of the British Army in France

It was Christmas eve, and cold; not the kind of cold which sends the red blood tingling through your veins and makes you want to be up and at 'em, but that miserable damp kind that eats into the marrow of your bones, attacking you from the rear and sending cold shivers up and down your spinal column. It gives you a feeling of dread and loneliness.

The three of us, "Curly," "Happy," and myself, were standing at the corner of "Yankee avenue" and "Yiddish street," waiting for the word "Stand to," upon which we were to mount our machine gun on the parapet and go on watch for two hours with our heads sticking over the top.

"Yankee avenue" was the name of the fire trench, while "Yiddish street" was the communication trench leading to the rear. We were occupying "Y" sector of the front line of our brigade. The trench was muddy, and in some places a thin crust of ice was beginning to form around the edges of the puddles.

We had wrapped our feet and legs with empty sand bags, and looked like snow shovellers on Fifth avenue. My teeth were chattering with the cold. Happy was slapping his hands on his thighs, while Curly had unbuttoned one of the buttons on his overcoat, and with his left hand was desperately trying to reach under his right armpit—no doubt a "coolie" had gone marking for its Christmas dinner.

Then came the unwelcome "Stand to," and it was up on the firestep for us to get our gun mounted. This took about five minutes. Curly, while working away, was muttering; "Blime me, Christmas eve, and here I am somewhere in France, 'alf starved with the cold."

Happy was humming "Keep the Home Fires Burning." Right then, to me, any kind of a home fire would have been very welcome. It was black as pitch in No Man's Land. Curly stopped muttering to himself and Happy's humming ceased. There was serious work in front of us. For two hours we had to try and penetrate that blackness with our straining eyes to see that Fritz did not surprise us with some Christmas stunt of his.

ship's company to report progress as to what they have done for the Christmas feed which is to be held tomorrow at eight bells. Yank, let's hear yours."

I reported one dozen eggs, two bottles of white wine, one bottle of red wine, eight packets of Gold Flake "flaps" (cigarettes), and one quart bottle of champagne, which had cost me five francs at a French restaurant.

This report was received with a cheer. "Ik'y" Honney was next in order. He proudly stated that he had saved his rum issue for the last eleven days, and consequently was able to donate to the feast his water bottle three-fourths full of rum. This would help out in making brandy sauce for the plum pudding. Sailor Bill informed that he had a fruit cake, a bottle of pickled walnuts, and two tins of deviled ham which had been sent out to him from London. Each man had something to report. I carefully made a list of the articles opposite the name of the person donating them, and turned the list over to Bill, who was to act as cook on the following day.

Just then Lance Corporal Hall came into the dugout, and warming his hands over the fire bucket, said: "If you blokes want to hear something that will take you home to Blighty, come up into the fire trench a minute."

None of us moved. That fire bucket was too comfortable. After much coaxing Sailor Bill, Ik'y Honney and myself followed Hall out of the dugout and up into the fire trench. A head salute was rendered, and we started to return. Hall blocked our way, and whispered: "Just a minute, boys, and listen."

Pretty soon, from the darkness out in front, we heard the strains of a German cornet playing "It's a Long, Long Trail We're Winding." We stood entranced till the last note died out. After about a four or five-minute wait the strains of "The Swallowtail" were wafted across No Man's Land toward us. I felt lonely and homesick.

Out of the darkness from the fire bay on our left a Welsh voice started singing "It's a Long, Long Trail." It was beautiful. The German cornet player must have heard it, because he picked up the tune and accompanied the singer on his cornet. I had never heard anything so beautiful in my life before. The music from the German trench suddenly ceased, and in the air overhead came the sharp crack! crack! of machine gun bullets, as some Boche gunner butted in on the concert. We ducked and returned to our dugout.

He returned in a few minutes with a large parcel addressed to me. I eagerly took the parcel and looked for the post mark. It was from London. Another pang of disappointment passed through me. I knew no one in London.

Then it all flashed over me in an instant. About two weeks before I had noticed a collection being taken up in the section and at the time thought it very strange that I was not asked to donate. The boys had all chipped in to make sure that I would not be forgotten on Christmas. They eagerly crowded around me as I opened the parcel. It contained nearly everything under the sun, including some American cigarettes.

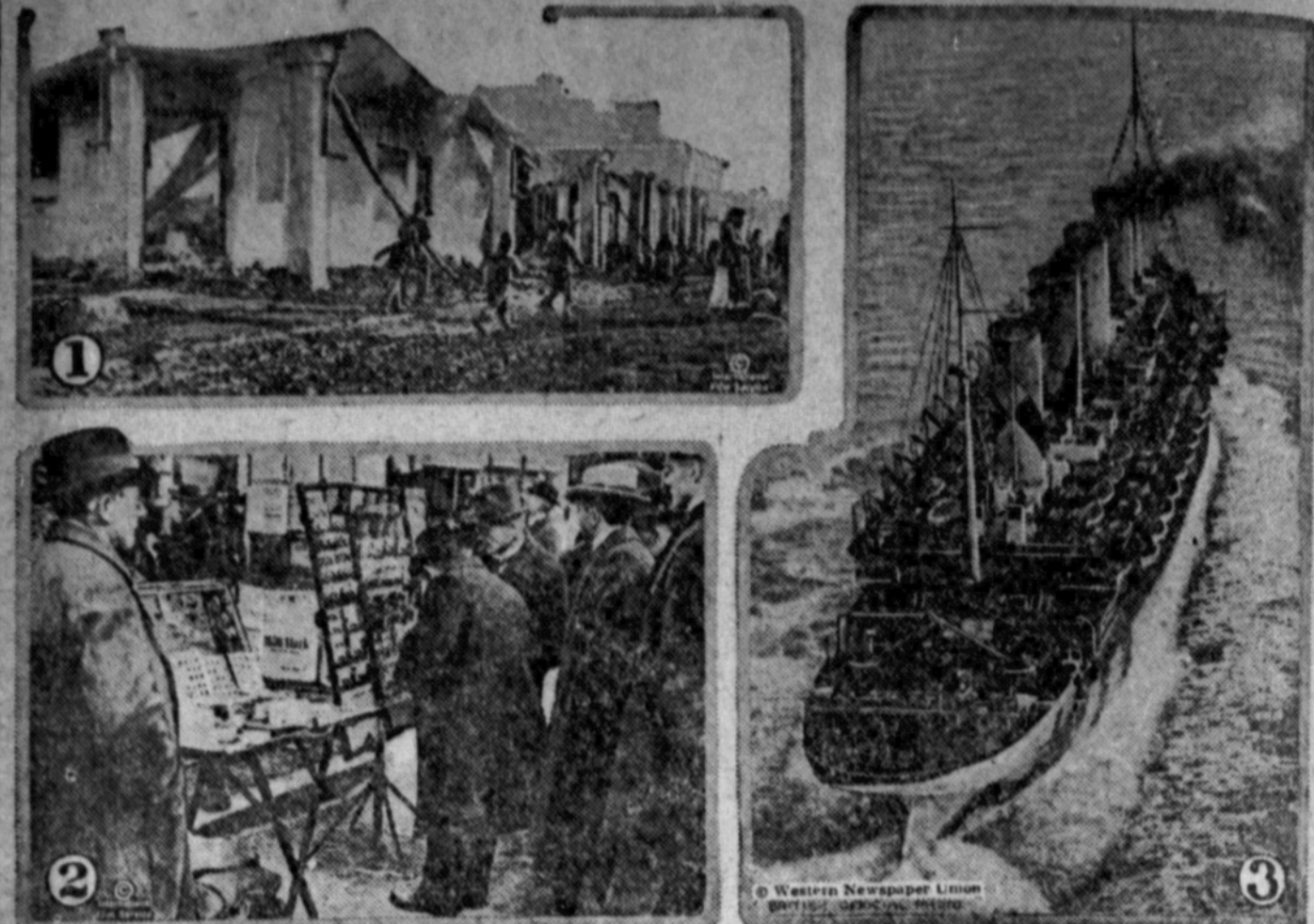
A man named Smith in our section had been detailed as "runner" to our captain and was not present at the distribution of the mail. Three parcels and five letters were placed on his pack so he would receive them on his return to the dugout.

In about ten minutes a man came from the trench loaded down with small oblong boxes. Each Tommy, including myself, received one. They were presents from the queen of England, and each box contained a small plum pudding, cigarettes, a couple of cigars, matches and chocolates. Every soldier in the British army received one of these boxes on Christmas day.

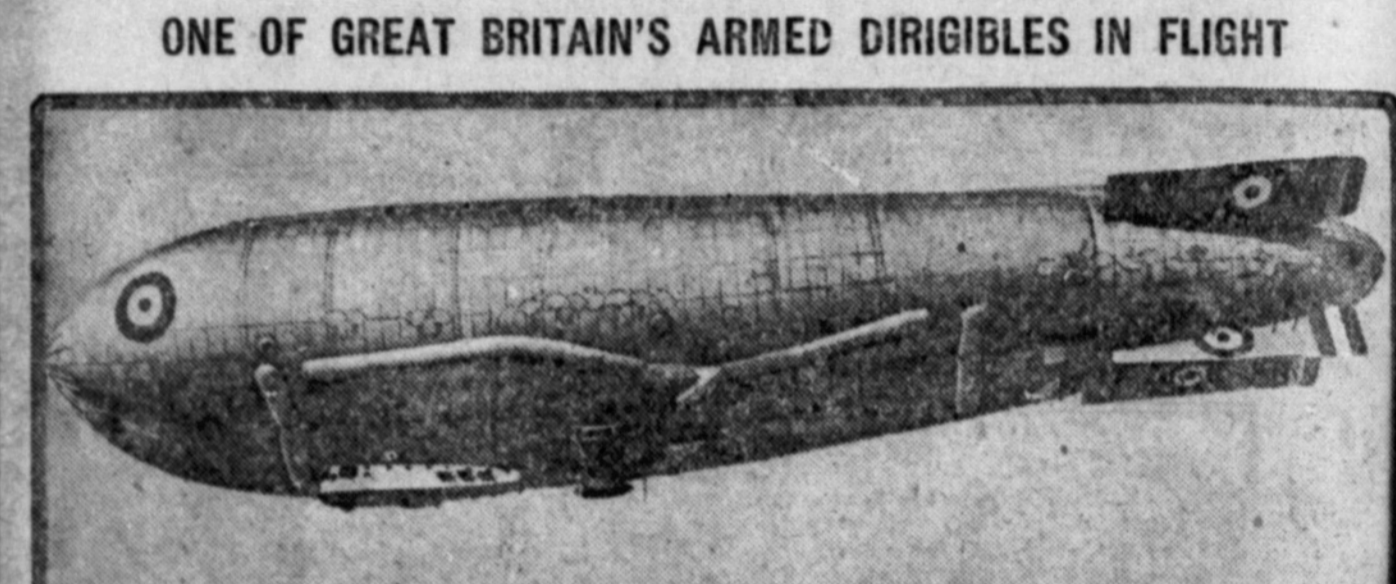
At last Sailor Bill announced that Christmas dinner was ready and we lost no time in getting to our respective packs, sitting around in a circle. Smith was the only absentee, and his parcels and letters, still unopened, were on his pack. He was now a half hour overdue.

Sailor Bill, noting our eagerness to begin, held up his hand and said: "Now boys, we're all shipmates together. Don't you think it would be better to wait a minute?"

Smith? We all assented, but we were cursing him for a few minutes. Ten minutes passed—twenty. All eyes were turned in Bill's direction. He answered us with: "Go to it, boys, we can't wait. Smith, I don't know what's keeping him, but you know his name is in orders for leave and perhaps he is so tickled that he's going to see his wife and three little nippers in Blighty, that he's lost his bearings and has run aground."

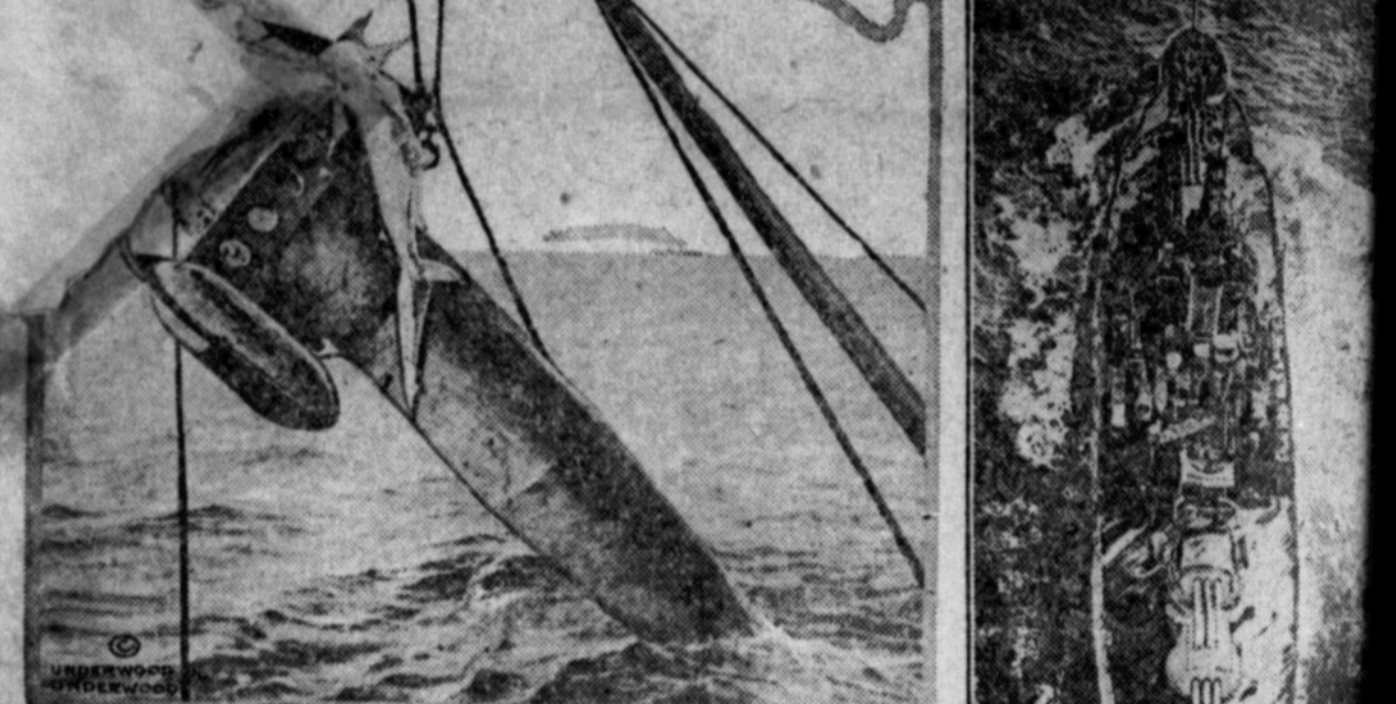


1—What remained of a Russian village after Chinese murderers in the employ of the Russian anarchists had devastated it. 2—Buying revolutionary buttons and post cards on the streets of Berlin. 3—Transport Mauretana, loaded with returning American troops, photographed from a British dirigible.



ONE OF GREAT BRITAIN'S ARMED DIRIGIBLES IN FLIGHT

A British dirigible big enough to carry out long-distance flights, mounting two machine guns and carrying numerous bombs for use against the subs. It was not until hostilities ceased that England divulged the fact that she had mastered the art of dirigible building and had actually created such a large fleet of airships, many of them larger than the one shown, that there were not enough hangars to hold them.



PARAVANE HOOKS A HUGE SHARK

While the British were sweeping for mines a giant shark of the hammer head variety was hooked by this paravane, which is a new mine-sweeping device.



WHIPPET TANKS USED IN PEACE WORK

Formerly deadly engines of war, these whippet tanks have been dismantled and are now being employed in France in useful agricultural work. This one hauls a canal boat loaded with foodstuffs for the interior.

Too Bad!

Who had that so many women suffer another day from nervous troubles when we can get relief so easily. For 30 years DR. MILES' NERVINE has been helping people suffering from nervous disorders to regain their health and happiness.

SAM THOMASSON MOVES HERE

Sam Thomasson, carpenter and contractor, and his family have moved here from Clyde, Mr. Thomasson will be connected with the Joe H. Shackelford Lumber Yard. He is a first-class workman and will no doubt do a good business. He is anticipating an oil boom, which we are going to have.

Mr. Thomasson is a prother of Mrs. J. M. Hembree.

Club the Review

TO COLLECT CITY TAXES

I will collect all city taxes and will office at Martin Neeb's feed store, where you can see me.

Wm. Neeb.

THOS. J. GLADSON

Lawyer
Office in Rear of Bank of Cross Plains
Special Attention Given to Oil Leases and Land Titles

COMPULSORY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE REQUIRED

Notice to Parents & guardians:—In most school districts over the country NOW the influenza epidemic, and other diseases, have about subsided making conditions practically normal so far as health is concerned. Therefore, from now on during the school year, we shall insist on the enforcement of the compulsory School Attendance law, which requires children from 8 to 13 years inclusive to attend school regularly for 100 days, unless excused by terms and provisions of the law. The law provides that the sheriff, his Deputies, justice of the peace, with the Co. Supt., shall execute and enforce the law. On reports of Teachers, Trainers, or Patrons regarding children who are not attending school:

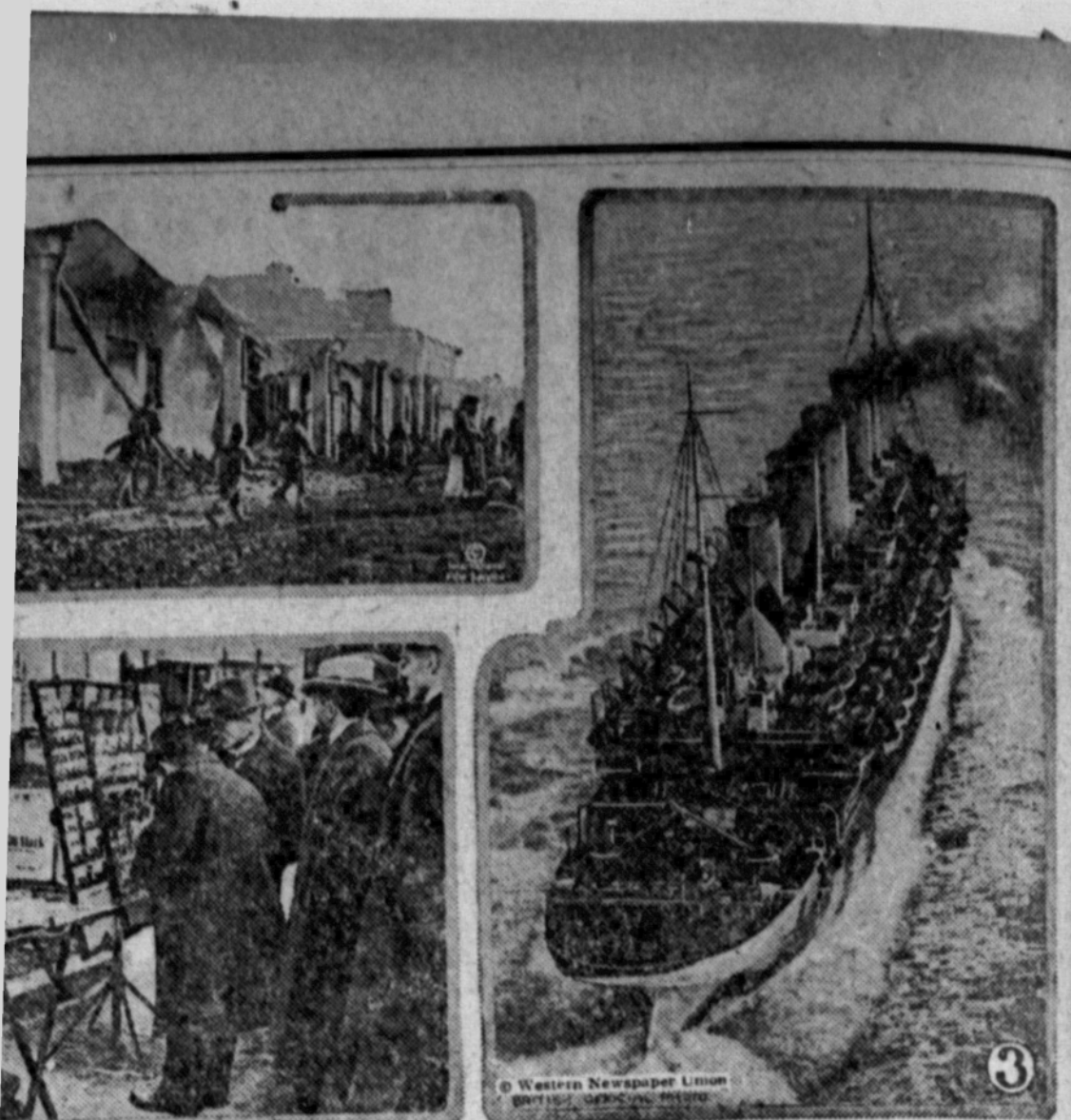
Parents or guardians, according to law, shall be subjected to penalty of \$5 Per day per child, for first day, \$10 for the second day, and \$25 for the third day and thereafter. After complaint has been filed in court and "warning" Notice received by parents or guardian. Playing "hokey," by pupils persistently is cause for investigation by peace officers.

As Ex-Officio County Attendance Officer of Callahan County, I hereby request the services, under terms of the law of the Sheriff, and all other Peace Officers in enforcing this law. Given and officially subscribed, to this 5th day of February, 1919 at Baird, Texas.

S. E. Seale,
Co. Supt. and Ex-Officio Attendance Officer for said County.

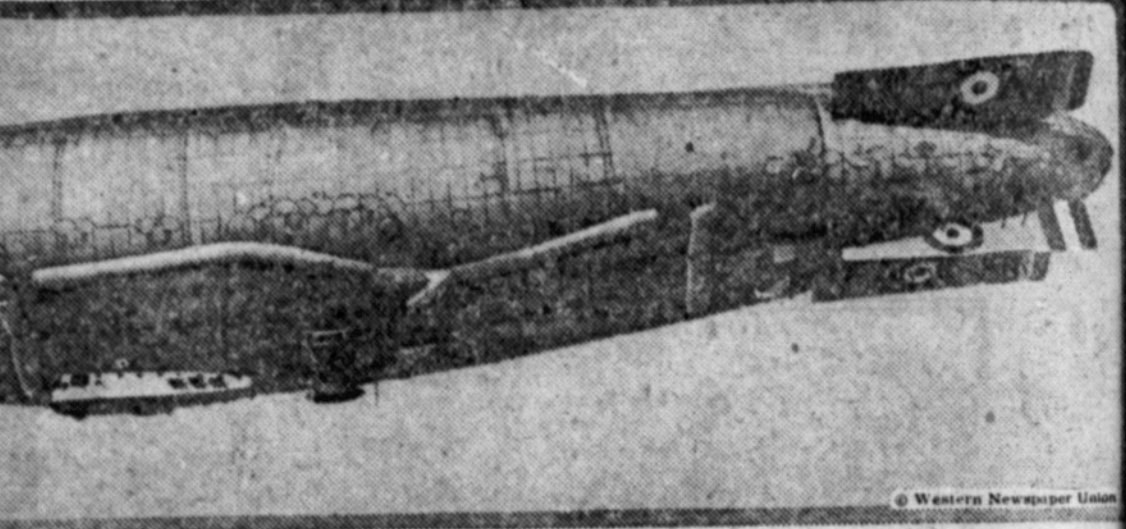
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"Gentlemen, it is now time for this



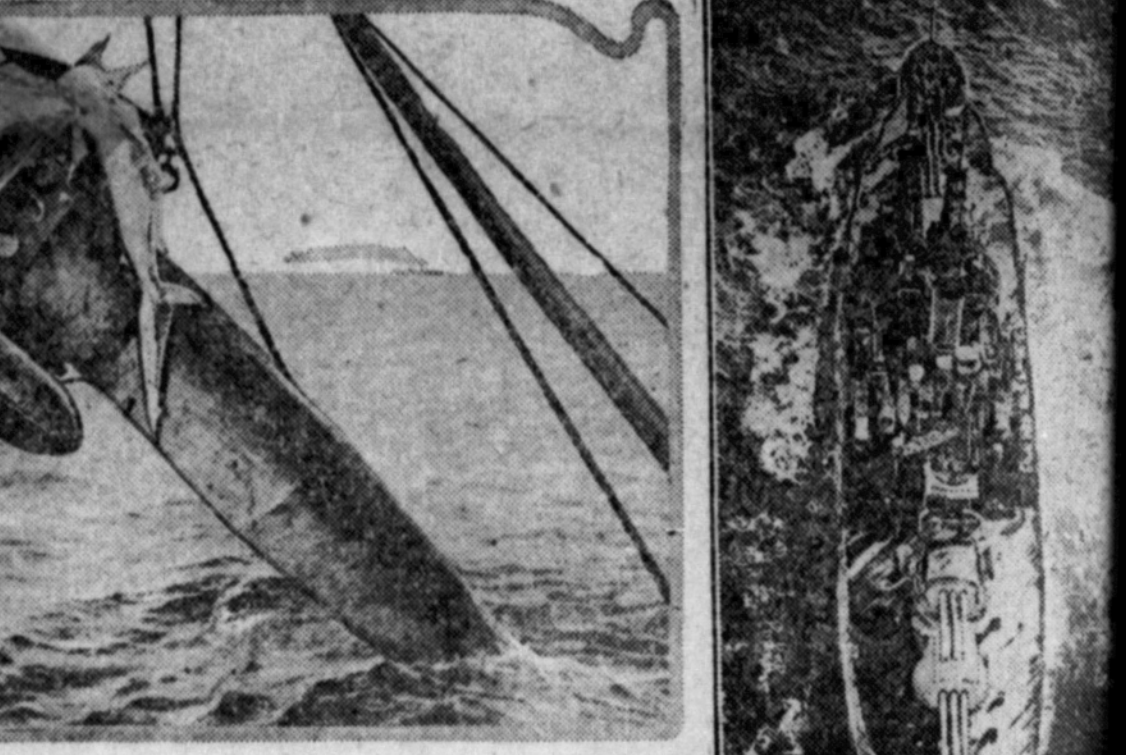
1 of a Russian village after Chinese murderers in the employ of the Russian anarchists had hung revolutionary buttons and post cards on the streets of Berlin. 3—Transport Maureana, American troops, photographed from a British dirigible.

OF GREAT BRITAIN'S ARMED DIRIGIBLES IN FLIGHT



able big enough to carry out long-distance flights, mounting two machine guns and carrying a crew of six. It was not until hostilities ceased that England divulged the fact that the art of dirigible building and had actually created such a large fleet of airships, many of them the one shown, that there were not enough hangars to hold them.

AVANE HOOKS A HUGE SHARK



British were sweeping for mines a giant shark of the hammer as hooked by this paravane, which is a new mine-sweeping device.

PET TANKS USED IN PEACE WORK



deadly engines of war, these whippet tanks have been discovered now being employed in France in useful agricultural work. A canal boat loaded with foodstuffs for the interior.

See It: How You Don't.
 becomes conscious at the matrimonial career that he pay envelope is the least ester family peer. Should come a wage earner equal- suggest a like division. One of Oakland, Cal., cher- notion when his wife be- ge earner, and sought his due process of law." The feed Mrs. Miller on the spot the fearless man for the

No Cents of Justice.
 Said the facetious fellow: "It's a pretty mean man who will send his 8-year-old son six blocks to the drug store to buy a 7-cent cigar and wait till the boy gets home to give him a penny for his services."

Time-Saving Barn.
 A time-saving concrete barn patented by an Iowa inventor has a water tank and feed and hay lofts surrounding and emptying into a central space on the ground floor.

Too Bad!

Too bad that so many women suffer every day from nervous troubles when they can get relief so easily. For 30 years DR. MILES' NERVINE has been helping people suffering from nervous disorders to regain their health and happiness.

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DR. MILES' NERVINE

SAM THOMASSON MOVES HERE

Sam Thomasson, carpenter and contractor, and his family have moved here from Clyde, Mr. Thomasson will be connected with the Joe H. Shackelford Lumber Yard. He is a first-class workman and will no doubt do a good business. He is anticipating an oil boom, which we are going to have.

Mr. Thomasson is a prother of Mrs. J. M. Hembre.

THOS. J. GLADSON
 Lawyer
 Office in Rear of Bank of Cross Plains
 Special Attention Given to Oil Leases and Land Titles

COMPULSORY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE REQUIRED

Notice to Parents & guardians:—In most school districts over the country NOW the influenza epidemic, and other diseases, have about subsided making conditions practically normal so far as health is concerned. Therefore, from now on during the school year. We shall insist on the enforcement of the compulsory School Attendance law, which requires children from 8 to 13 years inclusive to attend school regularly for 100 days, unless excused by terms and provisions of the law. The law provides that the sheriff, his Deputies, justice of the peace with the Co. Supt. shall execute and enforce the law. On reports of Teachers, Trustees, or Patrons regarding children who are not attending school.

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HAIRING EGGS
 Hatched and browned eggs to the country can buyer insist that the eggs be on the quality of the eggs at least twice a week. Dry eggs should be used. Eggs to market they are protected from the sun's rays. Eggs will withstand mar- keting much better than fresh eggs.

MEETING WHERE WILL BE HELD
 Star-Telegram. A "dope buck" of the year is beginning to simmer. A big question as to the development of the Central West Texas counties are the odds in favor of Comanche or Coleman and Shackelford counties in their share of the prize. A few are looking for something sensational in the county.

Looking for startling developments in Coleman county. Slaying lists are going down and the well of the Galt Produce company in Bannock county is being strengthened. The faith of the southwest of the Eastland county fields.

Regular Connoisseur.
 Gert (of the gloves)—My best excellent Judge of pictures. Nell (of the notions)—Do hunt the galleries? Gert (warily)—He never where but the orchestra, I'll be know. And, furthermore, I'll be 30-cent sundae that he can do any movie in town right in the of the reel and tell you the producing company and the gal actor.

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FROM ODOM FORD

Melisey, France, Jan. 20, 1919.
 Dear Parents and Friends: time, will try to write a few lines telling you about my experience in France.

We unloaded from the boat (George Washington) the 31st day of July, 1918. We marched out about 4 miles to a rest camp, after eating supper in, we stretched our dog tents to shelter us, we stayed there 2 or 3 days and then loaded on a train with 3 days rations on our way to find a training area.

On the 5th day of August we were trained at Barsurabe, France. We marched to a little town by the name of Fresnay, about 8 miles from Barsurabe, there we trained until about the 25th of September. We left Fresnay with mobile equipment for Bleuville, France. We entrained there for Braux, France. There was a mistake of some kind in transportation, and we unloaded at another place (I have forgotten the name) and hiked two days and nights before we reached Braux. We drilled at this place several days, and had our first experience with airplanes. The Boche planes would come over at night and shell the towns, but didn't do much damage. Between the 2nd and 5th of October we left Braux for the front day and about noon the 2nd day we reached the Hindenburg line. It was a terrible sight to see here that I saw my first dead on the battle field. A few Americans and French still un- buried, but lots and lots of Boches lying by the side of the road. None of us realized the danger we were marching into. The most of us wanted to see a real battle and we did. We moved from there on to ward the front and stayed two days. On the third morning we started again, passing through Stippes, we continued on our march until about 8 o'clock that evening. We stayed in barracks that night for the first time since landing in France. We had been staying in French barns most of the time. On the 4th morning we started again and marched all day, only stopping by the road side long enough to eat our meals. We marched on and on, hoping the next "thicket" we came to we could make our beds for the night, but midnight passed and we were still going thro the darkness and the mud. Between 2 and 3 o'clock we came to some holes in the ground. The sergeant told us to find a hole and lie in it until we were called for. We were hungry and thirsty, we un- packed to make a bed, and we had one hour of sleep. At 5 o'clock we started for the front. We were in support then, but we were happened and we went back to the holes. When daylight came we began to venture out to view our surroundings and after seeing all kinds of equipments and dead men lying all around me, I began to realize what war meant. I went back to my hole perfectly satisfied until I heard some- thing singing through the air. Rising upon one elbow and looking in the direction of the noise I heard and saw the report of my first G. I. Can (the name the doughboys have for the artillery shells). Another one came a little closer and still another and I began to dig in deeper for a happen- ed to be in one of the shallow holes. The high explosives began to fill the air, and presently some one yelled "gas" and in a very few minutes the gas mask was on. Everything went on smoothly enough until about 1 o'clock that same evening and we went to the front line. We were sure enough shelled there. Four of our men were wounded by the same shell in ten yards of the hole I was in. so we moved our position a few hundred yards to the left. They shelled us all through the night until about 1 o'clock when everything ceased and we were over the top. We moved on, mostly for three or four miles and then ran a machine gun fire. I tried to dig in but didn't have time. The bullets were singing "The Graveyard Blues" over my head. This was my birthday, October 11th. One of two of our men were wounded here. We were put out of business by the Second Platoon and we moved on running into shell fire once and a while and when night came we dug in. We started early next morning, marched all day without any resistance and slept in holes that night. The next day was Sunday, October 13th, and that was the day of real battle. There was where the G. I. Cans and machine gun bullets whistled over many a soldier's head. We were held up here by the river, the Huns on one side and we on the other. We held the line here for 15 days and it rained most of the time. Lying in an open hole in the mud and cold wasn't very pleasant. We were relieved by the French and moved back about 6 miles to a town called Paupres and stayed there three or four days and started again and hiked seven days. Landed at a little town, Lechemin and drilled two weeks and while there the armistice was signed and we were "some proud bunch." We left Lechemin, hiked twelve days and landed in this little burg (Melisey) and we are drilling every day. We lost comparatively few men from my company. The nearest

RESUES THREE COMRADES, BADLY INJURED NEXT DAY

Jimmy Allison Given Croix de Guerre For Bravery in Bringing Back Boys in Belleau Wood Fight.

Falling out of line, risking everything to rescue all three wounded comrades, struggling all night to get them to first aid stations in time to save their lives and barely getting back next morning in time to join his regiment before its removal to another point, preparatory to action, was the unusual experience of James T. Allison, better known as Jimmy Allison, of the 2d Engineers. Tired, worn and hungry, not knowing whether he had committed a grave offense in disobeying orders or whether he would have punishment, slight or severe, he reported to his company commander, who thought he was "missing in action." When questioned where he had been and why he had failed to come in with his company, he told his straightforward story, which was a heroic one, and was exonerated at once, and six weeks later given the Croix de Guerre.

Convalescing at Base Hospital, Jimmy Allison came to the base hospital at Fort Sam Houston and now is convalescing from a compound fracture in his left leg, which he received the day after his heroic rescue of his comrades, eight months ago. Since that time he has been in various hospitals in France and was sent to America in October. He is from Cross Plains and enlisted with the 2d Engineers May 1, 1917, and was sent to France in September. His company built one of the first American field hospitals at Belleau Wood, the south bank of the Marne, and there is probably no man who has seen more of the horrors of war than Jimmy Allison.

"We were in action in Belleau Woods June 5 and knowing where three of my comrades lay wounded, when we lined up to fall back that evening, I went back against my commander's request to rescue my pals. The awful roar of guns, the hiss of bullets and the horrors all around me made me have only one thought, and that was to get to my suffering, helpless friends.

"I found them not very far apart and two of them were wounded badly. I was afraid I was too late, but after getting them to first aid station, and attended to, I was consoled when they had been said there was

TO MRS. BOY BOND, IN MEMORY OF YOUR LITTLE SON WHO IS WITH JESUS

(By Rev. and Mrs. Carl C. Wright.)
 You did not know which one you loved the best;
 And never cared to test your heart to see.
 Till he bade you "good-bye" and went to rest;
 And then you thought indeed 'twas he.
 He was so noble, kind and true,
 No fault had stamped itself on him to stay;
 No boy you ever met or ever knew,
 Of finer traits was ever made of clay.

He was his father's son, his mother's boy;
 You saw him in his cradle rocked to sleep;
 You saw him romp in child-hood's morn of joy,
 But when just a little lad there seemed to creep
 Over you the thought you would lose him soon,
 Since tender fruit is often gathered first,
 And the dearest lies and sweetest boon,
 Are oft' times, by God's will, allowed to burst.

To him in life's rosy morn the angels came,
 And closed his bright eyes in earth's day;
 For some new ward his soul was aflame,
 He said "good-bye" and smiled and went away.
 How sad we feel, but such is fate,
 That in life's golden morn and sunny down,
 There swings back the folds of death's dark gate,
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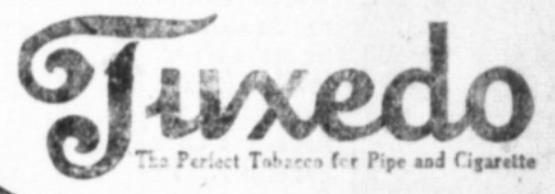
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Dentistry

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Phone 143. Dr. Mary L. S. Graves.

For any kind of INSURANCE

L. P. HENSLEE.

Just arrived car Peanut cake and meal. Higginbotham Bros. & Co.

At the Simplicity Incubator, C. S. Boyles.

A good 18X24 house suitable for moving. Sell or trade. L. P. Henslee.

A Ford car, in good shape, to sell or trade for lease, royalty, diamond or town lots. E. C. Neeb.

Miss Jewel Mitchell left on Tuesday for Corpus Christi where she will visit her sister, Mrs. Harvey Dennis.

Doc Long left on Wednesday to resume working in the oil fields at Parks, Stephens County.

Every little bit added to what you have makes just a little bit more. Get the Thrift Stamp habit.

Plenty of Red Triumph Seed Potatoes at Boyles. Adv.

It's not what you spend but what you save that counts.

Don't forget that your War Saving pledge is a personal, binding obligation and the Government expects you to fulfill it by purchasing 1919 War Saving Stamps.

If you want to be successful, learn to save. Acquire the habit through purchasing W. S. S. regularly.

COTTON SEED
Rowden and Mebane cotton seed on route. Also seed Irish potatoes in stock. Higginbotham Bros. & Co.

GARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank each and every one for their kind assistance and sympathy shown us during the illness and death of our darling baby boy. Also thank the school girls for the beautiful flowers. Also Bro Howell, for the consoling words spoken at the grave. May Gods blessings be with all of you. Herman Aiken and family.

YOUR OPPORTUNITY

Have small leases and royalty around Odom's and Albin's can trade for bonds or good car, or sell in small quantities. Sell on credit to responsible parties. L. P. Henslee.

Scholarships for Sale

The Review offers scholarships in Tyler Commercial College for sale at reduced prices. Good for face value on any course. The Government urgently needs lady stenographers, typewriter operators, bookkeepers, etc., and offers good pay. A fine opportunity for unincumbered women to get good lucrative positions as stenographers, typewriter operators, and in the civil service. You can prepare for this work at Tyler. The Review.

READ THE FARM NEWS

The Farm News not only gives you a thoroughly reliable and progressive home and farm journal, but it also contains generous accounts of all the world's activities and an editorial page prepared by the ablest editorial writers of the south. This great home paper and the Review may be had in club rate at \$2.25.

That New Spring Dress or Hat

We are still receiving something new every day for that Spring Dress. Have just received quite a number of Voiles, Foulards, Fancy Silks, etc. You certainly want to see them before you buy.

NEW SPRING HATS
Our Millinery department is complete, our milliner having just returned from market. We now have almost any kind of hat you want.

SHOES
Our shoe stock is complete. We have anything in a black or white Pump, Oxford, or other shoe that you would want.

GROCERY SPECIAL
Look at what we offer you for Saturday only. If you don't get them then, you miss your chance.

1 lb. Steel Cut Coffee	25c
1 bucket	90c
2 pkgs. flakes	25c
1 black	75c
No. Beans	15c

Higginbotham Bros. & Co.

Beginning Saturday, my business will be run strictly on a Cash Basis—no exceptions. The Wilson Produce Company

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May you have a prosperous and good New year. We thank you for your business during the year now going into history, and will certainly appreciate a liberal share of the same during 1919.
Since the war is over you should build substantial improvements. Use lumber; spend your money in improving your home, and you shall have invested it well.
W. W. PRYOR, Lumber

For a few cents you can reach nearly 1000 families with a small want ad, cheaper than you could talk to them if you had them in one crowd. Try it.

Car Mebane and Rowden cotton seed. At 2.50 per bushel. See Higginbotham Bros. & Co.

I have a nice lot of seed peanut for sale. J. H. Williamson.

Car cottonseed meal and cake just arrived. Higginbotham Bros. & Co.

Royalty blanks for sale. See The Review.

Horace, Jess, and John Carter all spent the first of the week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Carter.

Cliff Borden, Walton Reeder and others went on Monday to see the Goss well this side of Sipe Springs, and count how much money they had lost by not having property close.

Lost, Saturday the 15th, a \$5 bill between the Bank of Cross Plains and Higginbotham store. Finder please return to this office.

Miss Blanch Durham spent Friday to Sunday with her parents at De Leon.

Mrs. John Horn and son John J. moved the first of the week to De Leon, where Mr. Horn has been living for some two or three weeks. The house they have been occupying is rented by Sam Thomasson of Clyde, who will move here to work the at carpenter trade.

Walter Breeding, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Breeding of Caddo Peak, arrived on last Saturday from Camp Bowie, where he was discharged from service, Walter is looking fine, but is glad to be back home.

I can sell you royalty for a mile from Albin's in \$125 lots up, and worth the money. Some stock in a good oil company; chance for the small investor to get in. See L. P. Henslee.

Plenty of De Laval cream separator oil in stock. Shackelford's Lumber Yard.

LIBERTY BONDS
I have a few oil leases and some royalty I can handle and take in Liberty bonds. If you are going to sell your bonds, I can handle them for you. L. P. Henslee.

Automobile to trade for Royalty. C. S. Boyles.

Club your Review with Red Triumph Seed Potatoes. Boyles.

One single hack in good for sale or trade. L. P. Henslee.

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PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Attend Sunday school. Presbyterian Church next morning at 10 o'clock. J. W. Howell.

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Those who want to take advantage of one-half freight rates on feed should make up their mind and notify me at once. Feed shipped at this rate must transit this month. I. B. Cupp, C.

A Chevrolet car in good condition to trade for royalty or money. L. P. Henslee.

The Natural Hen Incubator
Every poultry raiser come and see it—will you. We have one on hand. They don't cost much. You get them yourself. Joe. H. S. Lumber Yard.

KILL THAT TICK

"Kill that tick in your ear. That is what the U. S. Agriculture says. A tick will mean thousands of ticks and therefore to kill one means to be rid of thousands. The same is true of the tick. Kill them both, and fight them."

Don't wait until you are on fire to think of insurance. It is too late. Phone me now. L. P. Henslee.



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We are expecting a car of feed and oats, bran and Light Crust flour and in a position to meet competition with a cheap line of merchandise with the very best money can buy.
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BOX SUPPER SATURDAY NIGHT
A box supper is to be given at the Cross Plains school auditorium Saturday night March 8.
The sum received will be used in paying for some laboratory equipment which has been ordered for the Cross Plains school. A short program will be rendered by the members of the C. P. H. S. societies before the boxes are sold.
Every one is invited to come and bring a box or come prepared to buy one. Hot chocolate will be served also. Reporter.

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