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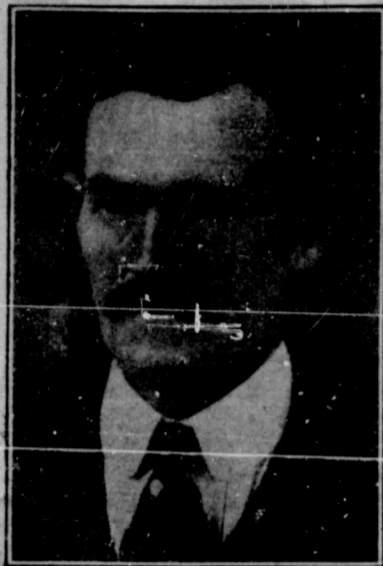
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INTERESTING SESSIONS OF HOG BREEDERS ASSOCIATION IN PROGRESS IN CLARENDON



R. E. Prewitt, President.
Happy, Texas.

Scores of visiting Hog Men have arrived and taken charge of the city and under the leadership of Pres. Prewitt of Happy and Secretary Bobbitt, of Panhandle, will hold the city against all comers until adjournment, Saturday afternoon.

The Panhandle Swine Breeders Association is a young organization but is growing rapidly and gives evidence of becoming one of the foremost in the south. Its members are enthusiastic and the grade of hogs shipped here for the big sale next Saturday shows how much progress is being made in the Panhandle in the matter of producing registered breeds. The first meeting was not held until 2:00 P. M. today and the program will be readjusted to fit the delayed meetings but under the efficient administration of Pres. Prewitt every subject will be discussed before the final adjournment on Saturday.

Following is the program, subject to change in regular order:
Association convened, by R. E. Prewitt, Pres.

Reading of minutes, by secretary.
Invocation, reading of scripture lesson and prayer by Dr. G. S. Slover, Pres. Clarendon College.

Welcome address by W. A. SoRelle, Mayor, Clarendon, Texas.

The Relation to the Press to Hog Growers by Sam M. Braswell, editor Clarendon News.

Advertising, its results by Lon Alexander, Childress, Texas.

When to sell or time to market by J. A. Halloman, Artesia, N. M.

Hog feeding advise by Tom, Dick and Harry by Prof. Burke, College Station.

Diseases and treatment by Dr. F.



W. O. Bobbitt, Sec'y.-Treas.
Panhandle, Texas.

R. Jones, Fort Worth Live Stock Sanitary Commission.

The growth of the association and its possibilities by Tom Frazier, Ft. Worth, Texas.

Reading of address prepared by Major Duffel, organizer of the Association who is now an invalid at Claude.

The best breed by R. E. Prewitt, Happy, Texas.

When to breed sows, age, condition, etc., Helen-Temple Farm, Plainview, Texas.

Care and treatment of hogs, Boerne & Penny, Lubbock, Texas.

How to sell pure bred hogs, Will P. Jones, Childress, Texas.

Pork production, profit and patriotism, W. O. Bobbitt, Secretary, Panhandle, Texas.

Experimental results in feeding hogs by Prof. Burke, College Station.

Farming without hogs, etc., by Herman Alexander, Childress, Texas.

Pig clubs, their benefits, etc., Prof. C. C. French, College Station, Texas.

Subject to be selected by Hon. Fred W. Davis, Com. Agriculture, Austin.

The Panhandle and its opportunities, Lee Satterwhite, Editor Panhandle Herald.

Subject to be selected Hon. W. H. Fuqua, Pres. First National Bank, Amarillo, Texas.

Morc and better hogs, J. C. Hestand, Sherman, Texas.

Questions, open discussions by entire convention.

Announcements for sale, by Secretary.

Demonstration agents, their duties, etc., B. B. Holland, demonstration agt. Amarillo, Texas.

Public sale of registered hogs, open discussion by convention.

UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS CLUB.

A few congenial spirits, former students of Texas University met last Saturday night in celebration of University Day and also Texas Independence Day, at Palace No. 1, talking over old times in the varsity, and holding a meeting like other loyal ex-students of old Texas the world over. These meetings are held yearly on March 2nd everywhere Texas University ex-students are found, and many remote places on the globe have been the scenes in former years of meetings for former Texas men and women, and this year is no exception, some of them meeting on the fields of battle in France.

This year at Austin a mammoth service flag was raised on the Univer-

sity campus, containing 1400 stars for that number of Texas students and ex-students in our Country's service.

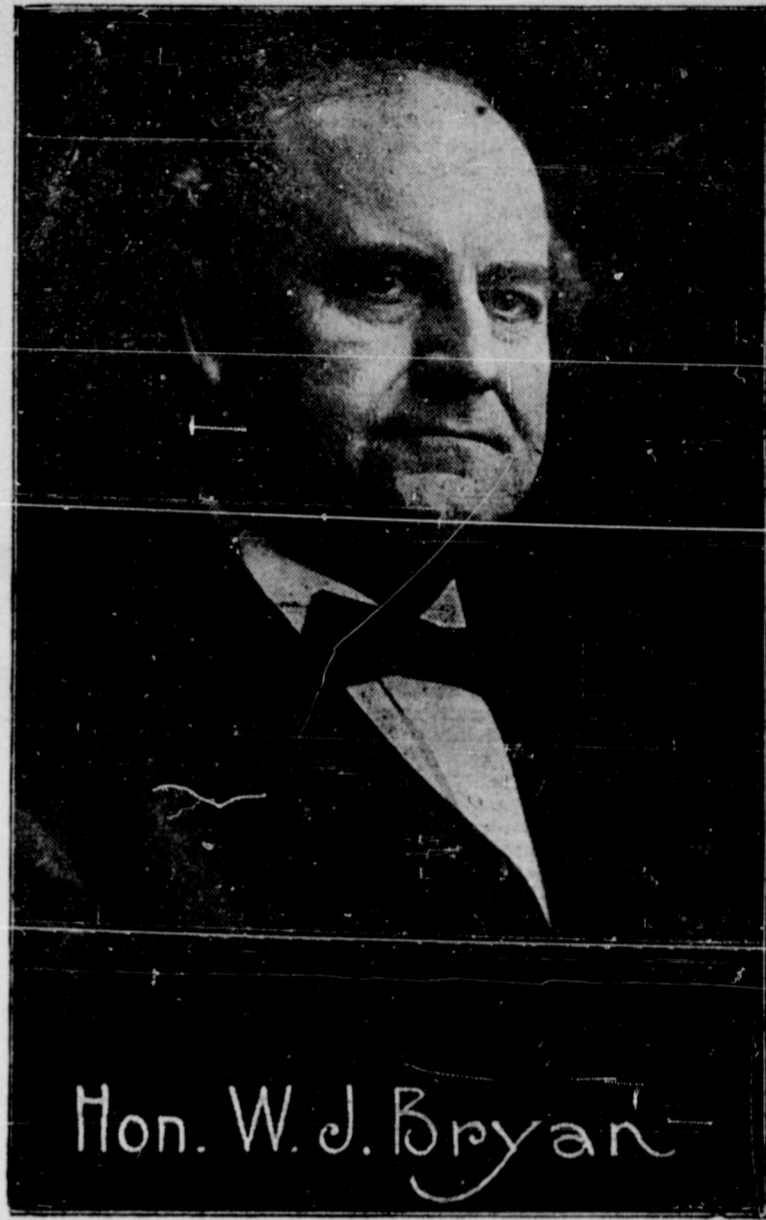
The officers of the Texas Club in Clarendon are Dr. H. L. Wilder, President; E. F. Ritchey, Vice-President; Harwood Beville, Secretary.

Mrs. J. L. McMurtry is visiting in Cordell, Okla., where her sister, Mrs. Taylor is quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Kelly, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kelly, of Memphis, spent Monday with their daughter and sister, Mrs. F. E. Chamberlain.

Mrs. H. R. McFadyn and daughter, Miriano, of Clinton, Oklahoma, are the guests of Mrs. C. Y. McDonald.

WILLIAM J. BRYAN TO SPEAK HERE AT M. E. CHURCH, SATURDAY 2:30 P. M.



Mon. W. J. Bryan

"BIRTH OF A NATION" COMING APRIL 1-2.

Manager Mulkey of the Pastime Theater has at last been able to secure dates on the "Birth of a Nation" and will present it here for four performances, matinee and night April 1st and 2nd. There has been such a demand for this picture that the people of Clarendon will look forward to its coming with great interest. Reserve seats on sale in a few days. Make your reservations early.

Miss Ruby Elmore was able to return to her school at Paloduro, Sunday after a six-weeks' absence on account of illness.

Ed. Carlson is located in Amarillo now and is employed at the Elks Cafe.

FOOD AND FEED CAMPAIGN.

Mr. John R. Edmonds, district manager of the Panhandle counties for the Extension Service Department of the Texas A. & M. College cooperating with the U. S. Department of Agriculture, will be in Donley County all of next week and will make a series of addresses to the farmers in behalf of the Federal Agricultural Program for 1918.

Mr. P. C. Bennett, the County Agent, will accompany Mr. Edmonds and addresses will be made at the following places:

- Monday, March 11:
Lelia Lake School at 2 P. M.
Hedley School at 4 P. M.
- Tuesday, March 12:
McKnight School at 2 P. M.
Giles School at 4 P. M.
- Wednesday, March 13:
Chamberlain at 4 P. M.
Hudgins School at 8 P. M.
- Thursday, March 14:
Fairview School at 10 A. M.
Ashtola School at 4 P. M.
- Friday, March 15:
Jericho School at 10 A. M.
Boydston School at 3 P. M.
Goldston School at 8 P. M.

Elizabeth Caldwell and Mary Keys are in Amarillo training to become nurses.

WORKERS' COUNCIL TO MEET.

The Workers' Council of the Panhandle Baptist Association will meet with the Baptist church at Clarendon Tuesday morning, March 12th, at 10 o'clock. We will have the best speakers in Hall and Donley counties and they will discuss live subjects. A cordial invitation is extended to every body.

SUBSTITUTE FOODS

Don't let the wheatless, meatless or sweetless days worry you in the least. We have prepared a line of SUBSTITUTES that will make you wish every day in the week was a "less" day.

It will benefit you to get away from the old staples occasionally and go on a diet of fruits, vegetables, etc.

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E. M. OZIER

REV. G. A. OLLER HAS IMPROMPTU HOUSE PARTY.

Now and then it happens that a number of visitors happen in at the same time and such occasions are usually the most pleasurable. Just such happiness came to Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Oller last week when the former's brother, Rev. J. W. Oller and family of Vernon came up for a short visit. About the same time another relative, Frank Shapleigh and family of Hansford arrived, together with M. Powell and family, and C. O. Youree and family of the Bray country. Less gracious hospitality than Bro. Oller's might have been over-taxed, but a great time was enjoyed by all and the "just happen so" house party will be a source of pleasant remembrance for years to come.

DON'T MISUNDERSTAND THE WAR SAVINGS STAMP

The chief service of War Savings Stamps is teaching you the habit of THRIFT. Thrift makes better citizens, Thrift makes happier families, Thrift makes stronger nations, Thrift robs old age of its terrors. The habit of Thrift is one of the most helpful you can acquire. Saving is easy after you start. Begin right now with a "slacker" quarter. It buys a Thrift Stamp. After you have 16 stamps pay 14 cents more and get a War Savings Stamp at our bank.

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THE FARMERS STATE BANK

PROGRAM FOR
COUNTY INTERSCHOLASTIC MEET

April 6, 1918
AT CLARENDON, TEXAS

1. DEBATE, 8:00 P. M. Admission 10c.
Resolved, that rule I in the debating rules of the University Interscholastic League should be amended by omitting the word "male" so that girls may participate in the League debates upon equal terms with boys.
2. DECLAMATION:
(a) Girls' Junior Division.
(b) Boys' Junior Division.
(c) Girls' Senior Division.
(d) Boys' Senior Division.
(e) Rurzi Division.
The selection must be of a patriotic nature.
3. ESSAYS:
(a) Class A High Schools.
(b) Class B High Schools.
(c) Ward Schools.
(d) Rural Schools with three teachers.
(e) Rural Schools with two teachers.
Subject for all—"What I Have Done to Help Win the War."
10:00 A. M. High School.
4. SPELLING:
(a) Junior Division.
(b) Senior Division.
1:30 P. M. Fair Grounds.
Admission 25cents.
5. ATHLETICS:
(a) Basketball.
(b) Baseball.
(c) Tennis—Singles and Doubles.
(d) Track Events, for Girls.
(1) Potato race, (Junior).
(2) Potato race (Senior).
(3) 30-yard dash (Junior).
(4) 30-yard dash (Senior).
(5) 140-yard relay (Junior).
(6) 140-yard relay (Senior).
(e) Field Events, for Girls.
(1) Basket-ball throw for distance (Junior).
(2) Basket-ball throw for distance (Senior).
(3) Standing broad jump (Junior).
(4) Baseball throw for accuracy (Senior).
(5) Baseball throw for accuracy (Junior).
(f) Track Events for Junior Boys.
(1) Potato race.
(2) 50-yard dash.
(3) 220-yard dash.
(4) 100-yard dash.
(5) 440-yard relay.
(g) Field Events for Junior Boys.
(1) Running high jump.
(2) Running broad jump.
(3) Pole vault.
(4) Running hop-step-jump.
(5) Putting 8-pound shot.
(6) Baseball throw for distance.
(7) Chinning the bar.
(h) Track Events for Senior Boys.
(1) 100-yard dash.
(2) 1-mile run.
(3) 50-yard dash.
(4) 220-yard dash.
(5) 880-yard run.
(6) 440-yard dash.
(7) 1-mile relay.
(i) Field Events for Senior Boys.
(1) Running broad jump.
(2) Running high jump.
(3) Pole vault.
(4) Putting 12-pound shot.

Teachers, pay your fee, join the League and participate in the County meet, so as to make it the best we have yet had. For instructions write to Interscholastic League, or E. D. Shurter, State Chairman, Austin, Texas, for bulletin No. 1721, April 10, 1917. COMMITTEE.

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**PORKLESS SATURDAYS
ANNOUNCED SUSPENDED.**

Washington, March 3.—Temporary suspension of the meatless meal and of the special restrictions against the use of pork on Saturday was announced by the Food Administration tonight as a readjustment of its food conservation program. Increased meat production and the necessity for still greater saving in wheat, it was declared, made the change advisable.

The suspension is made effective for an indefinite period, and it probably will last for three months or longer.

Since all restrictions on consumption of mutton and lamb had been lifted previously the Food Administration now asks the public for the time being to deny itself in meats only of beef and pork on one day a week—Tuesday.

Increased meat consumption, Food Administration officials believe, will of itself curtail the use of wheat and for the present there is no intention to add to the restrictions already in force against the use of flour.

In a statement tonight setting forth the reasons for the change in program, Food Administrator Hoover said:

"The allies have made further and increased demands for breadstuffs, these enlarged demands being caused to some degree by shortage in arrivals from Argentina. It is therefore necessary for the Food Administration to urge a still further reduction in the consumption of bread and breadstuffs generally, if we are to meet our export necessities.

"Experience shows that the consumption of breadstuffs is intimately associated with the consumption of meat. For various reasons our supplies of meat for the next two or three months are considerably enlarged and we can supply the allies with all of the meat products which transportation facilities render possible and at the same time somewhat increase our own consumption. In these circumstances the Food Administration considers it wise to relax the voluntary restrictions on meat consumption to some extent with a view to further decreasing bread consumption.

"So long as the present conditions continue the only special restrictions we ask are the beefless and porkless Tuesdays.

"The meatless meal and the porkless Saturday are no longer asked."

"The farmers of the United States are responding to the national call to increase hog production. Their increase, to all appearances, is being attained more rapidly. Of more immediate importance, however, are several complex factors which have effected an immediate increase in meat supplies.

**SIX AMERICANS SOLDIERS
GET FRENCH DECORATIONS.**

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, Sunday, March 3.—Premier Clemenceau, who spent today on the American front northwest of Toul, decorated two lieutenants, two sergeants and two privates with the Croix de Guerre with the palm for heroism which they displayed in the recent German raid in this sector.

One of the lieutenants comes from Brooklyn, and the other from Charleston, S. C. Both men went out into No Man's Land in broad day light and got a German prisoner.

M. Clemenceau, accompanied by two French generals, arrived at American headquarters at the front at an early hour and immediately went to where the troops were drawn up on three sides of a square in companies.

The names of the men to be decorated were called, and they stepped up, the French premier pinning the decorations on them and saying a word to each. One he patted on the shoulder and said, "That's the way to do it." The American blushed and retired to the ranks.

One of the French generals said to a lieutenant, newly decorated. "We have now got the boches down and we shall put them down deeper if we keep working as we have."

At the end of the ceremony a young private came running along hurriedly. He spoke for a moment with his captain, fearing apparently that he was going to lose his medal. The captain directed him to proceed to M. Clemenceau's automobile, which he did. The premier stepped out and slapped him on the back, handing him his war cross. One of the generals remarked laughingly: "Never mind about being late. You were on time the other morning. That is enough."

The soldier in the excitement and glory of the moment forgot to salute, but an American general came to his rescue, whispering, "Salute, Salute."

None of the soldiers can wear their honors until authorized by congress. The premier went far forward into an observation point overlooking No Man's Land, the German position in the distance, hidden in the haze.

The premier spent the afternoon in inspecting the billets in many towns back to the lines and also visited a field hospital, where he talked with the men wounded in the recent raid,

telling all of them they had done finely.

One of the sergeants decorated is from Arkansas. While in a dugout a German lieutenant called out "Come out, Americans," and the sergeant led out his men fighting. He personally killed the lieutenant and two soldiers.

The other came from Detroit. He was about to retire for age, but asked to be sent to France. He took command of a detachment in front of the wire when his captain was killed and continued the fight, inflicting losses on the enemy.

One private distinguished himself twice in running messages from the line to the artillery during the raid through the barrage. The other private decorated delivered important messages through the barrage after having said goodbye to his comrades.

"MOVE OVER!"

Move over! You hard-hittin' sons of King George!

Move over! You heroes of France! Make room for the legions of ole Uncle Sam.

We've been waitin' two years for the chance.

In spirit we've been by your side right along,

'Cause we never were keen for the Hun.

Now we've joined, we're scrappin' with you to the end,

And back up your play with a gun.

Hey! Little ole Belgium, we'll take the right flank!

We'll get back your homeland for you.

For the Star-Spangled Banner in glory shall wave,

Backed by a million or two.

Put it there, Brother Serb; you're a hard-fightin' kid.

Will we bust up the Bulgars a bit? Come on, Brother Russian; let's jam the line hard,

And show Kaiser Bill he ain't It.

All right, now; Together, let's end the thing quick!

Fix bayonets! The Boche don't like steel.

We'll help you to finish the thing now we're here,

And show them our army is real.

Two million Yankees can make quite a dent,

When they're trailin' a yellow-streaked knave,

And there's eight million more who will come at the call,

From the land of the free and the brave.—Kenneth MacDougal.

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Auction Sale

Friday, March 15th, 10 a. m.

At Tom Naylor's farm 10 miles east of Clarendon on Roy Kendall road, 2 miles south of Rowe ranch.

Lunch Served by Red Cross Ladies

Horses and Mules

- 1 iron gray Stallion ten years old.
- 1 iron gray Mare ten years old.
- 2 roan Mares eight years old.
- 1 roan Mare four years old.
- 2 iron gray Mares five years old.
- 1 bay Horse four years old.
- 2 yearling colts. 2 black mare Mules seven. 1 sorrel Mule seven ys. old.
- 7 two and three year-olds.
- 1 three-year old Jack.

Cattle

- 10 yearling calves. 1 cow and calf.

Harness and Saddle

- 1 set Surry Harness. 1 set Heavy Harness. 1 set Chain Harness. 1 set Single Buggy Harness.
- 1 Stock Saddle.

Buggies, Wagons, Etc.

- 1 Buggy with pole. 1 Surry.
- 1 Low Wagon. 1 High-wheel Wagon.

Farm Implements

- 1 Bowser Crusher. 1 Canton Planter.
- 1 Emerson Go-Devil.
- 1 Disc Harrow.
- 1 Spike-Tooth Harrow.
- 2 Sulky Plow.
- 1 Turning Plow.
- 2 Cultivators.
- Good assortment Carpenter Tools.
- Forge and Anvil.
- Hoes, Shoes, Diggers.
- 1 Cream Separator.

All Household Goods

Terms of Sale: All Cattle Cash. \$10 and under cash. All sums over \$10 good note due in 9-months from date of sale. 8-per cent interest. 2-per cent off for cash.

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DIGEST OF WAR NEWS.

Gen. Pershing Wants

Nine Pair of Shoes a Year for Men Serving in France

Gen. Pershing has requested shipment of 18,596 pairs of shoes for each 25,000 men monthly, which is approximately nine pairs of shoes per man per year. This quantity is in excess of actual consumption and is being used to build up a reserve for all troops in France. When such a supply is accumulated, the quantities per man will be reduced.

The Quartermaster General's Department now has on hand and due on outstanding contracts, 7,564,000 field shoes and 7,873,000 marching shoes. It will be necessary to secure more than a million additional shoes during the year.

With Hundreds of Men Learning to Fly Accidents Are Few

Records of the War Department show that from the beginning of training in June, 1917, to February 22, 1918, the fatalities at military aviation fields in this country have been 51; 10 officers and 20 cadets killed in training flights, and 12 men killed in unauthorized flights and ground accidents.

Since the training began in the United States student aviators have flown considerably more than 100,000 miles. Hundreds of hitherto inexperienced men have been learning to fly. Their early flights are under the guidance of instructors, and prior to these flights two or more months are spent in preliminary ground work. There comes a time, however, when every student aviator must take his machine up alone, and every precaution has been taken to reduce the number of accidents and safeguard the aviator in his solo flights.

Food and Fuel Supplies Are Short in Many European Countries

A Swiss commercial paper states that there is a great shortage in coal of all kinds, an insufficiency of wood for fuel, and small reserves in oils and grease throughout Switzerland. Fresh eggs have disappeared from the market. Dry vegetables are becoming more scarce. A project to manufacture flour from potatoes had to be abandoned because sufficient supplies of potatoes could not be secured.

In Holland coal and coke prices have been advanced. In American terms, the maximum price for anthracite is about \$22 a ton; coke, \$10 a ton; coal briquets, \$25 a ton. Distribution is carefully regulated by cards, in specified quantities. The amount allowed, especially to residences, is much smaller than in peace times.

New French food regulations forbid eating houses to serve or consume fresh or packed butter otherwise than in the preparation of food. Curdled or sour milk is prohibited as well as cream and specified kinds of cheese. The making of pastries, bis-

cuits, and confectionery is prohibited. Only in dining cars, canteens, and railroad refreshment stations may fresh or condensed milk or cream be served after 9 in the morning by itself or mixed with coffee, tea, or other preparation. No solid foods may be served between 9 and 11 in the morning and between 4:30 and 8:30 in the evening. When the price of a meal exceeds \$1.20 the customer may be served with not more than two dishes with or without vegetables, or more than one small loaf of ordinary bread. The bread is limited to about 3 1/2 oz. All grain which may be used for making bread is reserved for human food.

Department of Agriculture Reports Increased Consumption of Sugar

The amount of sugar consumed in 1917 in the United States was about 88.3 pounds per capita, according to figures issued by the Department of Agriculture. The average annual consumption for the five-year period ending in 1916 was 84.7 pounds per capita.

There were about 1,500,000,000 lbs. of commercial stocks of sugar on hand August 31, 1917, compared to 2,000,000,000 lbs. on the same date in 1916. New York reported the largest stocks, followed in order by California and Louisiana.

Production of Rifles and Ammunition Meets All Requirements

Rifle and cartridge production in the United States has developed in volume and in quality on a scale assuring the satisfactory equipment of the Army, according to a statement authorized by the Secretary of War.

To achieve the rifle and ammunition production program the Government has expended or has obligated itself to expend, during 10 months of war, \$400,000,000, and 200 officers, 80,000 men; and 10,000 women have been engaged exclusively in the manufacture of rifles and cartridges. Two Government plants and three privately owned plants are engaged in making rifles and one Government plant and nine privately owned plants are engaged in cartridge manufacture. Ordnance experts in this country and in Europe are in agreement that the United States Army is being equipped with two of the best three rifles in the world.

Reduction of Fuel Used by Manufacturers Is Plan of Administration

The Fuel Administration is carrying on a series of conferences covering all industries which use large quantities of fuel, with a view to learning the requirements of each line during 1918. The industries themselves are playing a leading part in these discussions. The aim of the Fuel Administration is to arrive at a percentage of production which, under the circumstances, will be satisfactory to the manufacturers and their workmen, but which will not represent a consumption of fuel for the manufac-

ture of supplies not needed during the current year.

The order which has been issued limiting the use of fuel for the production of window glass to 50 per cent of the amount manufactured in 1917 is the result of one of these conferences. A survey of the field indicated that while not more than 5,000,000 boxes of window glass would be used in 1918, competitive conditions were likely to result in an over-manufacture of at least 2,000,000 boxes.

It is through this system of limitation, together with large economy in the methods of using fuel, that the Fuel Administration expects to supplement the production of coal this year. It is hoped, as the railroads strengthen their facilities, that it will be possible to mine and transport a larger quantity of coal this year than last, but it is through these methods of reducing consumption that a repetition of this year's shortage is expected to be prevented.

Selective Service Boards in Oklahoma Serve Without Pay

Of the 261 members of local selective-service boards in Okla., 97 per cent have served without pay.

The cost per man certified for service in Oklahoma was \$1.57, less than in any other State, according to figures made public by Provost Marshal General Crowder. The cost of operation of the selective-service law ran highest in Delaware, \$19 per man. The average cost per man certified throughout the United States was \$4.93.

Men at All Camps Receive Instruction in Gas Defense

At each cantonment in the United States a school has been established where every officer and man receives instruction in gas defense. The American gas mask, similar to the British is as mechanically perfect as the best experts have been able to produce. The face piece, with glass or celluloid eyepieces, is connected by a flexible tube with a canister carried in a knapsack. The incoming breath comes through the canister, which is filled with several layers of chemicals which neutralize or render harmless the gas-laden air. Outgoing breath passes outside the face piece through a small valve.

The student in gas defense soon learns to get his mask on in a hurry, six seconds being the standard time when the knapsack containing the mask is hanging at his chest in the "alert" position. After intensive training a gas attack is arranged. The class is put in trenches, and without warning, clouds of smoke and chlorine are liberated by the instructors, masks are hurriedly put on, alarms sounded, and sleeping men in dugouts aroused. When the attack ceases the trenches are cleared of gas, the air is tested, and permission is given to remove masks.

Airplane Motors Tested in "Altitude Room" at Washington

When the first Liberty motor was ready to be tested it was taken to Pike's Peak that it might be studied while running under atmospheric conditions obtaining at high altitudes. This difficulty of bringing the motor to the mountain is now overcome at the Department of Commerce Bureau of Standards at Washington, by bringing the mountain to the motor.

Airplane motors are now tested at that Bureau of Standards in a laboratory where various conditions corresponding to high altitudes and low temperatures are secured. The engine is placed in an air-tight concrete room, provided among other things with refrigerator coils and a large pump to reduce the pressure of the air. By use of this apparatus motors may be observed under conditions similar to those at different altitudes, which might otherwise be done only by actual airplane flights.

Activities of Red Cross Described in Statement by War Department

Describing the American Red Cross as a body authorized to do everything possible for the comfort and welfare of the soldiers, and to make use of such agencies as are authorized and are in a position to contribute to that end in addition to the provisions made by the Government, a general statement by the War Department outlines certain approved activities:

To distribute sweaters, mufflers, helmets, socks, comfort kits, etc.

To render emergency relief of every kind upon request of an officer in charge.

To relieve anxiety and sustain the morale of soldiers who are worried about their families at home, and to promote the comfort and well being of these families.

To conduct canteen service stations for furnishing refreshments to soldiers when traveling through the country; to furnish emergency relief to the sick and wounded when en route and to see that they are conveyed to a hospital when necessary and requested by the commanding officer.

A representative of the Red Cross may be attached to each base hospital to furnish emergency supplies when called upon, to communicate with families of patients, to render home service to patients and such other assistance as pertains to Red Cross work.

Plans of the American Library Association include the establishment of book and library service in Army and Navy hospitals in America and France.

Exports of corn to Canada for feeding and manufacturing purposes have been limited to those varieties and grade which are not suitable for seed purposes.

Divisional athletic directors who have received commissions will accompany their contingents to France, according to the War Department Commission on Training Camp Activities. Boxing instructors will not be sent with the troops, as at present the need for these men is considered greater on this side.

The Government is today the greatest employer of labor in the United States, not considering railroad employees. In normal times approximately 400,000 civilians are employed, and in the last year the number has increased to 600,000. In comparison one steel corporation employs 300,000 men, and one railroad 250,000.

"Stars and Stripes" is the name of the weekly newspaper being published in France for American troops, under the direction of the intelligence section. Practically the entire paper is devoted to American news including a daily radio report of about 1400 words supplied by the Committee on Public Information to the French Government.

A new publication issued by the United State Health Service is the 250-page book, "Prevention of Disease and

FREE OF CHARGE

Any adult suffering from cough, cold or bronchitis, is invited to call at Stocking's Store and get absolutely free, a sample of Boschee's German Syrup, a soothing and healing remedy for all lung troubles, which has a successful record of fifty years. Gives the patient a good night's rest free from coughing, with free expectation in the morning.

Regular sizes 25 and 75 cents. For sale in all civilized countries. In Clarendon at Stocking's Store.

HANDS, ARMS, LIMBS ASLEEP

And Was Run-Down, Weak and Nervous, Says Florida Lady. Five Bottles of Cardui Made Her Well.

Kathleen, Fla.—Mrs. Dallas Price, of this place, says: "After the birth of my last child... I got very much run-down and weakened, so much that I could hardly do anything at all. I was so awfully nervous that I could scarcely endure the least noise. My condition was getting worse all the time..."

I knew I must have some relief or I would soon be in the bed and in a serious condition for I felt so badly and was so nervous and weak I could hardly live. My husband asked Dr. —about my taking Cardui. He said, "It's a good medicine, and good for that trouble," so he got me 5 bottles... After about the second bottle I felt greatly improved... before taking it my limbs and hands and arms would go to sleep. After taking it, however, this poor circulation disappeared. My strength came back to me and I was soon on the road to health. After the use of about 5 bottles, I could do all my house-work and attend to my six children besides."

You can feel safe in giving Cardui a thorough trial for your troubles. It contains no harmful or habit-forming drugs, but is composed of mild, vegetable, medicinal ingredients with no bad after-effects. Thousands of women have voluntarily written, telling of the good Cardui has done them. It should help you, too. Try it.

PIERCE-FORDYCE OIL ASSOCIATION PRODUCTS

FOR SALE AT

Ford Service Station
City Garage
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Prompt Service

EUIPION KEROSENE
The Best

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A. L. Chase, Agt.

Care of the Sick," with a supplement on first aid work. The book has 200 illustrations, and covers subjects relating to disease prevention, care and treatment of sick persons, and emergency measures in the treatment of accidental injuries.

In an announcement by the Food Administration the cause for advance in rice prices is attributed to the fact that most rice mills have been running to full capacity in order to supply the demand for 1,000,000 bags for American and allied fighting forces. As a result the normal supply for home consumption has been temporarily reduced. Lower prices are forecasted.

New War Booklet Issued by Committee on Public Information

In reply to inquiries regarding the possibility of redistilling seized spirits for alcohol the War Department has announced that the small amount of alcohol recovered, the cost of transportation, reconcoage, and redistillation would make the cost to the Government greater than it is now paying. The average yield from confiscated liquor would not exceed 5 per cent of alcohol.

The salient facts of the war are briefly stated in alphabetical form in 300 pages. The cyclopedia also contains a chronology of outstanding events ranging from the murder at Sarajevo of the Archduke Francis Ferdinand, June 28, 1914, to the British national labor conference's approval of President Wilson's war aims December 29, 1917.

The volume may be obtained by addressing the Committee on Public Information, 10 Jackson Place, Washington, D. C., and inclosing 25 cents to cover cost of printing.

There is no standard recipe for "victory bread" the only requirement being that it must contain not more than 80 per cent of wheat flour, the remaining 20 per cent being composed of corn meal or corn flour, rice, potato flour, or other cereals recommended by the Food Administration. "Victory" pies and doughnuts, which contain not less than one-third nonwheat flour, may be sold on wheatless days if the same recipes are used throughout the week.

THE WAR AND ORPHAN CHILDREN.

Help to win the war by investing in Liberty Bonds, then give the bonds to help support Orphan Children. Thus your investment in Liberty Bonds will be like a two edged sword, doing execution both ways. Do not sheathe the sword nor keep it for yourself alone, but use it for the defense and protection of others. Some are giving Liberty Bonds to Buckner Orphans Home for its endowment; quite several bonds have been sent in already. A large sum is within the range of possibility and will be secured as liberally and rapidly as others may join in the effort.

It would be beautiful for Churches, Sunday Schools and other schools, Ladies Aid Societies, and other societies, and for individuals as well, to help the Government and the orphans by buying Liberty Bonds and giving them to this endowment effort.

Why not some of the noble fraternities of the land, Masons, Odd Fellows, Knights of Pythias, Woodmen of the World, and others who are also able, worthy and doubtless willing; and why not Labor Unions, by whatever name called,—yes, why should not all these join in this effort to win

the war and to help the orphans.

Who will be the next to buy a bond and give it to B. O. H.? Who will look after this matter in his or her own church, society, school, lodge, or other organization; making an appeal and a canvass to raise every dollar possible, to be used in this way?

Later on, the name of each contributor and the amount invested will be published in a way to encourage still others to help win the war and to help orphans with the identical same dollars.

R. C. Buckner,
Rt. 3, Dallas, Texas.

DELPHIAN CLUB.

The Delphian Club met with Mrs. Arthur Letts, Monday afternoon with a splendid attendance.

After a short business meeting, the lesson "Egyptian Civilization," which had been assigned was thoroughly covered.

Mrs. Arthur Letts will again be hostess to the club Monday, March 18 at 3:00 o'clock. The program, which is to occupy attention at this time will be "Mesopotamia," page eight in the Year Book. Reporter.

Spring has arrived at The Vogue with fashions of irreproachable style, character and "chic."

MYSTERIOUS PAINS AND ACHES

Makes Life Hard to Bear for Many Clarendon Women.

Too many women mistake their pains and aches for troubles peculiar to the sex. More often disordered kidneys are causing the aching back, dizzy spells, headaches and irregular urination. Kidney weakness becomes dangerous if neglected. Use a time-tried kidney remedy—Doan's Kidney Pills. Hosts of people testify to their merit. Read a Clarendon case:

Mrs. Ellen Andreas, E. Fourth St., says: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills with good results, getting them at Dr. Stocking's Drug Store. I advise anyone troubled by a weak or lame back or by the kidneys not acting regularly to use Doan's Kidney Pills. They proved perfectly satisfactory to me and I don't think there is a better kidney medicine."

Price 60 cents at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Andreas had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

This is the Stove Polish YOU Should Use

It's different from others because more care is taken in the making and the materials used are of higher grade.

Black Silk Stove Polish

Makes a brilliant, silky polish that does not rub off or dust off, and the shine lasts four times as long as ordinary stove polish. Used on sample stoves and sold by hardware and grocery dealers. All we ask is a trial. Use it on your cook stove, your parlor stove or your gas range. If you don't find it the best stove polish you ever used, your dealer is authorized to refund your money. Insist on Black Silk Stove Polish. Made in liquid or paste—same quality. Black Silk Stove Polish Works, Sterling, Illinois. Use Black Silk Stove Polish from Enamel on brass registers, stove-caps. Prevents rusting. Use Black Silk Metal Polish for silver, nickel or brass. It has no equal for metal auto-trim.

"A Shine in Every Drop"

TIME TO PLANT GARDEN

Come to us for your Garden Seed. You get the Best Groceries from us and our Seeds will hold up our reputation for quality.

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STETSON HATS FOR SPRING



TAKE A PEEP

At this style. This is the
"STETSONIAN"

One of Stetson's leaders that is
proving its popularity this spring
in the big cities.

\$6.00

They know that in these trying times they can safely
pin their faith to our store—and the Stetson Hat—
for style, quality, service. If you do not know us
already--there is no time like the present.

**Stetson Hats for Spring
\$5.00 to \$12.50**

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The Home of Good Clothes for Men and Boys—Nothing Else

Our store will be closed for
Bryan's Lecture, Saturday, at 2:30 p. m.

Our White Goods Sale

A Great Success

Our White Goods Sale has passed into history as one
of the most successful we have ever had. We offered
real bargains and the people showed their appreciation
by rapid buying.

It's Ready-to-Wear-Time

Spring is coming Rapidly upon us and it is now open
season for ladies' and misses' ready-to-wear. As usual
we are headquarters for the newest and best and our
styles are criterions of fashion's decree. The Sunshine
line backed up by other snap values we were able to
buy in market gives us the lead in ready-to-wear that
we have won in seasons past. Express shipments daily.
Come in and make your selections.

Mother's Favorite Boy's Clothing

We have put in a line of the famous Mother's Favorite
Boy's Clothing and have a magnificent showing in
these splendid garments from \$7.50 to \$15.00. It will
pay you to see them.

Notions and Trimmings

Our line of notions, buttons, trimmings, etc., is the most
complete in the Panhandle. We always carry the best and
a large shipment maintains our supremacy. A look will
prove it.

Clarendon Mercantile Company

The Clarendon News

Published Thursday of Each Week

Sam M. Braswell, Editor and Owner

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resolutions of respect will be charged
for.

NOTICE.—Any erroneous reflection
upon the character, standing or
reputation of any person, firm or
corporation which may appear in the
columns of The News will be gladly
corrected upon its being brought to
the attention of the publisher.

Greet the visiting Hog Men with a
smile. They will appreciate it and
speak of Clarendon's hospitality when
they go home.

Editor Boliver says he don't know
very much about this suffrage business,
but what he wants to know is
"will the men get equal suffrage at
home?" Ah, friend, don't put such a
strain upon your bump of optimism.

The weather man's batting average
is falling in a slump. In January
when he issued warnings of cold waves
the warnings usually arrived with the
wave, but lately he has had to send
from two to four reports to get one
decent little norther started.

The war gets nearer every day.
Young Cecil McHenry, whose death
was reported in France the first of
the week, was an old playmate of the
News man. Many is the evening we
have gone swimming together in the
creeks and swimming pools of Lampasas.
He was a whole-souled fellow
then and we are sure he went to his
untimely end on foreign soil without
repining.

The Third Liberty Loan is announced
for April 6th, the first anniversary
of the entrance into the war of the
United States. Much has been accomplished
during the past year. The
two Liberty Loans have been over subscribed
and we believe that the third
Liberty Loan will be even more over
subscribed. America is in this war to
win. Money is the least consideration.

Several days ago an aged father,
who has raised his family to manhood
and womanhood, came into The News
office and told the editor how much he
appreciated the words of warning repeated
from time to time to the parents
of this community on the subject
of holding their children in leash.
This old gentleman says we haven't
said it hard enough nor often enough,
to really suit the gravity of the matter,
and says although he is old he sees
so much of an alarming nature that
he cannot rest, fearing for the results
among our young people. As we have
often said, it is a personal matter
with the parents. If they do not
control their children, it is inevitable
that the law will have to take a
hand at no distant date.

Clarendon is host this week to the
Panhandle Swine Growers Association
assembled in convention from Thursday
through Saturday. Clarendon should
feel honored for they represent the
very best among that vast army,
classed as tillers of the soil in this
great Panhandle country. They are
men who have had a vision of the immense
value of swine and of the great
importance of raising the grade of
these animals to the very highest to
be had. How well they have succeeded
will surprise any who will attend
their sessions and find what a wonderful
advance has come in this great
industry in the last few years. The
Panhandle is dotted with herds of the
very best breeds in the nation and
the convention here will be of great
advantage to this immediate section
and we shall see the results in the
next twelve months. The sale of
blooded stock will give our farmers
the best opportunity to pick the very
best of the breed of their choice and
with their natural ability to breed the
best we expect Donley County to take
the lead in the matter of fine hog raising
in the next year when meat production
is so essentially patriotic, as it is
evidence of good sound business sense.
We are glad to have the Hog Men
among us.

There is a law which forbids American
ambassadors or soldiers from accepting
gifts from foreign powers. This law is
rather obsolete now and since France
has decorated a number of our brave
soldier boys, we believe that Congress
should amend this law so that medals
for conspicuous service might be
accepted by our troops from our
allies. The boys deserve the honors
and it is only right that they be
allowed to wear them.

The Texas legislature has passed
the Prohibition Amendment to the
federal constitution. Further than
that they have passed Gov. Hobby's
"Dry Zone" bill with an emergency
clause putting it into effect April 1st.
Whisky is on its last legs and Texas
is not the last to drive it out. The
dry zone bill takes whisky out of all
the principal cities and makes Texas
practically a bone dry state. There
was no politics in it—just needed
legislation put through by patriots
who realize the wastefulness and woe
of liquor.

TRADE AT HOME CAMPAIGN PROVOKES TALK.

There never has been a movement
stated for the betterment of any town
but what there was always more or
less criticism, and it was only to be
expected that there would be those
who would object to the movement
for more buying at home in this
immediate section. The only argument
ever advanced for mail order buying
is that it "saves money." Merchants
say that most people who buy from
Sawback & Forwards usually have
some unpaid accounts running with
the home merchant, and is actually
sending away his ready cash instead
of cleaning up what he owes the home
man who has accommodated him. It is
beyond the realm of fairness to expect
the home man to carry me, while I
send ready cash away for goods I
can buy better and just as cheap right
at home. It is only fair that I spend
what cash I have with the same man
who will open an account for me when
I am short of money. Play the game
fair and trade at home, where the
merchant is your friend and will treat
you as such. Spot the man who complains
because the home merchant openly
asks for business and shows up the
unfairness of mail order business.
You never hear him kicking when he
gets his new catalog. No, not him.

McDONALD DRUG COMPANY SOLD TO J. Q. SEWELL.

Several days ago a deal was made
whereby John Q. Sewell became owner
of the McDonald Drug Company, owned
and operated by W. C. and C. Y.
McDonald. The McDonald Drug Company
has been one of the successful
businesses of the city for some years
and the retirement of the McDonald's
is witnessed with regret by their
many friends, but W. C. says he may
have to go to war soon and is anxious
to be free should that occasion arise.

Mr. Sewell is a good business man
and will put his son, Roy, in charge
of the business with Mr. Blankenship
as pharmacist and buyer. Mr. Blankenship
has been with the business some time
and the new firm is fortunate in
retaining his services. The store will
be operated under the name of the
City Drug Store, and will be conducted
along the usual efficient lines.

GOODNIGHT NEWS

Bob Cornelius of Pauhandle shipped
another car of mules 50 Ft. Worth
Monday.

The young people enjoyed themselves
at a party given at the home of
J. C. Wilmoth last Friday night in
honor of Fred Longbine of Ft. Bliss.

Mrs. Jack Roach spent Saturday
of last week in Clarendon.

Mrs. C. L. Roach and Mrs. Abe
Roach went to Groom Monday.

C. N. Munn made a business trip
to Clarendon Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pracher and Edna
went to Amarillo the first of the week.

Dr. J. E. Nunn of Amarillo, is down
to attend the trustees meeting of the
school board.

Mrs. E. E. Burnett is in the hospital
at Clarendon, where she had a
very serious operation performed, but
is doing nicely. Mrs. Burnett's sister,
Mrs. Benymour came in to be with
her, the first part of the week.

V. C. Kersey is in Wellington selling
autos this week.

Mr. J. C. Goodman, of McLean, was
in Goodnight, Tuesday and tells us
he has heard from his son, who is in
France. He was seriously wounded
in a hand to hand fight with the
Germans and had his eye put out, but
if he has died, his father hasn't heard
of it as yet.

Mrs. C. B. Harp was in from Ash-
vola Monday.

PARENTS! WHERE ARE YOUR GIRLS?

The Grand Jury of Scurry County
has just recently adjourned and in
making their report to Honorable Dis-
trict Judge, they state in part:

"We find a condition existing that
we wish to call to the attention of
the people of our county and especially
of Snyder; and we feel that this
should be thoroughly weighed by the
fathers and mothers. We have had
conclusive evidence that our boys and
girls of tender years, 15 and even under,
are permitted to take joy rides in
automobiles and buggies at night
remain out at times as late as 2 and
3 o'clock at night.

"This condition is not normal and
can only lead to disorder and ruin
if permitted to continue. This can
be remedied by the parents of these
young people and we admonish all
parents to take immediate steps to
put an end to this condition and there
by save your boys and girls from what
might be ruin."

This condition does not exist in
Scurry County alone nor any one
county or community, but it is universal.
In these days of automobiles, we
are losing sight of the old time care
and protection of our families. Par-
ents allow their daughters to auto
and buggy ride late and early hours,
and then have hysterical fits if the
daughter goes wrong, and brings
shame and disgrace to the family.

It is a late hour to begin thinking
about these things, but even now, a
halt should be called and the whole-
sale auto riding at night without a
chaperone should be stopped.—Lynn
County News.

NO TRESPASSING.

The public is hereby notified to
keep out of the Wylie Morris ranch,
as hunters, trappers and picnickers will
be prosecuted. 9pd.

Wylie Morris.

FOR SALE—Twelve section ranch,
Hansford County, Texas, extra well,
new improvements, well watered, silos
700 acres cultivation, fenced in six
pastures. Address Owner, Box 516,
Guymon, Oklahoma. 16pd.

Mrs. Baker returned to her home in
Fort Worth last week, after an
extended visit with her daughter, Mrs.
Price Baker.

Mrs. R. A. Chamberlain has recovered
from an attack of the Grippe.

WILLIE LANGFORD DEAD.

After a short illness, Willie Langford
died at the Adair Hospital, this
city last Wednesday morning, Feb. 27.
He had been suffering for several
days with his throat and died of
hemorrhage.

He was born in 1900. Was a few
days more than eighteen years old and
was an obedient Christian boy. He
will be greatly missed at home. His
death was a great shock to us all but
we will not weep for him as those
who have no hope for we feel that
he was prepared to go.

He became a member of the Church
of Christ, last September.

After his death his body was taken
to the home of T. M. Little and fun-
eral services were held at eight thirty
Friday evening. His body was put
away to await the call of judgement
immediately after the funeral services.

A large crowd attended the services
and great sympathy was expressed for
the sorrow-stricken ones.

May God's eternal blessings abide
with his loved ones.

A Friend.

COMING—"DRAFT NO. 258," a sequel
to "The Slacker" featuring Mable
Taliferro. Pastime soon.

CLEAN MILK!

We know our milk is
CLEAN.

Therefore we earnestly
solicit your inspection

Phone for Sample
FREE

For the Asking
Phone 28

Caraway's Restaurant.

Clark's Stock
Farms
Hedley, Texas.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Schupp was here from Jericho, Friday.

Tobacco, Cigarettes and Cigars, at Clarendon Drug Co.

W. J. Lewis is in town from Dallas on business.

Luke Dishman was here Wednesday from Camp Bowie.

Mrs. P. M. Hickman, of Brice, was in town last Monday.

Have you seen our line of service pins? If you have a boy in the army you ought to wear one, sold at Goldston the Jeweler.

Mrs. Kit Williams, of Brice, was here Tuesday shopping.

Mrs. Holman Kennedy, of Canyon, is here visiting Mrs. Tom Kennedy.

Mmes. Bates and Harris were in from Ashtola on business last week.

Mrs. Homer Ellis, of Lelia Lake was here Monday on business.

Mrs. Hessey is here visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Greenwade.

We are anxious to show you our new Spring hats. Harned Sisters.

Mrs. Barnes was in from Brice Monday shopping and meeting friends.

COMING—"DRAFT NO. 258," a sequel to "The Slacker" featuring Mable Taliferro. Pastime soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brown made a short trip to Quanah this week.

Miss Jane Gein, of Fort Worth, is here visiting with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Burton.

Mrs. Jewel Lyle, of Shamrock, is here visiting her mother, Mrs. S. W. Norwood.

Rev. G. S. Hardy was here from they have been for some time on a day.

Miss Clifford has returned home from Amarillo after having charge of a case of fever.

Have your watch repaired by us as we always guarantee satisfaction. Goldston the Jeweler.

Rev. and Mrs. G. S. Slover returned this week from Corpus Christi, where they have been for some time on a vacation.

We are anxious to show you our new Spring hats. Harned Sisters.

Have you seen our line of service pins? If you have a boy in the army you ought to wear one, sold at Goldston the Jeweler.

Miss Fisher, of Oklahoma City, is now here visiting her mother, Mrs. F. C. Whipple.

FOR SALE—One pair young mules and one good work horse. See J. H. Rutherford.

Have your watch repaired by us as we always guarantee satisfaction. Goldston the Jeweler.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Burton are here visiting their parents. Mrs. Burton is quite ill at present.

For the soldier boy there is nothing as useful as a good radiolite wrist watch Goldston has them from \$4.50 to \$25.00.

Mr. Camp, the manager of the Claude Telephone System was in town Saturday and Sunday on business.

Miss Jewel Kerbow returned home after a three months visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kerbow at Nogales, Ariz.

For the soldier boy there is nothing as useful as a good radiolite wrist watch Goldston has them from \$4.50 to \$25.00.

FOR SALE—50 gallon galvanized oil tank, with faucet; 2 burner gasoline stove; 20 ounce duck tarpaulin, size 8x16; chuck box, for auto. Sell one or all. Phone 295. 11c.

J. M. Mims and wife, of Artesia, N. M., visited here the past week with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Dean, also Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Brumley. They returned home Tuesday.

FOUR ROOM HOUSE—Two blocks of court house, car house, garden and chicken yard, to rent. I want to buy a used Emerson & Brantingham two row lister and planter, and want to contract with parties skilled in farm work to plant two hundred and sixty acres row feedstuff. G. S. Patterson. 10.

THE QUESTION OF SPRING CLOTHES

Perhaps some people would call them "whims," but we know the importance of your desire to have your clothes in the exact style that you want them.

With this idea in mind we have selected representative lines from a Nation's best makes of women's apparel.

We have made a search for you that you would not think of undertaking yourself.

For we want you to be sure when you come here of not only the very newest but the most desirable style and of unquestioned quality. You may be sure that

- The style will not likely be seen elsewhere in this city. We have them exclusively.
- The tailoring and fit are all you might ask.
- The values are such that—because of market conditions—they are not likely to be equaled again.

SPRING SUITS AND COATS FOR WOMEN

Advance Models of Authoritative Style—Tailored with the Perfection that Distinguishes our Apparel,

The Suits

Distinctly high class fancy and plain tailored Suits in the latest and smartest models are shown in the favored materials. **\$15.00 to \$59.50**

The Coats

A display of the very latest Street and Afternoon Coats, models of distinctive style, in the season's popular fabrics. **\$12.50 to \$35.00**

SPRING HOSIERY

In Cotton, Silk Lisle, Silk and Glove Silk in solid colors as well as staples. All the new spring novelties.

25 cents to \$2.25.

NEW WAISTS

The smartest and prettiest line in Crepe de Aurie and Georgette Crepe. Colors are white, flesh, maize, navy. Plain tailored and real dressy styles.

\$3.95 to \$11.50

Women's Dresses

NEW SPRING MODELS Presenting the Latest Styles in the Fashionable Fabrics **\$14.50 to \$39.50**

NEW NECKWEAR

Pretty Collars and Collar and Cuff Sets in Sheer Organdy, Crepe de Chine and Georgette Crepe.

SPRING GLOVES

The famous "Centimere," Ireland Bros., and Vanity Fair brands, in kid as well as silk, in colors also color combinations.

THE DUTY WE OWE

- To buy Thrift Stamps
- To buy Liberty Bonds
- To conserve food
- To buy Smilgeage books



THE DUTY WE OWE

- To remember our boys who are in France
- To look after our boys in the Camps.

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND RULE FIVE OF AN ORDINANCE RELATIVE TO THE KEEPING OF CATTLE, HORSES AND OTHER LIVE STOCK WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF CLARENDON:

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Clarendon acting through and by its Board of Commissioners, that Rule 5, found on page 70 of the Revised Ordinance Book of the City of Clarendon, shall be amended so as to read as follows:

That no person shall be allowed to maintain within the corporate limits of the City, a pen for the feeding or trading of horses, mules, cattle, hogs, or other live-stock. This clause however is not intended to apply to the keepers of one or two cows or horses for domestic purposes, nor to wagon yards nor to livery barns, where the yard is kept clean and in a good sanitary condition.

Any person who shall willfully violate the above amended article shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be fined in any sum not less than \$5.00 nor more than \$100.00 for each and every offense. After due notification by the City Marshal to the offending party, every day after such pen is so maintained shall be considered a separate offense.

Passed and approved under suspension of the rules this 4th day March, A. D. 1918. 12c.

ALEXANDER FOR CLERK.

The last weeks issue of The News carried the announcement of J. J. Alexander as a candidate for re-election to the office of County and District Clerk of Donley County, subject to the Democratic primaries, July 27.

It is entirely unnecessary for us to try to introduce John J. Alexander to the voters, for not only does practically every man in the County know him, but they also realize the fact that he is one of the most efficient County and District Clerks in this country. Genial, obliging and capable, it is a real pleasure to transact business in his office.

He seeks re-election on his merits, and will appreciate your support on that basis.

No matter what your desire may be, you are sure to find just the model you require in the splendid array of new hats at The Vogue.

PATHFINDER NOTES.

The Pathfinder club held its annual election of officers at the home of Mrs. Alexander, February 15. Mrs. Bennett was elected president; Miss McLean, vice president; Mrs. J. H. McKillip, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. W. R. Silvey, recording secretary; Mrs. Nobles, treasurer.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Trent, March 8th.

FROM WINDY VALLEY.

There will be church Saturday night Sunday and Sunday night.

J. J. Bills and family spent Sunday in the V. O. Rhea home near Clarendon.

Mrs. Garland and son, Raymond, have returned home.

There was a party at Frank Hightowers, Friday night of last week.

Miss Tillie Roff has returned from Goodnight.

Irwin Tate and friends, of McKnight attended singing at Mr. DeBord's here Sunday night.

Mrs. Albert Tomlinson of Lelia Lake, spent a part of last week in the J. W. Rowland home.

Mrs. C. Stogner visited her son, Jim, Sunday.

Miss Ola DeBord visited Clara Sligar, Monday night.

Miss Roxie Heath spent Saturday night in Hedley.

School is progressing nicely.

Miss Ida Barnett was a Clarendon visitor Saturday.

S. J. Ayer has been in Childress the past week on business.

There was a singing at J. W. DeBord's Sunday night.

Misses Jack Bills and Blanche Dotson spent Saturday night with Miss Nora Ayer. Blue Eyed Sue.

Leon O. Lewis, loans money at 7, 7½, and 8 per cent long time, no discount. See him!

He also writes Insurance of all kinds and appreciates the opportunity of serving you. Office in First National Bank, upstairs, Phone No. 52-2 rings.

GOOD MULES AND HORSES FOR SALE.

Two car loads of young mules, one car load of good horses to sell within the next thirty days. Cash or good notes, fall time. Come in and see me now. H. LOTT.

DEAD LETTER LIST.

List of letters remaining unclaimed in this office for the week ending, March 2, 1918, as follows:

Bowman, Miss Joy.

Guerrant, L. W.

Hall, Mrs. Dessie.

Jones, Ernest.

Keller, Alfred.

Kelly, M. S.

Orear, Mrs. C. E.

Rhode, J. P.

Ward, Mrs. Robert.

Wolforth, C. A.

C. C. Powell, P. M.

MEDICINE VS FOOD

Do not buy something which you already have. You have food which you feed your horses, cattle and sheep, but when you want medicine, buy only medicine. That is what you get in B. A. Thomas' Stock Remedy. We sell it and guarantee it to be medicine. We tell you that it will tone up the entire system of your stock and aids digestion, thereby causing them to get all the food value out of the grain that you feed them. For sale by City Drug Store.

B. F. NAYLOR ASKS RE-ELECTION AS TAX ASSESSOR.

B. F. Naylor has authorized The News to present his name to the voters of Donley County for re-election to the office of Tax Assessor. Mr. Naylor has held this office for the past four years and feels that his record in office is such as to justify another term. He has been a citizen of Donley County for the past twenty-seven years and has always been considered a citizen of the first rank and has been held in high esteem for his integrity of character.

Mr. Naylor is asking for reelection strictly on his own merits and on this basis he solicits your vote and influence.

CONSIDER THE PEANUT.

Austin, Texas, Feb. 25.—"If there was ever a time when our people should be awakened to the importance of food and feed production, it is now," said Ed. Woodall of Hillsboro, who was a visitor yesterday to Gov. Hooby's reception room, where the Texas Food and Feed Production Campaign is in progress. "It seems that the whole world is on the verge of starvation. Our problem, even to feed ourselves and our associates in the war, is a most gigantic task."

Mr. Woodall has been in Washington for several months on business connected with the Federal food administration, and expressed himself as especially interested in all effects to increase the growing of peanuts this year.

"In my opinion," said Mr. Woodall, "this is most desirable; by reason of my connection with the food administration, I am in position to know that there is a shortage of fats, and inasmuch as one acre of peanuts produces the same amount of fats, as five acres of cotton, it will be a big help in its solution. In addition to this we get 560 pounds of peanut cake from the production of one acre of peanuts, and only 180 pounds of cotton-seed cake from one acre of cotton, and this does not take into consideration the peanut hay, which is equivalent to alfalfa."

"The Food Administration is now requiring merchants for each pound of wheat flour sold to require the purchase of one pound of substitutes, and the fact that peanut flour is recognized as one of these substitutes, is an additional reason why peanuts should be considered in high favor. There is no possible chance, as I see it, for an overproduction of peanuts this year, as whether the war continues or ends, the demands for feed, food and fats will be beyond our ability to supply, and should the war end and no restrictions as to the price of commodities be placed, we may anticipate the highest prices for feeds and fats immediately following the war we have probably ever seen."

"The peanut is a drouth resister and it also grows with seasonable conditions, for which reason it is probably the surest crop we can plant, and Texas should cultivate this year not less than one million acres, and would make no mistake if the past year's acreage of 500,000 acres were doubled."

OUR STORE

Is being filled Full of

Nice Spring Merchandise

But we have so much work piled in on us, marking, and placing these goods, that we can't give any descriptions, but when you want

Dependable Merchandise

Come to

BALDWIN BROS.

"The One Price Store"

Send Your Soldier Boy a Treasure Locket

With place for photograph and identification Tag. Wear a Service Pin if any of your near ones are in service. Make your next gift a Yarn Holder—they are not expensive.

Jewelry Silverware Watches

No advance on last year's prices.

CITY DRUG STORE

(Successor to McDonald Drug Co.)

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

W. A. Davis is spending the week on his farm at Claude.

Mr. Holder's new home on College Hill is rapidly taking shape.

R. A. Chunn is a new reader of The News.

Try the O-U-Dust Furniture Polish for sale by Clarendon Drug Company.

Mr. Blanton, of Goodnight, was here on business last week.

Electric light globes at Stocking's.

Sam Dyer went to Fort Worth this week on business.

Get your Coco Cola and other cold drinks at Clarendon Drug Co.

J. G. McDougal was here from Hedley last week on business.

Mrs. Dyer of Claude, visited relatives in our city this week.

Bring your watch and clock troubles to Stanley at Stocking's Store.

Mrs. Rex Elkins is visiting her parents at Claude this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Howard were in from the ranch Saturday.

To Make Hens Lay—Poultry powder at Stocking's Store.

Mrs. J. A. Conner, of Lelia Lake, was in town Tuesday shopping.

Miss Maude Clark visited with friends at Childress Sunday.

Mrs. E. G. Dishman, of Hedley, was here for a short time Saturday.

Kresol dip, lice powders and all kinds of disinfectants at Stocking's Store.

The Chocolate Candies at the Clarendon Drug Company, are fresh and delicious.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Headrick were visiting a short time ago with their son in Lubbock.

Albert and John Gerner, of Lelia Lake, were visitors in Clarendon, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Looney who have been north on a visit for sometime have returned.

American Maid, silk hose, plain and fancy colors. A wonderful selection at Baldwin Bros.

Frank Decker, of Memphis, visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Bauer a few days this week.

Miss Lottie Lane was down from Amarillo last Sunday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Lane.

J. H. Barnard, of Abilene, visited with his sister, Mrs. Claud McAlister here the past week.

The Vogue. Hats! Showing the new shades and combinations as never before. Have you seen them?

T. M. Little left Saturday night for Laredo, on business and a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Kimberlin have returned from Hondo, where they have been for some time.

Mrs. J. Sam Barcus, of Wichita Falls, spent a few days last week with her friend, Mrs. A. M. Beville.

Have your eyes tested and get your glasses from us where satisfaction is always guaranteed.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Long who reside on the Van Eaton ranch were shoppers in Clarendon the past week.

Bed-Bug-Beater at Stocking's.

Miss Lela Watts, who teaches at Goodnight, was here Sunday for a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Watts.

Joe M. Warren made a business trip to Brownwood this week. Enroute he spent a day with his son, Harry, who is in Camp Bowie.

A radiant display of New Spring Hats. Come and see them at your convenience. The Vogue.

Mrs. Walter Stanton and daughter, Lois Marie, have been recent guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Stanton.

Lucian Chunn, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Chunn has gone to Camp Travis with the Hall County quota. He writes he is well pleased.

Misses Nola, Robin and Fern Davenport, college students, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Davenport, at Alanreed.

The Vogue will show you large, medium and small hats. You are sure to find just what you want.

Mrs. Clarence Piercy and daughter, Little Miss Dora Lucille, of Estelline, are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Holland.

Mrs. M. V. Stanley, the mother of O. B. Stanley of this city has returned to her home in Crowell after a few weeks visit here.

The Vogue has a beautiful showing of New Spring Hats. You will find smart models to bring out the best points of every type of face.

Miss Hester McAlister, of Mangum, Okla., was a guest of her brother, Claud McAlister, Manager of the Cameron Lumber Yard, the past week.

All kinds of stock foods and condition powders at Stocking's Store.

We are now in our new building and ready to do your grinding. Bring your corn and get some good meal.

J. M. Bozeman & Son, Lelia Lake, Texas.

Miss Nellie Baker, who is teaching in the schools of Quanah, was here Sunday for a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Baker.

Conserve Your Eyes—You can't buy any more eyes. Let Stanley keep those you have good by properly fitting them with the glasses you need.

Mrs. J. S. Stallings and children visited the past week with her father, Dr. Richardson at Brice. Sunday she visited with Mrs. W. A. Davis, who was formerly a Claude resident.

Base ball and Tennis goods at Stocking's Store.

Save Your Yearlings—Fresh Black-legoids at Stocking's Store.

John Wilson, a college student and also editor of The Clarco a college weekly, is now able to be back in school after being compelled to go home on account of the "measles."

Miss Delaurel Beville arrived Saturday morning from Abingdon, Va., where she has been a student in Martha Washington College, to be with her mother, Mrs. A. M. Beville, who is quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira L. Lewis, of Dallas, are the proud parents of a fine baby girl who arrived the 26th of February. Mrs. Lewis was formerly Miss Orene Lane and was for a time a member of the News force.

Mrs. A. M. Beville left Sunday night for Fort Worth where she will receive treatment in the Harris Sanitarium. She was accompanied by Mr. Beville, Sgt. Allen Beville, Mrs. G. M. Wright and Miss DeLaurel Beville.

We buy second-hand clothes, shoes, hats, furniture, stoves etc. Also repair your broken furniture. Do your upholstery and mattress work, at reasonable prices. Give us a trial. Phone 400. Williams & Hammer. One block west of First National Bank.

Land Buyer, have you found what you wanted yet? How is this, 648 acres 5 miles of Claude, dark level prairie soil, 1/2 mile of school, on public lane, high class neighbors, 250 acres in farm, 210 in wheat, common 6 room house, extra good well and mill, abundance of sheds, corrals, and granaries, 20 acres under new hog-fence, 40 to 60 acres shallow grass lake, the best all-round stock-farm money making proposition I know of, and ideally located. Price including wheat, and immediate possession, no strings, \$30, with terms, must act quick, I sell nothing but bargains, write or see W. L. Parton, First National Bank Building, Claude, Texas.

\$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative power of Hall's Catarrh Medicine that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

A New Victrola No. 18 to be Sold at a Great Discount.

This number is sold, since the war tax became in effect for \$275.00. This machine though bought new in December was taken in at Stocking's Store, in part payment for an Aeolian-Vocalion and is offered at \$200.00 to any one wishing a Victrola. Now is your chance to get a beautiful high class machine and save \$75 in price at Stocking's Store.

CLARENDON COLLEGE ORCHESTRA AT LELIA.

The Clarendon College Orchestra under the direction of Miss Loeffler, went to Lelia Lake on Saturday night and rendered a splendid program to a very appreciative audience and in spite of the inclement weather, a goodly number attended.

The orchestra is one of the most complete in this section of Texas and they played with authority and understanding a program made up of interesting numbers. The ensemble was all that one could hope for and the balance of the parts was equally good. Judging from the compliments given at the conclusion of the program, the people at Lelia Lake were very interestingly entertained and a neat sum was realized for all who promoted the concert.

Miss Loeffler played "Hejre Kati" by Hubay, and was so enthusiastically received that an encore was demanded and for this number she played "The Rosary" by Nevin during which, one could have heard the proverbial "pin drop" so much was the audience impressed with the rendition.

Miss Loeffler is without question the most accomplished artiste in the Panhandle and coupled with a technique which is quite ample to play anything for the violin, she has a temperament which is extremely musical, the two requisites which make her the foremost exponent of her instrument in this section.

The orchestra will render their annual program next Monday night at the College Auditorium and it will be given to the public without charge. Surely the College, as well as the entire Panhandle is fortunate to have Miss Loeffler among us for she is not only an artiste in her line, but is the possessor of a pleasing personality and a spirit that is ever willing and ready to help in any public or private enterprise.

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MATINEE'S MONDAY, THURSDAY AND SATURDAY AT 2:00 O'CLOCK SHARP.

Pastime Theater

WANT ADS

MILCH COW FOR SALE—Good 5 year-old Jersey cow, fresh in another month. See Haning at Lott's Garage.

For Sale—Planting cotton seed at \$1.75 per bushel as long as they last. C. L. Benson, Brice, Tex. 11t.

WANTED—Stock, cattle and sheep, any number and grade, Crocker-Huffman Land & Water Company, Merced, Calif. 11t.

WANTED—A few head of cattle or horses to feed silage to, with stalk field to run on. F. P. Dunkle, Phone No. 230. 2R. 13pd.

FOR SALE—Two nice mares, six years old, been worked. See J. C. Johnson, Lelia Lake, Phone 230. 2L 1S 13pd.

FOR SALE—Twelve section ranch, Hansford County, Texas, extra well, new, improvements, well watered, silos 700 acres cultivation, fenced in six pastures. Address Owner. Box 516, Guymon, Oklahoma. 16pd.

FOUND—A worn black and colored lap-robe in southwest part of Clarendon. Owner can get same at this office by paying for this ad.

J. E. Gruben, who has been for some time with the Clarendon Drug Co., has moved to Dallas to enter business in that city. We regret very much to have Mr. Gruben leave us and we wish him the best of success in his new home.

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Give Us a Chance at Your Business

F. A. BUNTIN
Licensed Embalmer and Undertaker
Clarendon, Texas

NO TRAPPING

Positively no trapping in any of the JA pastures. If you want to avoid prosecution, observe the above. J. W. Kent, Superintendent. 1t

NO TRESPASSING.

The public is hereby notified to keep out of the Bugbee pastures, under lease to Benson and Singleton, as hunters, trappers, fishermen, picnickers wood haulers and others will be prosecuted according to law.
8pd-1919. T. B. Preston, Mgr.

THE HEN THAT LAYS

is the hen that pays. If she does not lay, kill her, but before you kill her give her B. A. Thomas' Poultry Remedy twice a day for a week, and then you will not kill her for she will be paying you a profit. It not only makes hens lay but it is a remedy for Cholera, Roup, and Gapes. We guarantee it to cure or we refund your money. For Sale By—

We Are Putting in a New Stock

Of Gentlemen's Clothing

and invite your inspection of our lines

We also make a specialty of

High-Grade Tailoring Work

O'Rourke's TAILOR SHOP

Born Tailoring and Wartime Economy

It's poor economy to buy "cheap" clothes—because "cheap" clothes are cheap in quality.

And it is extravagant to pay high prices for clothes of good quality, when—

Born-tailored Clothes offer the best of materials and workmanship at sensibly moderate prices.

(Resident Born Dealer)

F. A. WHITE

CLARENDON, TEXAS.

SPECIAL PRICES

To Close Out

Auto Tires and Tubes

To close out our line of fine Tires and Tubes I will make very attractive prices. Come at once and Get Your Size.

J. B. ANNIS

What a Pleasure in
BUYING AT HOME

That's what the women say who come in here, look at the coats and suits we are selling, try them on and then make a selection of



Here we see that you are fitted. The styles are individual, we know that you obtain unusual value and that the garment we sell you is backed up by the firm that makes it, as well as by us--for the

Garment You Want See Us

Two Days Only

Friday and Saturday, March 8th and 9th

We make special inducements to buy here, allowing you **20 per cent Discount**

on any Coat, Suit, Skirt or Waiste purchased at these dates.

Positively Two Days Only

Clarendon's Leading Store

T. M. LITTLE,

Proprietor



The Thrift Saving Stamp campaign is now on. Are you aware of that fact? If so, what are you doing in this matter?

Don't you know that the country is at war with the most powerful enemy of the liberty of mankind that the world has ever known? If you do not it is high time that you found out.

Don't you know that the fate of civilization rests absolutely on the winning of the war we are now engaged in? It is a fact.

Don't you know that if the German war lords had their way the whole world would pay tribute to Germany? If you do not it is about time you were coming alive to the possibilities and probabilities that lie before you. It is you who is concerned in this matter—personally.

What are you going to do about it?

This war must be won or you and I, and all the rest of us will become vassals of the German Kaiser. This is no idle dream. It is just as sure as the dawning of the morrow's sun. Will you sit idle, let matters drift as they may; or will you rather do your "bit" and help win the war for the benefit of civilization; for the benefit of the free man; for the benefit of your self?

However wise in this matter you may be, you may rest assured that the men who are at the head of the government down in Washington know all about it. They know the ins and outs. They know things of which you have no means of knowing—and they know, beyond the peradventure of a doubt that every man in this country must do his level best in order that the right may still exist and liberty survive.

They know that this war is going to take a mint of money to win. They know that it is going to take the combined efforts of every man, woman and child to carry the thing through—and they are asking you to do whatever you may be able.

In order to give every man a chance to do his bit—and the women and children too—the Government has issued War Saving Stamps. These stamps may be purchased at the various banks, or the post office, in denominations of 25 cents and \$5.00. Be your pocket book big or little there is an opening for you. Will you avail yourself of that opening?

Every quarter, every dollar of the money raised in this manner will be a nail in the coffin of the butchers who are responsible for this war we are now fighting. And every dollar will be needed.

AS DONE IN GERMANY.

A horrible story of unspeakable German atrocity, the victim of which is a young American nurse, has been received by W. V. Cowan, secretary of the state council of defense, from Jay Dougherty, a four-minute speaker of Santa Cruz. The story is told by Dougherty as follows:

"Shortly after the outbreak of the war a young woman trained nurse stationed in northern France was captured by the Germans. For eighteen months this woman was kept in the officers quarters, never allowed to leave the three rooms in which she was confined. She was of a proud and spirited race and fought valiantly for her honor.

"Every time she was attacked she tried to scratch out the eyes of the officers. They soon found a way to cure her of that. She will never scratch out the eyes of German officers any more. They cut off both her hands.

"This woman is not 6,000 or 7,000 miles from here, where her story would be hard to verify. When her condition became such that the Germans no longer cared for her they sent her back to France. From there she was brought to the United States. She is now in a hospital in San Jose, Cal., with her hands cut off, waiting to give birth to a child that she doesn't even know the father of, except that it is some hyena that calls himself a German officer."—Sacramento Star.

FOR SALE—Fresh milch cow and team of young mules. Phone 230-2R. R. O. Dunkle. 10pd.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gordon have returned from Fort Worth, at which place Mrs. Gordon has been receiving treatment at a sanitarium.

You can do your share.

If you have an idea that the amount is too small for you to trouble about why not start a little account for that child of yours? You can start with one quarter of a dollar, or a larger amount if it pleases you. You can make the first payment today. You can increase it tomorrow, and you can add to it as it pleases, or is convenient.

What would please that child of yours better than to go to the post office or the bank with a little money in hand which to start in business—to buy Thrift (mark the word) Stamps. It might be the means of instilling into that child's head an idea of business and THRIFT that will be a companion through a long life. It may be the making of that child. Who can tell? Anyhow it is well worth a trial.

Do it now!
Do it today.

A MESSAGE TO THE NATION

Nature has implanted in every human being a sense of justice. This sense of natural justice does not emanate from any religion or creed; it is the common possession of humanity. It constitutes the one great distinguishing mark between man and the animal. And the more highly educated, the more highly refined a man becomes, the stronger is his sense of natural justice. We condemn a violation of natural justice, not because we learn from a man or a book that such an action is worthy of condemnation, but because it violates that conception of justice which was born in us.

We do not have to be told that it is wrong to torture a helpless child. We do not have to be told that it is wrong to go to a farm house and burn it to the ground, torture its inmates, and then throw them into the burning ruins of their own home. Such things are repugnant to our sense of natural justice.

It is this elementary attribute of humanity, this quality which distinguishes man from the beast, which has been violated by Germany. Not only has natural justice been violated, but its violation defended by emperors, preachers, philosophers, teachers, and that mass of individuals who sympathize with the German cause.

While the most enlightened teachers of humanity are telling us that man by aspiration and effort can raise himself to partake of the Divine nature, Germany is teaching and practicing the doctrine that man should invert the theory and take his place amongst the lowest types in the animal world. They hold forth as the goal of human ambition, after centuries of upward struggle, the figure, type and mentality of a beast rather than that of a God. The animal which lives on the flesh of others, whose right to existence is based only upon its strength and its ability to crush its prey, would appear to be the German ideal.

It is largely because the German idea is so repugnant to us as enlightened Americans, because their practices send a shudder through every fibre of our bodies and produce such nausea in our souls, that we are at war with Germany today; and it is because of these conditions that every decent, honorable, thinking man must pledge, if necessary, his fortune, his life, his all, to eradicate this unspeakable thing which has fallen like a curse upon the sons of men.

Conceive, if you can, the condition of this world if we allowed such doctrines to prevail. Property would go to the man with the strongest arm and the most unscrupulous mind. Liberty would die a shameful death. Freedom would shriek as Justice falls. Religion would perish from the earth and a false God—one of blood, iron and beastiality, would be set up for the worship of a cringing, cowering humanity.

There are indifferent ones who say that such things can never happen in this country. These people do not realize that one of the penalties—the greatest of all penalties—which we should pay for defeat would be the Germanization of our people. One of the terms of our defeat would be the privilege of Germany to trade, teach and colonize freely in this land of ours. One of the things coveted most by the German mind is the souls of men, for when they have these they have their bodies, their wealth

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their all, and if during the course of the next generation the Germans could capture or even deeply influence the soul of America they would consider that they had won the greatest victory in the history of their Nation.

As citizens of an enlightened democracy we must fight by every means in our power this menace which would steal our souls and those of our children.

No greater tribute was ever paid to a human being than that paid to one of the old kings of England of whom it was said:

"His life was gentle, and the elements so mixed in him That nature might stand up and say to all the world 'This was a man'."

It is for such an eulogy we all yearn, unconsciously, if not consciously, and those who would lay restraining hands upon us as we aspire are our mortal and immortal enemies.

There is a practical side to every question, however great and spiritual that question may be. The warfare on behalf of your better self, for your higher interest, and that of your children, is being waged by brave men who have the profoundest claims upon your sympathy and assistance. It seems a pitifully small and totally inadequate thing that you can do, but yet if that is all—do it, and do it to the limit of your

ability. Place on record your purchase of a Liberty Bond when the Government calls upon you in the very near future.

CHRISTIAN LADIES AID.

On Wednesday, February, 27 the Ladies Aid Society of the Christian Church met with Mrs. John Beverly. An unusually large crowd was present. One quilt was quitted for the Orphans' Home and some work was done on another.

A Bible lesson was read and discussed by the circle from the 15th chapter of Mark. Prayer was led by Mrs. Bearden, music was furnished by Miss Marquis. Three of our old time members were present, viz: Mrs. Leonard now of Floydada, Mrs. Robinson, of Claude and Mrs. Bearden, of Dallas. A good time was enjoyed by all, refreshments were served after which, we adjourned to meet to help serve at the Red Cross Room March 6th. Reporter.

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Manufacturers are behind with orders and are experiencing great difficulty in procuring raw material naturally their repair stocks will be in a badly broken condition when the rush comes.

The Farmer who waits until the day he needs repairs to order will in all probability lose several days time waiting for the parts and perhaps not get them at all in time for planting. We have a supply of repair catalogues covering all makes of implements and will be only too glad to assist any farmer in locating parts for which they have no numbers. Command us.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The News is authorized to announce the following as candidates for the office under which their names are listed. The candidacy is subject to the Democratic primary to be held in July, 1918:

For Representative, 124th District:
H. B. HILL, Wheeler Co.

Judge, 47th Judicial District:
HENRY S. BISHOP.
Judge H. L. UMPHRES.
(For Re-election.)
OTIS TRULOVE.

For Attorney, 47th Judicial District:
ERNEST (Dusty) MILLER.
(For Re-election.)

Sheriff and Tax Collector—
H. C. (HARRY) BRUMLEY
M. T. (DOC) HOWARD.
J. H. RUTHERFORD.
B. L. KINSEY.
J. A. JOHNS.

For District and County Clerk:
W. E. BRAY.
J. J. ALEXANDER.
(For Re-election.)

County Treasurer.
E. DUBBS.
(For Re-election.)

For County Tax Assessor:
G. W. BAKER.
B. F. NAYLOR.
(For Re-election.)

For County Attorney:
E. F. RITCHEY.
(For Second Term.)

Commissioner Precinct No. 2.
D. H. HOTT

Commissioner Precinct No. 1.
W. C. VEAZEY.
OSCAR SMITH.

For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 3:
A. W. GERNER.

COMING—"DRAFT NO. 258," a sequel to "The Slacker" featuring Mable Taliferro. Pastime soon.

OVER THE TOP.

A thrilling story of the Great War by Arthur Guy Empey, who fought in the front trenches eighteen months. For sale at Stocking's Store. Everybody should read it.

Leo and Austin O'Neill, of Wellington, were here on business Monday.

EXAMPLES OF THRIFT

Since it was announced by Louis Lipsitz, State Director of the National War Savings Committee, that the Government expects Texans to purchase thrift stamps and savings certificates valued at \$91,000,000, enthusiastic workers have rolled up a number of records that speak volumes for Lone Star patriotism.

The people of Cherokee county lead the counties in the State in the number of limit buyers—persons who have purchased the maximum amount of bonds the individual is permitted to own. The county has eighty-eight members in its Thousand Dollar Club; in Jacksonville alone, seventy-two persons have "gone the limit" and bought "baby bonds" valued at \$1,000.

A. G. Adams is county chairman. Letter carriers, the blue-clad men who plow through snow and mud and sun to fill Texas mail boxes, have become enthusiastic ministers of the new gospel of thrift which will help win the war and make possessors out of slackers. R. A. Furr, rural mail carrier in Collin County, has sold more than \$6,500 worth of stamps; \$2,200 of this represents the work of a single day. He travels 28.5 miles every week day and delivers over 4,000,000 pieces of mail every twelve months.

C. D. Morrow, a Sherman letter carrier has also hung up a record. He has sold the persons on his route little Government war bonds valued at more than \$1,162.84. In a single day he took orders for \$866.29 worth of thrift stamps.

The business men and bankers of Abilene wanted to tell Taylor County people what an excellent and patriotic form of investment is the purchase of thrift stamps, so they used six full page advertisements and thirty smaller ones in the Taylor County Times to tell Uncle Sam's story. The hearty co-operation of Texas newspaper men is piling up records of publicity and patriotism everywhere.

Tucker Royall lives in Palestine. He's a busy man, but he found time to sell \$1,000 certificates to each of thirty Palestine business men and Anderson County farmers and run a bank. Every bank should be a thrift stamp sales agency and advise its patrons to put some of their savings in war certificates, Mr. Royall says.

More frequently than not slackers are slackers. The county has no need for the one and no use for the other.

Mrs. Coyne, of Portland, Oregon, arrived Wednesday for a visit here with her friend, Mrs. M. M. Noble.

Mrs. Billie Moore and daughter, Cornelia, and Miss Yates were in from the JA ranch Tuesday.

Howard Williams is at the hospital with a severe case of pneumonia.

LOCAL RED CROSS NEWS

The Red Cross work rooms will be open for work every day of the week from two to six o'clock p. m. and instructors, who have taken the Surgical Dressings Course will be in charge of this department each day. Chairman of the hospital Garment department will also be at their posts as usual.

A shipment of 70 knitted articles was made on Thursday the 28th.

The booth took in \$25.25, Saturday the 2nd.

Miss Millie Baker was appointed assistant secretary at the meeting of the Ex. Com.

In compliance with a request from headquarters to designate a manager for the Second Red Cross War Fund Drive the Ex. Com. recommended the appointment of Mr. W. D. Van Eaton with Mr. Frank Bourland as assistant manager.

The Chapter School Committee has had a number of calls from the schools in the county to come and organize the Junior work, but so far the committee has been unable to respond. It is hoped that they can do so very soon now.

Miss May Lumpkin volunteered to get the Grammar School to make a sample box of the Junior work for the Chapter School Committee to take to the different places so the teachers

COMMISSIONER'S COURT EMPLOYS NEW COUNTY AGENT

In a recent session of the commissioner's court of Donley County a new county demonstration agent was employed at a suitable salary. The new agent is Mr. P. C. Bennett, of Hansford who will move his family here in the next few days. Mr. Bennett is an energetic young man, a graduate of the Missouri A. & M. College and comes with the very highest recommendations. The Commissioners recommend him to the farmers of Donley County and ask that he be given the most cordial cooperation. He will devote the greater part of his time to the matter of increased production of food and the best methods of conservation.

The News welcomes Mr. Bennett among us and pledges him hearty accord of purpose.

Mrs. R. B. Robinson, of Claude, was here last week visiting her daughter, Mrs. O. D. Leisburg.

and children could understand better about the work. Her kindness is much appreciated and will be very helpful.

The teacher and children of the Intermediate Grades have loaned a number of articles, beautifully made, to be carried around till we get a sample box.

Fifth Sunday Program Buck Creek Baptist Association Quail, Texas, March 28th

THURSDAY NIGHT

8:00 P. M. Preaching—Johnnie Adams.

FRIDAY

9:30 A. M. Devotional Service—M. R. Moore.
10:00 A. M. The origin of the mission spirit in God's children and their duty towards it.—Edgar Parker and J. M. Sherrod.
11:00 A. M. Preaching—V. A. Hansard.
2:00 P. M. The conditions and needs of our Associational Mission work.—L. J. Crawford and Jas. A. Long.
8:00 P. M. Preaching—Jas. A. Long.

SATURDAY

9:30 A. M. Devotional service.—H. P. Allen.
10:00 A. M. The conditions and needs of our state and foreign mission work.—Edgar Parker and L. J. Crawford.
11:00 A. M. Preaching.—R. H. Goodnight.
2:00 P. M. Executive board meeting.
3:00 P. M. What action should a church take when an offended brother refuses to go to the offender to be reconciled? —R. H. Goodnight and Jas. A. Long.
8:00 P. M. Preaching, Subject—"Parable of the ten virgins."—L. J. Crawford.

SUNDAY

11:00 A. M. Preaching.—Edgar Parker.
There will be an open discussion of all questions.
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"I took nearly every medicine I ever heard of and tried in vain so long without getting anything to help me that I had begun to think I couldn't get well. Then my nephew from

JUDGE J. H. O'NEAL FOR COUNTY JUDGE

Judge J. H. O'Neill, present County Judge of Donley County, presents his name to the Democratic voters of this county for re-election to this very important office. Judge O'Neill has served the people well in this capacity and feels that the record made will bear the closest inspection and warrant his return to the judgeship for another term.

You will find his name in the proper column and you are invited to consider his claims when you come to vote on July 27th.

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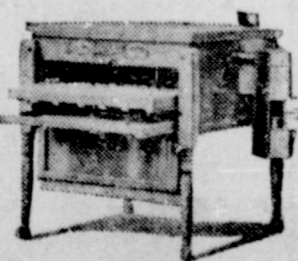
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