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WAR STAMP MEETING HERE JUNE 28th.

We, the Speakers and Publicity Committee, of the National War Savings Day, issue the following information. In keeping with the Proclamation issued by the President, Governor and Mayor, all tax payers, wage earners and heads of families will meet at the Methodist Church at 2 o'clock, June 28th, 1918.

According to proclamation no place of business will be open—all industry shall cease during this meeting.

Donley County must raise a total of \$142,000 in War Savings Stamps. Of this amount about \$40,000 have already been purchased. The remaining amount will be subscribed for at this meeting. Every person included in the above call will report promptly at the Church and be prepared to pledge the President of the United States for your part. Know how many stamps you now own, also their present value.

The Government has the name and occupation of every person in this County. Every one is required to be present at this meeting and register. Any one not registering or reporting will be reported to the Treasury Department and the Government authorities will give you a chance to explain your absence.

A competent Committee will be present to assist you in filling out your card. Also accountants will be present and a complete report will be made before the meeting adjourns so we will know what the town has done. By Saturday morning reports from the county will be available.

REMEMBER—June 28th—Methodist Church—2:00 o'clock—War Savings Stamps Drive!

W. T. HAYTER.
F. L. BOURLAND.
S. H. CONDRON.

Below is reproduced the content of the card which every one will be asked to sign for whatever amount he can afford to invest in Stamps:

Signature _____
(Surname first)

Post Office _____

Street No. _____ County _____

TO THE SECRETARY OF THE UNITED STATES TREASURY:

I, whose signature appears above, and the members of my family whom I represent, now own _____

War Savings Stamps \$ _____

In addition to those now owned, I agree to buy War Savings Stamps as indicated. (I am including the amount for which I have signed pledge previously.)

I will buy from _____

Name of Bank, Post Office, Secretary of War Savings Society, or Selling Agent.

Street and Number _____

Town _____

I FURTHER PLEDGE MYSELF TO SAVE AND ECONOMIZE TO HELP WIN THE WAR.

Total War Savings Stamps Owned and Pledged \$ _____

—Pledge the President—

WOMEN NOTICE

Registration officers will be in the following places to Register women voters:

Hedley, Giles, Lelia Lake, Jericho and Ashtola.

See next week's paper for dates.

G. R. DOSHIER,
Tax Collector.

DEMOCRATIC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MET MONDAY

The Democratic Executive Committee for Donley County met Monday afternoon as prescribed by law to draw for the order in which the candidates names appear on the ticket in the July primary, estimate and assess each county and precinct candidate's pro rata of the expense of holding said primaries, etc.

There will be no second primary for the county and precinct offices, but a second primary will be held for district and state offices. According to the old saying "the longest pole gets the plum" in the county offices. Several candidates failed to get their names on the ticket and their friends will have to write in their names in order to elect them.

S. M. Braswell was elected chairman of the Executive Committee Saturday afternoon to fill out the term of R. H. Beville, who resigned to enter the race for County Attorney. S. H. Condron acted as secretary of the meeting.

The following pledge was adopted and will be enforced for all who participate in the primary: "Before me the undersigned authority on this day personally appeared the undersigned, who being first by me duly sworn upon oath says that I am a white Democrat and if permitted to vote in the Democratic primary election I will support the nominees of said primary election, and furthermore that in the last general election (if I voted at all) I voted for the nominees of the Democratic party from the President of the United States down to the Constable, including both."

—Pledge the President—
COME AND VOTE

At the Hobby School of Citizenship meeting at the court house, Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

We learn to do by doing. Therefore it has been arranged that an election be held at that hour in order that the women may be sure that they know exactly how to vote on the 27th of July. This election will be conducted exactly as the election will be at that date. Besides the election there will be other interesting things presented to the women. Every woman in Clarendon and Donley County who can possibly do so, is urged to be present at this meeting. Don't forget that the State recognizes you as citizens now, and that as such you can not afford to fail to do your duty in so critical a time as the present.

Plans are being perfected to carry these meetings to some of the other communities of the County. If you are interested in having a meeting in your community, come and help us plan for it at this meeting Saturday afternoon.

Corresponding Secretary.

HOBBY CLUB TO BE ORGANIZED TONIGHT

Tonight, Thursday, there will be held a mass meeting of Democratic voters at eight-thirty o'clock. The purpose of the meeting will be to form a Hobby Club expressive of the overwhelming sentiment in his favor here in this community. All citizens who favor an honest man for the governor's office are invited to be present. There will be short speeches from local citizens who are determined upon keeping a good man in the governor's chair as well as to defend the constitution of our state from the ruthless hand of those who would defile and destroy it. Show your sentiments by your presence.

HOBBY COMMITTEE.

MEN CALLED JUNE 24th TO REPORT ON THE 25th.

Entrainment date has been changed by orders received Wednesday, to the train leaving Clarendon at 7:56 p. m. next Tuesday, June 25th. All men called for entrainment on the 24th inst., will take notice and report accordingly. Men will report by letter to R. H. Beville, clerk of the Local Board, at Clarendon, receipt of notice to change of date so that all men may be ready to go together.

Men who were called as alternates, most of them will be used in regular order, as it seems now that it will be hard to fill the quota of 30 men without them. These men should report to the Clerk of the Board, in order that they may be checked in on the quota list.

CHAIRMAN CHAMBERLAIN PLANS W. S. S. CAMPAIGN

F. E. Chamberlain, county chairman for the W. S. S. Campaign has made extensive preparation for the drive on Friday, June 28th, and every precinct in the county will have its own campaign conducted by local talent. We reproduced below a list of the communities and their committees and each one is expected to bring up its quota in true Donley County style. One community cannot fail without the entire county failing, or else some other community carrying a double burden. The list of committees composed of the leading men of the county is enough to guarantee the success of the drive. Here goes for Donley's quota on the 28th.

Sunnyview, J. W. McQueen chairman, S. T. Clayton, C. F. Bogard, M. T. Crabtree, Len Ballew, C. H. Riley; Boydston, Jno. Clark, chairman, B. E. Boydston, J. W. Rhodes; Giles, A. E. Ransom, chairman, E. H. Watts, C. D. Akers, C. O. Thaxton; Windy Valley, Jim Stogner, chairman, W. B. Ayers, J. J. Bills; Naylor Springs, A. O. Hefner, chairman, T. N. Naylor, R. H. Johnson, A. F. Waldron, Fred Lovelace; Goldston and Plainview, G. R. Grant, chairman, N. A. Hightower, J. J. Goldston, Dick Eichelberger; Jericho, Jno. Hermesmeier, chairman, F. L. Goldston, Thos. O. Kirby, J. E. Hunt; Smith, Jno. Smith, chairman, C. A. Crow, F. M. Smith, W. G. Smith; Bray, J. L. Allison, chairman, Tom Bain, A. G. Davis, Eldredge Lee; Wilson, J. M. Potter, chairman, P. H. Longan, J. A. Meaders, J. H. Goldston; Lelia Lake, Tom Cothran, chairman, E. L. Lewis, Jim Christal, F. P. Dunkle, Guy Taylor, G. Leathers; Hedley; J. G. McDougal, chairman, J. D. Swift, J. R. Benson, Frank Kendall, Ed Dishman, R. W. Scales, T. R. Moreman, J. B. Masterson; Hudges and Skillet, T. N. Holloway, chairman, Bud Thompson, C. O. Youree; Hackberry, T. L. Naylor, chairman, C. A. Henderson and Mr. Durham; Whitefish, F. B. Thomas, chairman, W. M. Fullen, E. W. Carver; Ashtola, L. R. Shores, chairman, Lu McClellan, J. A. Johnson, B. Grogan; Martin, Edwin Baley, Clif McDowell, J. A. Pool, C. Jones; Bairfield, Wint Bairfield, chairman, J. W. Ray, Abe Wiedman; Chamberlain, J. N. Neely, chairman, L. E. DeJarnett, J. E. Noack, Z. E. Doshier; Hudgins, M. M. McCracken, chairman, W. E. Christie, G. A. C. Roy, M. L. Putman, W. H. Moreman, W. A. Pierce, W. E. Mullins, C. N. Shaw; McKnight, T. N. Messer, chairman, H. T. Fortenberry, W. E. Mullins, W. H. Moreman, W. A. Pierce, C. N. Shaw; Glenwood, C. J. Talley, chairman, W. R. Jay, G. W. Barker.

REPORT ON RECENT RED CROSS DRIVE

Following the recent Red Cross Drive, an announcement was printed in these columns to the effect that a list of the school districts in Donley County would be printed showing the amount each gave also the rank of each district as determined on the scholastic population of 1917.

Owing to the very long list of the individual donors to this drive the Committee decided not to publish this long list. It would take up most of the paper. Again Mr. S. M. Braswell has been very liberal indeed with his space in the paper and it would be an imposition to ask him to contribute so extensively.

Following is the table showing the standing of the different school districts:

School	Population	Amount
Wilson	8	\$ 145.50
Clarendon	687	8,235.22
Skillet	13	135.00
Jericho	33	334.43
Giles	61	464.00
Chamberlain	80	602.00
Smith	37	275.50
Hackberry	9	63.00
Glenwood	6	42.00
Ashtola	59	377.00
Boydston	12	76.96
Sunnyview	71	441.00
Naylor	32	188.05
Martin	77	429.00
Windy Valley	73	423.50
Hudgins	35	179.50
Barfield	29	100.00
Hedley	329	1,573.75
Lelia Lake	209	806.50
Goldston	38	180.00
Plainview	23	71.50
Whitefish	29	60.00
McKnight	50	95.75
Bray	85	157.00
Hodges	14	21.00

The total drive netted \$15,478.66, divided as follows: Cash \$9,330.16; Liberty Bonds \$1,850; Pledges \$4,298.50.

Our quota was \$7,388.00. All who have signed pledges in the Second Red Cross War Fund Campaign will please remit all checks to Mrs. B. L. Jenkins, Treasurer Donley County Chapter.

COMMITTEE.

—Pledge the President—

PROCLAMATION

Acting upon the request of the Secretary of the United States Treasury Department and in accordance with the proclamation of the President of the United States, designating the 28th day of June as National War Savings Day, now therefore, I, W. A. SoRelle, Mayor of the city of Clarendon, hereby designate the said 28th day of June, 1918, as National War Savings Day in the city of Clarendon, and hereby call upon all loyal citizens to respond to this call issued by the President of the United States, which calls upon the people of Texas to save and invest \$91,000,000 in War Savings Stamps. All banks will be provided with these Stamps and in order to win this war, we must respond to these calls of the Nation. Let no citizen fail of his duty.

I call upon all places of business in Clarendon to close for the meeting to be held at the Methodist Church at 2 p. m. on the day above mentioned, and urge every wage earner and head of family to be present. Let no one fail in this patriotic duty.

W. A. SoRelle,
Mayor.

—Pledge the President—

Dr. G. S. Slover is making an extended tour of the Panhandle and eastern New Mexico on behalf of Clarendon College.

Keep Faith With Your Boy "Over There"

When your boy was so little that all the world was a foreign country to him, he trusted you to take care of him. You sent him to school to play and on your little errands, and with implicit faith he did your bidding.

Now we have sent your boy or your neighbor's boy out into a foreign land, into terrors that he cannot even know—and his faith has not faltered. He knows we will do our part if he does his.

PLEDGE YOURSELF TO BUY WAR SAVINGS STAMPS
ON OR BEFORE


June 28th
National War Savings Day

Saving to help our sons is not to be called by the ugly name of duty or sacrifice. It is love's blessed privilege.

Are we keeping the faith? Are we scrimping and saving and giving to help our boys do this thing that humanity has asked of them, and to help them come back to us sane and whole? Are we doing not only our bit, but all we can

THIS SPACE CONTRIBUTED FOR THE WINNING OF THE WAR BY

E. M. OZIER



W.S.S.

WAR SAVINGS STAMPS
ISSUED BY THE
UNITED STATES
GOVERNMENT

This Ad Contributed by
DONLEY COUNTY STATE BANK

FRIDAY, JUNE 28th


NATIONAL WAR SAVINGS DAY

The United States Government Cooperates

with the 7,600 member banks in maintaining the Federal Reserve Banking System for the protection of the business interests of the country. Through the Federal Reserve Board in Washington it supervises the twelve Federal reserve banks; it appoints one-third of their directors; it deposits its funds largely with them; it guarantees the currency they issue.

This cooperation greatly increases the value of the system to us and our community.

Are you linked up with this new national system as one of our depositors? If not, you should delay no longer.



THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

Send for Booklet, "How Does It Benefit Me?"

Hail Insurance

In Hail Insurance I Represent the Largest Old Line

TIME-TRIED AND LOSS-TESTED

Insurance Companies which "Pay if They Lose," and settle "Fair and Square" on all losses and "Do it Now." Such Companies sell Hail Insurance like Fire Insurance, through duly accredited Local Agents upon application of the assured to the agents rather than through transient traveling agents. If you want Hail Insurance on your growing crops see me, for I will appreciate your business.

I refer to every customer who has ever had a loss through my agency as to my service and the satisfactory settlements of my Companies.

A. M. Beville, Agt.,
In Clarendon Since 1889

Start---Stick To It---Do It

YOU may not be able to accumulate a goodly surplus in a month or a year. But if you start and stick to it you will win out. "You must make sure of what you want to do, you must feel sure that you have the courage as well as the temperament to do it and then—DO IT!"

The Farmers State Bank

Clarendon, Texas

Presidential Proclamation calls for War Savings Pledges

By proclamation the President of the United States has authoritatively summoned all adult males and females to solemnly pledge to the Government the greatest amount they can save and invest in United States Government War Savings Stamps. They have been summoned to make their pledges between now and June 28, National War Savings Day.

The proclamation provides that all adult males and females are to meet

at appointed places in their school districts June 28, National War Savings Day, and, even though they have already made their pledges as they should have done, they are at these meetings to re-affirm their War Savings Stamp pledges to the President on the official Government pledge card which will be furnished them for that purpose.

Pledges for War Savings Stamps made before June 28, National War Savings Day, should be turned over

to the County Chairman of the National War Savings Committee or to one of the local representatives of the National War Savings Committee, according to the instructions of the Treasury Department.

In addition to notification by publication, every adult male and female will be authoritatively summoned through the mails to attend the June 28 meetings. Responsibility for attendance upon these meetings rests wholly upon the individual.

TO THE PEOPLE OF THE UNITED STATES—GREETING:

This war is one of nations—not of armies, and all of our one hundred million people must be economically and industrially adjusted to war conditions if this nation is to play its full part in the conflict. The problem before us is not primarily a financial problem, but rather a problem of increased production of war essentials and the saving of the materials and the labor necessary for the support and equipment of our army and navy. Thoughtless expenditure of money for nonessentials uses up the labor of men, the products of farms, mines and factories and overburdens transportation, all of which must be used to the utmost and at their best for war purposes.

The great results which we seek can be obtained only by the participation of every member of the Nation, young and old, in a National concerted thrift movement. I therefore urge that our people everywhere pledge themselves as suggested by the Secretary of the Treasury to the practice of thrift; to serve the Government to their utmost in increasing production in all fields necessary to the winning of the war; to conserve food and fuel and useful materials of every kind; to devote their labor only to the most necessary tasks, and to buy only those things which are essential to individual health and efficiency, and that the people, as an evidence of their loyalty, invest all they can in Liberty Bonds and War Savings Stamps.

The securities issued by the Treasury Department are so many of them within the reach of everyone that the door of opportunity in this matter is wide open to all of us. To practice thrift in peace times is a virtue and brings great benefit to the individual at all times; with the desperate need of the civilized world today for materials and labor with which to end the war, the practice of individual thrift is a patriotic duty and a necessity.

I appeal to all who now own either Liberty Bonds or War Savings Stamps to continue to practice economy and thrift and to appeal to all who do not own Government securities to do likewise and purchase them to the extent of their means. The man who buys Government securities transfers the purchasing power of his money to the United States Government until after this war, and to that same degree does not buy in competition with the Government.

I earnestly appeal to every man, woman and child to pledge themselves on or before the 28th of June to save constantly and to buy as regularly as possible the securities of the Government, and to do this as far as possible through membership in War Savings Societies. The 28th of June ends this special period of enlistment in the great volunteer army of production and saving here at home. May there be none unenlisted on that day.



Woodrow Wilson



GREAT SEAL OF UNITED STATES

Next to the aggregate number of subscribers, perhaps the most striking feature of the Third Liberty Loan was the support given it by the farming and rural populations of the country, according to a statement by the Treasury Department. Not only

did the farmers purchase liberally of the bonds, but the rural communities as a rule were more prompt in completing their quotas of the loan than the larger cities. More than 20,000 communities in the United States subscribed or oversubscribed their

quotas, many of them on the first day of the campaign. The majority of these were not cities, but country districts.

We do all kinds of soldering. Parker & Rhode.

He Can't Escape

The Slacker who seeks to escape his War Savings Pledge to the Government will come to grief.

The Government has provided that all summoned absentees shall be listed by the officers of the School District Meetings June 28, National War Savings Day, and the Names certified to Departmental Headquarters.

The Slacker Can't Escape

The slacker who seeks to shirk his duty to the Government by pledging to the President less than the Limit of his ability to Save and Invest in War Savings Stamps won't be able to fool the Government or his neighbors.

The United States Treasury Department has full knowledge of every one's ability. Every pledge will be checked carefully and compared with the Pledgee's ability.

The Slacker Can't Escape

Heed the Federal Summons. Be at your Pledge Meetings June 28 promptly. That's your Business. The Government Accepts No Excuse. Your pledge, remember, is the degree of your Americanism.

THIS ADVERTISEMENT CONTRIBUTED TO THE GOVERNMENT BY

D. O. STALLINGS, The Coal Man
Phone 316

WAR DEPARTMENTS SHOWS PROCEDURE IN NOTIFYING RELATIVE OF CASUALTIES

Relatives of soldiers named in casualty lists forwarded from France ordinarily are notified within 24 hours after receipt of the lists, according to a statement authorized by the War Department. A "statistical division," with a staff of officers and a corps of stenographers, gives all its time to the maintenance of files of soldiers' names and addresses. This division notifies relatives.

A copy of the roster of each contingent sailing to join the Expeditionary Forces is filed in card index fashion, each card bearing the name of one soldier, his organization, and the name and address of parent or other relative or friend designated by him to be notified in emergency. When a casualty list is received from Gen. Pershing each name cabled from the American Expeditionary Force is listed with the emergency address on file in the card index. As rapidly as the new list with emergency addresses is built up the telegraph clerks get duplicates. These clerks already are supplied with blank telegrams which require only the relative's address, name of sender, nature of casualty and the date, and filling in the blank spaces they get the telegrams off as quickly as possible. In addition to maintaining the telegraph blanks for the sake of speed the statistical division is supplied with sets of form letters to be filled in and mailed when further details are available.

While relatives are generally in receipt of information within 24 hours after the cables are received, delays are sometimes due to clerical errors caused by the fact that names must pass through so many hands in France and in America, incorrect emergency addresses turned in by soldiers, removal of families to addresses other than those listed, and the occasional necessity for cabling back to Gen. Pershing to verify a name or to obtain an address.

Aside from these four causes of delay the only reason for the failure of relatives to receive word at once is military consideration. Gen. Pershing may, at his discretion, withhold a casualty list until he is positive it will have no military value to the enemy.

NEW TEACHERS

Under the new Junior College Law, Clarendon College has granted her first set of First Grade Certificates. Those receiving these are as follows: Misses Mattie Eva Lane, Sara Thompson, Mary Fair, Sada Gray, Bethany James, Ruth Moore, Jessie Cook, Elsie Webb, Geneva Bynum, Lois Smalley, Mabel Livingston, Gertrude Friend, Katie Lee Bailey and Mr. Douglas Merriman.

Mr. Condron, dean of the College, received these certificates Monday with a letter from Supt. W. F. Dougherty commenting upon the work of the school and the importance of this new work now placed in the hands of the Junior Colleges.

All of these young people have met more than the minimum requirement, of fourteen units and fifteen hours of college work. Most of them are graduates with fourteen units and thirty hours. They have shown ability as students and in many cases as substitute teachers during the past year. They will be a valuable addition to the teaching force here and elsewhere and will stand for the high ideals that one acquires in a Christian College. A recent writer made an investigation and found the following fact to be true: The Christian Colleges are providing four great men and women to one sent out by State Schools and Universities while the church schools only have a half as many students as the State Schools. Again the church schools are giving the world 85 per cent of the men and women who are leading the great Christian movements of the age; the State Schools are giving us only 15 per cent. Take these figures and select your school.

FIRMS ARE PENALIZED FOR VIOLATIONS OF FOOD RULES

Scores of firms throughout the United States have been penalized for violations of rules of the Food Administration. In some cases licenses to operate have been suspended; in others, contributions to the Y. M. C. A., Red Cross, and other organizations have been accepted in lieu of suspension of license.

Among the more numerous violations are sales of flour without substitutes; refusal to accept delivery of foodstuffs previously ordered; operating without license; excess sales of sugar; carrying more than a normal 30 days' supply of sugar; failure to use the proper amount of flour substitute in bread making; and profiteering.

Recleaned Red Top cane seed 7c per pound. Sudan grass seed 18c per pound, f. o. b. cars.—Joe J. Mickie & Son, Memphis, Tenn. 25c

Pierce-Fordyce

Oil Association Products

FOR SALE AT

FORD SERVICE STATION

AUTO SERVICE STATION

CITY GARAGE

Prompt Service

EUPION KEROSENE

The Best

PHONE 53

A. L. Chase, Agt.

Practice Thrift

By building and repairing now. We will have higher prices later. See us for Lumber, Paints, Oil and all Builders' Material.

Galbraith - Foxworth Lumber Co.

Leila Lake

Clarendon

Goodnight

COLORED REGISTRANTS TO BE GIVEN TECHNICAL TRAINING

Nearly 157,000 Negro soldiers are now in the National Army. Of these 1,000 are line officers holding commissions of captain and first and second lieutenants. There are about 250 colored officers in the Medical and Dental Reserve Corps.

The Army now includes two divisions of colored troops, which when fully constituted will include practically all branches of the service: Infantry, Engineer, Artillery, Signal Corps, Medical Corps, and service battalions with men technically trained in all branches of scientific work.

There are now openings in the Veterinary Corps for Negroes skilled in veterinary and agricultural work. Arrangements have been completed to send Negro registered but not yet called to schools and colleges this summer for training in radio engineering, electrical engineering, auto mechanics, blacksmithing, and the operation of motor vehicles.

ACT QUICKLY.

Do the right thing at the right time. Act quickly in time of danger. In time of kidney danger, Doan's Kidney Pills are most effective. Plenty of Clarendon evidence of their worth.

I. W. Carhart, Third and Jefferson streets, Clarendon, says: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills and have always found them fine for lameness across the loins and other signs of kidney trouble. I heartily recommend Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at McKillop's Drug Store, for uric acid in the system, rheumatic pains and bladder trouble."

OVER FOUR YEARS LATER Mr. Carhart said: "I haven't had to use Doan's Kidney Pills since I endorsed them before. I think just as highly of them now as ever." Price 60 cents at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Carhart had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y.

The standardized "type B" truck has been officially adopted as the standard heavy-duty cargo trucks for use by the Army in all its departments requiring this capacity truck. A large number have been ordered and it is expected the first 10,000 will be completed about August 1, 1918.

There is no discrimination of any kind between soldiers who are not citizens of the United States and the native born or naturalized citizens in the American Army, excepting that the former can not hold commissions. In all other respects—care, attention, privileges, etc.—they are all on the same footing.

The 12-cylinder Liberty motor, according to a statement by the War Department, weighs 825 pounds and develops 450 horsepower, or a weight of 1.8 pounds per horsepower. The gasoline consumption is approximately 0.46 pound per horsepower hour.

THE STRESS OF THE TIMES

President Roosevelt always spoke of the lives of the American people as "strenuous," which caused many notable clergymen as well as statesmen to admonish us to return to the "simple life, and to return to the soil."

At present the mental and financial situations are most strenuous, and it is well to tide these over with a full understanding and with sound judgment.

Each day with the activities of war, brings incidents of tragic and dramatic import, therefore it becomes us to yield to that which tends to mental clarity and cheerfulness.

Conceptions arousing bitterness and morbidness declare destruction through aberration of the mind.

Give us more music, more outdoor sports, more rest and more rational comradeship to balance the stress of the times.

Add more courtesy, greater kindness and greater self-sacrifice.

The serious spirit pervades each effort and duty as we work, we save, we watch, we pray.

We need more joy, and more cheer in everything seeking the goal through optimism manifested through the Christ Spirit.

ROSA A. MARQUIS.

NOTICE TO DEBITORS AND CREDITORS

OF THE ESTATE OF E. T. VAN VOORHIS.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF DONLEY:

To those indebted to or holding claims against the estate of E. T. Van Voorhis, deceased, late of Jericho, Donley County, Texas:

The undersigned having been appointed executor of the estate of said E. T. Van Voorhis, deceased, by the County Court of Donley County, Texas, at the May term thereof, A. D. 1918, at a regular term thereof hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to him at his residence near Jericho, Donley County, Texas, where he receives his mail.

This the 10th day of May, A. D. 1918.

J. E. HUNT,

Executor of the estate of E. T. Van Voorhis, deceased. 27c

The Food Administration is making a careful survey of the national ice situation in order that it may be prepared to meet any sudden shortages in particular communities. The destruction of ice plants by fire, breakdown of machinery, or exigency of the weather may at any time cause a serious shortage.

Just received a new line of hats that are different and sure to satisfy. Earned Sisters.

OUR CLEARANCE SALE

Of Oxfords and Pumps is in full swing. We have sold many pairs out of the different lots we have on sale, but there are many pairs left and you still have a chance to buy your summer footwear at greatly reduced prices. Never again will you be able to buy cool footwear for the hot summer days at prices you can buy them now.

Make Your Money Do Double Duty

First, you can save money by buying your supply of summer footwear now during this sale. Secondly, YOU CAN TAKE THE MONEY YOU THUS SAVE AND BUY WAR SAVINGS STAMPS, and these War Savings Stamps will draw good interest. **Don't miss this chance, help your old Uncle Sam at the same time.**

One big lot Men's Oxfords at

\$1.75

Some at \$1.00

Lot Boys' Oxfords

\$1.50

Lot Misses' Oxfords and Pumps
sizes 11 1-2 to 2

85c

Lot of Children's White Oxfords
and Pumps

50c

Lot Ladies' Pumps and Oxfords

\$1.95

100 pairs of Ladies' Oxfords and
Pumps, sizes 2 1-2 to 4

\$1.00

Lot Children's Oxfords and
Pumps, sizes 8 1-2 to 11

75c

Lot Baby Pumps

50c

A Good Reduction on Most All Oxfords and Pumps

Rathjen's Shoe Store

RED CROSS NOTES

Shipped during May, six boxes of surgical dressings, one box of garments, three boxes of knitted articles.

Surgical dressings were made as follows: Clarendon 6,362, Lelia Lake 859, total 7,221. Garments finished 461.

The Juniors report the following work:

Clarendon Public School 111 garments; Clarendon College 621 shot bags and gunwipes; Sunny View School 20 garments; Lelia Lake School 84 garments; Bairfield School 63 garments; Goldston School 16 garments; Hedley School 24 garments.

The Red Cross work rooms are now open from 4 to 7 instead of from 2 to 6 o'clock.

Ladies coming to the rooms to work are requested to bring scissors, thimbles and head covering.

The chapter wishes to thank Mr. Guest for mending screens and enlarging tables in the work room. We are also under obligations to Mr. Mart Kelley for selling our bale of cotton and to Mr. Clark for his generous donation of \$30.00. The bale was sold for \$82.00 and Mr. Clark donated his part which was \$30.00.

Mr. J. T. Patman has been appointed chairman of The Salvage Department. Further information of this work will be found elsewhere in this paper. Hedley will also develop this work.

Mr. W. H. Patrick, Mr. Homer Glasco and Mr. Fred Chamberlain have been appointed auditing committee for the chapter.

Mrs. Tom Kennedy has been selected a member of the Executive Board to take the place of Mrs. Charles McMurtry, who was elected Chapter Secretary.

Mrs. Henry Riley donated a large bucket of cucumber pickles to the Red Cross. They were sold to the ladies at the market price.

Mrs. Ed Dishman was a pleasant caller at the rooms last week.

Donations during May amounted to \$225.25. Saturday booths brought in \$57.83. The amount realized from sales of eggs was \$21.00 and from membership \$17.00. Mrs. T. E. Bugbee signed predated check for \$2.00 and Mr. Bert Smith signed for \$1.00.

Our women have been responding beautifully and the work is progressing nicely. Our only fear now is that our funds may run short, but our faith in the work so far has been justified fully and we feel sure that the good people of Clarendon and Donley County will not fail in this crucial time.

G. A. ANDERSON FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

The News is this week carrying the name of G. A. Anderson in the announcement columns as a candidate for County Commissioner from precinct No. 2. Mr. Anderson needs no introduction to the voters of his precinct or the people of Donley County. He is a well known public spirited citizen and a man who has much experience as a servant of the people in that capacity. He is a Democrat and solicits your vote as such with the assurance that if elected he will lend every effort to the administration of the affairs of his office with economy and efficiency. Consider him when you go to vote.

Mrs. J. T. Shelton and family of Grandfield, Oklahoma are guests of E. M. Ozier and Paul Shelton and families.

N. W. TEXAS WOMANS' MISSIONARY CONFERENCE

The N. W. Texas Woman's Missionary Society met in annual session on the 1st of June at Abilene, Texas. There were present some one hundred and seventeen delegates representing almost all sections of the Great Northwest Texas Conference.

In these strenuous times when the vital interests of the war call for saving work and money and the war's undertakings so stupendous that they have seemed to absorb all of our time and thought, it means much to the cause of missions that so many women scattered about over so large a territory took enough interest, the time and the money, to meet, to plan our mission work for another year. If ever the story of the cross need be told it is now. Again in the financial part of the work we have not been slackers. The conference's pledge for the year was \$4,000.00 and the treasury reported \$4,750.00 collected. Will we not save and give and save by giving until we shall pass the \$5,000 goal set for next year?

Did not our Savior teach us that by losing our lives, to the world, we saved them to eternal life, so we have found that it is by giving our money to His cause that we lend it not at 8 or 10 per cent but 100 per cent. Clarendon District has been greatly honored by the Conference as she now has three cabinet officers. Mrs. Delaney of Memphis, instead of being our district secretary for another year is now Conference first vice and Mrs. Camp at Wellington, who once lived in Clarendon, has been Conference treasurer for years and last, but not least our own Mrs. C. A. Burton, has served for twelve years as secretary, so faithfully and efficiently that this year she was elected to one of the very most important offices in the conference, Cor.-Sec., and by virtue of this office she becomes a member of the council. Of all the many honors shown, "Miss Gabie" we feel that this is one of the very "biggest" and well, we know she will serve as one of the most efficient members of the council.

A Member.

JUDGE UMPHRES CHALLENGES OPPONENTS TO JOINT DEBATE

Amarillo, Texas, June 13th, 1918.
Hon. Henry S. Bishop,
Hon. Otis Trulove,
Amarillo, Texas.

Sirs:
It is my conviction that the people of the 47th Judicial District would welcome a series of joint discussions by the respective candidates for District Judge.

Personally I am in favor of turning on the light so that the people may learn the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth about the issues of our campaign.

If you are agreeable to the series of joint discussions, I will request that you signify your assent and each of you appoint a representative to confer with a representative I will designate, to arrange all details as to times, places, division of time and other conditions of such joint discussion.

I trust that this proposal will receive as much favor with you as I am sure that it will with the people of the District.

Very truly yours,
HUGH L. UMPHRES.

THE GOVERNMENT SUMMONS YOU

Every Man and Woman is Called upon to pledge to the President June 28th, National War Savings Day, the Largest Amount He or She can save and Invest in War Savings Stamps This Year.

Read the Federal Injunction

The Presidential Proclamation Provides that your War Savings Pledge shall be made ON OR BEFORE JUNE 28, National War Savings Day.

THE OFFICIAL FEDERAL WAR SAVING PLEDGE CARD MUST BE SIGNED. DO NOT FAIL TO ATTEND THE GOVERNMENT PLEDGE MEETING JUNE 28. THE PROCLAMATION REQUIRES THAT YOU ATTEND YOUR DISTRICT MEETING. DEPARTMENTAL INSTRUCTIONS PROVIDE THAT SUMMONED ABSENTEES ARE TO BE LISTED AND THE NAMES CERTIFIED TO THE GOVERNMENT.

IT'S STRICTLY UP TO YOU—PLEDGE THE PRESIDENT.

THIS GOVERNMENT ADVERTISEMENT CONTRIBUTED BY

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Donley County ought to finish her quota on War Savings Stamps on June 28th. We can do it and then we will have it out of the way for more Red Cross work and the Fourth Liberty Loan in October. Buy your share and some other fellow's share on June 28th.

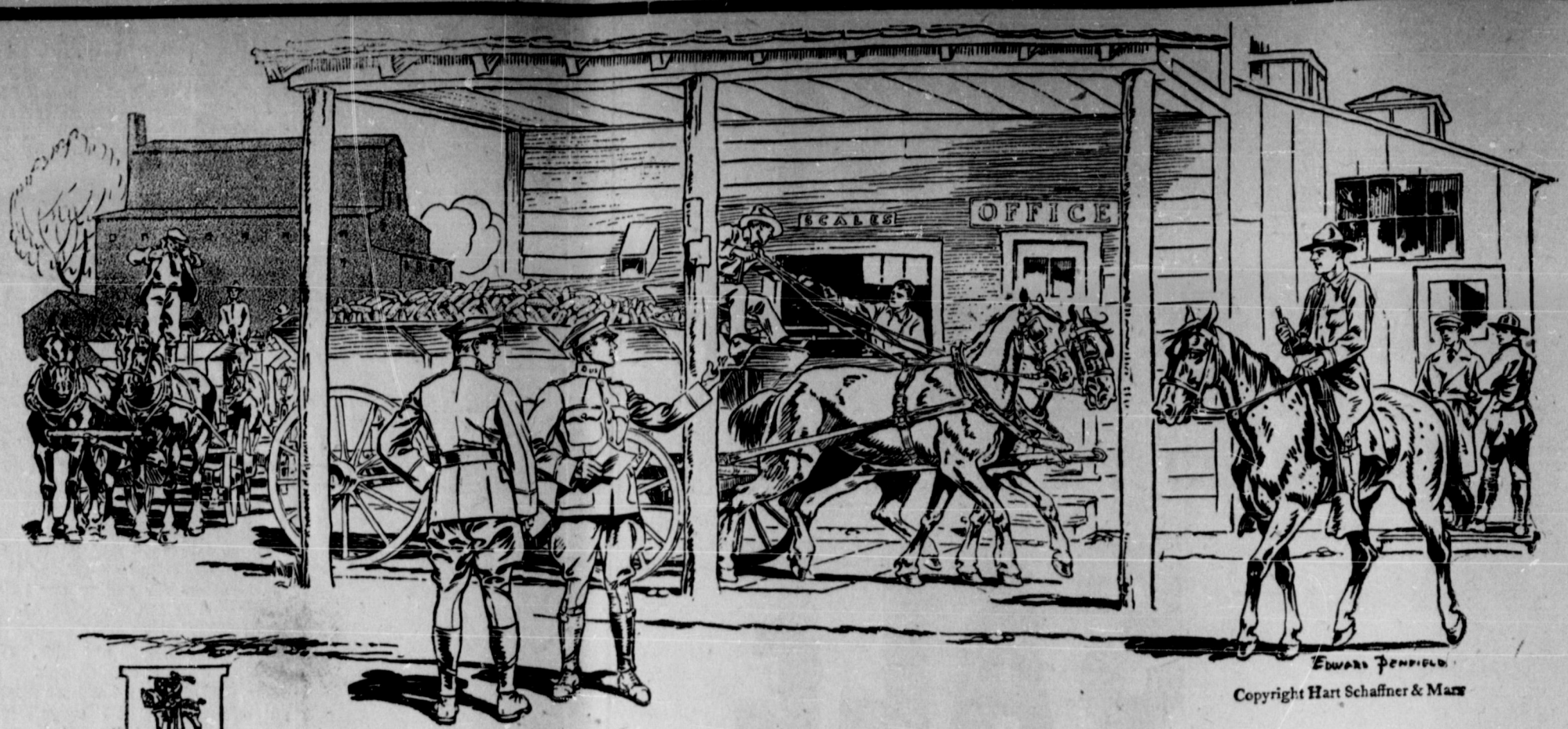
Women who expect to vote in the coming primary had better take advice of Attorney General Looney, who says that in the face of his former ruling, he now thinks it wisest for all females who desire to avail themselves of the privilege granted by the last legislature to appear before the Tax Collector and register between the dates of June 26th and July 14th.

The old proverb that a man is known by the company he keeps has never been so true as it is today. The march of civilization has opened the eyes of everyone with half intelligence as to the trend of living and the few who are ignorant of the kind of company they are keeping is negligible as to be hardly worth mentioning. Occasionally take inventory of the kind of company you are associating with. Good associations bring to the surface the good that lies latent in every one, and the converse is more deplorably true. Cultivate that which is good in you by carefully choosing those with whom you associate daily.

Out at Lubbock the Democratic Executive Committee refused to put Ferguson's name on the ticket for the July primary. In point of law it doesn't belong there, but we have believed for some time that it is well to put it there so that this egotistical mugwump of a camoflauge whose clothes make him look like a man will find out to his own satisfaction just how little he is regarded in Texas. Every week shows more losses for him just like they show huge losses for the other end of the machine operating under the German flag in France. Men who know him best, think worse of him and the whole people are getting to know him pretty well.

The News Man doesn't fall out with one who differs with him on politics any more than he does about the thousand and one other questions upon which all men differ. We feel the responsibility as a professional man and our declarations on matters political are made after we have made a very careful study of the issues at stake. We endeavor to get the records of men fairly in mind and it is a very sacred duty for every editor to make known his findings after such study. If you don't like what we have to say on the editorial page, turn over, there is lots of good reading on other pages, and we won't get mad a bit. Next campaign we may on the same side. No man stays wrong all the time.

We hear much these days about "conscientious objectors" in regard to the varied phases of the war work. Uncle Sam has found a very appropriate manner in which to deal with "conscientious objectors" and only a few days ago sent forty-five men to the federal prison at Leavenworth from Camp Travis for being so conscientiously opposed to war and work. They refused to wear the uniform of a soldier and now have the shameful necessity of wearing a striped uniform in the cells of the great prison. However, this "conscientious objecting" is of no larger proportions among the enlisted men than among our citizenship. In every community there are those who are doing absolutely nothing for the winning of the war for "conscientious" reasons. Such boah is enough to give a crocodile the cramp colic, and we hope the time will come when the government will reach out its long arm and put such cattle in Leavenworth or worse to think the matter over for the next twenty-five years, where at least, other citizens would not be subjected to the billions necessity of seeing their boys sacrificed and hearing their grieving wives.



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Heed Uncle Sam or Hear the Kaiser

June 28th is Pledge Registration Day for War Savings

All men and women will be known by their Government Pledges. Absentees acknowledged by their absence their Pro-German leanings. Look for them—THE GOVERNMENT WANTS YOU TO KNOW WHO AND WHAT YOUR NEIGHBORS ARE.

The Government has ordered that absentees be listed. This list is to be certified to headquarters for Federal records and departmental action. Presiding officers of every district

meeting have been supplied with the names of all resident citizens

If you are twenty-one years of age, male or female, and live within the Clarendon Independent School District, be at the Methodist Church at 2 p. m. Friday, June 28th and register on the official Government War Savings Pledge Card the Maximum amount you can save and invest in War Savings Stamps.

THE GOVERNMENT ACCEPTS NO EXCUSES!
 IT'S STRICTLY UP TO YOU!

PLEDGE THE PRESIDENT YOUR LOYALTY IN WAR SAVINGS STAMPS!

This Government Advertisement Contributed and paid for by

HAYTER BROTHERS

OUR STORE WILL BE CLOSED FOR THIS MEETING AT THE CHURCH.

On the evening of Tuesday, June 25th, at 9:30 o'clock the few remaining wet spots in Texas will become dry. At this hour the culmination of the hopes of thousands of fathers and mothers in our state will be effected, and we confidently believe that the last drop of liquor will have been legally sold by that hour. Thus we come to the end of one of the greatest crimes in which a nation was ever implicated. When liquor has been banished from every spot under the starry flag then and then only, can we make good our boast of being a Christian nation.

There may be a few good men here and there who will cast an unwitting vote for Ferguson. The good in them will save them but the other kind, mark them well, the hand of suspicion will point in their direction for many years.

From reports emanating from Washington it is thought that we will have a Fourth Liberty Loan Drive in October in which the Government will ask from five to six billion dollars. The great increase in the military establishment of the United States means large expenditures and our people will be asked to furnish the money. They will do it. In Donley County we will do our part.

The Local Chapter of the Red Cross is working up more material than our people have provided funds to pay for. This ought not to be. Those who have not signed pre-dated checks ought to do so at once and if some of us could stand a little more monthly donation that ought to be done, too. The limit for our Red Cross ought to be their working capacity and not our financial support.

PHILATHEA PICNIC

On last Thursday evening, Mesdames Silvey and Miller accompanied Misses Gertrude Miller, Leta Warren, Anne Davis, Nora Alexander, Jennie Dale Powell, Wilma McLean, Eva Patching, Jesse Smith, Zoe Glenn, Irene Norwood out to the Naylor farm just on the east side of town where they spread a lunch consisting of all sorts of good eats, that Hoover wouldn't disapprove of, out in the shade of some fine old trees and had one more of their most delightful evenings together. There was everything from war bread to ice cream and cake and there was loads of it, but a dozen healthy girls can clean up on such things as that something like our boys are going to clean up on the Germans and it was all in honor of two of our girls who are volunteering to help the boys. Miss Leta Warren and Miss Anne Davis are to leave soon for San Antonio where they will take the nurses training course releasing some trained nurses to go to the front. They were given a shower of useful remembrances and many wishes for the "best of luck" and thrilling experiences.

The hour of departure was late indeed and then there were regrets to be heard on every hand that the clock hadn't been set back an hour at least.

W. M. S. NOTES

Last Wednesday afternoon the W. M. S. met in regular session for business. Our delegates had returned from the Annual Conference so the regular business was waived to some future time and reports then heard from them. Miss Bobo gave a very interesting report, after which Mrs. Burton addressed the society on the Abilene Conference. The Clarendon society has indeed been honored by the Conference in that we now have a conference officer and also member of the council.

Russell Benedict, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Benedict met with a serious and painful accident the first of the week by falling from a cross bar, where he was practicing some circus stunts. He broke both bones of the left arm, just above the wrist. Little Russell is very patient and thinks he's not the first circus man that has met with an injury. We hope he will soon be all right again.

HONOR GUARD

The Honor Guard is doing splendid work in the Red Cross rooms and also with the detail work of the W. S. S. Campaign.

Dues have been collected from 60 members to the amount of \$15.00 and forwarded to National Headquarters to help in the hospital work undertaken by the girls for our wounded soldiers.

It has been decided to fix up a general office for headquarters and the building for the purpose has been provided, rent free. It is situated on the north side of the Y. M. C. A. and will be ready for work by Saturday, unless further notice is given. Office hours will be from 10 to 12 every morning, beginning Saturday, and it is hoped that with the aid of several sewing machines a great deal

of work can be turned out by the Guard as a Red Cross unit.

Several Honor Guard members are making plans to enter the Nurses' Training Schools at an early date. Many others will take the Red Cross instruction course in July.

Girls who are not already members of the Guard are cordially invited to visit Headquarters next week and also become members.

Oscar Jenkins, student in the State Medical School at Galveston is home for a few days visit with his parents before returning for his duties as interne in the John Sealy Hospital in that city. He has been appointed as assistant Pathologist in the hospital for his senior year, with the beginning of next term.

Mrs. Strum of Vos Vegas, N. M. is visiting Mrs. T. S. Kemp.

The Big Before Stock-Taking Sale

Is going on and saves money to every one who buys.

Take advantage of these bargains in Ladies' and Misses' Wearables. A look at our prices will prove how great is the saving.

Sitner's Style Shop

LEATHERS & LEDBETTER

Announce the Purchase of

The Clymer's Produce Company

We will move our business from our location in the Stocking building to the Clymer stand and will continue to carry the line of produce, and maintain the Cream Station in addition to our regular line of Feed and Field Seeds.

PHONE 25

We will appreciate your business. Bring us your produce and chickens for highest market prices.

Leathers & Ledbetter
 Clarendon, Texas

The Clarendon Steam Laundry Is Now Under New Management

I have over thirteen years' experience in the Laundry business and am prepared to give efficient LAUNDRY SERVICE. In a few weeks new machinery will be installed and we will give Clarendon A LAUNDRY "SECOND TO NONE" in this section.

WE SOLICIT YOUR WORK—PATRONIZE HOME INDUSTRY

—PHONE 75—

Clarendon Steam Laundry

J. E. CHEATHAM, Mgr.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Roy Boswell visited in Amarillo the past week.

John Rhea of Briscoe was in our city Monday on business.

H. Mulkey left Sunday night for Fort Worth on a business trip.

Now is the time to get your Mid-Summer hat at Harned Sisters.

A. H. Baker and Joe M. Warren attended to business in Amarillo Wednesday.

Rev. W. H. Avery and family were here from Claude Sunday visiting friends.

Miss Alpha Kemp is visiting with Mrs. David M. Gardner at Memphis this week.

Henry Williams and family have returned from a pleasant visit in South Texas.

Mrs. W. L. Anthony and daughter are visiting relatives at Vernon and Wichita Falls.

Stocking's Store has the goods and means in all cases to render the very best service. Let us be your druggist.

Lux is sold at Stocking's Store.

Mrs. L. D. Shores of Ashtola was a shopper Saturday.

Alan Beville was home the first of the week on furlough.

A new supply of hair brushes just received at Stocking's Store.

W. J. Greer, a prosperous Hedley farmer, was in town Tuesday.

Prof. L. E. Gribble is enjoying a visit from his father of Wellington.

Miss Mildred Martin of Claude was operated on at Adair Hospital Tuesday.

Jeppha Fleming went to the Letts ranch Sunday, where he has accepted a position.

Mr. Boyette, representative of the Fox Film Company, was in Clarendon Monday on business.

WANTED—Washing to do. 40 cents per dozen garments. Work guaranteed. Mrs. Nannie Ray. 26pd

Miss Mary Bourland, popular employee of the Clarendon Mercantile is enjoying her vacation at home. However, we are told that she is planting a war garden.

Will Cook is at home from Camp Bowie for a short visit.

Mrs. W. W. Dyer visited with relatives several days this week.

Miss Mary E. Everett of Alvord is visiting Mrs. F. A. White.

Joe Sloan and wife have moved to Clarendon from Hereford.

Miss Vera Parsons of Lelia Lake visited with friends in town Sunday.

Miss Modera Anthony is visiting with friends at Childress this week.

Harry Warren came in from Camp Bowie this week on furlough.

Mansell Doss of Amarillo visited with his brother, Alfred, this week.

R. C. Strickland of Hedley attended to business in Clarendon Tuesday.

H. C. Gentry of Amarillo was in Clarendon Saturday and Sunday visiting.

Mrs. Ed Slaughter of Amarillo visited with friends in the city Tuesday.

Miss Alma Ayers is spending the week on their farm near Windy Valley.

Mrs. Earnest Wright is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Stevens.

M. O. Barnett and Burt Hilburn were visitors in our city the first of the week.

Miss Dorothy Turner spent a few days in Amarillo last week with Miss Radie Britain.

Wrist Watches with luminous dials for the soldiers just received at Stocking's Store.

Dan Latimer and Earnest Watkins of Hedley transacted business in Clarendon Monday.

Miss Julia Lane of Hedley spent Saturday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Lane.

Mrs. A. E. Coffman and Mrs. A. E. Hill of Goree, Texas are guests of Mrs. W. T. Hayter.

If you get it at Stocking's Store and it is not satisfactory let us know and we will make it so.

Guy Martin has returned home from Austin, where he has been a student at State University.

Mrs. W. H. Martin is spending the week with Mrs. John Browder on the ranch out from Memphis.

Len Ballew was called to Altus, Oklahoma the past week to attend the funeral of a brother.

Mrs. W. H. Grounds of Washburn visited with her daughter, Mrs. Silas Hayter, the past week.

Mrs. E. E. Mann and children are visiting with relatives at Fort Worth, Weatherford and other points.

Mrs. G. C. Davis and little daughter have returned home from a visit at Pilot Point, Dallas and Denton.

Geo. Martin after a delightful visit with his parents and friends returned to Tampico, Mexico, Sunday night.

Miss Floy Silvey returned last week from S. M. U., Dallas, from which institution she graduated this month.

Oscar Jenkins will be home this week for a short visit, before taking up work in the Hospital at Galveston.

W. E. Short and Mr. Smyley, prominent ranchmen of Briscoe county were in Clarendon on business Tuesday.

J. T. Wilson is spending the week on his farm near Alanreed which he recently purchased, doing some repair work.

Mrs. S. A. Heatley and children of Mangum, Okla., are visiting at the J. B. Annis home. She is a sister of Mrs. Annis.

Misses Marjorie Norwood and Emma Bromley returned last week from Dallas where they attended S. M. U. the past session.

T. T. Harrison and family of Memphis passed through Clarendon Tuesday en route to Colorado where they will spend their vacation.

W. D. Jordan and John McClellan of White Deer were here last week on business. The latter visited his mother, Mrs. L. S. McClellan.

J. S. Fleming came in from Wellington Sunday night, remaining till Tuesday morning. Mrs. Fleming returning with him for several weeks' stay.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Barnett left Tuesday for Oklahoma City and other points in Oklahoma to visit their daughters, Messdames Calloway and Thornton.

A watch or clock that won't tell the truth is a nuisance. Take it to Stanley and let him give it a lesson on the first part of the ninth commandment.

Mrs. R. L. Hearn and children, Mary, Kate and Rodney, and Miss Ruby Hearn are visiting at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Bugbee.

Stanley at Stocking's is continually relieving eye troubles by fitting glasses. If you have such troubles take them to Stanley, he will give you perfect satisfaction.

A Painter's Union was organized in Clarendon May 21st, with Cuba Blackwell, president, C. D. Percival, vice-president, S. D. Parks financial and recording secretary, and F. Graupner, treasurer.

J. O. King, until ten years ago a resident of Donley County, and an old timer in this country, was accidentally killed last Saturday when assisting with the laying of a pontoon bridge at Palm Beach, Florida.

Equipment For Working Men

In one of our windows we are showing this week the best and most complete line of Work Shoes and Work Clothing we have ever seen. Quality in such articles is something that's worth while to buy. The additional wear and increased comfort while wearing them makes you glad you bought what you did buy. We insist that you ought to see our line before you buy anywhere. You will find our prices right.

Announcing the Arrival of a New Lot of Work Shoes

This shoe line is made by a factory that specializes in work and scout shoes—nothing else. They are masters of the art, and have produced a shoe that has no equal, we firmly believe. Various styles and prices. Ask to see them—we like to show them. If you don't want them, well and good. But, really, the quality at the price **\$3.50 to \$6.00** asked will surprise you. For men and boys at

Extra Special

U. S. Army Officers Full Dress Shoes, Government Inspected.

We have just received a few pairs of U. S. army officers full dress shoes, government inspected, in three widths and two colors—the kind officers in cantonment cities are used to buying at \$12.50. These shoes are worn by men in all professions, and are the last word in foot comfort.

Our Price \$8.00

Work Shirts

should be cut on generous lines and properly designed if they are to give satisfactory service.

— OUR \$1.25 SHIRT — is made just that way, and we invite comparison of it with any other at the same price. We also have another shirt almost as good at —\$1.00

Light Blue Chambray shirts extra well tailored—\$1.50

Work Pants

Beginning with Blue Denim Overalls at \$2.25 and ending with our heavy closely woven Khaki Pants at \$2.50, we offer good values for the price.

Ask To Examine Them For Any Man

We have light weight wash pants in various patterns and Palm Beach effects at prices from \$1.75 to \$2.50.

—Economic Garments—

Work Gloves

Our stock ranges from Canvas Gloves in various styles and prices to a soft smooth work glove, with no gauntlet or cuff at \$2.00 as well as a number of styles with gauntlets.

Rough, heavy work may hurt your hands. If so, at least try a pair of leather-palmed canvas gloves. They will save your hands.

Get the Habit of Going to

Strickland-Story's

THE DEPENDABLE STORE

Mrs. G. S. Sloven is visiting in Fort Worth this week.

John McClelland of Pampa was a recent visitor at the Eugene Noland home.

Mrs. J. L. Roberts and children of Brice were shopping in Clarendon Wednesday.

M. Powell and wife of Alanreed were over visiting W. W. Crawford and family this week.

Miss Mary Shaw returned Wednesday from Fort Worth where she spent her vacation with friends.

ATTENTION, FARMERS! Re-cleaned Red Top cane seed 7c per pound. Sudan grass seed 18c per pound, f. o. b. cars.—Joe J. Mickle & Son, Memphis, Texas. 25c

The New Perfection Oil Stove is the cleanest, safest and most economical stove on the market. We have them. M. W. Headrick & Son.

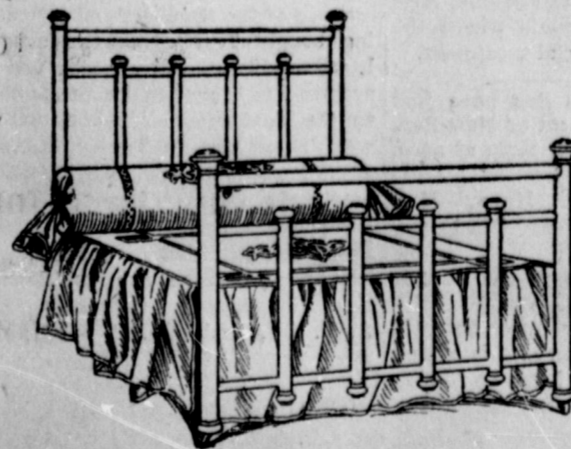
The Church of Christ near the end of Kearney street is being re-painted. Miss Josie and Master Tim Shaw are visiting in Vernon this week.

Away with DEADLY POISONS
RAT CORN
KILLS RATS, MICE AND GOPHERS
FOR SALE BY
BRYAN & SON
The Rexall Store

Invitations are out announcing the marriage of Miss Dorothy Turner and Rev. Sam Yoekel, Wednesday, June 26th.

Car Load Furniture

JUST UNLOADED—We have just received a car lot of Furniture consisting of



—Dressers
—Chiffoniers
—Chifferobes
—Dining Room Sets
—Beds, Mattresses, Etc.
We bought these goods at prices that will be considered very low within the next few months. Every article is going higher, and some we will not be able to replace at any price. BUY NOW and SAVE THE ADVANCE.

We invite your patronage and can offer you the best quality Furniture at most reasonable prices—less than you can buy again for in many years.

H. C. Kerbow & Son

Look! Listen!

IF YOU WANT THE BEST PRICE FOR YOUR POULTRY,
EGGS AND HIDES BRING THEM TO THE

Clarendon Produce Co.

CALL 278

Opposite P. O. in Shoe Shop M. S. Parsons, Prop.

DRINK AT Palace CONFECTIONERY

Paramount Pictures

Friday, June 21. OUR BIG NIGHT
The 10th episode of the big serial, **Vengeance and the Woman**, "THE LEAP FOR LIFE." Also a Pathe picture title not announced, but they are always good.

—10 and 15 Cents—

Saturday, June 22.
MATINEE AND NIGHT
William Fox presents, **TOM MIX**, the dandy cowboy actor in, "SIX SHOOTER ANDY." A thrilling picture of the good old days on the frontier. Also good comedy.

—10 and 15 Cents—
MATINEE 2 p. m. NIGHT 8:30

Monday, June 24 Paramount Night
DOROTHY DALTON in "THE PRICE MARK." A vital love story beginning in Cairo and triumphantly ending in New York's wonderful latin quarters.

—10 and 15 Cents—

Tuesday, June 25 Paramount Night
ENID BENNETT is back again, see her in "THE KEYS OF RIGHTEOUS." A tense drama of the olden days where the best man won. Also a Hearst-Pathe News.

—10 and 15 Cents—

Wednesday, June 26. Mutual Night
TITLE OF THIS PICTURE NOT ANNOUNCED BUT ALL MUTUAL PICTURES ARE GOOD.

Also Good Comedy.
—10 and 15 Cents—

Thursday, June 27. Our Big Night.
Adolph Zukor, presents **ELSIE FERGUSON** in "THE SONG OF SONGS." Also Hearst-Pathe News.

—10 and 20 Cents—

MATINEE EVERY DAY AT 2:30 P. M. NIGHT SHOWS AT 8:30

90 Per Cent of the Real Stars
Shown Here. Matinee Everyday.

Pastime Theater



FRIEDA HEMPEL JOINS EDISON

"THE most richly endowed soprano in America" is what the critics call Miss Frieda Hempel of the Metropolitan Opera. A true artist, her ambition to

have her voice preserved in all its splendor outweighed all other considerations. She has joined the Edison group of stars. Henceforth she will sing for the only instrument which can Re-create her superb voice.

Miss Hempel heard Re-Creations of other great artists; noted their superiority to anything she'd ever heard before and decided to investigate. She went to the Edison laboratories; made a Re-Creation; then submitted it to the searching trial of the tone test. She herself sang in direct comparison with the instrument. If you've ever heard her voice on talking machines you can conceive her joy in hearing it Re-created with such fidelity and perfection that no human ear could distinguish artist from instrument. It was enough. There and then she resolved that henceforth the instrument for her voice was

The NEW EDISON

"The Phonograph with a Soul"

Call at our store and hear Re-Creations of the voices of the world's great artists and the playing of famous instrumentalists. They are delightfully different from ordinary reproductions.

CITY DRUG STORE

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Harwood Beville spent Monday in Memphis.

Bring us your tinware for repairs. Parker & Rhode.

Miss Cora Hess of Hedley was shopping here Monday.

Harned Sisters, have some pretty, new hats be sure to see them.

John McClelland of Pampa is visiting his mother, Mrs. D. L. McClelland.

Mrs. J. T. Warren visited relatives and friends at Memphis this week.

Jack Killough and family were in from the J. A. Ranch the first of the week.

Mesdames Otis Barnes and W. H. Youngblood were in from Brice Saturday shopping.

Mrs. F. A. Blair and children of Amarillo spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Sitner.

Just received a new line of hats that are different and sure to satisfy. Harned Sisters.

Miss Susie Patterson went to Claude Saturday to visit with her brother, Mulkey Patterson and family.

Bill Hinton after a visit with his mother, Mrs. M. V. Hinton, returned to his home at Pampa Tuesday.

Miss Jennie Dale Powell left Saturday for Canyon where she will visit for several days with Homer Powell and family.

Miss Mamie McLean went to Canyon Monday night to teach in Prof. Silvey's place until he is sufficiently able to return.

Mrs. S. A. Mims, sister of Mrs. Harry Bromley, returned to her home at Fort Worth Sunday, after having enjoyed a visit of several weeks in Clarendon.

Russell Benedict, son of T. L. Benedict, while playing Sunday afternoon fell and broke his left wrist, which is a very serious injury, however, we are glad to report he is getting along splendidly.

H. Lott is home from a visit at Mineral Wells.

Miss Nell Smith visited relatives at Childress Sunday.

G. S. Patterson is down from his farm near Claude.

J. A. McKillop is enjoying a vacation at San Antonio.

R. H. Muir is visiting with his family at San Antonio.

A. L. Chase was a business visitor at Wichita Falls this week.

R. E. Glenn of Amarillo transacted business in Clarendon this week.

Elza Kerbow and wife of White-deer were over Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. J. A. Conner of Lelia Lake was a Clarendon shopper first of the week.

O. C. Hill and family have moved to Hartley to make their future home.

Just received a new line of hats that will bear comparison anywhere. Harned Sisters.

Miss Birdie Gatlin has returned from a pleasant visit with Ralph Gatlin and family at Mule Shoe.

Mrs. L. W. Drew and daughter, Miss Beatrice are at Memphis where the latter is receiving special treatment.

M. W. Headrick & Son have just received a new shipment of New Perfection Oil Stoves. See them at once.

We have plenty of Nancy Hall Pumpkin Yam slips at \$2.50 per thousand. T. JONES & CO. 25c

Mrs. Claude Turner who recently underwent an operation at Adair Hospital, returned to her home at Hedley Monday.

Misses Merle Benedict and Lora Glenn returned Friday night from Chicago at which place they have been studying art.

Mrs. Jack Rutherford went to Fort Worth the latter part of the week to visit her husband, Corporal Jack Rutherford, stationed at Camp Bowie.

"PLEDGE THE PRESIDENT'S PROCLAMATION."

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF DONLEY. KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

WHEREAS, the President of the United States of America has designated June 28, 1918, A. D. to be National War Savings Day and has authoritatively summoned every adult male and female to attend meetings to be held that day in their respective school districts and pledge to the United States Government the greatest amount they can save and invest in United States Government War Savings Stamps; Therefore, I, J. H. O'NEALL, Judge of the County of Donley, State of Texas, do at the request of the United States Treasury Department call upon and direct all adult males and females resident or present in the County of Donley on the said 28th day of June, 1918, A. D., to be in attendance upon such meetings to be held in the particular school districts in which they reside or may be present and solemnly pledge to the United States Government the greatest saving they can make this year and invest in United States Government War Savings Stamps.

Fail not in a punctual response to the authoritative Federal summons. By order of the United States Treasury Department, such meetings shall be held at 2 o'clock of the afternoon of said June 28th, 1918. Under instructions from the United States Treasury Department the duly accredited persons who shall hold such meetings for the Government shall cause an accurate roll to be kept of the persons present and those absent. The names of absentee residents of any district shall be certified to the United States Treasury Department for official record and disposition.

I do most earnestly appeal to every resident of the County of Donley to take cognizance of the bloodshed and loss of American life on the foreign battlefield and by their pledges to keep unsullied the fair name of the County of Donley, showing to the United States Government, the other counties of the State of Texas and to those men of this county who are now in the armed service of the United States Government and fighting for the retention of our liberties that the citizens of the County of Donley are loyal and steadfast here at home in the service of their Country.

Witness my hand and the Seal of the County of Donley, this 17th day of June, 1918, A. D.

J. H. O'NEALL, County Judge of Donley County.

NEARLY ALL ARTILLERY FOR AMERICAN ARMY TO BE MOTORIZED.

Motorization of field artillery will be carried to a greater extent in the American Army than in any other army engaged in the war. Not only will a far greater amount of motor equipment be provided in proportion to the strength of the Army, but it will be used for work where armies now in field depend solely upon horse power and man power.

The Ordnance Department has succeeded in developing such types of tractors that, exclusive of the heaviest field artillery mounted on railroad carriages, all American artillery will be motorized, with the exception of some of the 3-inch-gun batteries. The problem of motorization of field artillery is a difficult one, which explains why it has not been carried to a greater extent than has been the case with the armies that have been fighting in Europe for the last three years.

The possible output of tractors for the transport of field artillery in the United States is practically unlimited, whereas the supply of horses is at present limited and is becoming more so each month.

LIBERTY SOCIETY ENTERTAINS

The Liberty Society met with Miss Anne Myra Bennitt, June 14th. A number of the members reported having bought Thrift Stamps since the last meeting. All those present promised to bring the absent members to the next meeting, which will be with Miss Luzene Taylor on June 28th. Those who met with Miss Bennitt were Misses Luzene Taylor, Ruth Rutherford, Mary Stocking, Delta Kemp, Mittie Cole, Bessie Alexander, Blanche Mann and Messrs. Earl Alexander and Ocie Fair. Mrs. A. T. Cole and Mrs. C. W. Bennett were guests of the club.

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.

Marvin Doughty left Monday for Swisher county where he will assist his father with his farm work.

MRS. LINAM HAS GAINED 17 POUNDS BY TAKING TANLAC

"I NOW ENJOY BETTER HEALTH THAN I HAVE IN YEARS" SHE DECLARES.

"I now enjoy better health than I have in years and I can't refrain from letting my friends and others know how thankful I am for what Tanlac has done for me," said Mrs. E. M. Linam of 2310 Chester street, Little Rock, Ark., recently, in one of the most remarkable statements yet published in connection with the "Master Medicine."

"In the winter of 1916," Mrs. Linam continued, "I was taken with a severe cold and all the winter I continued to go down. I had no appetite, kept losing weight and in March was completely broken down. I couldn't sleep for coughing and had to sit up in bed most all night. I was extremely nervous and weak, felt tired all the time and everything I ate soured on my stomach. I fell off nineteen pounds in seven weeks and was getting worse so rapidly that my family and friends, as well as myself, saw no hope of my recovery."

"My husband brought home a bottle of Tanlac in June, 1916, and after I took about half of it I began to eat and my food stopped souring on my stomach. After finishing my first bottle I could eat anything at any time without it hurting me in the least. At the end of my third week I had gained five and one-half pounds and had improved until I was able to take a trip to Texas. My husband sent me my Tanlac by mail and I kept taking until all my troubles were gone and my weight was increased from one hundred and thirteen pounds to one hundred and forty-seven pounds. I don't only give Tanlac credit for my splendid condition, but I really believe it has saved my life, and my family and friends all agree with me."

Tanlac is sold in Clarendon by Stocking's Store; in Hedley by J. F. Tomlinson Drug Co., and in Jericho by O. C. Brown.

OVERSEAS CASUALTIES TO DATE ARE 8,085

Washington, June 16.—Seven hundred and seventy casualties reported among the American expeditionary forces during the week ending today brought to total since American troops first landed in France nearly a year ago to 8,085.

The second weekly summary of casualties issued today by the War Department shows that the total number of deaths from all causes is 3,192, while 4,547 men have been wounded in action and 346 are missing in action, including all men held prisoners in Germany.

The summary, which includes today's list follows:

Killed in action (including 291 at sea) 1,172.
Died of wounds 364.
Died of disease 1,234.
Died of accident and other causes 422.

Wounded in action 4,547.
Missing in action (including prisoners) 346.

Total casualties reported to date 8,085.

With more than 800,000 soldiers sent overseas, officials pointed to the small number 291, lost through operations of German submarines, as showing the effectiveness of the convoy system. The men lost were on the torpedoed British steamers Tuscania and Moldavia. The former was taking troops from America to England and the latter from England to France.

The comparatively small number of men dying from wounds is pointed to as indicating the efficiency of the ambulance and hospital systems, while the fact that only 1,234 men have died of disease is accepted as proof of the excellent physical condition of America's fighting men.

Another satisfying consideration is that of the wounded men a very high percentage return to duty at the front in less than six weeks.

NOTICE TO PARENTS

Parents will please take notice that the depredations being committed in and around the public school buildings in Clarendon will be punished to the extent of the law, if such offender can be overtaken. These depredations are probably being committed by children whose parents are not giving them proper oversight.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES.

Guy S. Pierce, on the transport Henderson, writes he has made his 6th round trip over sea and has received a gold bar pin for his sleeve, for making twelve times across. Has now zone on his seventh and says he is fine and so salty the cannibals would not eat him if they had a chance.

How Much?

Permit us to inquire whether you saved any money on your Grocery purchases last month. If you traded here you certainly did. If you have been buying your Groceries any where else, you have been paying a "tax" to antiquated methods.

Won't you be fair to yourself and compare Quality and Prices at this store with what you have been compelled to pay at other places?

Remember, that you can buy at our lowest prices any day and any time.

The Central Grocery Co.

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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. C. W. TURMAN.

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. L. F. STEWART.

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

County Treasurer. E. DUBBS. (For Re-election.) W. H. MARTIN MRS. WILLIE GOLDSTON

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

For County Judge JUDGE J. H. O'NEALL. (For Re-election.) W. T. LINK

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct 2: LEON O. LEWIS.

Commissioner Precinct No. 2. D. H. HOTT W. I. MILLS G. A. ANDERSON

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

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

Public Weigher, Precinct 1 and 2: BEN ANDIS.

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. Spd-1919. T. B. Preston, Mgr.

Let M. W. Headrick & Son show you the New Perfection oil cook stove.

Phone 19 for best prices on poultry and hides. 21ft

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DR. J. W. EVANS DENTIST Office in Connally Building Clarendon, Texas

DR. B. YOUNGER DENTIST Clarendon, Texas Office in Front Room Up Stairs in the Connally Building Office Phone, 245 Residence 233

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NO TRAPPING Positively no trapping in any of the JA pastures. If you want to avoid prosecution, observe the above. J. W. Kent, Superintendent. If Just received a new line of hats that will bear comparison anywhere. Harned Sisters.

For particulars on the New Perfection built in oven, see M. W. Headrick & Son. Phone 19 for best prices on poultry and hides. 21ft

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss. makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE. FRANK J. CHENEY. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1918. A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public. Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surface of the System. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all druggists, etc. Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Donley County Greetings:
You are hereby commanded to summon all persons interested in the community estate of Eliza Jane Philips, deceased, by causing a copy of this to be published once each week in some newspaper published in Donley County, Texas, for twenty days previous to the return date hereof, to be and appear before the Honorable County Court of Donley County, Texas to be holden at the court house in Clarendon at its July term beginning July 1st, 1918 on Monday, then and there to answer the petition and application of the plaintiff, M. P. Gentry and P. B. Gentry, filed in said court on the 3rd day of June 1918, said cause being numbered 360 on the docket of said court, probate side; Plaintiffs allege that Eliza Jane Philips is dead; that she died intestate in Donley County Texas; that no administration was had upon her estate; that she left surviving her as her heirs, five children, Addie Attebury, wife of S. E. Attebury Mrs. Sella Gentry, a widow, Ida Attebury, wife of W. J. Attebury, Charles Philips of New Mexico and E. C. Philips and no other heirs; that the plaintiffs and one Chas Cobb and the children above named of deceased own all the real estate and interest therein of which the deceased died possessed, and that said land is situated in Donley County, Texas, and praying for decree of court declaring heirship; the said deceased having departed this life more than four years ago.

Herein fail not, but have you this citation before said court at the first day of said term hereof with your return thereon in writing showing how you have executed the same.
Given under my hand and seal of said court at Clarendon, Texas, this 3rd day of June 1918.

J. J. ALEXANDER
Clerk of the County Court in and for Donley County, Texas. 26c

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS—
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Donley County—Greetings:
You are hereby commanded to summon B. W. Edgell, Thomas L. Jones, J. W. White, K. Aycock, J. S. Stringer and L. H. Bomar by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Donley County, Texas, to be held at the

Court House thereof, in Clarendon, on the third Monday in July, A. D. 1918, the same being the 15th day of July, A. D. 1918, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 28th day of May, A. D. 1918, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court, No. 1005, wherein J. T. Wilson is Plaintiff and B. W. Edgell, Thomas L. Jones, J. W. White, K. Aycock, J. S. Stringer and L. H. Bomar, defendants; the nature of plaintiff's demand being as follows: This is a suit in trespass to try title and for damages, plaintiff alleges that on or about the 1st day of January, 1918, he was legally seized and possessed of all of survey No. 3, in Block C9, located by virtue of Sale Scrip issued to L. H. Carhart, situated in Donley county, Texas, and that on said last named date the defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiff therefrom and unlawfully withheld from him the possession thereof to his damage Twenty Thousand dollars. Plaintiff prays that defendants be cited to appear and answer this petition, that he have judgment upon hearing hereof for the title and possession of said land and premises, that a writ of restitution issue, that he have judgment for his rents and profits, for damages and for costs of suit and for other and further relief special and general in law and in equity that he may be justly entitled to.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.
Witness My Hand and Official Seal at my office in Clarendon, Texas, this 22th day of May, A. D. 1918.

J. J. ALEXANDER,
Clerk, District Court, Donley County, Texas,
by AGNES J. HAYES,
Deputy.
(L. S.)

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Donley County Greetings:
You are hereby commanded to summon, by causing a copy of these to be published in some newspaper in Donley County, Texas, as the law provides, all persons interested in the estate of B. T. Naylor, deceased, to be and appear before the Honorable County Court of Donley County, Texas at the July term thereof to be begun and holden at the court house of said county in the town of Clarendon on Monday, the 1st day of July, then and there to contest if they or any of them see fit to do, the applications and declarations of W. A. Brown and F. M. Osborn, in a cause filed in said court

in probate being No. 361, wherein they allege and say:

That B. T. Naylor died intestate in Donley County prior to the 26th day of December 1901; that no administration was had upon his estate; that he left surviving him as his only heirs, his widow, S. E. Naylor, now deceased, his sons B. F. Naylor and T. L. Naylor; his daughters, M. A. Davenport, wife of S. C. Davenport, residence unknown, Mrs. Eunice Kendall, wife of Roy Kendall, who resides in Donley County, Texas, and that applicants reside therein; that B. T. Naylor died seized and possessed of the East half of section 26, Blk. C-7 in said county and state, that he owned no other land; that through mesne conveyance applicants own the south half on said East half, and that Mrs. Mary L. Wood, wife of T. J. Wood, an insane person, owns the north half of said east half and praying for a declaration and judicial determination of the facts as are above set forth.

Herein fail not but have you this write before said court on the first day of the next term thereof, with your return hereon written showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand at Clarendon, Texas, this 4th, day of June 1918.
J. J. ALEXANDER,
Clerk of said Court.

SOLDIERS ARE TRANSFERRED TO MEET PARTICULAR NEEDS

Nearly 240,000 transfers of men from one unit to another have been made in Army camps as a result of occupational qualifications determined by investigations by the War Department committee on classification of personnel. Recently about 40,000 transfers have taken place each week.

Through the committee organizations have been built up in all Army camps, by which enlisted men and commissioned officers are classified according to occupational qualifications. In some camps, where as many as 2,500 men are received daily, forces of 200 interviewers are employed to ascertain full information regarding each man's occupation, education, experience, and special qualifications.

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drenched horses for colic. That was the old way which was uncertain and unsafe. Farris' Colic Remedy does away with drenching—is applied on the horse's tongue with a dropper which comes packed in each bottle. Get it today. We guarantee it. For sale by City Drug Store.

Thrift Stamp Sale Contest

Commencing Tuesday, June 11, 9 a. m.
Ending Saturday, July 13, 6 p. m.

First Prize for Selling Largest Amount \$5 in Stamps
Second Prize for Selling next Largest, \$2.50 in Stamps
Third Prize for Selling next Largest, \$1.50 in Stamps

The girl selling the most, [other than winner of 1st, 2nd or 3rd Prizes] will receive \$1.00 in Thrift Stamps. The boy selling the most, [other than winner of 1st, 2nd or 3rd Prizes] will receive \$1.00 in Thrift Stamps.

We want every boy and girl in the Clarendon Territory to help sell Thrift Stamps, as it is the duty of every American, young and old, to do their part in our great struggle for our Liberty.

All who went to school this year are eligible in this contest. Uncle Sam needs your Services and you should gladly Serve.

We will have the Stamps at our office Monday morning and will plan a credit slip with your name on it for every sale made in sales ticket box. The names of five leaders will be published each week.

Start Early! Help Uncle Sam! Win a Prize!

Wm. Cameron & Company, Inc.
Claude McAllister, Manager Clarendon, Texas

RADIO AND BUZZER OPERATION TAUGHT IN 600 SCHOOLS

The demand for specialists in the Army is increasing daily. Mechanics and technicians of all kinds, including radio and buzzer operators are needed by the Signal Corps.

In nearly every large city the Federal Board of Vocational Training, through local school authorities, has established schools of radio communication where men of draft age who have not been called may receive a preliminary course in the operation of radio and buzzer instruments. There are about 600 of these schools where instruction is given, usually in the afternoons and evenings. It takes about 200 hours for a student of average ability to obtain a speed of 20 words a minute, sending and receiving. Further information regarding these schools may be secured from local school authorities.

Electrical engineers and men with good fundamental training in engineering physics are particularly in demand for Signal Corps work. Men of satisfactory qualifications are given three months' training in special schools, and have every opportunity to take examinations leading to promotion.

Men who have had experience as electrical repair men, wiremen, and mechanics are also desired for assignment to special schools and later to field organizations.

MORE RAILWAY ENGINEERS TO GO TO FRANCE

When the 5 new regiments and 19 battalions of railway engineers now being organized are put on duty there will be 50,000 Americans engaged in railroad construction and operation in France.

After the United States entered the war one of the first requests transmitted to this Government by the French mission was for assistance in strengthening the French railways. Nine regiments of railway engineers, whose organization was started before Gen. Pershing sailed, were in France by August, 1917. Six of them have been engaged in construction work, building and rebuilding railways, building docks, and rearranging terminal facilities. The other three regiments have been engaged in operation, and some of the railway troops have been on the fighting line. The additional troops will be used partly for construction and maintenance and partly for operation.

A total of \$160,000,000 has been spent on railway materials alone. Included in the purchases are 1,727 locomotives, 22,630 freight cars, and 359,000 tons of steel rails.

WATCH THE LICE

On chicks. These parasites sap the very life blood out of them. Dust the hen at night with B. A. Thomas' Louse Killer and your troubles are ended. It also kills bugs on cucumber tomato, and squash vines. We sell it to you and if it does not make good, we will. For sale by City Drug Store.

Homer Stocking returned home Monday night from Graham, having come to visit a few days with his parents and friends before reporting for duty at Camp Travis.

75 years ago everyone wore homespun—

and, likewise, everyone used hand-mixed paint. To-day, when machine-spun cloth is so much better and cheaper, no one would think of wearing homespun. Many people are still using hand-mixed paint, however, because they do not know that

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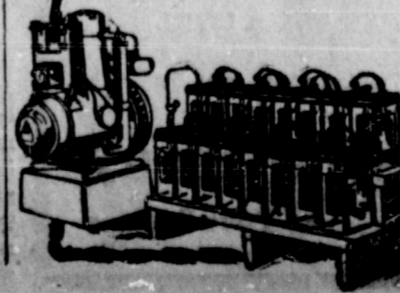
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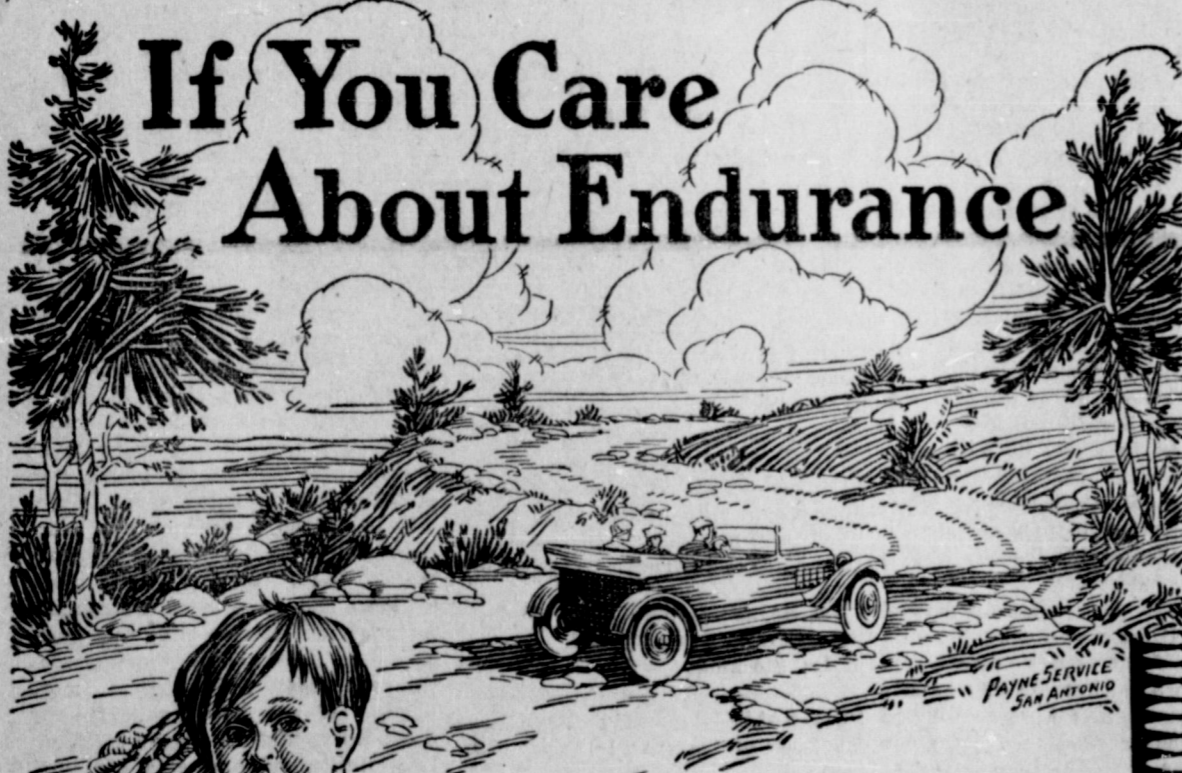
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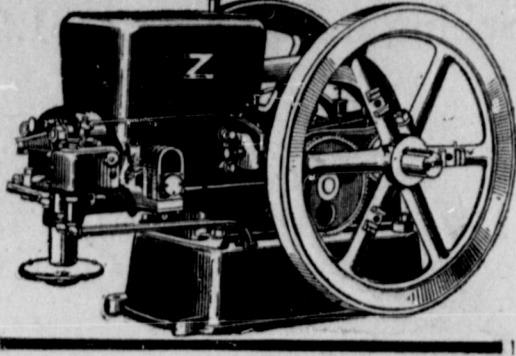
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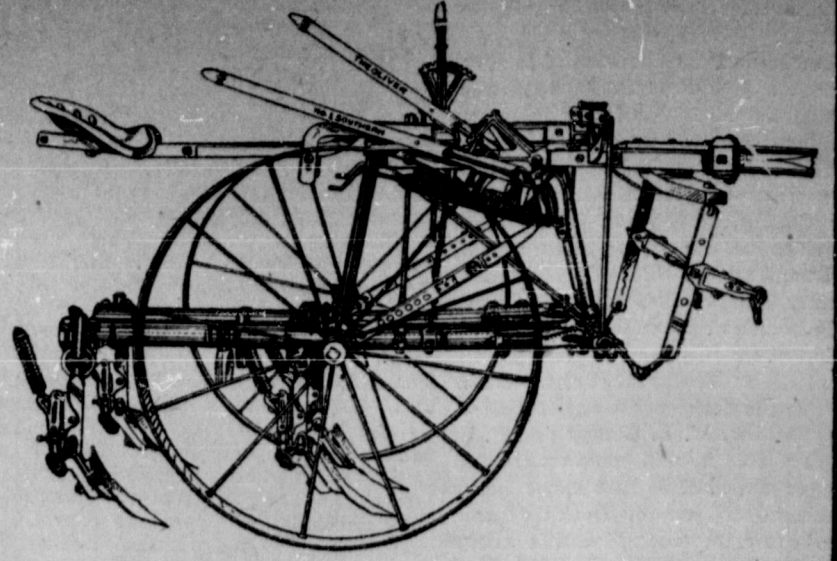
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Mrs. J. A. Cox, of Anderson, W. Va., writes: "My daughter... suffered terribly. She could not turn in bed... the doctors gave her up, and we brought her home to die. She had suffered so much at... time. Having heard of Cardui, we got it for her."

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"In a few days, she began to improve," Mrs. Cox continues, "and had no trouble at... Cardui cured her, and we sing its praises everywhere. We receive many thousands of similar letters every year, telling of the good Cardui has done for women who suffer from complaints so common to their sex. It should do you good, too. Try Cardui. E-77

Have you a fly-trap at your door?

FROM WINDY VALLEY

There was church services at the school house Sunday.

Masters Clarence and J. H. Lancaster of Amarillo are here on an extended visit with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Bills.

An ice cream supper and dance was enjoyed by a large crowd at Mr. Browder's Friday night. Given in honor of George Clifford, and Miss Derelle Anthony of Childress, who have been visiting here the past week. They returned home Saturday.

Weaver Conner of Wellington spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks.

Bill Hillman and family of Jericho were visiting in the Conner and Hillman homes the first of the week.

Mrs. McElroy spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Butler of Lelia Lake. Mr. Atteberry and wife of Clarendon spent Saturday with Clyde Atteberry and wife.

Miss Myrtle Stephens of Lelia Lake spent Thursday night with Miss Carrie Sue.

J. W. DeBord has been at McKnight this week on business.

Miss Oma Grant is visiting in Lodge.

Mack Baker of Lakeview spent Sunday in the J. J. Bills home.

Rev. Williams is visiting his cousin, Mrs. Lou Grant.

Bill Conner spent Sunday with Cecil and Curtis Bills, and Clarence Lancaster.

Mr. DeBord and family of McKnight visited his brother, J. W. and wife Saturday and Sunday.

Austin Grant and family visited in Lakeview Sunday.

There will be speaking at the school house Thursday night by Rev. Williams.

Carrie Sue spent Sunday with Lorene Stogner.

There was an ice cream supper at Mrs. Hefner's Thursday night.

Miss Ted Garland visited Miss Sallie Jacobs Sunday.

Reg. Hillman, wife and Miss Dewey Mitchem were Lelia Lake visitors Sunday.

Blondie and Ruth Bowling of Clarendon is spending the week with Mrs. Bert Ayers.

Miss Jack Bills visited Miss Dell Conner Sunday.

Blue Eyed Sue.

LELIA LAKE LOCALS

Miss Mildred Wilson of Claude spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Gladys Taylor.

Miss Lucile Ellis visited friends in Clarendon Friday and Saturday.

Children's Day was in every way a perfect success and every one enjoyed the little program rendered.

Mrs. G. D. Thompson left Monday night for Kaufman, Texas where she will visit relatives and friends.

Mr. Roy Guffey spent last week in Pampa.

Mrs. Wallace was in Memphis Monday shopping.

Miss Moody Kennedy was hostess to a party Tuesday night. Forty-two and Plinch being the features of the evening. At a late hour each and every one bid the hostess "adieu" and declared "the best time ever."

Mr. W. M. Cothran spent the day in Brice Tuesday writing insurance.

The Red Cross met Tuesday evening with about 20 workers. They turned out 435 pieces of gauze besides worked up a bolt of muslin. Everybody come next Friday and help win the war.

The little infant of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Warren died last Saturday morning at 5 o'clock with the whooping cough. She had only been sick a few days, but in the few days of her illness she suffered intensely but she is free from pain now. It looked awful hard for a little sunbeam of 18 months to be taken out of the home, but God is just and sees things best. She is out of a world of sorrow, into one of happiness.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren's many friends offer their heart-felt sympathy to them in their bereavement.

ASHTOLA NEWS

Farmers are busy fighting grass. Most of the farmers are near done replanting.

Mr. and Mrs. O'Neill entertained the young people with a play party Saturday night. A large crowd was present and all had a fine time.

Miss Myrtle Parsons has been on the sick list the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Shores entertained the young people Sunday night in their home with choir practice.

Fred Kemp was a visitor in Ashtola Sunday.

Preaching at the school house Sunday evening, June 16th. A good crowd and all enjoyed the sermon.

Billie McBrier visited friends in Goodnight Saturday night and Sunday.

Will write more next week.

Last Saturday afternoon the three candidates for the office of District Judge of this district held a joint debate, as to their qualifications and records, on the streets of Clarendon in front of Ozier's store. Judge Umphes, Hon. Henry Bishop and Hon. Otis Truelove participated in the discussion and entertained the audience with their remarks.

FORMER CLARENDON BOY HONORED IN NEW HOME

Some years ago Mr. Goodrum and family moved from Clarendon to Rogers, Ark., from which place the young son enlisted in the army. In France he had the misfortune to have his eye shot out and is now at home on account of his injury. Following is an excerpt from an article published by the Rogers paper giving a short account of his adventures:

After the first part of the program had been concluded, Mayor Funk, after a short preliminary address, introduced our returned soldier boy, Private Goodrum, who was greeted with mighty applause. He was one of the first Americans to go over, left last October with 5,000 others, landed in France Oct. 20, entrained at once for the front. Two weeks' trench training and they were ready. They went into the front line trenches Nov. 6. Soon after he was wounded. Every one enjoyed his talk, and the closest attention was paid. He spoke in glowing terms of the work of the American Red Cross was doing. At the close of his talk, four little girls marched up to him and presented him with a bouquet, a token of appreciation for the sacrifice he made.

PHILATHEA CLASS ENTERTAINS

The Philathea class of the Methodist Church met in regular social meeting at the home of Miss Wilma McLean on Thursday evening at 7:30 June 7th.

After some time of pleasant conversation a delicious course of cream and cake was served to Misses Eva Patching, Helen Powell, Jennie Dale Powell, Nora Alexander, Alberta Hilburn, Lelia Clifford, Elizabeth Clifford, Ineva Hendrick, Flora Connally, Mattie Helen Martin, Meta SoRelle, Wilma McLean, Zoe Glenn, Mrs. W. A. SoRelle and Mrs. W. R. Silvey.

The class then presented Mrs. Meta Jordon with a set of Sterling Silver tea spoons congratulatory of her marriage to Lieutenant Jordon, who is now "over there."

The hostess then opened a parasol over Miss Hilburn showering her with handkerchiefs of every description. Miss Hilburn has been an active member of our class for several years and the shower was to express our appreciation of her and our regret at her leaving us for Panhandle where she has gone to take up her work.

ADDITIONAL MEN CALLED TO GET QUOTA FOR JUNE CALL

John G. McClenny. Charles R. Casey. Enoch M. Jones. Reagan C. Bryan. Pearl T. Boston. Thos. E. Major. John Van B. O'Neill. Ollie C. Lutterell. Earnest C. Wood. C. C. Posey. Wm. H. Stroud.

Ross Noland and family and Lenox Walker and family arrived in Clarendon Monday evening from a visit at Fort Worth and other points. Mr. Noland and family left Wednesday morning for Goodnight to visit, while the latter remained for a few days as guests of J. E. Walker and family.

Mrs. Graham of Quitaque was buried in Clarendon last Saturday. She formerly lived near Mulberry several years ago, and is well known in Clarendon. She is the mother of Will, Louis and Joe, who also live at Quitaque, but are frequent visitors in Clarendon, and are very popular with our people.

T. S. Kemp is on a business trip to Fort Worth this week.

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THE NURSING SERVICE

The Educational Committee met last Wednesday and Thursday and transacted much business. A class of 60 or more members is promised for the course in Elementary Hygiene and Home Care of the sick. In taking this course you are not obligated to do anything but it is designed primarily to fit you for taking care of the sick in your own home. There will be fifteen lessons of two hours each and the price will be approximately \$4.50. We have some books on hand and some more are coming. It is to your interest to do this work, as we all know that if the war continues nurses will become more scarce. If you have not already promised to take the course call Miss Lila McClelland and give her your name and get a book.

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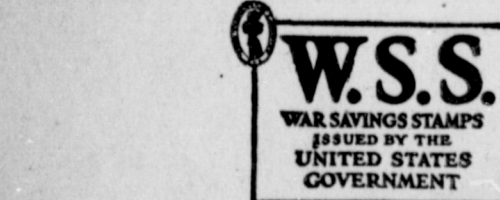
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